

come to Him through the Son are forgiven. Thanks be to God, through Jesus we are pardoned! (And, all God's people said...)

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 Reading . . . Jeanne Jameson
Genesis 1:1–2 . Page 1

Pastoral Prayer for the People Pastor David
The offering of our gifts, hearts, and lives

Offertory *Holy Spirit, Hope and Healer*
by Beall & Carter . Chancel Choir

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.

Hymn of Preparation #266 . *Holy, Holy* (verses 1–4)

Scripture Reading Pastor David
Matthew 28:16–20 . Page 706

Sermon Pastor David
What is the nature of the Holy Spirit within the Trinity?

Hymn of Dedication #249 . . *Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart*

Pastoral Charge Pastor David

Choral Benediction *One With the Spirit* by Lyn Snyder
Chancel Choir

Congregational Benediction Numbers 6:24–26 . Page 99

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.

Congregation's Response . . Amen

Postlude *Hover Over Me, Holy Spirit* by J. Sweeney

Exit Pastor David meets and greets
the congregation in the narthex

Need Prayer?

To leave prayer requests for our congregation's Prayer team, please email them to prayer@gmpc.org or speak to any of our deacons.

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

Worship with Us Our Sunday worship services are at **9:00am . 10:30am.** Sunday morning 9:00am worship is a traditional service that appeals to adults whose children are in Sunday School. The music includes traditional organ, piano, and Chancel Choir voices. Our Sunday morning 10:30am worship is a blended service and includes a brief children's sermon. The music is both traditional and contemporary. We provide Holy Communion at all worship services the second Sunday of each month.

Coffee Connection
10:00–10:30am, every Sunday
Garden Room, Center for Christian Education
949 C Avenue, Coronado

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 fruit juice, 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	2016–2019	2017–2020	2018–2021
	Mary Baker	Norma Ashworth	Chris Klave
	Beth West	Sylvia Mosier	Christina Klave
	Holly Swanson	Bart Schubert	Barbara Schmelzer
	Nancy Trotter	Kristy Schubert	Patricia Sedgwick
		Brian Snyder	
Our Ruling Elders	2016–2019	2017–2020	2018–2021
	Frank Corah	Tom Campbell	Jay Chesnut
	Don Steuer	Carolyn Parry	Rick Moore
	Dan Swanson	Ralph West	Ward Wilson
	Don Trotter	Paul Williams	Alice Jacobson
	Chipp Wilfong		
Our Staff	Susan Arnott	Business Administrator	
	Norman Belleza	Organist	
	Lisa Thiss	Youth Administrative Assistant	
	Randy Hill	Accountant	
	John Joseph	Associate Pastor	
	Kimberlee Joseph	Director of Music Ministries	
	Valerie Lewis	Preschool Director	
	David McElrath	Senior Pastor	
	David Smith	Sound Technician	
	Rebecca Smith	Director of Children's Ministries	
Annetta Townsend	Accountant		

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To Know Christ and to Make Christ Known



9:00am Worship . Sunday, May 6, 2018

The Reverend Dr. David H. McElrath, Pastor
The Reverend John Joseph, Associate Pastor

Worship Service **Sunday, May 6, 2018**

- Greeter** Mary Jane Clements . John Ruehlin
- Ushers.** Holly Swanson . Dan Swanson
Alice Jacobson . Jay Chesnut
- Coffee Connection Host** Children’s Ministries
- Pulpit Floral Donors** Doug and Kimberly Grossmann in memory of my mother, Phyllis Law, and all mothers.
- Lay Reader** Jeanne Jameson
- Director of Music Ministries** . Kimberlee Joseph
- Organist** Norman Belleza
- Assemble in God’s Name** Congregation enters sanctuary and distributes Friendship Registers

- Prelude** **Holy Spirit, Light Divine** by E. Parker
- Welcome and Announcements** Pastor David
- Social Introductions** Congregation greets one another
- Everyone Sings**

We are one in the bond of love. We are one in the bond of love. We have joined our spirit with the Spirit of God. We are one in the bond of love.

- Introit** **Come Sing to the Lord** by Lyn Snyder
Chancel Choir
- Call to Worship** Psalm 95:1– 7 . Page 426
- Hymn of Praise #267** **Come, Thou Almighty King**
- Prayer of Adoration.** Pastor David
- 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 **Create in Me a Clean Heart**
by Victor C. Johnson . Chancel Choir

Prayer of Confession Jeanne Jameson
Gracious Lord, your nature is a mystery to us – Father, Son and Holy Spirit – yet we continue to seek first your kingdom in all we do. For those times when we fail to acknowledge you, for those times when we put ourselves first, rather than your kingdom, we ask for your grace and forgiveness. Hear our prayers, in the name of the Father, and the Son and the Holy Spirit, amen.

