

Monte Vista Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
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Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 5, 2024
10:30am MT

Order of Worship

Welcome		Rev. Dr. Dawn Rosignol
Prelude	<i>24 Pièces en style libre: Bk. 1, No. 5 "Prélude"</i> by Louis Vierne	Paulette McClellan
*Call to Worship		Gerri Warner
Psalm 98 (responsive)		750
*Opening Hymn	<i>Unidos (Together)</i> (first in Spanish, then in English)	496
*Opening Prayer		Gerri
<p>God of songs and wonders, old and new, your powerful love for this world continues to astound us. As we journey to the final days of Eastertide, we gather to recall the love that brought Jesus into this world and into our lives. We thank you for welcoming us into your realm and for entrusting in us your amazing work of drawing all people into the inclusive space of your love. Fill us with a sense of your guiding presence and speak a word of encouragement that sends us out into the world with clear direction of spreading your love to all. In your many holy names we pray. Amen.</p>		
First Scripture Reading	John 15:9-17	Gerri
<p>As the Parent has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Parent's commandments and abide in God's love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete. "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Parent. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Parent will give you whatever you ask in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.</p>		
<p>One: A word from God for the people of God. Many: Thanks be to God.</p>		

Prayer Hymn

Make Us One

(Please share your prayer concerns & joys with the office at office@montevista.org.)

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Dawn

Lord's Prayer (in unison)

Blessed One, our Father and our Mother. Holy is your name. May your love be embodied in the world. May your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Protect us in the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For all that we do in your love, and all that your love brings to birth, and the fullness of love that will be, are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Special Music

The Perfect Wisdom of Our God
by S. Townend, K. Getty; arr. by Lloyd Larson

Vista Voices

Sermon Text

1John 5:1-6

Rev. Dawn

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey God's commandments. For the love of God is this, that we obey God's commandments. And God's commandments are not burdensome, for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God? This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth.

One: A word from God for the people of God. **Many: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

"Born of God"

Rev. Dawn

Special Music

Excursion for Bells
by Phillip M. Young

Vista Bells

Sharing in Communion and Stewardship

Invitation to the Table

Wayne Hammar

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*Communion Hymn

I Come with Joy

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Words of Institution

Rev. Dawn

Prayers for the Elements

Wayne

Receiving Communion

Quilt Blessing

Rev. Dawn

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Rev. Dawn

Minute for Vision

Matthew Denman

*Closing Hymn

Go in Peace

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*Benediction

Rev. Dawn

Postlude

Triumphal March from "Sigurd Jorsalfar"
by Edvard Grieg

Paulette

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Gerri Warner, Worship Leader

Paulette McClellan, Organist/Pianist

Wally Miller, Sound

Rev. Dr. Dawn Rosignol, Senior Minister, Preaching and Presiding

## Psalm 98

Psalm 98:1  
David Goodrich

## RESPONSE

Sing a new song to the Lord, who has done such mar-vel-ous things.

## R

- 1 O sing to the LORD a new song,  
for the Lord has done marvelous things.  
God's right hand and holy arm  
have gotten the victory.
- 2 **The LORD has declared victory,  
and has revealed vindication in the sight of the nations.**
- 3 The Lord has remembered steadfast love and faithfulness  
to the house of Israel.  
**All the ends of the earth have seen  
the victory of our God. R**
- 4 Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth;  
**break forth into joyous song and sing praises.**
- 5 Sing praises to the LORD with the lyre,  
with the lyre and the sound of melody.
- 6 **With trumpets and the sound of the horn,  
make a joyful noise before the LORD who reigns. R**
- 7 Let the sea roar, and all that fills it;  
**the world and those who live in it.**
- 8 Let the floods clap their hands;  
**let the hills sing together for joy**
- 9 **at the presence of the LORD,  
who is coming to judge the earth.  
The Lord will judge the world with righteousness,  
and the peoples with equity. R**

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Unidos  
(Together)

Chords: Eb Cm Fm

U - ni - dos, u - ni - dos, en tu nom - bre u -  
To - geth - er, to - geth - er, in your name, we

