

CONGREGATIONAL
Church *of* Soquel



*“Are not two sparrows sold
for a penny?”*

Matthew 10:29



April 28, 2024
10:00am

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Life & Worship

April 28, 2024 • Season of Easter

GATHERING TOGETHER

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Ringling of the Bell

***Introit No. 801** *This Is the Day*

v 1, Hymnal 1

***Responsive Call to Worship** (from Psalm 96)

Minister: Even the sparrow finds a home,

Congregation: the swallow a nest for herself,

Minister: where she may lay her young,

Congregation: at your altars, O Lord of hosts,

***No. 362** *Morning Has Broken*

Hymnal 1

***Invocation**

Responsive Reading (Matthew 10:29-31)

Reader: Are not two sparrows sold for a penny?

**Congregation: Yet not one of them will fall to the ground
unperceived by your Father.**

*Reader: And even the hairs of your head are all counted. So do not be
afraid;*

Congregation: you are of more value than many sparrows.

JOINING IN PRAISE & PRAYER

Special Music

Piano Selection

by Susan Bass

*Congregation Standing (as you are able)

Morning Prayer and 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.

Response In Song No. 537 *Lord, Be Glorified*

Hymnal 1

1. In my life, Lord, be glorified, be glorified. In my life, Lord, be glorified today.
2. In my song
3. In your Church

SHARING THE WORK

Offertory

*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

(Tune: *All Creatures of our God and King*)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,

Praise God all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God the source of all our gifts, Praise Jesus Christ whose
power uplifts. Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit.

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

SHARING OF THE WORD

Reverend Dr. Mark Fountain

Sermon: *Two for a Penny*

Scripture: Matthew 10:29-31

PARTING WITH SONG AND PRAYER

*No. 57 *All Things Bright and Beautiful*

Hymnal 1

*Benediction

*Congregational Response in Song

We are God's people, a people of the Lord, born of the Spirit,
the Love of God outpoured; our cornerstone is Christ alone,
and strong in Him we stand: O let us live transparently,
and walk heart to heart and hand in hand.

*Postlude

*Congregation Standing (as you are able)

Next Sunday

Communion • Deacon's Offering • Learning & Worship Meeting



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At Congregational Church of Soquel, we value the past with a sense of gratitude, but welcome the present moment with expectation and joy! Please join us Sundays at 10:00 am. The bell ringing from atop our historic church, established in 1868, reminds us of a rich and meaningful past. However, as our logo suggests, a living tradition of life, worship and progressive Christian faith lifts our hearts as we reach in the direction of an exciting future.

With this vision, we seek to live as Jesus taught, loving God and neighbor in ways that embrace the opportunities and needs of our time and place: creating a sustainable environment for the earth, addressing food insecurities among our neighbors, supporting families, celebrating the arts and creating a spiritual home for people of all ages and backgrounds. Together, we discover friendship and meaning through the interplay of faith, life, and service within the greater Santa Cruz community and beyond.

Join us as we unite a meaningful past with a hopeful vision moving forward.

Peace,
Mark Fountain
Minister



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THANK YOU!

- Announcer:** Jeannie Land
- Reader:** Katharine Burke
- Ushers:** Sally & Dave Miller
- Fellowship:** Liz & Mike Musal
- Media Team:** Laura Hamby & Scott Hamby

Church Office Hours
Tuesday - Thursday 10:00am - 1:00pm

OUR CHURCH STAFF

- Minister.....Reverend Dr. Mark Fountain
- Ministry Associate.....Reverend Patti Haaheim
- Office Manager.....Kristin Ard
- Music Director.....Camille Couture-Carter
- Pianist.....Susan Bass
- Maintenance Supervisor.....Ricardo Perez
- Ministers to the Community.....Congregation

Happening TODAY!

- 1) Safety evacuation drill. We'll have step by step instructions so we can practice and be prepared in case of emergency.
- 2) Meet in the courtyard during fellowship if you'd like to learn more about the new Parrish Hall double doors.

Happy Birthday Cay Melendy

This morning's chancel flowers are in honor of Cay Melendy's 98th birthday, April 27, 2024.



SAVE OUR
SHORES

APRIL Mission of the Month



You can help make a difference in Clean Shores, Healthy Habitats, and Living Waters by supporting 'Save Our Shores' and giving today! Online or in person, and any amount helps. **Thank you!**

LOVE ONE ANOTHER



Congregational Church of Soquel
Season of Easter • May 5, 2024



Sunday, 5th	10:00 am, Worship Service	Communion & Deacons Offering
Tuesday, 7th	5:30 pm, via zoom	Called 2 Pray
Saturday, 11th	4:00 pm	Celebration of Life – Doug Burklo
Sunday, 12th	10:00 am, Worship Service	Mother's Day
Saturday, 18th	9:00 am	Church Funday!
Sunday, 19th	10:00 am, Worship Service	CE Sunday

Church Funday!

Truth In Advertising...

It's our *annual* church workday, but Hey!

It's a great way to fellowship with friends & spiff up the church at the same time!



Bring: Tools, Gloves for your favorite job! *OR* just show up! We promise to have a job for you!

Door Prizes! & Hotdog Lunch provided!

**Saturday,
May 18th**

9 am-Noon

Calling ALL Pressure Washers! YOU KNOW WHO YOU ARE!

Stay tuned! There will be a pressure washing day prior to the work day. We'll keep you posted! We're going to put some of this year's generous winter storm waters to work!

