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Welcome to CAPC Oakland ONLINE!

We are a reformed, multicultural, politically purple, community of followers of Jesus. Together we seek to live our faith vigorously in our words, actions, and relationships in the East Bay.

We usually gather in person, but cannot during this season of COVID-19. So instead, we're worshipping together via ZOOM. While imperfect, and something that we'll get better at each time we gather remotely, it will allow us to gather together even in observing social distancing. We can't do coffee hour but you can call or connect with someone else by phone to share a moment together after worship.

CHILDREN

We have Godly Play for kids via ZOOM at 9:45am on Sunday. Find info and links at http://www.capcoak-land.org/zoom-worship-virtual-gatherings

PRAYER CARDS

We can't do prayer cards, but we can do live chat on ZOOM while we meet. Myrna Shadley is being our digital Deacon. She'll use the prayer requests you may share in the chat during our visual gathering to shape our Prayers of the People time. Look for the chat box in the lower right hand corner of your ZOOM screen.

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GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD VIA ZOOM

Video Welcome by The Work of the People "Behold I Make All Things New"

GATHERING SONG "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

CALL TO WORSHIP

SONG OF PRAISE "Wondrous Love"

LISTENING TO SCRIPTURE Romans 14:17-19

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD "The Three Most Important Things"

- Dr. Rev. David W. Gill

- Myrna Shadley

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

SONG OF RESPONSE "Jesus Our Divine Companion"

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

You can share your prayer requests for the good and the new using the Chat function on Zoom. Call and response liturgically prayed at the conclusion of sharing a prayer .

Leader: God, in your mercy. **People: Hear our prayer.**

THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

COLLECTION OF OUR OFFERINGS AND GIFTS

SENDING SONG "Guide My Feet"

SENDING CALL AND RESPONSE

Leader: God is good! Leader: And all the time!

People: All the time! People: God is good!

EXHORTATION & BENEDICTION

PASSING THE PEACE OF GOD "The Peace of Christ"

In the season of COVID-19 you're invited to pass the peace of God however and to whoever you can this day as we live our lives of disciples of Jesus sheltering-in-place, as a living sign of the Dominion of God at work moving us toward the healing transformation of the world.

OUR NEW NORMAL AT CAPC OAKLAND

CAPC Oakland will be restarting in-person worship on Sunday, June 27th at 10:30am. This is a decision made by the Elders of our Session (our elected governing board) as per their responsibility for the well-being of our community.

BUT WHAT DOES THAT LOOK LIKE?



IF YOU COME IN PERSON PLEASE WEAR A MASK AND COME READY FOR FUN -

Upon arriving at church you'll be welcomed by greeters and asked to sign-in (or they'll sign you in) before entering the sanctuary. This will allow us to keep an accurate list should we need to do any contact tracing. We ask that you wear a face mask to be sensitive to those who have not yet been vaccinated. We're thinking in particular of our under 12 years of age children who do not qualify yet for the vaccine. If you don't have a mask with you, we'll have them (as well as plenty of hand sanitizer and gloves) if you need them. We will ask that you wear your mask during the service, especially when singing. Our worship leadership will model mask-wearing, but will not be wearing masks when speaking or leading song. We'll let you sit where you would like to in the church, allowing people to social distance if and how they feel they need to. We will encourage those who haven't been vaccinated to sit in the balcony to help better protect themselves. Medical experts tells us that once vaccinated we are very nearly completely safe from becoming infected with COVID-19 and also safe from transmitting it to someone else. If you are not vaccinated you will be at a higher risk and we strongly encourage you to wear a mask if you come.

COFFEE HOUR AFTER WORSHIP OUTSIDE IN THE GARDEN -

We will be having coffee hour outside in the garden for the coming summer months. We'll install chairs and seating to make things comfortable. Those who are hosting coffee hour will serve you any and all food and drinks. We ask that you allow yourself to be served in this way as a precaution. Doing so helps us to be intentionally hygienic and also will put others at ease.

FOR THOSE WHO MIGHT NOT FEEL SAFE COMING IN PERSON -

We'll be doing a hybrid service, still streaming the service via Zoom for those who wish to attend that way. So whether you come in person or stay at home you'll have the same basic experienced.