Chords: Bb7 Eb Cm Fm

ni - dos. U - ni - dos, u - ni - dos, en tu nom - bre u -  
gath - er. To - geth - er, to - geth - er, in your name, we

Chords: Bb7 Eb Cm Fm

ni - dos. Pues en es - te mun-do paz ya - mor ten -  
gath - er. Then we'll have in this world peace and love a -

Chords: Bb7 Eb Cm Fm

dre - mos, Pues en es - te mun-do paz ya - mor ten -  
round us. Then we'll have in this world peace and love a -

WORDS: Benjamín Villanueva, 1982; tr. George Lockwood, 1983  
MUSIC: Benjamín Villanueva, 1982; arr. Esther Frances, 1983, alt.

UNIDOS  
Irr.

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CHRISTIAN UNITY

dre - mos. U - ni - dos, siem - pre u - ni - dos, to - mán - do - nos las  
 round us. To - geth - er we're u - nit - ed; we hold hands as we

ma - nos i - re - mos por el mun - do can - tan - do al a - mor.  
 strug - gle; we walk in - to the world sing - ing God's song of love.

La glo - ria de Je - sus, al fin res - plan - de - ce - rá y el  
 The glo - ry of Je - sus will ev - er shine in splen - dor. The

mun - do lle - na - rá de a - mor y de paz.  
 whole world will be joy - ful with love and peace.

paz, de a - mor y de paz, de a - mor y de paz.  
 peace with love and peace, with love and peace.

# Make Us One

Galatians 3:28

$\text{♩} = 65$   
 C E/G G7 CMaj7 Dm9  $\text{♩}$  (opt. D.S.)

Make us one, Lord, make us

Em7 C/E Gm11 C G/C C F2 F6 C/D

one; Ho-ly Spir - it, make us one. Let your

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Em11 A7(#5b9) Dm11 Dm7 Bb9(#11) Bb9 Fm6/Ab C/G G7sus G7

love flow so the world will know we are one in

Repeat ending D.S. Song ending

C F/G G7 C

you. Make us you.



# I Come with Joy

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*Unison*

1. I come with joy, a child of God, for - giv - en,  
 2. I come with Chris - tians far and near to find, as  
 3. As Christ breaks bread, and bids us share, each proud di -  
 4. The Spir - it of the ris - en Christ, un - seen, but  
 5. To - geth - er met, to - geth - er bound by all that

1. loved and free, the life of Je - sus to re - call, in  
 2. all are fed, the new com - mun - i - ty of love in  
 3. vi - sion ends. The love that made us, makes us one, and  
 4. ev - er near, is in such friend - ship bet - ter known, a -  
 5. God has done, we'll go with joy, to give the world the

1. love laid down for me, in love laid down for me.  
 2. Christ's com - mun - ion bread, in Christ's com - mun - ion bread.  
 3. strang - ers now are friends, and strang - ers now are friends.  
 4. live a - mong us here, a - live a - mong us here.  
 5. love that makes us one, the love that makes us one.

WORDS: Brian Wren, 1969; rev. 1982, 1995  
 MUSIC: *Southern Harmony*, 1835; harm. Charles H. Webb, 1987

DOVE OF PEACE  
 CM

♩=66-72



# Go in Peace

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*Unison mp*

Go in peace and the peace of God be with you this day.

The first system of music is in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It features a unison vocal line starting with a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic. The lyrics are: "Go in peace and the peace of God be with you this day." The accompaniment consists of block chords in the bass line.

Go in peace and the peace of God be with you al - ways.

The second system continues the melody and accompaniment. The lyrics are: "Go in peace and the peace of God be with you al - ways."

*f*

Cel - e - brate and share the joy! Cel - e - brate new life!

The third system features a forte (*f*) dynamic. The lyrics are: "Cel - e - brate and share the joy! Cel - e - brate new life!" The melody is more active, and the accompaniment includes some chromatic movement.

*p*

Go in peace and the peace of God be with you al - ways.

The fourth system returns to a piano (*p*) dynamic. The lyrics are: "Go in peace and the peace of God be with you al - ways." The piece concludes with a final chord.

WORDS: Barber L. Waters, 1982  
MUSIC: Kenneth E. White, 1982

OCEAN PARK  
Irr.

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