

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.

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

**Scripture Reading . . . . .** Rev. David Rodriguez  
Luke 17:11-19

## Affirmation of Faith

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.

Bill Urick  
Gerry Moss  
Margaret Moss  
Broniel Mushovic  
Jessica Mushovic

## 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.

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

**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. (And all God's people said...) Amen.

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.

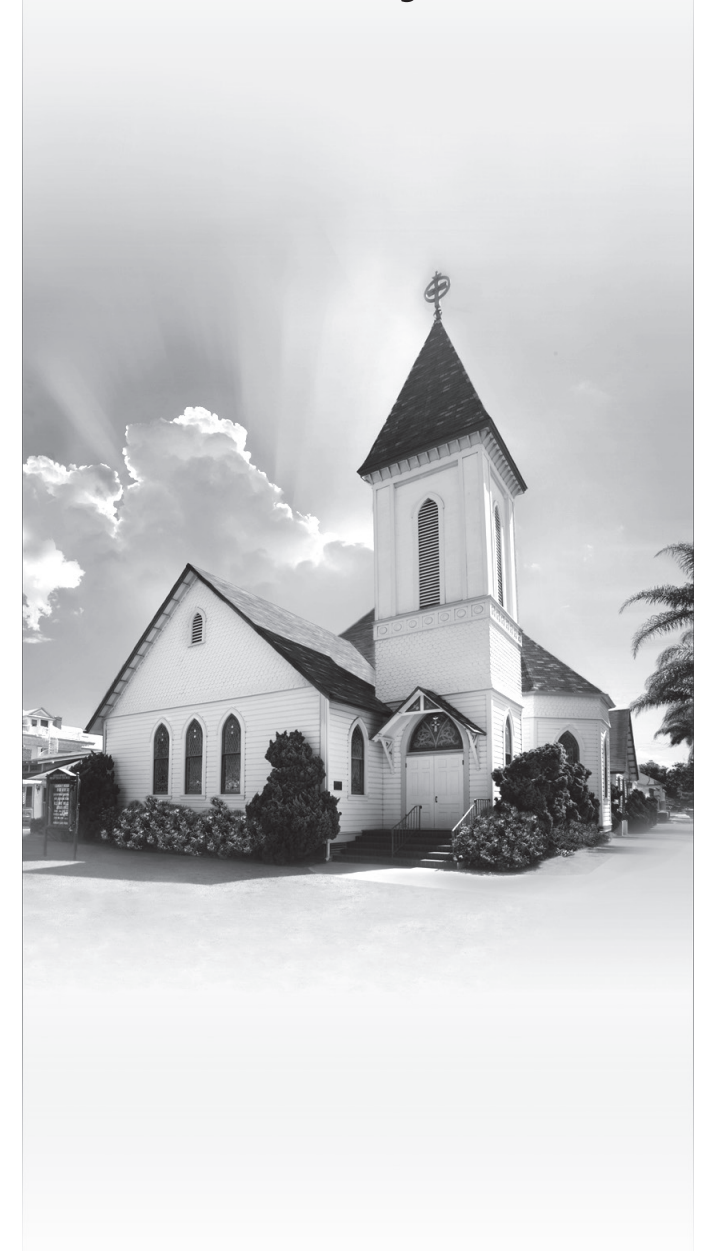
We offer members, guests, and visitors—including kids—attending both morning worship services the opportunity to mingle in a relaxed environment, sip freshly brewed coffee, and connect with friends or meet new ones.

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

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



*The Reverend David Rodriguez, Interim Pastor*



## To Know Christ and to Make Christ Known

Worship Service Sunday, November 26, 2023

Pulpit Floral Donor . . . . . Steve and DeEtte Loeffler  
In honor of Steve’s father,  
CAPT William H. Loeffler USN Retired.

Lay Reader . . . . . Bill Urick  
Director of Music Ministries Renée Calvo  
Organist . . . . . Jenny-Marie Carson

Prelude . . . . . Jenny-Marie Carson

Welcome & Announcement  
Time of Meditation

Call to Worship . . . . . Psalm 100:4-5  
Leader: Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise.  
People: Give thanks to him and praise his name.  
All: For the Lord is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness  
continues through all generations.

Hymn of Praise #559 . . . . . Come, Ye Thankful People Come

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.

Special Music. . . . . Jenny-Marie Carson and Bill Urick  
Leaning on the Everlasting Arms  
by Anthony J. Showalter

Prayer of Confession . . . . . Bill Urick  
Almighty God: in love you spread good gifts before us, more than we need or  
deserve. You feed, heal, teach, and save us. We confess that we always want  
more; that we never share as freely as you give. We resent what we lack, and  
are jealous of neighbors. We misuse what you intend for joy. God, forgive  
our stubborn greed, and our destructiveness. In mercy, help us to take such  
pleasure in your goodness that we will always be thanking you; through Jesus  
Christ our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon . . . . . Rev. David Rodriguez  
“Come now, let us reason together,” says the Lord. “Though your sins are like  
scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red as crimson, they  
shall be like wool.” Isaiah 1:18 (And all God’s people said. . .) Amen.

