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*The Holy Way Presbyterian Church brings the good news of
Jesus Christ to all God's people and faithfully follows the
Lord's holy way*

THE HOLY WAY

Presbyterian Church



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*And a highway shall be there, and it shall be called The Holy Way.
Isaiah 35:8*

"Jesus told them plainly, 'Lazarus has died. For your sakes, I'm glad I wasn't there so that you can believe. Let's go to him.'" John 11:14-15

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS — WELCOME

PRELUDE *We Gather Together* arr. Victor Labenske

INTROIT *God is Here!* (vs. 3) Chancel Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 130)

LEADER: I cry out to you from the depths, Lord-my Lord, listen to my voice! Let your ears pay close attention to my request for mercy.

PEOPLE: **If you kept track of sins, Lord-my Lord, who would stand a chance?**

LEADER: But forgiveness is with you-that's why you are honored.

PEOPLE: **I hope, Lord. My whole being hopes, and I wait for God's promise.**

LEADER: My whole being waits for my Lord-more than the night watch waits for morning; yes, more than the night watch waits for morning!

PEOPLE: **Israel, wait for the Lord! Because faithful love is with the Lord; because great redemption is with our God! He is the one who will redeem Israel from all its sin.**

***HYMN** *O God, Who Gives Us Life* #53

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O Lord our God, You see all, and You know all. You know us; You know our hearts: broken, wounded, and bearing heavy loads. We hide our guilt, but not from You. We cover our shame, but not from You. We act as though we have it all together, but You know us. Give us faith enough to trust what You tell us: that we are forgiven. You call us by name not to condemn or critique but to love, and heal, and save. You know us and You love us. Give us faith enough to proclaim this good news to others whose hearts are broken, wounded, and carrying heavy loads. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***RESPONSE** *Glory Be to the Father* #581

A TIME OF GREETING

ANTHEM *I Come With Joy* Chancel Choir

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE (NT p. 104) John 11:1-15

HYMN *In Deepest Night* #785

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND TITHES

OFFERTORY *My Jesus, I Love Thee* arr. Victor Labenske

***DOXOLOGY** #606

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

SCRIPTURE (OT p. 806) Ezekiel 37:1-14

SERMON *"So We Believe"*

WORDS OF GRATITUDE FOR MONSIGNOR MARIANO

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION
(Please hold the elements so all may partake together)

OUR CARES AND CELEBRATIONS

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER *Amen* #601

***HYMN** *Be Still, My Soul* #819

***BENEDICTION**

***RESPONSE** *Let There Be Peace on Earth*

POSTLUDE *Fiesta* Mike Springer

Calendar

PRAYER CONCERNS



Sun.	April 2	9:20 am 9:30 am After Worship After Worship 6:00 pm	Hymnsing Worship, Sunday School, Communion, and Food Bank Worship Committee Pop-Up Sunday Alanon/Alateen
Mon.	April 3	10:00am 6:00 pm	'The Way' Class Mission Meeting
Tues.	April 4	9:00 am 1-3:30 pm 6:00 pm	Bible Study Stephen Minister Training Alanon Meeting
Weds.	April 5	4:00 pm	Girl Scouts
Thurs.	April 6	8:00 am 5:00 pm 5:30 pm 6:15 pm	Men's Breakfast @ Little Mexico Bell Choir Rehearsal AA Choir Rehearsal
Sun.	April 9	9:30 am After Worship 6:00 pm	Worship, Sunday School Board of Deacons Alanon/Alateen

SESSION:

Class of 2017	Karl Allen	Christian Education, Worship
Class of 2017	Barbara Armbruster	Congregational Life
Class of 2017	Carol Hearn	Finance, Mission
Class of 2017	Dennis Toresdahl	Buildings & Grounds, Cong Life
Class of 2018	Tom Bernardo	Admin./ Buildings & Grounds
Class of 2018	Ellen LaCroix	Mission, Nominating
Class of 2018	Marcus Mattias	Christian Education
Class of 2018	Dudley Williams	Buildings & Grounds, Finance
Class of 2019	Phil Hollis	Admin, Finance, Nominating
Class of 2019	Marv Knittel	Worship, Deacons
Class of 2019	Marquita McCrone	Clerk
Class of 2019	Gerry Pearson	Cong. Life, Treasurer

Soldiers, Peacemakers, Police, & First-Responders – for their physical, mental, and spiritual health.

