

**Assurance of Pardon:** This is a day to rejoice and celebrate for though Jesus was crucified on the cross, HE IS RISEN! (He is risen, indeed)

**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 Scripture . . .** Isaiah 65:17–25 . Page 531

Mary Jane Clements

**Pastoral Prayer for the People** Pastor David

The offering of our gifts, hearts, and lives

**Offertory . . . . .** *Joy in the Morning* by Natalie Sleeth

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 #215 . . .** *Alleluia! Alleluia!*

**Scripture Reading . . . . .** Pastor David

Acts 10:34–43 . Page 779

**Sermon . . . . .** Pastor David

*According to Plan...*

**Hymn of Dedication #225 . . .** *Worship Christ the Risen King*

**Pastoral Charge . . . . .** Pastor David

**Choral Benediction . . . . .** *Hallelujah Chorus* arr.Hal H. Hopson

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 . . . . .** *Because He Lives* by B. Gaither

**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  
Kirk Cottage Courtyard  
939 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.

<b>Our Board of Deacons</b>	<b>2017–2020</b>	<b>2018–2021</b>	<b>2019–2022</b>
	Norma Ashworth	Mary Baker	Gil Balkam
	Sylvia Mosier	Rodrigo Fernandez	Lynda Balkam
	Bart Schubert	Christina Klave	Donna Dameron
	Kristy Schubert	Barbara Schmelzer	Holly Swanson
Brian Snyder	Patricia Sedgwick	Beth West	

<b>Our Ruling Elders</b>	<b>2017–2020</b>	<b>2018–2021</b>	<b>2019–2022</b>
	Tom Campbell	Jay Chesnut	Frank Corah
	Carolyn Parry	Rick Moore	Evelyn Peirson
	Ralph West	Lalo Reyes	Don Steuer
		Debbie Bell-Smith	Dan Swanson
	Ward Wilson	Art Wilcox	

<b>Our Staff</b>	Norman Belleza . . . . .	Organist
	Christian Bland . . . . .	Youth Administrative Assistant
	Jordan Bland . . . . .	Sound Technician
	Erica Gapp . . . . .	Bookkeeper
	John Joseph . . . . .	Associate Pastor
	Kimberlee Joseph . . . . .	Director of Music Ministries
	Valerie Lewis . . . . .	Preschool Director
	Josh Reyes . . . . .	Sound Technician
	Rebecca Smith . . . . .	Director of Children's Ministries
	David McElrath . . . . .	Senior Pastor
		PastorDavid@gmpc.org
Annetta Townsend . . . . .	Accountant	

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To Know Christ and to Make Christ Known



**Resurrection Sunday . April 21, 2019**

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

**Worship Service** Sunday, April 21, 2019

- Greeters** . . . . . Debbie Bell Smith . Mary Baker
- Ushers** . . . . . Beth West . Mary Baker  
Patricia Sedgwick . Art Wilcox
- Coffee Connection** . . . . . Christian Education Committee  
Kirk Cottage Courtyard
- Pulpit Floral Donor** . . . . . The pulpit flowers this morning are in celebration of the glorious resurrection of Jesus Christ, our Lord. To God be the glory!
- Lay Reader** . . . . . Mary Jane Clements
- Director of Music Ministries** . Kimberlee Joseph
- Organist** . . . . . Norman Belleza
- Assemble in God's Name** . . . . Congregation enters sanctuary and distributes Friendship Registers

**Prelude** . . . . . **When I Survey the Wondrous Cross**  
by I. Watts

**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** . . . . . **Now Christ is Risen** by Lyn Snyder  
Chancel Choir

**Call to Worship** . . . . . Pastor: He is risen!  
Congregation: **He is risen, indeed!**

**Hymn of Praise #217** . . . . . **Christ the Lord Is Risen Today**

**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** . . . . . **With Joyful Voice** arr. John Carlton  
Chancel Choir

**Prayer of Confession** . . . . . Mary Jane Clements  
Heavenly Father, we rejoice this day as we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, through whom we have been granted access by faith into your loving presence. We thank you for the gift of forgiveness, mercy and grace through Jesus, and we pray that you would help us, by your transforming Holy Spirit, to be more like Jesus every day. We ask this in Jesus' name, amen.

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

**Fr April 26 Treasure Life**  
Are you a Christian committed to upholding the sanctity of human life? Do you have a heart for women facing unplanned pregnancies? If you answer "Yes," please consider joining a group of like-minded Graham Memorial congregants to attend the annual CAPS Crisis Pregnancy Ministry fundraiser "Treasure Life" dinner at Sea World on Friday, April 26. Learn about the mission of Crisis Pregnancy ministries and enjoy this year's keynote speaker, John Bursch, of the Alliance Defending Freedom. Mr. Bursch has argued 11 cases before the U. S. Supreme Court and has a passion for protecting the rights of crisis pregnancy ministries like CAPS. Contact Kaye Schneider at [kaye.schneider@gmpc.org](mailto:kaye.schneider@gmpc.org) or Frank Corah for details.