Assurance of Pardon Pastor David

As high as the heavens are above the earth, so God’s ways are higher than ours, God’s thoughts are higher than ours. Yet in God’s wisdom and mercy, all who

New Opportunities to Connect, Grow, Equip, Serve . . . and Invite Others to Join

Th May 10 Friendship Circle

The Friendship Circle will host its Annual Salad Luncheon from 11:30am to 1:00pm in Parish Hall, with a number of Friendship Circle ladies contributing the food. So, just come with an appetite and enjoy what we’re planning for you – a delicious luncheon and time of fellowship before we take our summer break. We’ll talk about “A Mixture of Colors in Our Lives.” Please note the time change. The luncheon begins at 11:30. All women are welcome. (Friendship Circle will take a summer break and start again in October 2018.)

Sa May 12 Annual Letter Carriers’ Stamp Out Hunger® Food Drive

Please join us by volunteering in the largest one-day food drive in America to sort food which will benefit SDMOM. On Saturday, May 12, postal carriers will collect much needed food from their postal customers and bring it to the post office. We have volunteered to sort, box, and transport the donated food to MOM’s distribution center. We need many hands to make light work! To register go to www.gmpc.org or email sue@gmpc.org. Remember to fill the food bag your carrier leaves and put it by your mail box on Saturday, May 12.

W May 23 Spiritual Leadership Study – Here are 5 truths about spiritual leaders: 1. The spiritual leader’s task is to move people from where they are to where God wants them to be. 2. Spiritual leaders depend on the Holy Spirit. 3. Spiritual leaders are accountable to God. 4. Spiritual leaders can influence all people, not just God’s people. 5. Spiritual leaders work from God’s agenda. The world needs more leaders who are on God’s agenda, not on their own. Join us on Wednesday, May 23, at 6:00pm in the Kirk Cottage, 969 C Avenue. Contact brian.snyder@gmpc.org for more details.

Monday Morning Men’s Bible Study will not meet on Memorial Day, Monday, May 28. See you on Monday, June 4.

M June 4 Annual Golf Event: Golf4Good

PUM’s 12th annual golf event - Golf4Good - will be held on Monday, June 4, at the Admiral Baker Golf Course, 2400 Admiral Baker Road, San Diego. This is a major fundraiser for PUM. Green fees, cart fees, buffet lunch, soft drinks on the course, access to the driving range and range balls, raffle, live and silent auctions, and dinner after the tournament are all included in the registration fee of \$170 per golfer. Church contacts are Art Wilcox and Rick Moore or visit Golf4Good.org for additional information. Registration deadline is May 25.

Su June 3 Parables Adult Study

Jesus’ chief message was the arrival of God’s kingdom to the world. Parables are stories that demand a response. To do that, the parables are designed to provoke emotions, reactions, repentance, and recognition of who Jesus is and what the coming of the kingdom means. The parables are an invitation to those who belong to God to strengthen your faith and knowledge. Starts Sunday, June 3, at 9:00am at Logos College. Contact brian.snyder@gmpc.org at (619) 794-9703 for more details.

You Are Gifted

Yes, you are gifted. God has gifted you in many different ways. Some of us are artistically gifted or mechanically gifted while others are academically minded. What about your Spiritual Gift? How has the Holy Spirit gifted you as a member of the body of Christ? All our active Elders and Deacons know their Spiritual Gifts--it’s time for you to know yours. Log onto www.spiritualgifts.gmpc.org to complete a simple 8-minute spiritual gifts survey and receive your results immediately. There are no wrong answers. Everyone passes!

Deacons Ministry Highlight

Did you know that Graham has an active prayer team? Would you like to join us each week praying for one another? It’s easy! Simply send you email address to prayer@gmpc.org indicating that you’d like to join the prayer team and you will receive weekly emails listing off the prayers of the congregation- it’s up to you how often and when you pray- but one thing is for sure- praying is a direct line to God and He hears our prayers!!!

Project 25

Many thanks to all who attended our Phantom Gala on April 31st ;) Thanks to your generosity, we raised over \$2000 in donations for CAPS! We’d like to invite you to join us, along with other clubs from across San Diego, at the Project 25 Awards Ceremony. Mark your calendars for Friday, May 11, at 6:30pm and meet us at City View Church in San Diego. There will be awesome speakers, music by Propoganda, free dinner from Chick-Fil-A, and the announcement of the Project 25 winners! See you there!

Minute for Missions: Stamp Out Hunger Volunteer Project

Join us at the Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive volunteer project. Come and help sort donated food collected by Coronado Post Office workers. The donated food will be given to Military Outreach Ministries. MOM will distribute the much needed food to E4 and below military families in Coronado. Starts 2:30, May 12. Meet at the Coronado Post Office. A good time will be had by all as we help families in need and make some new friends. Donate whatever time you can. Please sign up on the church website: www.gmpc.org. We hope to see you there!

Weekly Memory Verse – Matthew 28:19-20

Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.