



**December 3, 2017**

**FULLERTON FIRST UNITED METHODIST  
CHURCH**

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**Office Hours: Monday through Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**



## PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

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### Prayer of Illumination

Come, Holy Spirit,  
Fill our minds with the truth,  
Fill our hearts with your love,  
In the name of God,  
Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer. Amen

### Scripture

Luke 2.10-11; Mark 13.24-37

### Response

This is the Good News of our Lord, Jesus Christ  
Thanks be to God!

### Sermon

**“Worry and Hope”**  
**Many Moods of Christmas, Part 1**

Pastor Paula Ferris

### MESSAGE IN MUSIC

**Many Moods of Christmas, Suite 4**

Arr. Robert Shaw and Robert Bennett

**Aldersgate Chorale**  
**Russell Wilson, Director**

## RESPONSE TO THE WORD

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### Time of Offering

#### Offertory

**“Sleepers Awake”**-- Johann Sebastian Bach

### Service of Holy Communion

## DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

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### \*Hymn

**“Change My Heart, O God”**

\*Benediction (*Congregation, please join hands.*)

### \*Postlude.

**“Trumpet Tune”**--Henry Purcell



The flowers on the Altar this morning are presented by  
Kendall and Sandi Neisess  
In celebration of their 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!

The 2017 and 2018 flower sign up calendars are available in the South Lounge.



Prayers for Stephen Ministers, **Kathy Norris, John Lamkin, Tammy Scrivner, Barbara Giasone, Brandon Scrivner, and Viviane Kirk**

For continued healing:

**Leo Smith**, fell at home several weeks ago and broke 3 ribs. He's recuperating for a few more weeks at the Pavilion of Sunny Hills. Thanks for sending cards to his home address (1107 Stanford Ave., Fullerton, CA 92831), please refrain from phone calls, and bless you for keeping him in your prayers; **Edna Brown**, receiving hospice care; **Danny Hernandez**, (Clara Hernandez's nephew) for healing; **Jack Dillard** (Diane Hargrave's father), receiving hospice care; **Nieves Garcia** (Lilia Milloy's mother) for healing; **Hyeyeon Kim**, for continued healing; **Bob Kearny** diagnosed with cancer.

For those who are in care facilities:

**Margaret McFarland Christensen** at Park Vista; **Harry Musser** Richman Gardens in Fullerton; **Arceli Elman** at Anaheim Crest Nursing Home; **Alta Carter**, in Sunrise of Fullerton; **Edna Brown** at Above All Assisted Care. **Loren Grandy**, Park Vista

For those in the military and their families:

**Zack Zarow** is now stationed in Rota, Spain New Address - Lt. Zachary Zarrow, USS Carney Unit 100302, Box 2048, FPO AE 09583; **Jordan Hoffner** (grandson of Sandi Hoffner); **Philip Neisess** (grandson of Kendall & Sandy Neisess); **Andrew Stover, Noah Fuller**.

Please check our website for a calendar of events for this week.

[www.ffumc.net](http://www.ffumc.net)

## Handel's Messiah

With Chamber Orchestra and Soloists

John Lamkin, Director

**Today December 3 at 3:00**

**St. Matthews United Methodist Church**

15653 East Newton Street

Hacienda Heights, CA 91745

We are collecting **Canned Meat** for the Pathways of Hope Fullerton Food Bank  
Please place donations in the buckets near each door.