Participants

Rev. John D'Elia, Jen Rabenaldt, Dr. Scott Glysson, Andrew Vigil, Lloyd Esola, Sean Anderson, Lauren Webb, Erika Foreman, Sheridan Liaw, AJ Zoppi, Ryan Miller, Craig Updegrove, Mike Milanesi, Linda Brady

Deacons

Barbara Gillson, Judi Davies, Charlotte Roberts, Jan Rantanan, Jim Seeber, Kathy Wolff, Gloria DeKleine, Linda Brady, Kenneth Hand, Martha Kettelkamp, Nancy McKelvey, Pamalee Brady, Steve Kobara, Alethea Justus

Moderator: Margo Smith

Session (Chairs listed)

Steve Brown (Nominating), Christina Esola, Don Green (Budget and Finance), Eric Griffith (Property), Fabrizio Griguoli, Ron Kraemer, Donna Loper (Worship), Ray McKelvey, Jeff Priest (Christian Education), Pam Rodewald (Congregational Life), Tim Smith (Personnel), Tom Sparks, Susan Updegrove (Missions), Virginia Walter

> Clerk of Session: Evelyn Ruehr

Moderator: Rev. John D'Elia

If you're struggling, or if you know someone who is, we are a safe and welcoming place. Here are some other sources of help:

National Suicide Prevention Hotline 800-273-8255

The Trevor Project (LGBTQ Youth)

866-488-7386

Nacional de Prevención del Suicido 888-628-9454

Veterans Crisis Line 800-273-8255, press 1



Service for the Fourth Sunday of Lent March 19, 2023



Rev. John A. D'Elia, Interim Pastor www.fpcslo.org | 805.543.5451

WORSHIP AT FIRST PRES

Thank you for joining us!

WE CONFESS OUR FAITH

"Nicene Creed"

PRELUDE

"And He Never Said a Word", Michael Ryan

Please use this time for quiet reflection

SCRIPTURE READING

Leviticus 19:11-18

WELCOME AND INVITATION TO WORSHIP

Rev John D'Flia

Bells

MESSAGE

Offertory

20 Questions With Jesus

Rev John D'Flia

"Obstructed View Seating"

Luke 6:37-42

WORSHIP IN SONG

"Rejoice, the Lord is King" (#155)

"Before the Throne of God Above"

OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

Dr. Scott Glysson

"Petites Litanies de Jesus". Gabriel Grovles Please stand as we sing the Doxology(#592)

THE CONFESSION AND PARDON

Linda Brady

SONG OF COMMITMENT

"I Surrender All"

NEWS OF THE CHURCH

CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM

Charles Mac Dubow Parents: Byron & MacKenzie Dubow Siblings: Oliver, Whitty, and Harriet Claire Grandparents: Denise & Craig Dubow Gaye & Curtis Riggs (married at First Pres SLO in 1975)

Dedication Scripture Verse: 2 Timothy 3: 14-15

DECLARATION OF MISSION AND BENEDICTION

Friends, what is our mission?

Our mission is to glorify Jesus Christ and to be instruments of God's healing, reconciling, life-giving presence in the world.

POSTLUDE

Dr. Scott Glysson

"Darwall", arr. Ernest Dicks

PRAYER

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Jen Rabenaldt

The flowers this week were donated by Jack and Judy Springer in honor of Alice Wallace's (Judy Springer's sister) 80th birthday.

ANTHEM

Choir

Charlotte Roberts invites you for coffee after the service in Wilson Hall.

"Pie Jesu". Victor Johnson