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

"Walking together, experiencing and sharing God's love."

April 2024

From the Pastor

He is Risen! He is Risen Indeed!

I write these words on Holy Saturday, the day we wait and watch for the new life that is to come. Last night, Good Friday, we prepared for this new life as we moved from prayer station to prayer station, remembering and experiencing God's love and grace for us. We ended our evening by gathering around the table sharing the bread and the cup.



Thank you to the Worship committee

for creating moments such as the Good Friday service. Thank you to Gladys for her creative labyrinths which we carried with us to help us find our way through the various prayer stations.



Thank you to Perla, Martha, Geraldine, Janice, Richard, Gerry, and Janet for your creativity, for carrying trees and candles and lanterns for the garden, for organizing each prayer station, for setting up and taking down. This is the resurrected body of Christ seeking to serve the people of God.

Blessings for a wonderful Easter Season.

He is Risen! He is Risen Indeed!

Kathryn

Session

Session met virtually in a Regular (Stated) Meeting on Thursday, March 21, 2024, with the Rev. Kathryn Pyke as moderator. A quorum was present. No motions needed action by Session. All Committees are pursuing their tasks with energy and diligence.

The next Regular (Stated) Meeting of Session is Thursday, April 18, 2024.

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

~ Respectfully submitted, Marian Hardin, Clerk of Session



Finance

Month	Income	Expense	Surplus/Deficit	
February	\$15,597.33	\$20,393.10	-\$5,041.77	

Year-to-date surplus/deficit: -\$1,881.28

All items are in line with the 2024 budget.

Board Of Deacons

Remembering Betty Fong



It is with great sadness to share the news of the passing of our dear friend Betty Fong on Monday, March 11, 2024 in her room at the Atria Tamalpais in Novato. She moved to Novato to be close with her middle child. daughter Teresa about three years ago. She recently celebrated her 98th Birthday on December 26th. She enjoyed her lifestyle at the Atria and Teresa and husband Steven would take her to have Chow Fun every week, her favorite! Per Betty's request, she will be cremated and buried at sea with her husband at a future date determined by her three children, Andrew Fong, Eloise Kashy, and Teresa Vance. "You all and this church meant so very much to our mom. You gave her a sense of community that she carried with her daily. Thank you for all your communications, cards, letters, and the

palm leaves you sent her in previous years. I've requested that any donations be made in my mom's name, in my mom's name to Broadmoor or Cameron House." Many blessings and much gratitude," writes Teresa.

Betty was a member of the Presbyterian Women of Broadmoor Presbyterian Church, Deacon, and Elder that served on many committees at BPC.

Building & Grounds

The team met on February 11 and discussed the few repairs that Ministerios Celebration church has been working on or completed. The repairs include patching and painting walls in the rear restroom by Tweedie Hall and in the Calvin Room, and shaving the bottom of the exterior door so that it closes properly. We thank them for their continued support of this place of worship.



Thank you, Pastor Roberto Zuniga and your crew!

Faith Formation



Thanks to all those who helped deliver palms to some of our members and friends.

Blessings to All.

We are planning a Book Swap for Sunday, June 2, 2024. Save those books!

Mission Corner

Sock-it-to-Me Sunday

The team met on March 24, 2024 and we've decided to hold a Sock-it-to-Me Sunday throughout the month of April.



There will be a Sock Box in the narthex for your donated new men's and women's socks. The socks will be delivered to St. Bruno Hospitality House in May.

Highlighting the Work of the Catholic Worker Hospitality House of San Bruno

St. Bruno's mission is to serve the needs of low-income and homeless individuals in the community by sponsoring a free dining room, emergency shelter, and supportive affordable housing in San Bruno. Five mornings a week, they operate a free dining room that welcomes 70-80 people. These individuals can receive a hot meal, use their shower facility, receive food to go, and inquire about availability in their homeless shelter. The donations provided by our church of food, napkins, toilet paper, socks, money, etc. helps St. Bruno in its mission. Feeding the hungry, providing shelter, sounds like a Matthew 25 organization. . . just like Broadmoor Presbyterian Church.

Choir

NEW BRITAIN 8.6.8.6 ("Amazing Grace")

O Lord, I thank you for the gift that you once gave for me. You humbly went up to your death so I could be set free.

