

# BROADCASTER

news and announcements from broadmoor presbyterian church in daly city, ca

“Walking together, experiencing and sharing God’s love.”

## NOVEMBER 2020

### *From the Pastor*

Dear Broadmoor Community,

Last week I spent time up in Truckee with Ashley and my dog, Topa. Most mornings I woke up with the sun and hiked around the mountains with Topa by my side. Watching the morning sun rise, smelling the clear air, and feeling the autumn breeze against my skin, I felt such gratitude. Grateful for the friends who let us borrow their cabin, grateful for time with family, and grateful for each day God has made. What are you grateful for?

These last months have been trying at times and can leave us feeling isolated and angry. We long to see our families in person and worship together in the church. Although things are different than before, we know God continues to give. Where does God surprise you with a gift? Perhaps it is a tangible gift from a friend? Or the gift of seeing a flower bloom? Or the gift of laughter you share with a friend over Zoom? Or the gift of family who calls you and rests with you in your sadness?

We worship a gracious God. A God that does not abandon us, but partners with us. A God that laughs with us, and at us. A God that sheds tears and holds us close when we cry.

As we come to the end of our Stewardship Campaign let us take a moment to remember the various gifts God has bestowed upon us. What are the things we are grateful for? I am grateful for Ray Haddox who led our stewardship team, and for our finance team, led by Annette Shreave and Joan Anderson. Our finance team’s diligence and creativity allow our church to respectfully respond to the needs of our mission partners and our employees. They continue to help shape the future of Broadmoor so we might continue to be Christ’s body in the world.

I am also thankful to you all for your pledges and continued support of the church. If you have yet to pledge, it is not too late. Send your pledge cards to the office this week. Then, on Dedication Sunday (11/8/20), we will offer our pledges to our gracious God in the spirit of gratitude. May God bless you and keep you.

Peace,



Andrew Quick

## *Session*

Session met virtually in a Regular (Stated) meeting on October 15, 2020, with the Rev. Karen Thistlethwaite as Guest Moderator. The following motions, all approved unanimously, took place:

- Once a month, to allow a walk-through of the sanctuary, following socially distanced protocol (masked, 6' apart), to be approved by Session, as necessary.
- For a walk-through experience by church members to pick up a hymnal for their use at home during virtual church services, along with a candle for use during the Advent season. In October. Date TBA.
- For Douglas Cobb's memorial service in November, date TBA, following the walk-through experience protocol already specified.
- On behalf of North Peninsula Food Pantry and Dining Center of Daly City, to submit a Food Ministry grant application to San Francisco Presbytery's Working Group, West Bay.
- On behalf of NPFPCDC, to submit a grant application to San Francisco Presbytery's Fund Your Vision committee.
- Session agrees to hold a Congregational Meeting on Sunday, November 8, following morning worship.

If you have any questions concerning these proceedings, please contact an elder.

— Respectfully submitted, Marian Hardin, Clerk of Session

## *Building & Grounds*



Thanks to Barnowski Painting, the new entry doors at the lower parking lot by Tweedie Hall are now painted.

Rich Murray has agreed to be the second contact person for Eagle Lock in connection with church keys. And Thanks to Rich for fixing a broken sprinkler. Thanks Rich!

— Respectfully submitted, Margie King

## *Choir*

If you would like to record a song for worship, all you need is a laptop or computer, earphones or earbuds and a smartphone. Contact me by phone or email.

— Respectfully submitted, Janet Haddox, Music Director

## *Fellowship Ministry*

We are continuing to have Bingo nights every first and third Tuesday night at 7pm on Zoom. Join us! On October 26th, we held our Harvest festival costume night.....



Ray Bat & Clown Janet



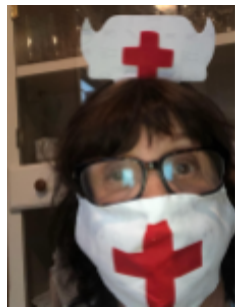
Wicked John



Ghostly Sara



Pumpkin & Spice Barristas  
(That's the name on the name tags!)



Nurse Janice

The fellowship decided to donate \$50 to the Medical Clown project. We received a thank you card from Judy Burnham for the fruit basket.

