

**MOMENT FOR MISSION**

Karen Tsai

**PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

Invitation to the Offering

The Offertory

**You Are My All in All**

Dennis Jernigan

\*The Doxology #709

**God, We Honor You**

James E. Clemens



**YORBA LINDA**  
**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
*worship equip love*

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*\*Please stand as you are able  
Congregation reads text in bold italics*

***God, we honor you. God, we trust in you.  
God we worship and adore you.  
Take what we bring, offered to you.  
Teach us to show your abundant blessings.  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, amen.***

\*Prayer of Dedication

\*HYMN #719

**Come, Labor On**

Thomas T. Noble

\*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

**Dialogue**

Gilbert Martin

***Worship God.  
Equip Disciples.  
Love and Serve the World.***

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**WE GATHER IN GOD’S NAME**

**WELCOME**

Roxanne Ford

**PRELUDE**

**Chorale Prelude**

Healy Willan

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Jessica Nicholson

**Leader:**

**Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations.**

**People:**

***You have been our home throughout the ages.***

**Leader:**

**You were there before the world was made and will be forever.**

**People:**

***From everlasting to everlasting, you are God.***

\*HYMN #401

**Here in This Place**

Marty Haugen

## WE CONFESS AND RECEIVE FORGIVENESS

### CALL TO CONFESSION

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

*God of abundance,*

*You have given us so many gifts.*

*You bless us with talents, resources, skills, and knowledge,  
and yet we hide them under a bushel.*

*We hoard these gifts, instead of sharing with those in need.*

*We have been poor stewards of all you have given.*

*Forgive us, and help us grow what we are given,  
that it might be returned in service to you.*

*(We silently confess our sins.)*

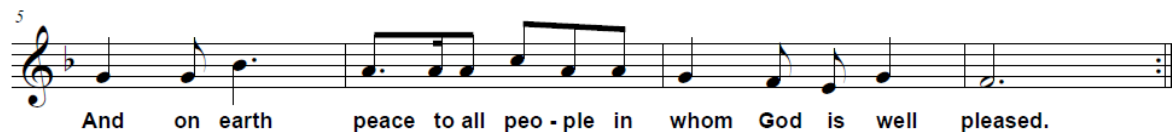
### WORDS OF FORGIVENESS

God has destined us not for wrath but for salvation  
through our Lord Jesus Christ  
who died for us so that we may live with him.

***Alleluia! Thanks be to God!***

### \*GLORIA

Pablo Sosa



## WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

### ANTHEM

O Christ the Same  
JoD Apitz, flute

Mark Albrecht

### WORSHIP IN ACTION

Kim Wisnia

### SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 25:14-30

### SERMON

Offering Talents & Thanks in Challenging Times

Rev. Gail Stearns

## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

### \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Iona Community

*We believe in God,*

*whose love is the source of all life and the desire of our lives,  
whose love was given a human face in Jesus of Nazareth,  
whose love was crucified by the evil that waits to enslave us all,  
and whose love, defeating even death, is our glorious promise of  
freedom.*

*Therefore, though we are sometimes fearful and full of doubt, in God we trust,  
and in the name of Jesus Christ, we commit ourselves*

*to seek justice and to live in peace,  
to care for the earth and to share the commonwealth of God's goodness,  
to live in the freedom of forgiveness, and the power of the Spirit of love,  
and in the company of the faithful so to be the church,  
for the glory of God.*

*Amen.*

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*You may find the text of The Lord's Prayer  
on page 35 of the hymnal.*