

**COMMUNITY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
OF CHULA VISTA
UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**



**Sunrise Church
and Community Congregational Church of Chula Vista
United Church of Christ**

November 19, 2023

10 am

***No matter who you are or where you are on life's
journey, you are welcome here!***

Welcome! Mabuhay! Bienvenidos!

We welcome you in the name of the still speaking God!
We invite all *guests* to please **PRINT** their name and contact info
on the “*Information Card*” in the pew rack and place the card
in the offering plate. Anyone with a prayer request,
please put it on the “*Information Card*”
and place it in the offering plate.
If you need assistance, please ask our Greeters.

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Greeters: Carol Black & Erika Dennis

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Prelude: Margaret Gaillard

Gathering Music:
1. Medley of thanks (remix)

Welcome and Announcements: Rev. Victoria Freiheit

Liturgist: Belen Hebreo

Call to Worship: (Responsively) Belen Hebreo
Unto you, O God, we lift up our souls. Open our ears to hear your word; open our minds to Your thoughts and challenge our wills to live as we pray. Amen.

*** Hymn:** Joyful, Joyful We Adore You NCH p.4 all verses

Prayer of Invocation: (in Unison) Belen Hebreo
O God, our Creator, we thank You for all the blessings of life. Help us to see them, to count them, and to remember them, that our lives may flow in ceaseless praise; in the Name of Jesus Christ, who taught us to pray:

The Lord's Prayer

***Hymn:** Come Ye Thankful People Come Red p. 392 v. 1 & 4

Joint Choir Anthem: For All the Blessings of The Year
arranged by Lloyd Larson

Children's Story: Sabrina San Nicolas

Scripture and Sermon: Pastor Tony and Rev. Freiheit

Thanksgiving Tree Rev. Victoria Freiheit

*** Please stand if you are able**

Litany of Thanksgiving

Gerardo (G) Soliven

One: Let us give thanks to God for all the gifts bestowed on us
—beauty and wonder of creation, in earth, sky and sea.

All: We thank you, God.

One: For our daily food and drink, our homes and families,
and our friends,

All: We thank you, God.

One: For minds to think and hearts to love, and hands to serve,

All: We thank you, God.

One: For health and strength to work and play,

All: We thank you God.

One: For courage to be patient in adversity,

All: We thank you, God.

One: For all those who seek after truth, liberty and justice,

All: We thank you, God.

One: Above all, we thank you for Yourself, and for Your great promises and
mercies to us,

All: We thank you, God.

Prayers of the People, Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer (debts)

Call to Offering: Unison Proverbs 3:9-10

Honor the LORD with your wealth, with the firstfruits of all your crops; then your barns will be filled to overflowing, and your vats will brim over with new wine. Amen.

Offertory:

Margaret Gaillard

***Doxology:** *Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God all creatures here below.
Praise God for all that love has done,
Creator, Christ and Spirit One. Amen.*

* Prayer of Dedication: Unison

Belen Hebreo

O God, we ask that you bless these tithes and offerings we give to you today. And bless all who worship You from the rising of the sun unto the going down of the same. Amen.

*Closing Hymn:

I Will Call Upon the Lord

*Benediction:

Rev. Victoria Freiheit

Form a circle **Let There Be Peace on Earth**

Let there be peace on Earth, and let it begin with me.
Let there be peace on Earth, the peace that was meant to be.
With God as our Maker, All one Family.
Let us walk with each other in perfect harmony.

Let peace begin with me, let this be the moment now.
With every step I take, let this be my solemn vow.
To take each moment, and live each moment
With peace eternally,
Let there be peace on Earth, and let it begin with me.

Postlude:

Margaret Gaillard

Announcements

WE WELCOME YOU to the Community Congregational Church, United Church of Christ. Please sign the information card and let us know if you need prayers. We are happy to have this annual joint worship service with Sunrise Church. We are delighted that you have joined us today.

Please, send in your time and tithe pledges to the church by Thursday, November 30th. Thank you to everyone who has already given their pledges.

TUESDAY	November 21st
9:30 AM	Quilters meet in small dining room
4:00 PM	AYOP – meeting In Bradley Hall
6:30 PM	ESL Laubach meeting in small dining room with Erika Dennis
7:00 PM	AA – meeting in Lounge
SUNDAY	November 26th
9:30 AM	Worship Service
10:30 AM	Fellowship and coffee

Sunrise Church Announcement: Dec. 9th Saturday 11 am “Gathering of Sisters”

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Interfaith Thanksgiving Prayer Service

November 22, 2023
7:00pm



**All are welcome
as we give thanks to God
for our many blessings**

Hospitality with refreshments in Nale Hall following the Service

St. John's Episcopal Church

760 First Ave

Chula Vista, CA 91910