– Respectfully submitted, Janice Asfoor

***Finance***

The Finance Ministry Team met via Zoom on October 8, 2020 at 2:00 p.m.

Members present: Pastor Andrew, Marian Hardin, Annette Shreve, Dennis Shreve, Joan Anderson, Martha Espinosa, Margie King and Ray Haddox

All income and expenses are in line with the 2020 budget.

Month	Income	Expense	Surplus/Deficit
September	\$11,008.31	\$10,285.59	+\$722.72

Year to date Surplus balance: +\$18,410.51

Items discussed:

- Procedure for Check request for Ministry Teams
- Salary recommendation for Church Staff (Administrative Assistant, Bookkeeper and Musician)
- Stewardship update
- Timetable for 2021 Budget
- End of year member statements
- Pastor Andrew’s contract for 2021

Next meeting: November 12, 2:00 p.m.

– Respectfully submitted Annette Shreve, Finance Elder

***Mission Ministry***

Medical Clown Project 10 year fundraiser was on October 24th. It was a fun show and a success! The Mission team met on October 25th. The Mission team donated \$1000.00 from the designated offerings funds that have been collected, to the North Peninsula Food Pantry & Dining Center of Daly City (NPFPCDC). We also donated \$100.00 to the Daly City Library and Recreation Center for a “trunk-or-treat” event for community children.

Through the Presbytery of SF, we have applied for two grants for the North Peninsula Food Pantry and Dining Center of Daly City. If granted, we hope to help bridge the food insecurity gap the community is facing.

– Respectfully submitted, David Pajarit, Elder

### ***Nominating Committee***

The committee met on October 8th to discuss selecting potential candidates for the class of 2023 church officers. The candidates will be announced during the November 8th congregational meeting. Committee members are Gerry Manis, Rich Murray, Dennis Shreve, and Geraldine Thompson, co-chair.

– Respectfully submitted, David Pajarit, Chair

### ***Stewardship***

The 20-21 Stewardship campaign kicked off in October. In this campaign so far we have featured scriptures from Genesis 9:1-3 and Psalm 24:1-5. If you have not yet returned your 2021 pledge card, please do so at your earliest convenience. Thank you.

– Respectfully submitted, Ray Haddox

### ***Worship Ministry***

Thanks to Rev. Dr. Arlene Gordon for providing us with the Word on Sunday, October 25th.

– Respectfully submitted, Perla G. Ibarrientos

### ***Inspiration***

#### **The Black Dot**

One day, a professor entered the classroom and asked the students to prepare for a surprise test. They all waited anxiously at their desks for the test to begin. The professor handed out the exams with the text facing down as usual. Once he handed them out, he asked the students to turn over the paper. To everyone's surprise, there were no questions - just a black dot at the center of the white sheet of paper.

The professor, seeing the expression on everyone's faces, told them the following: "I want you to write about what you see there." The students, confused, got started on the inexplicable task. At the end of the class, the professor took all the exams and started reading each one out loud in front of all the students. All of them, with no exception, defined the black dot, trying to explain its position in the center of the sheet.

After all had been read, the classroom was silent, and the professor started to explain, "I'm not going to grade you on this, I just wanted to give you something to talk about. No one wrote about the white sheet of paper. Everyone focused on the black dot - the same thing happens in our lives. We have a white piece of paper to observe and enjoy, while we always focus on the dark spots. Our life is a gift from God, with love and care, and we always have reasons to celebrate - nature renewing itself every day, our friends around us, or our jobs

that provide our livelihood, the miracles we see every day. However, we insist on focusing only on the dark spots - the health issues that bother us, the lack of money, the complicated relationship with a family member, the disappointment with a friend. The dark spots are very small when compared with everything we have in our lives, but they're the only ones that pollute our minds. Enjoy each moment that life gives you. Be happy and live a life filled with love."

— unknown

"Spiritual insight is an active engagement. It is an active engagement with our community; it's an active engagement with our families; it's an active engagement with the world around us. And it is through active engagement, through this claiming and listening and hearing 'I Am' that we gain a deeper spiritual insight."