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

Young Adult Bible Study  
If you are between 18-30 years old and are looking to deepen your faith and meet  
more people, we would love to have you attend a Bible study small group. We will  
be meeting Sundays at 2PM starting today, Nov. 26th, at Megan Smith’s home.  
Please text Megan at 619-987-0012 for the address.

Christmas Décor Helpers Needed  
Let’s deck the halls! We would love your help hanging garlands, wreaths, and pew  
decorations this Thursday, 11/30, at 9:00AM. For more details, please contact the  
Church Office at 619-435-6860.

Pledge Dedication Sunday  
Next Sunday, Dec. 3rd, we will dedicate our 2024 Pledges to God during the  
worship services. Please bring your pledge cards with you. Pledge cards will also  
be available in the pew racks.

San Diego Sockman Needs Volunteers  
Every Sunday, right after the second service, Hal Sadler, our own San Diego  
Sockman needs two helpers, from approximately noon to 3:00PM. One person to  
drive his vehicle (he is vision challenged and cannot drive) and the other to hand  
him the socks, water, soup, and kits (as available) from the back of the vehicle,  
while he personally distributes them from the front passenger seat. On occasion  
the distribution may take place from a table platform at a fixed site such as San  
Diego First Presbyterian Church. Please consider signing up on his SignUp.com  
page at <https://signup.com/go/dEajNbr>. Hal can also be contacted directly at  
[sockmansd@gmail.com](mailto:sockmansd@gmail.com) or at 619-513-8707. To donate, visit SDSockmanGoFundMe.  
San Diego Sockman is a 501 (C) (3) non-profit corporation and donations are fully  
tax deductible.

You Don’t Even Have To Shop  
But you could. . . for toys to be given to our junior enlisted military families during  
our Dec. 11th Best PCS Ever! Christmas Store event. Or you could donate using this  
link: [https://www.paypal.com/donate?campaign\\_id=QB4WUJABZJGKG](https://www.paypal.com/donate?campaign_id=QB4WUJABZJGKG). Or you  
could volunteer to be a gift wrapper. Just give Rachael, our Business Administrator,  
a call at 619-435-6860. Thanks.

Parade Float Opportunity  
RSVP by Tuesday, Nov. 28th, for the opportunity to participate with the Children’s  
& Family Ministries’ “Aloha” float in the Coronado Holiday/Christmas Parade held  
on Friday, Dec. 1st from 4:30-7:00PM. RSVP Rebecca Smith, Dir. of Family Ministries  
at [rebecca@gmpc.org](mailto:rebecca@gmpc.org).

“God Bless Us, Everyone.”  
A FREE Advent Family Movie Event: Scrooge/A Christmas Carol. Charles Dickens’  
timeless tale of redemption is one of the most enduring Christmas stories in  
literary history. The final shots of Scrooge, a man born again, with Tiny Tim, are  
images to hold in your heart in this Advent season. Showing on Sunday, Dec. 3rd,  
at 1:00PM - in the Coronado Library’s Winn Room.

Do You Love To Bake Christmas Cookies?  
Then we need your help! Please bake five (5) dozen of your favorite Christmas  
cookie recipe and deliver them to the manse on Monday, Dec.11th. We will be  
gifting the cookies around town with a note to invite our community & neighbors  
to the Christmas events happening here at GMPC. For more information, please  
contact Cathy Rodriguez at 831-261-6868 or [rodriguezmom@hotmail.com](mailto:rodriguezmom@hotmail.com).

Cantata, Cantata, Cantata!  
Come be a part of the Christmas Cantata Choir! We have chosen “LOVE!” by  
Joel Raney for this years’ Christmas celebration. To listen to the Cantata, go to:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gEkMFAjnelU&t=987s> or type “Love!  
By Joel Raney” into your favorite search engine. Our performances will be  
on Sunday, December 17th at both services. We would love to have as many  
voices as possible to bring glory to God in the highest and have amazing  
fun doing it! For more info, contact Renée Calvo by email: [renee@gmpc.org](mailto:renee@gmpc.org).

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)  
10:45 a.m. - Nursery (ages 0-4)  
10:45 a.m. - Graham J.A.M. (after worship & children’s sermon)

Mo 6:30 a.m. - Monday Morning Men’s Group

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

We 6:00 p.m. - Awana

Th 9:00 a.m. - Deck the Halls in the Sanctuary  
6:30 p.m. - Christmas Cantana Rehearsal  
7:15 p.m. - Choir Reherasal  
8:00 p.m. - Praise Band Reherasal

Sa 7:00 a.m. - Men’s Fellowship Study  
9:00 a.m. - Born 2Be Bold

Weekly Memory Verse:  
“Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this  
is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.” I Thessalonians 5:12-28