For a positive and faithful resolution to our broken immigration system.

Andy Thomas – our YAV serving in Asheville, NC

All the unspoken prayer concerns.

Your prayers this week will give them the sustaining power we all need. Please pray for them!

Barbara Armbruster – Health Concerns

Marci Cary (friend of Toni Rivers) – Health Concerns

Russell Criswell (Gwen's son) – Health Concerns

Alex Diaz – Health Concerns

T.R. Ellis – Health Concerns

Julie Gonet – Health Concerns

Carol Ann Harris – Health Concerns

Lila Jean Jensen (Joan Valenzuela's sister) – Health Concerns

Rachel (friend of Don Kimball) – Health Concerns

Laurie LaCouture – Health Concerns

Dave Malmberg – Health Concerns

Wendy Mattias' friend, Toni – Health Concerns

Peter McNew (son-in-law of Madeline Cokeley) – Health Concerns

Doug Myers – Health Concerns

Lyle Olmstead – Health Concerns

Betty Reichlein's son, Keith Gaston – Health Concerns

Mooneen Ringenberg's daughter, Carol – Health Concerns

Janie Saxton – Health Concerns

Charles Sayers – Health Concerns

Judy Stauch (Rosalie Baumrucker's Sister) – Health Concerns

Wanda Sterner – Health Concerns

Dionicio Valenzuela (Alfonso's Brother) – Health Concerns

Our Prayer Chain is always available – contact Phyllis Crouthers at 578-8369 or Anita Parsil at 578-2410. If unable to reach Phyllis or Anita, you can email the church office at office@holywaypc.org.

Announcements & Opportunities

April 2, 2017

Welcome to our Worship Celebration this morning!

We worship every Sunday morning at 9:30 a.m. and offer Sunday School for school age children. **Help us get acquainted with you by filling out our attendance pad and our guest card!** Please join us for **refreshments** and fellowship at our Coffee Social Time in the Ranch House **following our service.** You will find sign-up sheets on the bulletin board for our upcoming events and volunteer opportunities.

Next Week's Scriptures:

Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

Matthew 21:1-11

Personal Receivers are available in the AV Room for those needing hearing assistance. **Any chair in our sanctuary can be moved** to make room for persons in **wheelchairs**—our ushers are ready to help. Recorded Audio Tapes are available in the AV Room after each service, and you can **read our sermons** online at www.holywaypc.org.

Join us for **Bible Study** and homemade goodies every Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. in the Conference Room. We are studying the Gospel of Matthew.

- † **As we prepare to receive Communion today**, Dora Dicochea will share words to honor Monsignor Mariano, who recently died. Dora has prepared some special dishes for her church family, after worship in the Ranch House.
- † **The Worship Committee** will meet today after service, before Pop-Up.
- † **April's Pop-Up** will be a time of learning from our Border Trip Team! Join us today after worship, to hear all about the trip to Agua Prieta. This will be our final Pop-Up until the fall.

- † **"The Way" class** will meet tomorrow , 10 am-noon for the final session.
- † **The Mission Committee** will meet Monday, 6 p.m. at the home of Robin and Ray Thomas.
- † **The Men's Breakfast** meets Thursday, 8 a.m. at Little Mexico Steakhouse, at Cardinal and Valencia.
- † **The Board of Deacons** will meet after worship next Sunday.
- † **The One Great Hour of Sharing** offering will be dedicated next Sunday, Palm Sunday. You will also find in your bulletin information about the Pentecost offering, which will be dedicated on Pentecost Sunday, June 4. The Session wants to give advance notice, especially to our winter visitors, since a member of Holy Way, Andy Thomas, is featured in the promotional material.
- † **The Finance Committee** will meet next Tuesday, April 11, at 10:15 a.m.
- † Join us Wednesday, April 12 at 6 p.m. for **Dinner in the Ranch House!** This month the menu will be Dudley's Famous Chicken so sign up today in the Ranch House! (\$10 Suggested Donation).

Holy Week Schedule:

Thursday, April 13,	7 p.m.	Maundy Thursday Communion
Sunday, April 16,	6 a.m.	Easter Sunrise Service
Sunday, April 16,	7 a.m.	Easter Breakfast
Sunday, April 16,	9:30 a.m.	Easter Worship Service