I know your love within my soul and then I see, by grace: You came for all— to make us whole in every time and place.

You freed us from death's awful sting; you gave us life anew.
So this becomes our offering:
We give our lives to you.

We love you and our neighbors, too; we welcome and forgive.
We serve the poor and so serve you; in this, we learn to live.

We thank you for your sacrifice; it is our starting place to be the church, to share your life, to share amazing grace.

Tune: Traditional American melody (MIDI)

Permission is given for free use of this hymn.

Biblical references: Romans 6:23; Ephesians 2:8; 2 Corinthians 9:15; Philippians 2:8; Galatians 5:1; John 3:16- 17; Romans 8:21-23; Colossians 1:15-20; 1 John 2:2; 1 Corinthians 15:54-57; John 3:7; 1 Corinthians 15:10; Luke 10:25-37; Matthew 25:31-46; Matthew 6:12; John 1:3-5; Matthew 28:16-20.

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Presbyterian Women

Hosted by Abigail Circle, join us this month to study Lesson 5 in our "Sacred Encounters: The Power and Presence of Jesus Christ in Luke-Acts" Bible study book. We are meeting on Tuesday, April 16th, 10:30 am in the Calvin Room. See you there!

On March 10th during the Gifts of Women service, Richard Murray was presented with a pin, a certificate and his favorite candy (turtles) as the 2024 Honorary Lifetime Membership recipient.



Congratulations Rich!

Inspiration

Through Their Art,

What Women View in 2024

New Beginnings. That's the title of artist Noemi Manero's painting featured in the exhibit Women's View 2024, now showing in the Caldwell Gallery on the County Center campus through April 26. It's one of 46 works that offer insight into what local artists are thinking and making.

Manero's <u>oil pastel on canvas</u> shows a sailboat in a small harbor. Is it effortlessly gliding across the water? Or perilously close to the rocky shore?

"My art tells a story of resilience, celebrating who I am as a woman and an artist," Manero said. "Through life's ups and downs, I acknowledge the challenges I've faced and the victories I've won. This painting is about starting anew, finding beauty in the chaos and keeping going with determination."

Perennial

Now is the time of the sunny season, of white and yellow daffodils, grinning.

And yet, before there was ever a bloom, only a bulb hoping to take root,

aided by a gardener praying a mystical rosary in the dark soil

with but a simple shovel and humble heart, open as a yawning hole.



A poem for gardeners, for springtime lovers, for the hopeful by Andrew Taylor-Troutman. Published: MARCH 22, 2024

Broadmoor Memorial Fund

Acknowledgments for April 2024

In Honor of their 60th Anniversary:

Perla & Mig Ibarrientos

Contributions made by:

Penny & Gerry Manis Persis & William Ramroth

Annette & Dennis Shreve

In Memory of:

Betty Fong

Contribution made by:

Penny & Gerry Manis

Broadmoor Memorial Fund

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

http://bit.ly/BPCMemorialFundForm

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		2	3 Meditation Group 10 am GR	4 ELAINE CHAU BD	5	6 Men's Breakfast 8 am
7 <u>Communion</u> <u>Sunday</u> Worship Team 11:30 am	8	9	Meditation Group 10 am GR	Blessings for All April Birthdays	75th Anniv Committee 1pm CR	Elder Retreat 9 am - 12 N TH
Guest Rev. Ben Lins B&G 11:30 am	JANET HADDOX BD	PW Abigail & Zipporah Circles 10:30 am CR	Meditation Group 10 am GR	Session 7 pm Zoom	RICHARD BLACKBURN BD	20
Faith Formation 11:30 am	Passover Begins HAPPY Earth Day	Pink Moon MIKE ALGIRE BD	Meditation Group 10 am Zoom	25 ************************************	26 Arbor Day	27
Guest Rev. Arlene Gordon Mission Ministry 11:30 am	29	30 Passover Ends	31 Meditation Group 10 am Zoom	CR Calvin Rm GR Geneva Rm WR Westminster TH Tweedie Hall	Lord, I will give You thanks, for you answered me; You have become my salvation. Psalm 118:21	Happiness is itself a kind of gratitude. ~ J.W.Krutch



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