



*Fullerton First United Methodist Church*  
*Fourth Sunday in Lent*  
*March 26, 2017*



**CHORAL ANTHEM**

**“Ave Verum”** by Mozart

Aldersgate Chorale

**SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS**

**OUR PRAYER OF CONFESSION** *(unison)*

***Direct us, gracious God, in all our doings, with your most generous favor, and further us with your continual help, that in all our works, begun, continued, and ended in you, we may glorify your holy name, and finally, by your mercy, obtain everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.***

**SILENT PRAYER**

**THE LORD’S PRAYER** *(unison)*

***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 trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.***

**OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

**OFFERTORY**

**“Beautiful Savior”** D.Johnston

Hyeyeon Kim, Organ

**\*DOXOLOGY** *(See Hymn #94 in the United Methodist Hymnal for the tune.)*

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below:  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ,  
whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!***

**\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING** *(unison)*

***We thank you God for allowing us to serve you and all your people with  
patience and passion. Continue to make us deliberate in enacting our faith. And  
as a sign of our faithfulness we offer to you these portions of our lives, that by  
the power of your Holy Spirit they might be directed to our sisters and brothers  
who are in need. Amen.***

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION**

***“What Wondrous Love Is This”***

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**THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS CHRIST: John 9:1-12**

*As he walked along, he saw a man blind from birth. His disciples asked him, “Rabbi, who sinned, this man or his parents, that he was born blind?” Jesus answered, “Neither this man nor his parents sinned; he was born blind so that God’s works might be revealed in him. We must work the works of him who sent me while it is day; night is coming when no one can work. As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world.” When he had said this, he spat on the ground and made mud with the saliva and spread the mud on the man’s eyes, saying to him, “Go, wash in the pool of Siloam” (which means Sent). Then he went and washed and came back able to see. The neighbors and those who had seen him before as a beggar began to ask, “Is this not the man who used to sit and beg?” Some were saying, “It is he.” Others were saying, “No, but it is someone like him.” He kept saying, “I am the man.” But they kept asking him, “Then how were your eyes opened?” He answered, “The man called Jesus made mud, spread it on my eyes, and said to me, ‘Go to Siloam and wash.’ Then I went and washed and received my sight.” They said to him, “Where is he?” He said, “I do not know.”*

*Liturgist: This is the Good News of our Lord, Jesus Christ.*

**People: Thanks be to God!**

**THE WITNESS**

***“We Know!”***

Philip Bertolo Wood

**INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

**\*HYMN OF DEDICATION**

***“At the Name of Jesus”***

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**\*RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS**

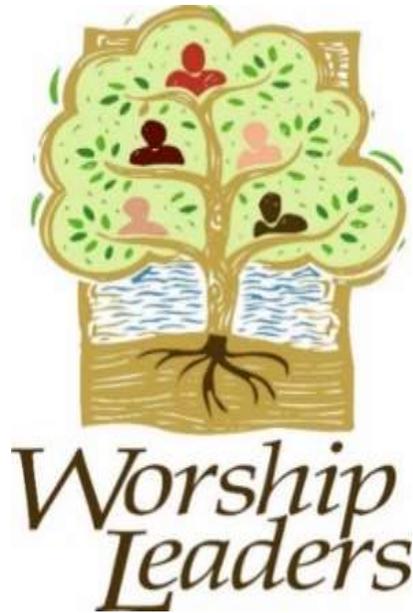
**\*BENEDICTION** *(Congregation, please join hands.)*

**\*THE PASSING OF CHRIST’S PEACE**

**\*POSTLUDE**

***“Fantasia G minor”*** J.S.Bach

Hyeyeon Kim, Organ



*Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Philip Bertolo Wood*

*Liturgist: Kurt Boehmke*

*Director of Music: Russell Wilson*

*Director of Celebration Bells: John Jaecker*

*Organist: Hyeyeon Kim*

*Sound: Brandon Scrivner*

*Power Point: Mike Bankhead*

*Ushers: Ushers: Floyd Allen (Captain), Maxine Allen, Dona Anderson,  
Bob Hemmerling, Molly McClanahan*

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*Note: The 2017 Flower Calendar is available in the South Lounge. Please fill out a form if you are signing up. There is an envelope on the clipboard for your check or cash (unless you bring your own arrangement). Cost is \$60.00. Thank you!*



*Flowers placed on the Altar today are given by  
The Miller Family  
in memory of Gerald Miller,  
loving father, grandfather, and husband.*



For those who are ill:

**Janice Mullard**, for healing after hospitalization for blood clots in her lungs ; **April Moell**, for healing from knee surgery on March 20; **Ann Unland**, healing from surgery March 22 for uterine cancer; **Juel Farquhar**, at Brookdale, Yorba Linda, a skilled nursing facility for healing; **Herb Milligan**, in the Cardiac Care Unit at St. Judes for healing after surgery; **Carolyn Beauchamp**, for healing; **Allyson Shelly**, for patience and healing; **Kitty Milloy** (Milloy's sister-in-law), for healing from a ruptured varicose vein; **Ben Fontela** (Lilia Milloy's cousin), recovering at home after hip replacement surgery; **Nieves Garcia** (Lilia Milloy's mother), recovering at home after kyphoplasty surgery. Prayers for patience and courage for my siblings as they care for my mother.