— Pastor Andrew P. Quick

### ***Broadmoor Memorial Fund***

Acknowledgments for October 2020

In Memory of ***Douglas Cobb***

Contributions made by:

Penny and Gerry Manis

In Memory of ***Solomon Pajarit***

Contributions made by:

Florence Gayagoy

Penny and Gerry Manis

### ***Broadmoor Memorial Fund***

Honor or memorialize loved ones - print this form and submit it to the office.

<http://bit.ly/BPCMemorialFundForm>

### ***Broadmoor Church Officers***

	<b>Elders</b>	<b>Deacons</b>
Class of 2020	Joan Anderson Janice Asfoor	Richard Murray
Class of 2021	Perla Ibarrientos  Judith Kell  Geraldine Thompson	Gerry Manis  Lina Sana  Dennis Shreve
Class of 2022	Martha Espinosa  Margie King  David Pajarit	Riya Asfoor  Ruth Cruz  Ray Haddox

Clerk of Session: Marian Hardin

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**Pastor Andrew P. Quick**



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## **BROADMOOR MEMORIAL FUND**

### **Contributions Form**

Make a contribution to Broadmoor Presbyterian Church in memory of or in honor of a person or event. Send contributions to the church office or place in the offering plate during worship.

#### **Please complete the following**

In Memory of:

In Honor of:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Contributed by**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Complete Address: \_\_\_\_\_

#### ***Send acknowledgement to***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Complete Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Blessings of gratitude,  
Broadmoor Presbyterian Church

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[broadmoorpres.org](http://broadmoorpres.org)

Church Calendar: <http://bit.ly/BPCOfficeCal>

\* Facilities Calendar : <http://bit.ly/BPCFacility>

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><b>1</b></p> <p>COMMUNION Worship 10:00 am</p> <p>Worship Team 11:15 All Saints Day Daylight Savings Time Ends</p>	<p><b>2</b></p>  <p>All Souls Day</p>	<p><b>3</b></p> <p>ELECTION DAY</p> 	<p><b>4</b></p>	<p><b>5</b></p> <p>Meditation Group 1:00 pm</p>	<p><b>6</b></p>	<p><b>7</b></p> <p>Book Lover's Day</p>
<p><b>8</b></p> <p>Worship 10:00 am</p> <p>Pledge Sunday Congregational Meeting</p>	<p><b>9</b></p> <p>World Freedom Day</p>	<p><b>10</b></p>	<p><b>11</b></p>  <p>Vererans Day</p>	<p><b>12</b></p> <p>Meditation Group 1:00 pm</p> <p>Finance Team 2:00 pm</p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>World Kindness Day</p>	<p><b>14</b></p>
<p><b>15</b></p> <p>Worship 10:00 am Hymn Sing Sunday</p> <p>Deacons 11:15 am</p>	<p><b>16</b></p>	<p><b>17</b></p>	<p><b>18</b></p>	<p><b>19</b></p> <p>Meditation Group 1:00 pm</p> <p>Session 7:00 pm</p>	<p><b>20</b></p>	<p><b>21</b></p> 
<p><b>22</b></p> <p>Worship 10:00 am</p> <p>Mission Ministry 11: 15 am</p>	<p><b>23</b></p>	<p><b>24</b></p>	<p><b>25</b></p>	<p><b>26</b></p>  <p>Happy Thanksgiving! Church Office Closed</p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p>Church Office Closed</p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p>Follow/Like us</p>  <p><a href="http://bit.ly/BPCdcFB">http://bit.ly/BPCdcFB</a></p>
<p><b>29</b></p> <p>Worship 10:00 am</p> <p>1st Sunday of Advent</p> 	<p><b>30</b></p> 	<p>Gratitude</p> <p>O Thou, whose bounty fills my cup with every blessing meet! I give Thee thanks for every drop - the bitter and the sweet. I praise Thee for the desert road, and for the riverside: For all Thy goodness hath bestowed, And all Thy grace denied. - Jane Credson</p>			<p>Worship Services and all Meetings conducted via Zoom</p> <p>Contact the church office for the Zoom link</p>	

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