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

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

JULY 2019



Independence Day, July 4

What comes to your mind when you think of Independence Day?

For many Americans, the Fourth of July serves as a day to watch fireworks, barbeque and have a good time with friends and family. While there is nothing wrong with having these traditions, it is important to remember the reason behind why we celebrate this holiday.

Samuel Adams, the father of the American Revolution, was bold in proclaiming his faith. To him, signing the Declaration of Independence meant no longer submitting to Great Britain, but rather, submitting to the Lord (Crowe, 2008). As a result, America would be free from the power of man and able to serve Christ. What a significant day in history!

It is important to remember what our duties are as Christians. We are called to serve Christ and Christ alone, and it is such a blessing that we can live in a country where we have the freedom to do so.

So, why is it important to acknowledge the significance of Independence Day, and how can we do so in today’s world?

American liberty is a blessing from God. Because of our freedom, we can express our faith and boldly share it with others. It is important to recognize that in many other parts of the world, this is not the case. The cost of following Christ is much greater for our brothers and sisters across the globe.

With this in mind, I encourage you to not lose sight of why we celebrate Independence Day. Take time to reflect on the ways God has blessed you in your life, and make it a goal to not take the freedom we have for granted. As you spend this day with family and friends, I encourage you to celebrate the blessing of freedom that was given to us by Christ.

By Lauren Abraham Communications Major, College of Humanities and Social Sciences

Reference:

Crowe, D. (2008). Instilling the meaning of Independence Day.

Session

Session met in a Regular (Stated) meeting on June 20, 2019. No motions were presented for approval: hence, no actions to report.

Elders and Deacons will meet in Tweedie Hall on Saturday, July 13, from 9:00-1:00 for an officer retreat. Rev. Kamal Hassan will conduct the officer training.

As customary, elders will not meet in July. The next regular (stated) meeting of Session will be Thursday, August 15, 7:00 p.m.

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

— Respectfully submitted, Marian Hardin, Clerk of Session

Board Of Deacons

With the summer heat around the corner, we are fired up! We celebrated the accomplishments of our most recent graduate, Juan Carlos Santamaria, who is now an alumni of Shasta High School and is off to Lehigh University, Pennsylvania on a scholarship. The Board of Deacons and Fellowship Ministry coordinated a Memorial Service for our dear member, Russell Brabec. Continued support and prayers for Eunice as she transitions into this new chapter in her life.

During the last meeting held on June 9, the following topics were discussed: Officer's retreat training, care packages for new graduates, removal of worn out communion table cloths, deacon's visitation process for

members of the community who are ill or otherwise cannot attend worship service, and prayer initiatives for Deacons. The prayer initiative topic was suggested by Eunice Brabec, to start implementing the use of prayer shawls. There are many uses for a prayer shawl and can be given to those with medical conditions, dealing with stress or simply a gift.

We celebrated Father's Day on Sunday, June 16. Do you know the story of Father's Day? Sonora Smart Dodd, who is also known as the "Mother of Father's Day," attended a church service in 1909 that was in honor of the newly recognized Mother's Day. "I liked everything you said about motherhood," she told the minister. "However, don't you think fathers deserve a place in the sun, too?" Her father, William Jackson Smart, became a farmer after fighting in the Civil War. He not only held down both parental roles but did it with "leadership and love," his daughter always said, and she believed he ought to get some credit. He had raised her and her five siblings after their mother died in childbirth in 1898. Dodd's plan to honor fathers gained little traction in 1910. Undaunted by this, she and her supporters worked on and celebrated that first Father's Day in Spokane, WA. She wanted her own father's birthday, June 5, as the day to honor fathers but the third Sunday of the month was chosen instead. Six years later, former US Senator Dill of Washington presented a more successful petition to President Woodrow Wilson, who gave the day national recognition. In 1966, President Lyndon B. Johnson signed a presidential proclamation declaring the third Sunday of June as Father's Day. Finally, in

1972, President Richard Nixon declared the third Sunday of June a federal holiday honoring dads. Dodd, who died at age 96 in 1978, had lived to see her dream come true.

The Board of Deacons will be participating in the upcoming Officers' Retreat on Saturday, July 13, 2019 with Session members to be lead by Rev. Kamal Hassan of the San Francisco Presbytery.

Our next meeting is scheduled for Sunday, August 11, 2019. We continue with our duties for coffee hour, ushering, communion set up, and monitoring pantry supplies. We continue to act as shepherds to those members who experience life concerns by sending cards and making occasional visits and tracking all that we do. Our goal is to continue to participate in reaching our church community and those outside of our church. Please remember continuing prayer needs for Joan and Ollie Anderson, the Brabec Family, Judy and Richard Burnham, Ruth Cruz, Helen Hayes, Jackie Hon, Bill Holden, Mert Jones, Gerry Manis, and the Presbytery of San Francisco.

