ORINDA COMMUNITY CHURCH CHILDREN'S WORSHIP SERVICE June 6, 2021

ORDER OF WORSHIP

"Everyone Deserves a Second Chance"

WELCOME TO CHURCH Maddy and Callie

CALL TO WORSHIP Beatriz Skidgel

Come, now is the time to worship.

We come to make a joyful noise to the Lord.

When we think of how wonderful God is,
we cannot help but break into song.

Come, now is the time to worship

With all creation, we offer God our praise.

MUSIC
Grant and Callie
Johnny Appleseed Song

GATHERING PRAYER The amazing Jones sisters

Maddie

Holy One of Blessing, your presence fills creation. We are glad to be gathered together, even on our computers.

Sommy

God, bless our dreams of a world where no one is abandoned and no one is hungry.

Maddie

God, bless our dreams of a world where no one is isolated and no one is lonely.

Sommy

God bless our dreams of a world where people admire each others' differences.

Maddie

God bless our dreams of a world where all people are treated with respect and love.

Both

Thank you God for hearing our prayer. Amen.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Jessica

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. once said, "We are caught in an inescapable network of mutuality, tied in a single garment of destiny. Whatever affects one directly, affects all indirectly."

When I go to church, I'm suddenly with all kinds of people I might not otherwise be friends with or even know. At church I get to see people who are four years old and people who are 94 years old. We are all together.

When Jesus appeared to the disciples, he greeted them by saying, "Peace be with you." Let us now pass the peace to one another. The peace of Christ be with you.

PRAYER OF PEACE

The tantalizing triumvirate, Beatrice, Jojo and Miles Nackley

Bea

Peace before us, Peace behind us, Peace under our feet.

JoJo

Peace within us,
Peace over us,
Let all around us be at peace.

Miles

Let all around us be at Peace!

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Nicole

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit that as the scripture is read and your word proclaimed we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen

BIBLE READINGS

Matthew, Chapter 18 Verse 21

Then Peter came up and said to him, 'Lord, how often will my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? As many as seven times?' Jesus said to him, 'I do not say to you seven times, but seventy times seven.'

Colossians, Chapter 3, verse 12

Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other

REFLECTION

Mimi

Forgiveness and Second Chances

POEM

Alexis

Second Chances

I believe in a God of Second Chances.
When I don't have an answer, I turn to you.
I believe every person has a story.
Every face can show God's glory.
God's love is ever true.
God's love is for me and you.

MUSICAL SOLO Miles McCall

POEM Laurel Taatjes

THE LORD'S PRAYER Maddy and Sommy

Our Creator, 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

COMMUNION

Elizabeth

- INVITATION TO THE TABLE
- WORDS OF INSTITUTION
- SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP Isaac Tatjes
- PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT Lila

ACTIVITY OF ENCOURAGEMENT
Owen
Dominoes

MUSIC

Leslie O'Brien and Bob LibmanCome and Go Song

BENEDICTION

Owen

Go in peace, remembering that God is with you when you play with Legos, when you are at school, when you are setting up dominoes, and when you are on the baseball field. God is with you always.

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Hey, kids, here are some other Bible verses and quotes, in case you want to read something extra and film it. Xoxoxo

John 13:34

A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another.

Matthew 5:23-24

So if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother has something against you, leave your gift there before the altar and go. First be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift.

1 Peter 4:8

Above all, keep loving one another earnestly.

Proverbs 17:9

Love prospers when a fault is forgiven, but dwelling on it separates close friends.

Luke 6:37

Do not judge, and you will not be judged. Do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven.

Lamentations 3:21-23

But this I call to mind, and therefore I have hope: The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

Psalm 86:5

You, Lord, are forgiving and good, abounding in love to all who call to you.