

**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.

**New Testament Scripture . . .** Matthew 10:16-32  
Mary Jane Clements

**Pastoral Prayer for the People** Rev. David Rodriguez

**Hymn of Preparation #383** *Open Our Eyes, Lord*

**Scripture Reading . . . . .** Rev. David Rodriguez  
Acts 4:1-22

**Sermon . . . . .** Rev. David Rodriguez  
*“The Right Words at The Right Time”*

**Reception of New Members.** Lee & Susan Reisinger

**Affirmation of Faith**

*Apostles’ Creed*

I believe in God the Father, Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,

And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate; was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

**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 #477 . . .** *Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus*

**Pastoral Charge . . . . .** Rev. David Rodriguez

**Choral Benediction . . . . .** *One With the Spirit*  
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 . . . . .** Norman Belleza

**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.

<b>Our Board of Deacons</b>	<b>2021-2024</b>	<b>2022-2025</b>	<b>2023-2026</b>
	Andi Baker	Sarah Barns	Marty Almquist
	Donna Dameron	Mike Dykstra	Matt Heidt
	Dana Wilcox	Rodrigo Fernandez	Jane Reavie
	Mary Jane Wilfong	Andy Koczon	

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

**Our Staff**

Silas Baller & Jack Letcher . . . . .	Sound Technicians
Anna Chesnut . . . . .	Children’s Ministries Intern
Silas Baller & Jack Letcher . . . . .	Sound Technicians
Jessica DiGrazia & Jennifer Nesbitt . . . . .	Preschool Co-Directors
Erica Gapp . . . . .	Bookkeeper
John Joseph . . . . .	Associate Pastor
Kimberlee Joseph . . . . .	Director of Music Ministries
Michelle Melton . . . . .	Family Min Admin/Comm Liaison
David Rodriguez . . . . .	Interim Pastor
Mark Steuer . . . . .	General Maintenance
Rachael Tisdale . . . . .	Business Administrator
Annetta Townsend . . . . .	Accountant

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To Know Christ and to Make Christ Known



9:00am Worship . Sunday, June 25, 2023

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

**Worship Service** Sunday, June 25, 2023

**Pulpit Floral Donor** . . . . . Richard Dukes  
In memory of my brother, David.

**Lay Reader** . . . . . Mary Jane Clements

**Director of Music Ministries** . Kimberlee Joseph

**Organist** . . . . . Norman Belleza

**Prelude** . . . . . Norman Belleza

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Time of Meditation**

**Call to Worship** . . . . . Psalm 104:1-3,33

**Leader:** Praise the Lord, my soul. Lord my God, you are very great; you are clothed with splendor and majesty.

**People:** The Lord wraps himself in light as with a garment; He stretches out the heavens like a tent and lays the beams of his upper chambers on their waters. He makes the clouds his chariot and rides on the wings of the wind.

**All:** I will sing to the Lord all my life; I will sing praise to my God as long as I live.

**Hymn of Praise #10** . . . . . *O Worship the King*

**Invocation** . . . . . Rev. 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** . . . . . *Thy Word*  
by Jack Schrader  
Chancel Choir

**Prayer of Confession** . . . . . Mary Jane Clements  
Mighty God: By Your power is Christ raised from death to rule this world with love. We confess that we have not believed in Him, but fall into doubt and fear. Gladness has no home in our hearts, and gratitude is slight. Forgive our dread of dying, our hopelessness, and set us free for joy in the victory of Jesus Christ, who was dead but lives, and will put down every power to hurt or destroy, when Your promised kingdom comes. Amen.

**Assurance of Pardon** . . . . . Rev. David Rodriguez  
"If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness." (1 John1 :8-9 ) (And all God's people said. . .)

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

**New Member Welcome Reception**

Come welcome our new members during Coffee Connection on the patio. We encourage you to introduce yourself and welcome them to our GMPC family.

**Thank you, Kimberlee!**

Our longtime Director of Music Ministries, Kimberlee Joseph, tendered her resignation effective July 7, so that she would be free to devote more time to the care of her growing children. During her 12 years of dedicated service to Graham, she has shared her tremendous musical talent, her leadership, and her theological training for the benefit of all of us. Please extend to Kim your appreciation for her contributions to your worship experience. Her last Sunday leading the music at Graham will be July 2, 2023.

**Director of Music Ministries**

If you have any suggestions or recommendations to assist the search for Kimberlee's successor, please share them with our Personnel Committee, for which Don Steuer is Chair. To apply for the position please submit a Statement of Christian Faith, Introductory letter, and a Resume with references, to the following email address: dmm@gmpc.org.

**Higher Education Scholarship**

This is your chance to shine and secure the financial support you need for your academic journey. Whether you're a senior ready to embark on your college adventure, a current college student pursuing your dreams, or a career technical student carving your path, we have a scholarship opportunity specifically designed for you. Mark your calendars and pay close attention to the deadline—Friday, July 7, 2023. It's essential to submit your application in time to be considered for this life-changing opportunity. Ready to take the next step? Head over to [www.gmpc.org/scholarship](http://www.gmpc.org/scholarship) to access the application. You'll find all the necessary details and instructions to guide you through the process. Should you have any questions along the way, feel free to reach out to Pastor John ([pastorjohn@gmpc.org](mailto:pastorjohn@gmpc.org)), who is more than happy to assist you.

**Pulpit Flower Dedications**

Did you know pulpit flowers are donated after Sunday services? One beautiful arrangement becomes 5 and is hand delivered to those in need of some extra cheer. If you're looking for an easy way to serve the church, a unique way to honor a loved one, or a meaningful way to celebrate someone, please contact Rachael Tisdale at [Rachael@gmpc.org](mailto:Rachael@gmpc.org).

**This Week's Praises and Prayer Requests**

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**Need Prayer?**

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

**What's Happening at GMPC This Week?**

You can also check the church calendar at [www.gmpc.org/calendar](http://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
- Tu** 5:00 p.m. - Handbell Paractice
- Th** 7:00 p.m. - Chancel Choir
- Sa** 7:00 a.m. - Men's Fellowship Study

**Weekly Memory Verse:**

"I am sending you out like sheep among wolves. Therefore be as shrewd as snakes and as innocent as doves." Matthew 10:16