

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Second Sunday after Pentecost

Father's Day

June 19, 2022



PRELUDE *Prelude and Fugue in C minor* J.S. Bach
from *Well-Tempered Clavier, Book 1*

GREETING & CENTERING
WELCOMING THE LIGHT INTO OUR MIDST UMH 558
We are the Church (vs 1&5)

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: We come as children of God. Everyone is welcome here.

All: Everyone?

One: Yes, everyone!

All: Yes, we are one in Christ Jesus, and all are part of God's family.

One: We come in fellowship with one another.

All: Clothe us in the love of Christ, O Lord.

One: God breaks down the barriers that divide us.

All: Breathe new life into your people, O God.

One: For we are called to newness in Christ Jesus.

All: We are all brothers and sisters through God's love.

One: We come to pray and sing.

All: We come to serve and share our fellowship with one another.

Together: Come, let us worship the God who removes obstacles from our paths. AMEN.

* OPENING HYMN UMH 144
This Is My Father's World

LIFE & WORK OF FREMONT FIRST CHURCH

(A time for announcements and passing the peace of Christ.)

COMMUNITY PRAYER

We long for you, O God, discouraged by our flagging efforts. We separate ourselves from our siblings in Christ because they are different from us, and we think we are better than others. Forgive us and transform our hearts.

Remind us that the things that divide us - gender, race, economic and social status, religion, and education - are not important in your eyes.

Be present with us. Heal the places of our doubt, despair, and alienation.

Cure us from hatred and discrimination. Cast out all that keeps us from you and from one another. For we are all one in Christ Jesus.

This morning we pray for

- All fathers, grandfathers, uncles, and godfathers and father figures who give their time with a father's love
- Those fathers who are separated from their children, by force or choice, or who have lost a child.
- the churches in the Mid-Valley circuit in the Great Northern district

(Please add your own prayers in silence.)

God, in your Love, hear our prayers.

Amen.

HYMN OF ILLUMINATION *O Word of God* Taize Song

SCRIPTURE READING Marjorie P

Galatians 3:23-29 (pg. 947)

Luke 8:26-39 (pg 841)

Reader: The Word of God for the people of God

People: Thanks be to God.



WORSHIP LEADER

Becky D

ORGANIST/MUSIC DIRECTOR

Brent P

SCRIPTURE READER

Marjorie P

USHERS

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TECH TEAM

Steve F, Donna P, Pete Z

Flowers this week are in honor of all our fathers!

**Pastor Youngmi is always available and can be reached via email:
pastor@firstchurchfremont.org or cell: (415) 686-8634.**

MESSAGE *Inviting us out of the Tombs* Pastor Youngmi Jung

HYMN *Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying* TFWS 2193

OFFERTORY *Theme and Variations* Handel

* DOXOLOGY *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* UMH 95

HYMN *We Are God's People* TFWS 2220

FOLLOWING THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

POSTLUDE *Land of Hope and Glory* Elgar

FELLOWSHIP

(* You are invited to stand in body or spirit)