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.

New Testament Scripture . . Philippians 2:1-11

John Klinker

Pastoral Prayer for the People Rev. David Rodriguez Hymn of Preparation No. 247 Spirit of the Living God

Scripture Reading Rev. David Rodriguez

John 12:12-16

Rev. David Rodriguez

"Blessed is He Who Comes in the Name Of The Lord"

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 No. 173 All Glory, Laud and Honor Pastoral Charge Rev. David Rodriguez

Lenten Benediction Choral Benediction

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.

Baptism

Elise Hsiao **Bailey Murphy** Derby Murphy Sam Murphy

Postlude in C minor

by M. Hilarion Eslava (1807-1878)

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 in the Nursery during both the 9:00 am Traditional Service (children ages 0-2) and the 10:45 am Blended Service (children ages 0-4). The Nursery is located at the side entrance of the Kirk Cottage. A nursing room is also available during both services, and may be accessed through the front door of the Kirk Cottage.

> 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

10:00-10:30 am, every Sunday Kirk Cottage Courtyard

We offer members, guests, and visitors—including kids—attending both morning worship services this 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 2

2022-2025	2023-2026	2024-2027
Mike Dykstra	Marty Almquist	Andi Baker
Rodrigo Fernandez	Matt Heidt	Mary Jane Wilfong
Andy Koczon	Anna Paul	
Holly Swanson	Jane Reavie	

Our Ruling Elders

2022-2025	2023-2026	2024-2027
Richard Dukes	Russ Allen	Cindy Albert
Tom Mitchell	Brian Baller	Dawn Dugas
Don Steuer	Monica Piepenkotter	Ken Ireland
Jauhree Walker	Doug Reavie	Lee Reisinger
Art Wilcox	Dan Swanson	Chipp Wilfong

Our Staff

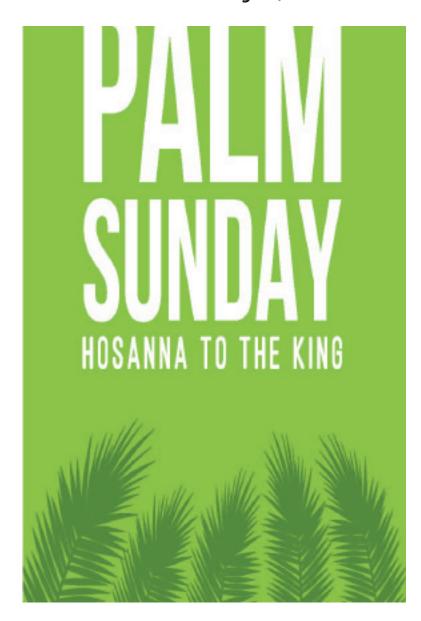
David Rodriguez Interim Pastor	
Renée Calvo Director of Music Ministries	
Rebecca Smith Director of Family Ministries	
Megan Smith Dir of Youth/Young Adult Min	
Sarah Murphy Children's Min Program Manager	
Jessica DiGrazia & Jennifer Nesbitt Preschool Co-Directors	
Rachael Tisdale Business Administrator	
Michelle Melton Director of Communication	
Erica Gapp Bookkeeper	
Appatta Townsond Accountant	

Annetta Townsend Accountant Sindy Schiller Receptionist

Anna Chesnut. Children's Ministries Intern Mark Steuer. General Maintenance June Grato & Jack Letcher Sound Technicians



9:00 am Worship - Sunday, March 24, 2024 The Reverend David Rodriguez, Interim Pastor



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Worship Service Sunday, March 24, 2024

Pulpit Floral Donor John & Jo Klinker

In honor of our 54th wedding anniversary on

March 21st

Lay Reader John Klinker Director of Music Ministries Renée Calvo

Organist Jenny-Marie Carson

Prelude Adagio in G minor

by Tomaso Albinoni (1671-1751)

Welcome & Announcements

Time of Meditation

Call to Worship Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; His love endures forever. Let Israel say: "His love endures forever." Open for me the gates of the righteous;

I will enter and give thanks to the Lord.

People: This is the gate of the Lord through which the righteous may enter. I will give you thanks, for you answered me; you have become my salvation.

The stone the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; the Lord has

done this, and it is marvelous.

Hymn of Praise No. 174. . . . Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

Palm Procession

Children's Choir

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.

Choral Anthem Let Us Return to the Lord

Prayer of Confession John Klinker

Eternal God: in Jesus Christ you entered Jerusalem to die for our sins. We confess we have not hailed you as king or gone before you in the world with praise. For brief faith that fades in trouble, for enthusiasms that fizzle out, for hopes we parade but do not pursue, have mercy on us. Forgive us, God, and give us such trust in your power that, in every city, we may live for justice and tell you loving-kindness, for the sake of our Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon Rev. David Rodriguez

Isaiah 1:18

"Come now, let us settle the matter," 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."

