

Unison Prayer for Illumination

Prepare our hearts, O God, to accept your word.
Silence in us any voice but your own; that, hearing,
we may also obey your will; through Jesus Christ
our Lord. Amen.

Old Testament Lesson: Jeremiah 5:20-25 (page 632)

Responsive Reading: Psalm 96:1-6

*Oh sing to the LORD a new song;
sing to the LORD, all the earth!*

**Sing to the LORD, bless his name;
tell of his salvation from day to day.**

*Declare his glory among the nations,
his marvelous works among all the peoples!*

**For great is the LORD,
and greatly to be praised;
he is to be feared above all gods.**

*For all the gods of the peoples are worthless idols,
but the LORD made the heavens.*

**Splendor and majesty are before him;
strength and beauty are in his sanctuary.**

*Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples,
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength!*

**Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name;
bring an offering,
and come into his courts!**

*Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness;
tremble before him, all the earth!*

Say among the nations, "The LORD reigns!"

**Yes, the world is established;
it shall never be moved;
he will judge the peoples with equity."**

Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice;

**let the sea roar, and all that fills it;
let the field exult, and everything in it!**

*Then shall all the trees of the forest sing for joy
before the LORD, for he comes,
for he comes to judge the earth.*

**He will judge the world in righteousness,
and the peoples in his faithfulness. (ESV)**

Epistle Lesson: 1 Timothy 1:1-5 (page 991)

Gospel Lesson: Matthew 7:7-11 (page 812)

Reader: ...the Word of the Lord!

Congregation: **Thanks be to God!**

Sermon **Heart Examination:**
A Church with Loveless Theology
Text: Revelation 2:1-7 (page 1028)
Mr. Sutton

*Creed The Nicene Creed

**WE BELIEVE in one God, the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible
and invisible.**

**AND IN ONE Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten
Son of God, begotten of his Father before all
worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God
of very God, begotten, not made, being of
one substance with the Father; through whom
all things were made; who for us and for our
salvation came down from heaven, and was
incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary,
and was made man; and was crucified also
for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and
was buried; and the third day he rose again
according to the Scriptures, and ascended into
heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the
Father; and he shall come again, with glory,
to judge both the living and the dead; whose
kingdom shall have no end.**

**AND WE BELIEVE in the Holy Spirit, the Lord
and giver of life, who proceeds from the
Father and the Son; who with the Father and
the Son together is worshiped and glorified;
who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in
one holy catholic and apostolic church;**

(continued . . .)

**we acknowledge one baptism for the remission
of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the
dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession
(concluding with the Lord's Prayer)

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*The Doxology Trinity Hymnal #731
**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen**

*Offertory Prayer

Hymn #156 "O Lord, How Shall I Meet You"

*Prayer of Benediction

*Congregational Response Trinity Hymnal #11
(v. 1 & 2, to the tune *Dundee*, #105)

**Now blessed be the Lord our God,
the God of Israel;
For he alone does wondrous works
in glory that excel,
And blessed be his glorious name to all eternity;
the whole earth let his glory fill.
Amen, so let it be.**

Postlude

Anna Abbey


Announcements

VISITORS: Welcome to El Camino! Please sign our guest book and join us for a potluck lunch after the service.

TODAY WE WELCOME Mr. Tedd Sutton to the pulpit for our morning and evening worship services. Mr. Sutton is a student intern at New Life Presbyterian Church of La Mesa, a PCA church near San Diego.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

MON., JULY 16: 6:30pm, the Search Committee meets at church.

WED., JULY 18: 12:15-12:45pm Lunchtime Bible Study resumes at church. Bring your own lunch.

Topic: Galatians.

(continued . . .)

UPCOMING EVENTS, CONTINUED:

SUNDAY, JULY 22: The Rev. Peter Sim is visiting from Theophilus OPC in Anaheim and will conduct the morning worship service. Theophilus OPC has both English- and Korean-language services and Mr. Sim is the English-speaking pastor.



El Camino Presbyterian Church

El Camino Church is a congregation of
The Orthodox Presbyterian Church – opc.org



6:00 Evening Prayer and Praise

July 15th, 2018

- *Call to Worship
- *Hymn #335 “Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me”
- *Prayer of Invocation
- Responsive Psalm 18:25-36 (Hymnal, p. 789)
- Congregational Hymn Selections
- Offering
- Prayer for Illumination
- Scripture Lessons: Revelation 2:18-29 (page 1029)
- Sermon *A Church with Idolatrous Compromise*
Mr. Sutton
- *Creed The Apostles’ Creed
- I BELIEVE in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
AND IN Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified,
dead, and buried; he descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and is seated on the
right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence
he shall come to judge the living and the dead.
I BELIEVE in the Holy Spirit;
the holy catholic church; the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body;
and the life everlasting. Amen.**
- Congregational Prayer (concluding with the Lord’s Prayer)
- *Hymn #144 “Father of Mercies, in Your Word”
- *Prayer of Benediction



*Today’s sermons will be available at our website,
elcaminoopc.org, in our archive of recent sermons.*

El Camino Presbyterian Church

7526 CALLE REAL, GOLETA, CA 93117 | (805) 968-0113

The Lord’s Day

July 15th, 2018
10:45AM Morning Worship

- Prelude Anna Abbey
- *Greeting and Call to Worship (*Congregation stands)
- *Hymn #529 “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”
- *Prayer of Adoration and Invocation
- *The Gloria Patri Trinity Hymnal #735
**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the
Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and
ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.**
- Unison Prayer of Confession
**Most Merciful God, we confess that we have
sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done, and by what we have left
undone. We have not loved you with our whole
heart; we have not loved our neighbors as
ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly
repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may
delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to
the glory of your name. Amen.**
- *Assurance of Pardon
Minister: ...you are forgiven.
Congregation: **Amen!**
- *Call to Grateful Obedience
Minister: ...this is God’s will for you in Christ.
Congregation: **Amen!**
- *Hymn #348 “Jesus, with Thy Church Abide”