

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be; world without end. Amen. Amen.

Old Testament Scripture . . . Alice Jacobson
Isaiah 53:1-6

Pastoral Prayer for the People Pastor David Rodriguez
Hymn of Preparation #513 . . . *Oh How He Loves You and Me*

Scripture Reading Pastor David Rodriguez
John 11:45-57

Sermon Pastor David Rodriguez
The Plot to Kill Jesus

Offering
Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Hymn of Dedication #181 . . . *Were You There?*

Pastoral Charge Pastor David Rodriguez

Choral Benediction *Lenten Benediction* by Lyn Snyder
Chancel Choir

Congregational Benediction Numbers 6:24-26

May the Lord bless you and keep you. May He cause His face to shine upon you,
and be gracious unto you. May He lift His countenance upon you, and give you
peace.

Postlude *Fugue in C minor*
by J.S. Bach

This Week's Praises and Prayer Requests

----- Please tear here to leave prayer requests in the offering plate. -----

Need Prayer?

To leave prayer requests for our congregation's Prayer team, please email them
to prayer@gmpc.org, speak to any of our deacons, or write on this bulletin and
place it in the offering plate.

Welcome The members of Graham Memorial Presbyterian Church hope you'll
find encouragement in this morning's worship and that you'll
discover us to be a warm and friendly group of Christ's followers.

Childcare is available for children ages 0-2 in the Nursery outside by
the side ramp entrance. A Nursing Room is also available through
the front door of the Kirk Cottage, at the base of the ramp entrance.

Women's restrooms can be found just through the door to the left
of the stage. Men's restrooms are located outside behind the Parish
Hall near the playground.

Mingle with Us **Coffee Connection**
10:00-10:30am, every Sunday
Kirk Cottage Courtyard

We offer members, guests, and visitors—including kids—attending
both morning worship services the opportunity to mingle in a relaxed
environment, sip freshly brewed coffee, and connect with friends
or meet new ones.

Presbyterian lay leadership includes both deacons and elders. Below
is a listing of our currently active lay leaders.

Our Board of Deacons	2021-2024	2022-2025	2023-2026
	Andi Baker	Sarah Barns	Marty Almquist
	Donna Dameron	Kelli Boutros	Matt Heidt
	Dana Wilcox	Mike Dykstra	Anne Grignon
	Mary Jane Wilfong	Rodrigo Fernandez	Jane Reavie

Andy Koczon

Our Ruling Elders	2021-2024	2022-2025	2023-2026
	Debbie Bell-Smith	Dan Boutros	Russ Allen
	Thomas Campbell	Richard Dukes	Monica Piepenkotter
	Jay Chesnut	Don Steuer	Doug Reavie
	Ken Ireland	Art Wilcox	Dan Swanson
	Ward Wilson		

Our Staff	Sarah Barns	Children's Min Program Assistant
	Erica Gapp	Bookkeeper
	John Joseph	Associate Pastor
	Kimberlee Joseph	Director of Music Ministries
	Valerie Lewis.	Preschool Director
	Thomas Ritz	Sound Technician
	David Rodriguez	Interim Pastor
	Rachael Tisdale	Business Administrator
Annetta Townsend	Accountant	

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To Know Christ and to Make Christ Known



9:00am Worship . Sunday, March 19, 2023

The Reverend David Rodriguez, Interim Pastor
The Reverend John Joseph, Associate Pastor

Worship Service Sunday, March 19, 2023

Pulpit Floral Donor John and Jo Klinker
In celebration of their 53rd wedding anniversary on March 21, 2023.
Lay Reader Alice Jacobson
Director of Music Ministries Kimberlee Joseph
Organist Jenny-Marie Carson

Prelude *Little Prelude and Fugue in D minor*
by J.S. Bach

Welcome & Announcements

Time of Meditation Jenny-Marie Carson
Call to Worship Revelation 4:8,11

Leader: Each of the four living creatures had six wings and was covered with eyes all around, even under his wings. Day and night they never stop saying:

People: Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come.

All: You are worthy, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they were created and have their being.

Hymn of Praise #262 *Holy, Holy, Holy*

Baptism. Madeline Merrie Kuhns

Prayer of Adoration. Pastor David Rodriguez

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Anthem *Without His Cross* by Joseph M. Martin
Chancel Choir

Prayer of Confession Alice Jacobson

God our Father: we have done wrong, and do not deserve to be called your children. We have turned from your way, and been taken in by our own desires. We have not loved neighbors as you commanded. Have mercy on us, Lord, have mercy on us, and forgive us; for the sake of your Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon Pastor David Rodriguez

For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his love for those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us. (Psalm 103:11-12) (And all God's people said. . .)

