



*Fullerton First  
United Methodist Church  
April 25, 2010*

*Worship clears the mind and strengthens the Soul. Our Worship begins with the first notes of the Prelude. Let us prepare our hearts and minds to seek and praise our Creator.*

\* (Indicates: Please stand, if you are able)

**PRELUDE** "Prelude in F Major", *J. S. Bach, Composer*  
Hyeyeon Kim, Organist/Pianist

**WELCOME** Pastor Keith Hwang

**ANOUNCEMENTS** Kathy Norris  
(If you request a prayer, you are welcome to fill out a prayer request card located in the holder on back of each pew. Your prayer will be read during the Pastoral Prayer. Our Acolytes will pick up your prayer request during the Anthem).

\* **SHARING OUR CHRISTIAN LOVE**  
(Please stand and greet each other. Don't forget to extend a hand to our visitors as well).

**INTROIT** "I Will Worship the Lord", *John Rutter, Composer*  
The Aldersgate Chorale  
Matthew Ringer, Director of Music

\* **CALL TO WORSHIP** (Responsively) Jeanette Croghan  
Leader: Disciples of Christ, gather! Proclaim the word of salvation of Christ.  
**People: We come before the Lord!**  
Leader: Disciples of Christ, gather! Embody the word of salvation of Christ.  
**People: We will serve our neighbors.**  
Leader: Disciples of Christ, gather! Wipe every tear from the world's eyes.  
**People: We will dwell with the Lord!**  
**All: Salvation belongs to the Lord our God! Amen.**

*(Adapted from "Litanies and Other Prayers: For the Revised Common Lectionary Year C" by Phyllis Cole and Everett Tilson.)*

\* **HYMN # 139**  
"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" (vs. 1, 2, 3, and 5)

**UNISON PRAYER**  
Gracious Lord, you are our Shepherd. You lead us with compassion and mercy. Your words are kind and gentle. Your voice is sweet as honey and firm as rock. Your hands are loving and caring. When we go astray, you seek us out even in dark valleys and treacherous mountains. Help us to hear the voice of our true Shepherd and be obedient to our callings. Use us as your instruments to feed the hungry, to give water to the thirsty, to clothe the naked, and to liberate the imprisoned. May our cup always overflow with your love and grace. In Christ, Amen.

**ANTHEM** The Aldersgate Chorale  
Hyeyeon Kim, Organist

**OUR TIME WITH THE CHILDREN**  
(Children, please come forward.)

\* **HYMN # 641 - Fill My Cup, Lord** (Sing twice)

**SHARING OUR PRAYER CONCERNS AND CELEBRATIONS**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** (Please sing)  
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.

**SCRIPTURE LESSON**

Liturgist: The word of God, for the people of God.  
**People: Thanks be to God.**

**SERMON** Rev. Dr. Euncie Musa

**SHARING OUR GOD-GIVEN RESOURCES**

**OFFERTORY** "Partita on Nicaea", *C. Callahan, Composer*  
Hyeyeon Kim, Organist

\* **DOXOLOGY** (#94 UMH - Unison)  
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!  
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power up-lifts!  
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

\* **PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

\* **HYMN # 382 - Have Thine Own Way, Lord**

\* **BENEDICTION** (Congregation, please join hands. We invite you to remain in our Sanctuary and listen to the Postlude.)

**POSTLUDE** "Toccata", *G. Young, Composer*  
Hyeyeon Kim, Organist



**ALTAR FLOWERS**

*This mornings flowers are presented by Pat & Lilia Milloy  
for Jonathan Dean's Birthday.*

## PRAYER CONCERNS & CELEBRATIONS



Our dear Mary Farnsworth passed away the morning of April 19th. Her memorial service will be held tomorrow, Monday, April 26, at 11:00AM in our Sanctuary. Reception following at the home of Janet & Bill McGarvey.

Those continuing to undergo chemotherapy:  
Ruth Rogers, Bruce Mueller, Victoria Lopez.

Those still in Park Vista: Les Christensen and Larry Orr's mother, Betty.

Those in poor health:  
Matt Ringer's grandfather and Mike Bankhead's father.

Jeff Bartlett is having problems with his heart and is in St. Jude Hospital.

Colleen Bartley has had her 2nd surgery on her back and is now at Cedar Sinai Hospital.

## ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP

Preaching: Rev. Dr. Eunice Musa  
Liturgist: Jeanette Croghan  
Director of Music: Matthew Ringer  
Organist/Pianist: Hyeyeon Kim  
The Aldersgate Chorale  
Announcements: Kathy Norris  
Acolyte: Amanda Bankhead  
Sound: Floyd Allen  
Ushers: Mary Marcus, Captain; Linda Heiss,  
Fran Mueller, Vicki Johnson, Doug Jelinek

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Those with little children under age 3 years are welcome to place your child in the loving care of our caregivers in our nursery. Our ushers will gladly direct you to the nursery which is open each Sunday starting at 9:45AM.

Large print bulletins and hearing devices are available for those who need them. Please ask one of our Ushers for help.

Sunday School is available for Children grades Pre-K to 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Our Children and Youth leave to attend Sunday School after the Children's Time.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

\* \* \* **THE VI JONES FULLERTON AREA CROP HUNGER WALK IS HAPPENING TODAY. STOP BY THE FULLERTON DOWNTOWN PLAZA (ON WILSHIRE BETWEEN POMONA AND HARBOR) STARTING AT NOON AND SUPPORT THOSE WALKING.**



Local residents and friends will gather in the Fullerton Downtown Plaza on **Saturday, May 1st for FACES of Fullerton. The event is open to the public from 10:00AM to 3:00PM. FFUMC will be hosting a Children's Craft Table at this event** and we are looking for volunteers to staff our booth for a 2 hours time slot. Sign-ups will be on the Patio after church Contact Shelly Nichols at 714-758-8223 or Janet Fallon at 714-871-1369 for details.



For 2 weeks in May, FFUMC has the opportunity to share our cooking skills with the 11 guests who are a part of the *Fullerton Interfaith Shelter Network* which is housed in our Fellowship Hall throughout the year. **We need groups or individuals who are willing to prepare an evening meal for them during the weekdays only from May 10th thru May 21st.** If you wish to volunteer to make a meal, please call Richard Quackenbush at 714-879-4805; Ellie Bohall at 714-992-9148; or Janine Farquhar at 714-670-6621.



**The Interfaith Prayer Breakfast scheduled on the National Day of Prayer, May 6,** is going to honor all the local houses of worship, and specifically, the ways our faith communities reach out to build community. So we need your participation to make this a success! **The Prayer Breakfast will be held at 7:30 AM, in the Fellowship Hall of First Christian Church of Fullerton,** right downtown. Cost is only \$10 per person. Space is limited. Please contact Louise Green, our church office administrator, for reservations.

## MEETINGS - WEEK OF APRIL 26TH TO MAY 3RD

Monday - 11:00AM - Memorial Service for Mary Farnsworth  
Monday - 1:30PM - Women's Prayer/Bible Group  
Tuesday - 7:00PM - Church Council Meeting  
Wednesday - 9:30AM - Quilters  
Wednesday - Noon - "Sanctuary Hour"  
Thursday - 7:00PM - Aldersgate Choir Practice  
Thursday - 7:00PM - Handbells Rehearsal

## SERVING OUR COMMUNITY

Throughout the year we collect food items such as canned goods, boxed goods, pasta, rice, beans, diapers, and household cleaning supplies, and personal care products that are taken to the F. I. E. S. Warehouse for distribution to those in need. Bring your donations to the Church Office.

We have a "Hot Meals Ministry" which serves a hot meal to about 175 hungry people. We serve these meals at the First Christian Church, located on the corner of Harbor and Wilshire, the third Wednesday of every month, starting at 6:00PM.

Narcotics Anonymous meetings are held in our building on Monday and Friday nights starting at 7:00PM in Room # 250.

The first Saturday of each month is a paper drive with all proceeds going to support the "Chapel on Wheels" program. Paper of any kind is accepted from 9:00AM to Noon at the Southeast corner of Chapman and Raymond, Southeast corners of Chapman at Euclid and on Laguna Road between Valencia Mesa and Bastanchury.

Fullerton Interfaith Emergency Services (F. I. E. S.) Shelter Network (shelter for those individuals who are searching for work and places to live) is now housed in our Fellowship Hall.

## ANNOUNCEMENT



**Watch for the new format of our Sunday Bulletins starting Sunday, May 2nd.** Your Worship Committee, Pastor Keith and our Office Administrator, Louise, would like feedback about the new format, so please feel free to call Louise with your comments or suggestions.