I am so grateful that we have our loving Father, Jesus Christ, who continues to provide and bless our needs. Please remember to laugh more as we enter the month of July, not because the month goes fast, but because we know that Jesus Christ loves us all and we need to remember that laughter is an important, essential part of life, and it needs to be part of our spiritual lives, as well. I hope you enjoy a bit of laughter with Jesus today, as you look at the picture of Jesus laughing (below). It may bring some joy to your discipleship as well.

My sincere gratitude and thanks to all our faithful deacons: Mike Allgire, Eunice Brabec, Douglas Cobb, Gerry Manis, Richard Murray, and Lina Sana. God Bless Us All!!!



— Respectfully submitted, David Pajarit,
Deacon Moderator

Building & Grounds

Hollon Plumbing is scheduled for Saturday, June 29 to do the work in the restrooms on the third floor. Saturday scheduling is necessary because the water to the daycare center will need to be shut off. Three new light fixtures and three wall switches have been installed in these two restrooms.

We are thinking about installing “no smoking within 30 feet of building” signs around the building exterior doors.

The kitchen sink faucet has been repaired again. The kitchen stove front plates are being sanded and painted. PG&E did a safety check on the stove, all is good. To light the oven, first light a long match, insert in the hole, **then** turn on the gas.

There were seven “no parking” signs and one stop sign replaced in the upper parking lot and six “no parking” signs replaced in the lower parking lot.

– Respectfully submitted, Margie King

Christian Education

Thanks to all who participated in our book exchange.

The Christian Education Ministry team presented Juan Carlos Santamaria with a bible in recognition of his high school graduation. He will be attending Lehigh University in Pennsylvania, but not before spending some time in the Philippines with his family.



Judith Kell, chair, Judy Burnham Penny Manis, and graduate Juan Carlos Santamaria



June 9

– Respectfully submitted, Judith Kell

Choir

The Broadmoor Concert Series had its first ‘mini concert’ Sunday, June 23, at 2:30 pm.



It was a huge success! There were over 50 people in the audience to hear Michael McGinley and Janet Haddox present a short cross section of music from opera arias, art songs, spirituals, folk songs

from the British Isles, and music from Gershwin, to Broadway’s Rodgers and Hammerstein hits.

The music was lively and the audience was very enthusiastic. We are excited and look forward to presenting more ‘mini concerts.’



Pauline Pajarit and David Pajarit singing the Offertory on Father’s Day, June 16

– Respectfully submitted, Janet Haddox, Music Director

Fellowship Ministry

The Fellowship team met after worship June 10 to plan for the fifth Sunday, June 30. We decided on a 4th of July theme with root beer floats, sandwiches, and fruit. Decorations included were red, white, and blue carnations for the sanctuary and coffee hour afterwards.

Refreshments for the Officer’s Retreat scheduled for Saturday, July 13, will be discussed at the next meeting.

– Respectfully submitted, Janice Asfoor

Finance

Month	Income	Expense	Surplus/Deficit
May	\$11,177.81	\$4,400.56	+\$6,777.25

Year to date Surplus balance: \$13,218.71

- All Income and expenses are in line with projected budget of 2019.
- Expenses are low due to a reimbursement from Board of Pensions for \$1,458.29. We did expect the refund.
- A member of Session continues to support the Administrative Assistant each week until a Permanent Pastor is hired. This will include checking in by phone and occasional visits to the office.

– Respectively submitted, Annette Shreve, Finance Elder

Mission Ministry

When necessary, we will meet on the fourth Sunday after worship. Plans for August and September include the backpack and sock-it-to-me Sunday campaigns with Puente and an invitation for a representative from John’s Closet to speak.



Perla Ibarrientos, Rich Murray, Martha Espinosa, Holy Hing on May 30 at the

annual North Peninsula Food Pantry & Dining Center of Daly City Annual ‘Take our Hand’ Luncheon

– Respectfully submitted, Holy Hing

Pastor Nominating Committee

The Pastor Nominating Committee met June 2 and conducted interviews. On June 3, we met with Betty Delaney from the Presbytery of San Francisco. She gave us insight in negotiating terms of call and answered questions regarding our concerns. Our next meeting will be June 24 at 7:30 and we plan for two more interviews June 30. We are hoping that very soon we will have our prayers answered for a new pastor.

Thanks so much for your patience and prayers.

– Respectfully submitted, Janice Asfoor

Presbyterian Women

The Horizon’s bible study “God’s Promise: I Will Be With You” has concluded. Next year’s study is called “Love Carved in Stone – A Fresh Look at the Ten Commandments,” and study books will be ordered.

The Coordinating Team met on Saturday, June 23. Our upcoming events:

- Tuesday, July 16, PW Fellowship event at the Presidio. We will meet at 10:30 am in the upper parking lot to carpool to San Francisco. We will tour the “Then They Came for Me: Incarceration of Japanese Americans” exhibition, then have lunch at the Presidio Café’ golf course. Contact Bonnie Cobb for ride sharing information and tour details.
- Tuesday, September 3, PW Bible Study Intro-Gathering: “Love Carved in Stone – a Fresh Look at the Ten Commandments”
- Wednesday, October 23, PW Together-In-Service. Bring your scissors! Our project is to make blankets. We will start at 10:30 am and will have lunch afterwards. Contact Eunice Brabec for details.