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

Prayer Night

This month's prayer night will be at First Baptist Church Coronado at 445 C Avenue on *Sunday, March 24 at 6:00 pm.* I Thessalonians 5:17 instructs us to "Pray continually" as part of "God's will for us in Christ Jesus." This is an opportunity to gather with other believers in our community and humble ourselves praying to our heavenly Father. For more information, please contact Rebecca Smith at rebecca@gmpc.org.

ABIDE! Women's Bible Study

Women's Bible Study is meeting *Monday, March 25 at 9:30 am or 6:00 pm*. We are studying "ABIDE" - An in-depth Study of 1, 2, 3 John by Jen Wilkin. As always, please feel free to come even if you have missed the last meeting(s) - we are blessed by you. For more information, contact the church offic at info@gmpc.org.

Free Movie Event

Sunday, March 24 from 1-3:30 pm the Student Classic Film Series Western Movie Month Spotlight Screening of **High Noon** in the Coronado Library's Winn Room. Controversial when it premiered in 1952, High Noon departs from tried-and-true Western storylines as a thought-provoking American morality tale showing the frightening isolation that results with the breakdown of a community due to human duplicity and cowardice. Open to all Middle and High School students. Adults over 18 should be accompanied by a minor.

Job Opening: Church Business Operations Director

Rachael Tisdale will be stepping down as our Church Business Operations Director the end of May. Her husband, Commander Ben Tisdale, USN, is retiring from the Navy and their family will be relocating back to their home state of Georgia. Rachael will be dearly missed and identifying her replacement early will allow the time necessary to do a detailed turnover. If you, or anyone one you know, is interested in applying for the position, please contact Rachael at the church office at (619) 435-6860 or rachael@gmpc.org.

Small Group Leader Training

Interested in being a Small Group Leader? Join us for Small Group Leader training on *Wednesday, April 3, 6-7:30 pm; Saturday, April 6, 8:30-10 am; or Sunday April 14, 9-10:30 am in the Kirk House Parlor*. Topics include What Happens in a Good Group, Leaders and Member Responsibilities, and Group Problems. This 90-minute course is also useful to church staff, Deacons, Elders, parents, grandparents, and ministry leaders. Register or get course details from Brian Snyder, brian.snyder@gmpc.org or (619) 794-9703.

Save the Date

Sunday, April 7 at 5:30 pm for CAPS Pregnancy + Ministry Clinics Update and Movie Night screening of **Unplanned** the true-life story of Abby Johnson, a former Planned Parenthood Clinic Director who became a powerful voice in the pro-life movement. Due to content, reservations will be required for all. For details and/ or to volunteer to help host the event, see Jon Mosier.

Children's Resurrection Party, Easter Sunday

All children preschool-5th grade will celebrate Jesus' resurrection with special lessons, crafts, treat bags and balloons next Sunday during their 9:00 am Sunday School classes. Because He lives, we live!

Prayer Requests

To leave prayer requests for our congregation's Prayer Team, please email 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

Please visit www.gmpc.org/calendar for an up-to-date listing of our mid-week/monthly events or contact the church office at (619) 435-6860.

Su 9:00 am - Nursery (ages 0-2)

9:00 am - Children's Sunday School (ages 3-11)

9:00 am - Youth Sunday School 10:45 am - Nursery (ages 0-4)

10:45 am - Graham J.A.M. (after worship & children's sermon)

12:30 pm - Stations of the Cross - Parish Hall

6:00 pm - Prayer Night (First Baptist Church, 445 C Avenue)

Mo 6:30 am - Monday Morning Men's Group

9:30 am - ABIDE! Women's Bible Study

6:00 pm - ABIDE! Women's Bible Study

10:00 am - Stations of the Cross - Parish Hall

5:00 pm - Middle School Youth Group 7:00 pm - High School Youth Group

7:00 pm - Truth Tuesdays & Stand to Reason

We 10:00 am - Stations of the Cross - Parish Hall

6:00 pm - Awana

7h 10:00 am - Stations of the Cross - Parish Hall

7:00 pm - Maundy Thursday Taize Worship Service

7 3:30 pm - Good Friday Walk with the Cross

(walk begins at Coronado Southern Baptist Church, 111 Orange Avenue)

Sa 7:00 am - Men's Fellowship Study

Weekly Memory Verse:

"Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord, and He shall lift you up." James 4:10