



# Pilgrim Church

Hope Happens Here!

August 23, 2020

10:00 am Contemporary Worship

## THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

### WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### OPENING PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven,  
 hallowed be thy name,  
 thy kingdom come, thy will be done,  
 on earth as it is in heaven.  
 Give us This day our daily bread.  
 And forgive us our debts,  
 as we forgive our debtors.  
 And lead us not into temptation,  
 but deliver us from evil.  
 For thine is the kingdom,  
 and the power, and the glory,  
 forever. Amen.

#### PRAISE WORSHIP OPENING VIDEO

#### WORSHIP SONGS

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#### SCRIPTURE READING

#### Romans 12:1-8 (The Message)

So here's what I want you to do, God helping you: Take your every-day, ordinary life—your sleeping, eating, going-to-work, and walking-around life—and place it before God as an offering. Embracing what God does for you is the best thing you can do for him. Don't become so well-adjusted to your culture that you fit into it without even thinking. Instead, fix your attention on God. You'll be changed from the inside out. Readily recognize what he wants from you, and quickly respond to it. Unlike the culture around you, always drag-

ging you down to its level of immaturity, God brings the best out of you, develops well-formed maturity in you.

I'm speaking to you out of deep gratitude for all that God has given me, and especially as I have responsibilities in relation to you. Living then, as every one of you does, in pure grace, it's important that you not misinterpret yourselves as people who are bringing this goodness to God. No, God brings it all to you. The only accurate way to understand ourselves is by what God is and by what he does for us, not by what we are and what we do for him.

In this way we are like the various parts of a human body. Each part gets its meaning from the body as a whole, not the other way around. The body we're talking about is Christ's body of chosen people. Each of us finds our meaning and function as a part of his body. But as a chopped-off finger or cut-off toe we wouldn't amount to much, would we? So since we find ourselves fashioned into all these excellently formed and marvelously functioning parts in Christ's body, let's just go ahead and be what we were made to be, without enviously or pridefully comparing ourselves with each other, or trying to be something we aren't.

If you preach, just preach God's Message, nothing else; if you help, just help, don't take over; if you teach, stick to your teaching; if you give encouraging guidance, be careful that you don't get bossy; if you're put in charge, don't manipulate; if you're called to give aid to people in distress, keep your eyes open and be quick to respond; if you work with the disadvantaged, don't let yourself get irritated with them or depressed by them. Keep a smile on your face.

#### MESSAGE

Rev. Bill Klossner

*"Making Your Ordinary Life Extraordinary"*

#### PASTORAL PRAYER

#### CLOSING SONG

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#### COMMISSION AND BENEDICTION

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## **Pilgrim Weekly Focused Prayer Topic**

Theme: Ways to Grow as God's Child

Excerpts from The Bible Promise Book compiled by Linda Hang

Help me live out genuine faith to reflect You to others.

### **Our Church Family Prayer List:**

Pastor Search Committee and Candidate, Bill Wolf,  
Gloria Kurbanali, Louise Timchak, Dennis Tagge,  
Joseph Beaudreau, Carol Glanton, John Hames,  
Martinez Children & Family, Jim Smith,  
Sidoney Johnston, "Bullet" McCleen, Karen Ahlgrim,  
Huff Family, Jim Wright, Rohan Ramjas, Ken Rhoe,  
Howard Meader, Lori Ann O'Brien, Jack Pickford,  
Julie Griffin, Jerry Barker, Jess Opsahl, Lisa Davis,  
Mike Rowell Family, John Corso

### **Pilgrim Special Dates**

Monday, August 24:

Pilgrim Food Pantry 10-11:30 am

Tuesday, August 25:

Pilgrim Prayer Group 10:00 am  
Council Meeting 7:00 pm

Sunday, August 30:

Pastoral Candidate Preaches 10:00 am

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