**Sa April 27 Inquirer's Class**  
Pastor John will have an Inquirer's Class on Saturday, April 27, from 9:00am –12:00pm, in the Kirk House parlor for those interested in becoming a member of Graham Memorial Presbyterian Church or anyone who would like to find out more about our church and denomination. We will have pastries, fruit, coffee and tea available during the class. Childcare is available by reservation only. Contact Sue at (619) 435-6860 x101, or email [sue@gmpc.org](mailto:sue@gmpc.org) to sign up.

**M April 29 Evening Circle**  
Evening Circle will meet at the home of Dana Wilcox, 425 H Avenue. We will continue our study of "Reformation Women, Sixteenth Century Figures Who Shaped Christianity's Rebirth" by Rebecca VanDoodewaard, Chapter 12 and Conclusion. Bring a topping for the community salad and your beverage of choice. RSVP to [danasuew@aol.com](mailto:danasuew@aol.com).

**At the most recent World Peeps Eating Championship...**  
...Matt Stonie, who hails from San Jose, broke the world record for the number of Peeps eaten in five minutes. (Yes, the little yellow marshmallow chickens). Did he eat more than 225 Peeps or fewer than 225 Peeps? Go ahead. Take a guess. Answer provided during the all-church "Ell, what do you know?" trivia game, Friday, May 10, 7:07pm -8:33pm, Parish Hall. (Uh, please don't try this at home.)

**Sa May 11 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 11, 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.eventbrite.com](http://www.eventbrite.com) and click on the Stamp Out Hunger icon or email [sue@gmpc.org](mailto:sue@gmpc.org). Remember to fill the food bag your carrier leaves and put it by your mail box on Saturday, May 11.

**Sa May 18 Save the Date – Annual Baja Day Trip**  
Our next day trip features three Korean churches in Tijuana that were recently donated to the Presbiterio Fronterizo Noroccidental (our Baja Presbyterian Presbytery). These churches were built by Korean Presbyterians with the intent

of turning over the church properties to our Baja Presbyterian Presbytery. They need significant work but all feature robust, growing congregations spreading Jesus' love to our southern neighbors. We will visit Monte Sinai, Monte Sion, and Monte Pacifico all in Tijuana. As is traditional, a Mexican lunch will be part of the trip. Join us on May 18th.

**Su May 19 Disney Resort park hopper passes drawing**  
Here is your opportunity to help furnish the Light & Life Center in Ethiopia and have a chance to win 4 valuable Disney Resort park hopper passes! The drawing will be held May 19th - just in time for summer vacation. Cost is \$25 per ticket or 5 tickets for \$100. Tickets online: [www.rickandkatiemoorefoundation.org](http://www.rickandkatiemoorefoundation.org) and through Rick Moore, Pastor David, or Debbie Bell. 100% of proceeds benefit the Light & Life Center since the Walt Disney Company has generously donated the park hoppers to the foundation. Winning tickets valid until December 20, 2020.

**GriefShare Class**  
Our Griefshare group enrollment is always open. We meet on Sunday afternoons from 1:00–3:00pm. This group is appropriate for those who are grieving the loss of a loved one. It does not matter the length of time since your loss. If you want to learn more about the process of grief and learn some tools to work through grief in a healthy manner, you are welcome to join us. We meet at LOGOS College (970 C Avenue), across the street from the Church sanctuary. If you have any questions, please contact Jan Smith at [jsmith1054@gmail.com](mailto:jsmith1054@gmail.com) or call the church office at (619) 435-6860.

**GMPCC Education Scholarship**  
College applications are in and the acceptance letters are filling your mailboxes. Your church family could not be more excited for you. Even more, the Graham Memorial Scholarship Committee is here to encourage your continued education as you pursue the career God is calling you into. With the cost of tuition increasing every year by an average of 5%, scholarships are key to making higher education possible. Apply for the Graham Memorial Presbyterian Church Education Scholarship online at [www.scholarship.gmpc.org](http://www.scholarship.gmpc.org) by June 1, 2018.

**An Easter Lily Gift** was given by Ward and Ann Wilson in loving memory of Ann's parents, Alice and Steve Leonard, and Ward's father, Ward Wilson, Jr.

**Our Instrumentalists**  
Trumpets – Jason Ford . Corey Wickline  
Handbells – Mary Jane Clements . Kristin Luttrell

**Weekly Memory Verse: Acts 10:43**  
All the prophets testify about Him that everyone who believes in Him receives forgiveness of sins through His name.