



## La Mesa First United Methodist Church

May 8, 2022

Mother's Day

**Opening Prayer** Rev. Christian DeMent

**Prelude** *Jesus Christus, Unser Heiland, der den Tod Uberwand* J.S. Bach  
*Michael Lawrence, Organ*

~ Jack DeMent & Sierra Clark, Acolytes ~

**Welcome & Greeting** Rev. Christian DeMent

**Announcements** Mary Earnest

**Hymn** *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* UMH 140

*Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father;  
there is no shadow of turning with thee;  
thou changest not, thy compassions, they fail not;  
as thou hast been, thou forever wilt be.  
Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see;  
all I have needed thy hand hath provided;  
great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!*

*Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,  
sun, moon, and stars in their courses above  
join with all nature in manifold witness  
to thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.  
Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see;  
all I have needed thy hand hath provided;  
great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!*

*Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;  
strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!  
Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see;  
all I have needed thy hand hath provided;  
great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!*

**Children's Moment** Rev. Christian DeMent

**Song** *The Blessing* C. Brown, C. Carnes,  
K. Jobe & S. Furtick

*The Lord bless you and keep you,  
make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord turn His face toward you and give you peace.*

*The Lord bless you and keep you,  
make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord turn His face toward you and give you peace.  
Amen, amen, amen. Amen, amen, amen.*

*The Lord bless you and keep you,  
make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord turn His face toward you and give you peace.  
Amen, amen, amen. Amen, amen, amen.*

*May His favor be upon you and a thousand generations  
and your family and your children and their children, and their children.*

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and your family and your children and their children, and their children.*

*May His presence go before you and behind you and beside you.  
All around you and within you, He is with you. He is with you.  
In the morning, in the evening, in your coming and your going,  
in your weeping and rejoicing.*

*He is for you. He is for you. He is for you. He is for you.  
He is for you. He is for you. He is for you. He is for you  
Amen, amen, amen. Amen, amen, amen.*

<b>Prayers of the Community</b>		Rev. Christian DeMent
<b>Lord's Prayer</b>		UMH 895
<b>Invitation to Offering</b>		Andres De Los Reyes
<b>Offertory</b>	<i>Sing the Lord's Song Chancel Choir</i>	N. Sleeth
<b>Offertory Prayer</b>		Andres De Los Reyes
	<i>We invite you to use the church website or the Give+ app on your smartphone for your offering today.</i>	
<b>Scripture</b>	Acts 9:36-43	Andres De Los Reyes
<b>Sermon</b>	Stitching Love	Rev. Christian DeMent
<b>Hymn</b>	Waymaker	

*You are here, moving in our midst, I worship You, I worship You.  
You are here, working in this place, I worship You, I worship You.  
You are here, moving in our midst, I worship You, I worship You.  
You are here, working in this place, I worship You, I worship You.*

*Hey, waymaker, miracle worker, promise keeper,  
light in the darkness. My God, that is who You are.  
Waymaker, miracle worker, promise keeper,  
light in the darkness. My God, that is who You are.*

*You are here, touching every heart, I worship You, I worship You.  
You are here, healing every heart, I worship You, I worship You.  
You are here, turning lives around, I worship You, I worship You.  
You are here, mending every heart, I worship You, I worship You.*

*Hey, waymaker, miracle worker, promise keeper,  
light in the darkness. My God, that is who You are.  
Waymaker, miracle worker, promise keeper,  
light in the darkness. My God, that is who You are.*

*You are here, touching every life, I worship You, I worship You.  
You are here, meeting every need, I worship You, I worship You.*

**Benediction**

Rev. Christian DeMent

**Postlude**

*Prelude in D Major  
Michael Lawrence, Organ*

D. Buxtehuda

*Thank you for worshiping with us this morning!  
Next week, please join us again in person at 9:30 am; on Facebook or YouTube for the  
Livestream; or either of those channels to view a recording on your own schedule.  
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