All are welcome to participate in these events. Join us!

– Moderator, Eunice Brabec

Worship Ministry

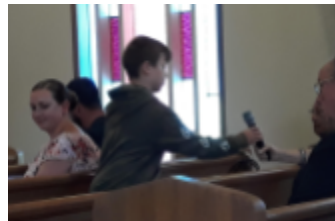
The Worship Ministry Team used to prepare breakfast for our church men and fathers for Father’s Day. However, due to the lack of

manpower we no longer do this. Our new tradition honors our church men and fathers with delicious chocolates. Thanks to Janet Haddox.

A special thanks to our guest pastors



Rev. Don Smith
June 2, 2019



Eric Gravem assisting
Pastor Don



Rev. Robin Crawford
June 9, 16, 23, 30

Join us in our Sunday Worship Service at 10 am.

– Respectfully submitted, Perla G. Ibarrientos

Church Member Recognition

Our very own elder Perla Ibarrientos was among the dignitaries present at the 75th Annual Filipino Flag Raising event held in June. Filipinos across the nation celebrate the month of June as Buwan ng Kasarinlan or the month of Independence, Liberation, of Freedom.



Inspiration

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.

Worship the Lord with gladness;
come into his presence with singing.

Know that the Lord is God.

It is he that made us, and we are his;
we are his people, and the sheep of his
pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving,
and his courts with praise.

Give thanks to him, bless his name.

For the Lord is good;

his steadfast love endures forever,
and his faithfulness to all generations.

– Psalm 100

“Every good and perfect gift is from above,
coming down from the Father of the heavenly
lights, who does not change like shifting
shadows.”

– James 1:17

Compost - Garbage - Recycle

Compost - Food soiled paper, including paper plates, cups, napkins, pizza and donut boxes and cardboard. Food scraps and bones.

NO PLASTIC, NO METAL, NO GLASS.

ORGANICS ONLY.

Garbage - ALL THINGS styrofoam, plastic straws and stirrers, styrene products, broken glass and plastic wrappers.

Recycle - Clean paper, cans, glass and plastic bottles; aluminum foil and pans; plastic plates, cups and cutlery.

NO DIRTY PAPER PRODUCTS.

Broadmoor Memorial Fund

Acknowledgements for the month of June 2019

In Memory of **Russell Brabec**

Contributions made by:

The BPC Choir
The BPC Presbyterian Women
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In Memory of **Hazel Farrell**

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

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<p>1</p> <p>Al-Anon TH 7:30 pm</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Choir Sanctuary 7:30 pm</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Happy 4th of July</p> 	<p>5</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Men's Breakfast Sharp Park Golf Course Pacifica 8:00 am</p>
<p>7</p> <p>Communion Sunday</p> <p>Guest Rev Don Smith</p> <p>Worship Ministry 11:30 GR</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Al-Anon Dist 25 CR 7:00 pm</p> <p>Al-Anon TH 7:30 pm</p>	<p>9</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Choir Sanctuary 7:30 pm</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Immigration Rally 2:00 pm ICE HQ 630 Sansome St SF</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Officer's Retreat 9:00 am TH</p>
<p>14</p> <p>Guest Rev Abby Mohaupt</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Al-Anon TH 7:30 pm</p>	<p>16</p> <p>PW Fellowship Event 10-10:30 am Upper Parking Lot to carpool Presidio Tour</p>	<p>17</p> <p><u>REV. JANET EWART BD</u></p> <p><u>LINA SANA BD</u></p> <p>Choir Sanctuary 7:30 pm</p>	<p>18</p> <p><u>DENNIS SHREVE BD</u></p> <p><u>VICKY HARTANTO BD</u></p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p>
<p>21</p> <p>Guest Rev Richard Pyke</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Al-Anon TH 7:30 pm</p>	<p>23</p>	<p>24</p> <p><u>JEANNE MARIE LEE BD</u></p> <p>Choir Sanctuary 7:30 pm</p>	<p>25</p> <p><u>EUGENE LEE BD</u></p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>
<p>28</p> <p>Guest Rev Richard Pyke</p> <p>Mission Ministry 11:30 GR</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Al-Anon TH 7:30 pm</p>	<p>30</p> <p><u>ARLENE PICAR BD</u></p>	<p>31</p> <p>No Choir</p>	<p><u>Sunday Events</u> Choir Rehearsal 9:30 am Sanctuary Worship 10:00 am Sanctuary Coffee Fellowship 11:30 TH</p>		<p>CR - Calvin Room GR - Geneva Room TH - Tweedie Hall WR - Westminster Rm</p>

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