June Birthdays

13 Lina Foltz Careaga 14 Patt Schroeder

15 Brian Trowbridge 24 Beth Beatty

29 Sophie McClain 2002

June Anniversaries

26 Bill & Beth Beatty 1965

Weekly Calendar

Today we're blessed to have Dr. Rev David W. Gill preaching for us in worship.

He is a Rockridge resident and former president and professor of ethics, New College Berkeley. Recently retired professor of workplace theology and ethics, Gordon-Conwell Seminary His ninth and latest book is Workplace Discipleship 101: A Primer (Hendrickson, 2020). He is also the Executive Director of Workplace 313 (www.wp313.org)

Daily Zoom Calls - every day at 12pm.

Last Community Care Package Team Meeting Monday 6/14 at 1:00pm on Zoom.

No Race Matters this Week -Monday 6/14

Last Community Care Package Workshop – Friday, June 18th **at 5:30pm** in the sanctuary. Please register in advance to come help.

Friday Night Meal - Friday, June 18th **6:00pm**. Sign up online at http://www.capcoak-land.org/friday-night-meal or contact Monte to help with set-up and serving, and clean-up.

Women's Group – *Saturdays at 9:30am on Zoom.* Contact Anne Marie Adams for info about joining - amadams44@gmail.com

Men's Group – Saturday, June 19th, 10:00 a.m. on our main Zoom Channel.

Godly Play - Sundays 9:45-10:25 on Zoom.

Vacation Monte will be on vacation June 7-20th Rev. Bill Beatty is preaching on 6/20

Thank you to Today's Worship Leadership:

Chat Master: Kristy Parsons McClain Prayer Liturgist: Myrna Shadley

Godly Play: Beth Beatty

Music: Pete Feltman, Dave Eagle, Ben Kramarz

Preaching: David W. Gill

Lyrics & Responses for Today's Celebration

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

Thomas O. Chisholm (1923) The Presbyterian Hymnal #276

1. Great is thy faithfulness O god Creator There is no shadow of turning with thee Thou changest not thy compassions they fail not As thou hast been and forever will be

chorus

Great is thy faithfulness Great is thy faithfulness Morning by morning new mercies I see All I have needed thy hand has provided Great is thy faithfulness lord unto me

- 2. Summer and winter and springtime and harvest Sun moon and stars in their courses above Join with all nature in manifold witness To thy great faithfulness mercy and love
- 3. Pardon for sin and peace that endureth Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow Blessings all mine with ten thousand beside

Call to Worship Litany – written Carol Penner, https://carolpenner.typepad.com/

One: God of grace, we come with all we have; bodies, souls, minds, all here to worship you. **People: We have come for a glimpse of your kingdom of kindness--**

One: a world where love rules over all, **People: a world where enemies embrace,**

One: distinctions between friend and foe **People: evaporating in the light of your love.**

One: We dedicate this hour of worship to you **People: and to your kingdom come. Amen.**

"Wondrous Love"

What wondrous love is this o my soul, o my soul What wondrous love is this o my soul What wondrous love is this that cause the lord of bliss To bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul To bear the dreadful curse for my soul

When I was sinking down, sinking down, sinking down When I was sinking down, sinking down When I was sinking down, beneath God's righteous frown Christ laid aside his crown for my soul, for my soul Christ laid aside his crown for my soul

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" lesus	Our	Divine	Comi	oanion"

Henry Van Dyke (1909; alt.) The Presbyterian Hymnal #305

1. Jesus our divine companion by Your lowly human birth You have come to join the workers burden bearers of the earth You the carpenter of Nazareth toiling for Your daily food By Your patience and Your courage You have taught us work is good

2. Where the many toil together there you are among Your own Where the solitary labor You are there with them alone You the peace that passes knowledge dwelling in the daily strife You the bread of heaven are broken in the sacrament of life

"Guide My Feet"

Traditional Spiritual

Guide my feet while I run this race Guide my feet while I run this race Guide my feet while I run this race For I don't want to run this race in vain

Hold my hand while I run this race

Stand by me while I run this race

I'm your child while I run this race

Search my heart while I run this race

Help me dodge that old devil man

Guide my feet while I run this race

Romans 14:17-19

New Revised Standard Version

 $^{^{17}}$ For the kingdom of God is not food and drink but righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit. 18 The one who thus serves Christ is acceptable to God and has human approval. 19 Let us then pursue what makes for peace and for mutual upbuilding.