

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

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

MAY 2024

From the Pastor

Happy Birthday! On May 19th, we will celebrate 75 years as a church. We will begin our celebration in worship, followed by a reception in Tweedie Hall.

How appropriate to celebrate our 'birth day' on Pentecost, the day the Spirit of God breathed on those first disciples and literally blew them out into the streets to share the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Broadmoor Presbyterian Church has a long history sharing the Word of God in this community and beyond.

I love hearing stories of the quonset hut, your first sanctuary, where on weekends movies were shown to the local young people.

You watched your children grow up in the church. Many of you were teachers and involved in mission outreach, and women's ministry over the years.

The Spirit of God is definitely alive and well here. We may be a smaller church today, the building may not be bustling full of young children, *however*, God is indeed working through each and everyone of us to continue the

legacy of outreach, love, and compassion this church is so known for.

Come celebrate this journey of faith!

Kathryn



All Are Welcome!

Session

Session met virtually in a Regular (Stated) Meeting on Thursday, April 18, 2024, with the Rev. Kathryn Pyke as moderator. A quorum was present. Two motions were unanimously approved:

- To change the term "Ministry Team" to "Committee".
- To train a substitute A/V Coordinator to serve when Elaine Chau is absent and to

compensate that individual accordingly at that same rate of pay.

The next Regular (Stated) Meeting of Session is Thursday, May 16, 2024.

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

~ Respectfully submitted, Marian Hardin, Clerk of Session

Building & Grounds

We are so thankful to have the friends and members of Ministerios Celebracion church as they continue to tackle some repairs to this, our lovely house of worship.

Faith Formation

The Committee last met on April 21, 2024. We are mainly working with the 75th Anniversary Committee. The team is also planning to recognize all students later this month and a Book Swap for Communion and Fellowship Sunday, June 2, 2024. Save those books!

Finance

Month	Income	Expense	Surplus/Deficit	
March	\$12,550.00	\$13,338.15	-\$788.15	

Year-to-date surplus/deficit: -\$1,881.26

All items are in line with the 2024 budget.

Mission Corner

Highlighting the Work of Heifer International

Meet one of our mission partners, Heifer International, Heifer's Mission is to work to end hunger and poverty in partnership with the communities it serves. Their programs support entrepreneurs around the world, creating lasting change from the ground up. It begins with a seed investment of livestock or agriculture, followed by mentorship to help project participants build a business, and ultimately gain access to supply chains and markets. These families are able to earn a living income and continuously lift up their communities as they train the next generation of leaders. By supporting and training the world's farmers, ranchers, and female business owners. they're investing in a new breed of success.

How amazing to think how our donations, pooled with others, makes such an impact.

One Great Hour of Sharing Special Offerings Hunger * Disaster * Development

Thank you! For 75 years, your generous gifts to One Great Hour of Sharing have helped many of our siblings around the world. With your gifts, we answer the call in Isaiah to be repairers of the breach and be led into a new season of justice, freedom and peace.

One hundred percent of collections are sent to the Presbyterian Mission Agency of which 36% is earmarked for the Presbyterian Hunger Program, 32% for Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, and 32% for Self-Development of People. This year, we collected \$2,560. When we give a little, it adds up to a lot! Thank you.

Sock-it-to-Me Sunday

We collected 140 pairs of socks for the St. Bruno Hospitality House. Thank you all for your donations. Mr. Peter Stiehler was presented with the socks during worship on Sunday, April 28, 2024.

Worship

We would like to thank the Rev. Benjamin Lins for worshiping with us.



Rev. Benjamin Lins and Perla Ibarrientos

Attendance

	InHouse	Zoom	Total
January	48	69	117
February	60	53	113
March	78	54	132

Choir

Concert

Brazzissimo! At Broadmoor Sunday, May 26, 2024 2:00 pm Sanctuary 377 - 87th Street, Daly City, CA Donation at the door.

Come hear this renown brass ensemble perform A wide variety of audience pleasing musical numbers.



The Green Cathedral

arr. Bruce Carleton

I know a green cathedral, a shadowed forest shrine, Where leaves in love join hands above to arch your prayer and mine. Within its cool depths sacred,

a priestly cedar sighs, And the fir and pine lift arms divine unto the pure blue skies.

In my dear green cathedral there is a flowered seat And choir loft in branched croft where songs of bird hymn sweet.

And I like to dream at evening, when the stars its arches light,
That my Lord and God treads its hallowed sod in the cool, calm peace of night,
That my Lord and God treads its hallowed sod in the cool, calm peace of night.

Presbyterian Women

Hosted by the Abigail Circle, PW members met jointly in the Calvin Room on April 16 for Bible study and fellowship. Penny Manis led the study of lesson six of our current study, "Sacred Encounters," focused on a person with a physical disability who encountered Jesus. One quote in the study particularly caught our attention, to wit: "Disability is not a sickness or even necessarily a weakness. It is just a limitation, a uniqueness, that enables a person to make a vitally important and distinctive contribution to life and the Christian community." During our brief business meeting, it was voted to send a memorial gift in honor of Betty Fong, who passed into eternal glory on March 11, 2024, at age 98.