New Opportunities to Connect, Grow, Equip, Serve & Invite Others to Join

Su Mar 19 Welcome Reception

Join us for a pot luck lunch to welcome the new Interim Pastor, David Rodriguez and his wife Cathy into our GMPC family. Lunch will be from 11:45-1:00pm. Please bring your favorite dish or follow the last name alphabetical suggestion below: A - F: Desserts, G - M: Appetizers, N - Z: Sandwiches, salad, or a casserole dish.

Mo Mar 20 Ladies Bible Study

We are just about halfway through our 7-session Bible Study, "Elijah: Faith and Fire." Sometimes we are blinded by the remarkable narratives of our biblical heroes, we can forget they each had a backstory—months and years of development, even difficulty, which fortified their spiritual muscle and prepared them for the tasks that made their lives unforgettable. Join us from 9:30-11:30am or 6:00-8:00pm in the Parish Hall as we study the prophet Elijah to discover we too are shaped by God in the midst of life's challenges.

Mo Mar 20 Coronado Men's Connection

Coronado Men's Connection's vision is becoming men who matter by allowing the Word of God to define and direct us. We come together the third Monday of each month to explore, understand, embrace and spread God's Word. This month's presentation will be led by Lee Reisinger and will feature video by Greg Koukl on "The Story of Reality." It will be on March 20th at 711 A Avenue. Dinner is provided at 6pm, with the presentation at 6:30 pm.

Sound Technicians Needed!

Have you ever wondered what all the knobs and buttons are on the sound board? We are in search of an inquiring mind who is willing to learn and enjoys "behind the scenes" work. For anyone interested in learning more about being on our Audio/Visual team, please contact Kimberlee Joseph at kim@gmpc.org for more details.

Tables of Eight Fellowship Dinners

Tables of Eight will be an opportunity for our church family to share a meal together and enjoy Christian fellowship. Groups of eight people will be invited to various homes or alternate locations to share a meal together. We encourage all members and regular church attendees to participate and learn more about our church family in an informal social setting as we imitate Jesus' table ministry. For more information, please email tables8@gmpc.org. To sign up now, visit www.gmpc.org/tables8.

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

We actively respond to God's generosity in worship through the giving of God's tithes and our offerings. Passing the plate is a way to incorporate this act of worship into our service. You may also give online at www.gmpc.org/give.

Weekly Memory Verse: James 1:2-3

Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance.

Announcements (Continued)

Su Mar 26 Cliff Student Classic Film: A Tale of Two Cities

A Tale of Two Cities, directed by Jack Conway in 1935, screens FREE for High School and Middle School students and their families Sunday afternoon, March 26th from 1PM to 3:30PM in The Library's Winn Room.

Fri April 21 Magnify Life

The College Area Pregnancy Services (CAPS) Annual Fundraiser "Magnify Life" will be held at the Julep Event Center in San Diego, CA at 6:30 PM. David Bereit, founder of the Worldwide 40 Days for Life Campaign, is the keynote speaker. San Diego CAPS serves women and couples facing unplanned pregnancies, providing compassionate professional medical assessments, ultrasounds, counseling, and concrete assistance from clinics in the College Area, Pacific Beach, Downtown and the Mesa Area. Truth is powerful. Over 90% of women and men who see the ultrasound image of their baby in the womb at a CAPS clinic and receive counseling, choose life. Welcoming their child, with CAPS support, changes their lives forever. The child they welcome changes the world forever.

What's Happening at GMPC This Week?

You can also check the church calendar at www.gmpc.org/calendar for an up-to-date listing of all our mid-week meetings. If you have any questions, please contact our church office at (619) 435-6860.

Su 9:00 a.m. - Nursery (ages 0-2)
9:00 a.m. - Children's Sunday School (ages 2-11)
9:00 a.m. - Youth Sunday School (grades 6-12)
10:30 a.m. - Nursery (ages 0-3)

Mo 6:30 a.m. - Monday Morning Men's Study
9:30 a.m. - Ladies Bible Study
6:00 p.m. - Ladies Bible Study

Tu 5:00 p.m. - Big-5
5:00 p.m. - Handbell Choir
7:00 p.m. - Crosswalk

We 6:00 p.m. - AWANA

Th 7:00 p.m. - Chancel Choir

Fr 11:45 a.m. - High School Friday Lunch

Sa 7:00 a.m. - Men's Fellowship Study