For those who are in care facilities:

**Margaret Christensen** (mother of Don McFarland) is now in assisted living at Park Vista; **Araceli Elman** (per Lilia Milloy), suffering from kidney failure and chronic pulmonary disease, has been moved to Anaheim Crest Nursing Home; **Harry Musser** transferred to Richman Gardens in Fullerton.

For those in the military and their families:

**Zack Zarow** is now stationed in Virginia ; **Jordan Hoffner** (grandson of Sandi Hoffner); **Philip Neisess** (grandson of Kendall & Sandy Neisess); **Andrew Stover**, **Norah Fuller**.

**For the revitalization and growth of our Church Family!**

**For our Leaders in the Church: Bishop Grant Hagiya, District Superintendent Jan Wiley, and their families; and all of our elected Church Officers.**

**For our entire Staff and their families: Don Barter, Kurt Boehmke, Stephanie Bowen, Susan Faber, Greg Fowler, Kim Galea, Diane Hargrave, Yvonne Harrington, John Jaecker, Kelly Jimenez, Hyeyeon Kim, Jennifer Schrandt, Russ Wilson, Phil Wood.**

**For our Stephen Ministry Leaders, John Lamkin, Kathy Norris.**

**For our Nation!**

**For our Communities, and our National and International Leaders.**

**For those battling addictions, facing financial difficulties, looking for a job, and the homeless neighbors in our communities.**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

<b>Sunday, March 26</b>	9:00 am	Sunday School (BR) (SL)
	10:00 am	<b>Sunday Worship</b>
	11:30 am	Bell Choir Rehearsal
	5:00 pm	Youth Group
	5:00-8:00	NOCCCA Rehearsal (Sanc.)
<b>Monday, March 27</b>	9:15 am	Storytime
	1:30 pm	Prayer Group
	3:00 pm	Windsong Recorders
	7:30 pm	NOC Community Concert (Sanc.)
<b>Tuesday, March 28</b>	6:00 pm	Invitational Meeting (Conf.)
<b>Wednesday, March 29</b>	9:00 am-noon	Mom's Morning Out
	9:15 am	Quilters (SL)
	6:30 pm	Bible Study (SL)
<b>Thursday, March 30</b>	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal
<b>Friday, March 31</b>	5:00 pm	Wood/Soriano Rehearsal (Sanc.)
<b>Saturday, April 1</b>	7:30 am	Feed the hungry pancake breakfast
	4:00 pm	Wedding – Wood/Soriano (Sanc.)

## UPCOMING

### **Food Collection - Pathways of Hope for March**

Last week this month to collect and bring to the church office  
Jelly, Jam, Preserves

*Beginning today, Silk Lilies will be on sale on the patio.  
The monies collected go towards our Food Voucher Program.*

### **Monday, March 27, 7:30 p.m.**

North Orange County Community Concert  
Featuring "Arioso Duo" – Cindy Ellis, flute; Michelle Temple, harp  
*(see details in March Good News)*

## HOLY WEEK and EASTER EVENTS

April 13 – Maundy Thursday – 7:00 p.m. Worship with Holy Communion

April 14 – Good Friday – 2:00 p.m. Good Friday Worship Service

April 16 - Easter Sunday

7:00 a.m. – Worship Service in the Courtyard

10:00 a.m. – Worship Service in the Sanctuary

11:00 a.m. – Easter Egg Hunt



**Please stop by the South Lounge after Worship and pick up flyers containing further information about the following:**

- F4, Food for Fullerton's Families – For as little as \$10 you can provide food for a family in need.
- Chapel on Wheels Paper Drive – first Saturday of each month, from 9:00 am – 12 noon, rain or shine! Pick up a flyer for the three different locations. Keep Fullerton Green!
- Chapel on Wheels Fundraiser once a month at Polly's Pies at 136 N. Raymond, Fullerton – 20% of all proceeds are donated to support Chapel on Wheels. Flyers available in the Church Office.
- Pancake Breakfast, open to the hungry in our community every 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month at 7:30 am in the South Lounge.
- Hot Meals served at 6:00 pm every 3rd Wednesday of the month – FFUMC and First Christian Church get together to serve a hot meal to those hungry living in our community.

**Worship Attendance and Giving  
Attendance on Sunday, March 19 - 145  
Offering on Sunday, March 19 - \$6,242.50**

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