Issues of next year's Bible study have appeared already in our mailboxes. Entitled "Let Justice Flow Down: God's Call to Care for Neighbors

and All Creation," it is more than a Bible study. It is a call to action, discernment and prayer for God's faithful to speak out and find ways to address or counter the impact of human-made stress on our environment. Commencing next September, we invite you to join Presbyterian Women as we explore, with all our hearts, God's call to care for our neighbors and all creation.

The next PW meeting will be held in person in the Calvin Room at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, June June 18, for the study of lesson seven, of "Sacred Encounters." (Note that there is no May Bible Study due the the 75th Anniversary Celebration.)

Church Friend Update



Walter Mullen

Our dear longtime friend, Walter Mullen passed away on April 12, 2024. A viewing was held

at Duggins in Daly City, CA on April 18. His bright smile always lit up the room. Peace to

you, Walter.

In Search Of...

Clerk of Session

Do you feel called to serve? Broadmoor Presbyterian Church is looking for someone to volunteer as Clerk of Session. It doesn't require a lot of time. If you feel so called, please contact Rev. Kathryn Pyke or Marian Hardin. Thank you.

Inspiration

Let Me Be A Light

Let me be a light, O God,
That shines for all to see;
If someone needs to find the way,
An example may I be
Of love and kindness and brotherhood,
Of all that's gentle, of all that's good.

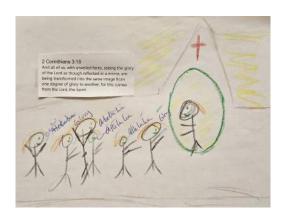
~ Theresa Mary Grass

Flder Retreat

The Elder Retreat was held on Saturday, April 13, 2024. One of the three activities done was to draw our interpretation of a scripture...



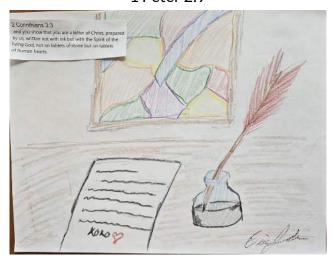
1 Corinthians 3:9



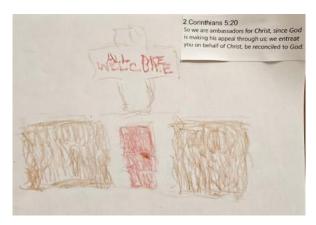
2 Corinthians 3:18



1 Peter 2:9



2 Corinthians 3:3



2 Corinthians 5:20



Matthew 5:14

Thanks to Rev. Kathryn Pyke for putting together a meaningful retreat for the Elders.

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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Acknowledgments for May 2024

In Memory of **Betty Fong**

Contributions made by:

Bertha L. Leong

Mr. & Mrs. David Lew

Presbyterian Women of Broadmoor

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Helen Yip

Broadmoor Church Officers

	Elders	Deacons
Class of	Adelina Sana	Janice Asfoor
2024	Geraldine Thompson	Gregg Hardin
Class of 2025	Eunice Brabec Martha Espinosa Perla Ibarrientos	Ruth Cruz Ray Haddox
Class of	Eric John Gravem	Jean Aro
2026	Richard Murray	David Pajarit

Clerk of Session: Marian Hardin

Article Deadline: 3rd Monday of the month

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website: broadm		Church Calendars:	http://bit.ly/BPCOffi		ttp://bit.ly/BPCFacilit	
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
BPC	Worship 10 am Zoom/Sanctuary Contact the church office for the Zoom link	CR Calvin Room GR Geneva Room TH Tweedie Hall WR Westminster Rm	1 Meditation Group 10 am Zoom	2 Nat'l Day of Prayer NICK HARTANTO BD	REV. RICHARD PYKE BD	4 Men's Breakfast 8 am Pacifica
5 Communion Sunday Fellowship 11 am TH Worship Team 11:30 am	6 Nattional Nurse's Day	National Teacher's Day HELEN HAYES BD	8 Meditation Group 10 am Zoom FRANCESCA GRAVEM BD	9 MARGIE KING BD PERKY RAMROTH BD	10	11
Guest Rev. B. Lins Deacons 11:30 am B & G Team 11:30 am Mother's Day	13 "Blessings for All May Birthdays	14	Meditation Group 10 am Zoom GEORGE SMITH BD	Session 7 pm Zoom	SARAH FISHTROM BD OLLIE ANDERSON BD	Armed Forces Day
75th Anniverstry Celebration 10 am Worship 11:30 am Buffet	20	21	Meditation Group 10 am Zoom	23 Flower Moon	24	TABITHA SORIANO BD
Brazzissimo! Concert 2 pm Sanctuary	Church Office Closed **** MEMORIAL DAY	28	Meditation Group 10 am Zoom	30	Christ is not only a remedy for your weariness and trouble, but He will give you an abundance of the contrary, joy and delight. J. Edwards	Grest is the Lord! He is most Worthy of praise! ~ 1 Chron. 16:25



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