

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved;  
How precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed!

When we've been there ten thousand years, bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise than when we'd first begun.

*Prayer of Thanksgiving*

## *We Respond*

### *We Are Called by Name*

*God knows our names and knows our deepest longings. We take time now to pass the "Friendship Pad" down the row and back again. We enter our names so that we might greet one another. If you have prayer requests, please fill out a request card located in the pew pocket and put it in the offering plate. Know that our prayer team lifts up these prayers each week.*

Gerald Chinen

### *Offering*

*Sing Your Quiet Song, O Spirit* – Greg Murai

### *\*Closing Song*

*Here I Am, Lord* — Dan Schutte (b. 1947)

**I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.**

**All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.**

**I, who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.**

**Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?**

*Refrain: Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.*

**I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.**

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### *\*Charge & Benediction*

### *Postlude*

*My Redeemer Lives*

*Next Week in Worship, 8/8 ~ "Hymn Sunday"*

Led by Jonathan Dimmock & Summer Choral Singers

If you have some choral experience and are interested in singing, please arrive at 8am for rehearsal.

### *Today's Music Team*

Julie Ford, Director of Worship and Music; Greg Murai, Composer in Residence;

(Organist, Jonathan Dimmock is on vacation); Jeff Masanari, Matt MacGillivray & Jim Pearson

Julie, Lindsay & Paul Ford, Beverly Jane Peatross, Heather Peri & Anne Whitelock, vocal ensemble

Sound Technician: Devin Crane; Permission to print hymns: One License #A-712435 and CCLI License #246351

### *Sanctuary Flowers*

Sanctuary Flowers given by Sharon Fanto Smith

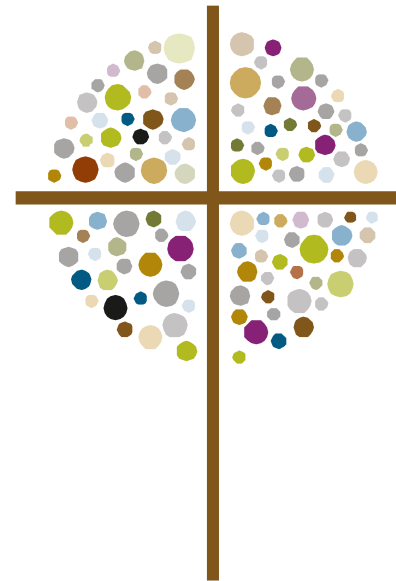
### *Hospitality Teams*

9 a.m.: Fred George (Team Leader), Pat & Paul Jeans, Bobbie Dodson-Nielsen, Fred Nielsen, Paula Weil, Richard White

10:30 a.m.: Bill Barnard (Team Leader), Barbara & John Ahlquist, Jackie Ellis, Donna McLaughlin-Endress, Rita Neill, Jeff & Sue West, Gwen Wallace

Traffic: Ian Johnston

Special thank you to the Hobie Cat Voyager group for serving coffee on the plaza today.



# *Lafayette-Orinda Presbyterian Church* *Intergenerational Worship*

*Communion for All Ages ~ August 1, 2010, 9 & 10:30 a.m.*

## *Welcome All!*

*On the first Sunday of every month we worship together as one community of all ages in the sanctuary. Childcare is available from ages 3 months to 4 years old in the Christian Life Center. All are invited to the Welcome Center to view televised worship at any time during the service for an open space where families can continue to worship. New & Returning Visitors: please take the "Connections" booklet in the pew rack & visit [lopc.org](http://lopc.org) for more information. For the Hearing & Sight Impaired: A T-coil loop audio system is available in the Sanctuary or hearing devices are available from ushers. Large print bulletins are in the narthex as you enter.*

*Please silence cell phones and personal electronics.*

## *We Gather*

### *Prelude*

*Your Love is Extravagant* — Darrell Evans

### *Welcome & Announcements*

Peter Whitelock

### *Musical Call to Worship*

*I Am Calling You* — Bob Telson; arr. Murai; Psalm 93 — ad. Stephen Mitchell

*Soloist: I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry. All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save. I, who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright. Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send? I am calling you—I am calling you.*

Leader: God acts within every moment, and creates the world with each breath.

**All: God speaks from the center of the universe, in the silence beyond all thought.**

Leader: Mightier than the crash of a thunderstorm,

**All: and Mightier than the roar of the sea...**

Leader: ...is God's voice silently speaking in the depths of the listening heart. *(Moment of silence)*

*Soloists: I am calling you—I am calling you.*

### *\*Opening Prayer*

## We Praise

### \*Hymn

#399, *We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight* — arr. Julie Ford  
*All are encouraged to use the hymnal in the pew rack*

**We walk by faith and not by sight; no gracious words we hear  
From Christ, who spoke as none e'er spoke; but we believe Him near.**

**We may not touch His hands and side, nor follow where He trod;  
But in His promise we rejoice, and cry, "My Lord and God!"**

**Help then, O Lord, our unbelief; and may our faith abound  
To call on You when You are near and seek where You are found.**

### \*Prayer of Confession

*Moment of Silence* (Pastor concludes with "Amen")

Judy Durff

### \*Assurance of Pardon

### \*Sung Response

*Amazing Grace/ Allelu*  
**Alleluia, Allelu—, Alleluia, Alleluia  
Alleluia, Allelu—, Alleluia, Allelu—, Alleluia!**

**Amazing grace how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me  
Once was lost but now am found was blind but now I see**

### \*Passing of the Peace

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: **And also with you.** *We greet one another saying, "The peace of christ be with you," and responding, "And also with you."*

## We Hear the Word

### Song of Preparation

*Speak, O Lord* — Getty/Townend



Speak, O Lord, and re - new our minds; help us grasp the heights of your plans for us.



Truths un - changed from the dawn of time that will ech - o down throughe - ter - ni - ty. And by



grace we'll stand on your pro - mis - es, and by faith we'll walk as you walk with us.



Speak O Lord, till your church is built, and the earth is filled with your glo - ry

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## Lesson in Word & Song 1 Corinthians 2:1-5 (Pew Bible, New Testament, p. 166)

All sing on cue:

**Brothers, sisters, you know that love is calling; brothers, sisters, you know that love is calling.**

When I came to you, brothers and sisters, I did not come proclaiming the mystery of God to you in lofty words or wisdom. For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ, and him crucified. And I came to you in weakness and in fear and in much trembling. My speech and my proclamation were not with plausible words of wisdom, but with a demonstration of the Spirit and of power, so that your faith might rest not on human wisdom but on the power of God.

All sing on cue:

**Brothers, sisters, you know that love is calling; brothers, sisters, you know that love is calling.**

## Meditation

Peter Whitelock

## Celebration of Communion

*Invitation*

*Sursum corda*



Leader: The Lord be with you. All: And al - so with you.



Leader: Lift up your hearts. All: We lift them to the Lord. Leader: Let us \_\_\_ give \_\_\_ thanks



\_\_\_ to the Lord, our God. All: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

### *The Great Prayer & the Lord's Prayer*

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be they 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 an the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

### *Words of Institution*

*Distribution*

#101, *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross* (v. 1, 3, soloist, ...4)

**When I survey the wondrous cross on which the Prince of Glory died;  
my richest gain I count but loss, and pour contempt on all my pride.**

**See, from his head, his hands, his feet, sorrow and love flow mingled down.  
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, or thorns compose so rich a crown.**

*Soloist: Oh, the wonderful cross, bids me come and die, and find that I may truly live.*

*All who gather here by grace draw near and bless Your name.*

**Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were an offering far too small;  
love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all.**