

## Welcome

Welcome to PBCC. We are glad you have joined us today.

We gather in worship to remind ourselves who God is, what he has done in Christ, and what he is doing through his Spirit.

We gather in worship to praise God and receive afresh his Spirit in us, to affirm that we are family, reconciled one to another, and to be empowered to reach out to the world.



If you are new, please fill out an information card, found in the pew racks, and drop it in the offering plate so we can contact you. Our ushers, greeters and hosts in the Information Booth are available to answer any questions.

If you are a regular attender, please also use an information card to update your contact information, or to submit a prayer request to be shared with pastors, elders, a confidential prayer team and printed in our worship guide.

A prayer team is available at the front left of the auditorium after each service.

## Financial Update

On **April 19th**, Bill Vinnicombe shared with the body that we are currently anticipating a deficit of \$150k this fiscal year (ending September 30th). In the past, the December giving has made up for monthly shortfalls, but this did not happen last December. While PBCC has the reserves to cover this year's deficit, the Board of Elders is currently praying and exploring ways to reduce expenses. If the deficit continues, however, there will be a point later this year at which we, as responsible financial stewards, will need to make difficult changes which include the possibility of staff reductions. Our desire is simply to make the needs known to the body and invite you all to pray with us about this situation and what it might mean for PBCC. We are confident that God will lead us and give us guidance. The Elders.

**For information** about Sunday events and regular weekly activities, please see our website, weekly e-bulletin, or ask at the Information Booth.

Service Times: 8:30, 10:30 am Sundays

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## Upcoming Events

**Next Sunday:** John Hanneman continues our *Foundation Stones* summer series.

**Summer Sunday School Needs 15 helpers for Summer:** For 8:30 we need 2 for PreK, 3 for K-2 and 2 for 3-5th. We need 2 in each area for the 10:30 hour. Contact Lisa: [preschool@pbcc.org](mailto:preschool@pbcc.org) if you can help!

**Summer Video Series for women, *God Can Do Amazing Things!***, held through **July 29th**. Join us for any or all sessions in Fellowship Hall either Tuesday evenings 7-8:30pm or Wednesday mornings 10-11:30am. Childcare Wednesday mornings for infants-5 year olds by reservation only at [childcare@pbcc.org](mailto:childcare@pbcc.org).

## Prayer Requests

### Praise God for...

1. my daughter's full time position in SF. Pray for God to find her a place to move to. We continue to depend on him.
2. help with stewardship (especially of time) in keeping with prayer that I requested.

### Please pray for...

1. our dear sister, Edie Miller in Portland, that her vision doesn't deteriorate any further.
2. this body to have generous hearts to meet the needs of others, especially this church and our missionaries.
3. our unborn child. Pray that our baby is healthy and that I can support my wife well.
4. my cousin Sandy who is having an extremely painful recovery from knee surgery. She had to go to a nursing home.
5. my sister, Dolores, as she cares for my mom, Eva, who has severe dementia and as she deals with her own breast cancer therapy.
6. the complete healing of my wife.

If you would like to share a prayer request through the bulletin, please drop a note in the offering plate.

*For emergencies, call the Prayer Vine.*

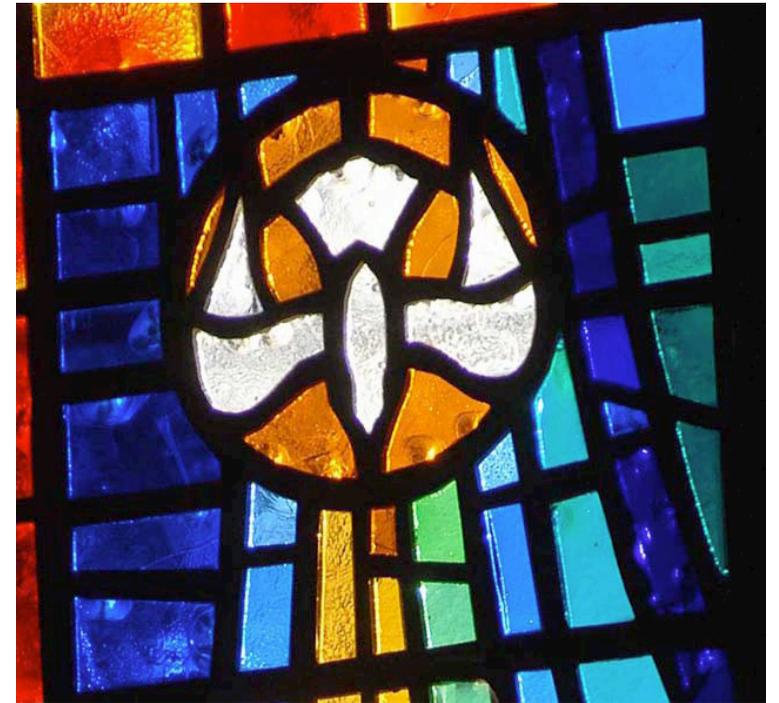
*Bev Abel (408.247.6921), June Hendry (650.967.8591) or Libby Knab (650.968.2422)*

## Financial Report

May 2015	received	disbursed	gain/(loss)
General Fund	\$182,614	\$182,502	\$112
Gen. Fund 12 mo. average	\$174,212	\$181,807	(\$7,595)
Need Fund	\$5,730	\$2,924	\$2,806
Missions Fund	\$11,661	\$12,275	(\$614)

# Peninsula Bible Church Cupertino

## God's Empowering Presence



If we live by the Spirit, let us also keep in step with the Spirit.  
(Gal 5:25 ESV)

**Sunday, July 5, 2015**

Music: Christian Kolb & the Young Adult Team

Host: Shawn Reese

Message: John Hanneman

### **Call to Worship: 1 Chronicles 16:8-13**

Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name;  
make known his deeds among the peoples!

Sing to him; sing praises to him,  
tell of all his wondrous works!

Glory in his holy name;  
let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice!

Seek the LORD and his strength;  
seek his presence continually!

Remember the wondrous works that he has done,  
his miracles and the judgments he uttered,

O offspring of Israel his servant,  
children of Jacob, his chosen ones! (ESV)

### **Scripture Reading: Romans 8:1-11**

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death. For God has done what the law, weakened by the flesh, could not do. By sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and for sin, he condemned sin in the flesh, in order that the righteous requirement of the law might be fulfilled in us, who walk not according to the flesh but according to the Spirit. For those who live according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those who live according to the Spirit set their minds on the things of the Spirit. For to set the mind on the flesh is death, but to set the mind on the Spirit is life and peace. For the mind that is set on the flesh is hostile to God, for it does not submit to God's law; indeed, it cannot. Those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

You, however, are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if in fact the Spirit of God dwells in you. Anyone who does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him. But if Christ is in you, although the body is dead because of sin, the Spirit is life because of righteousness. If the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, he who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through his Spirit who dwells in you. (ESV)

## **2 Corinthians 3:4-18**

“Such is the confidence that we have through Christ toward God. Not that we are sufficient in ourselves to claim anything as coming from us, but our sufficiency is from God, who has made us sufficient to be ministers of a new covenant, not of the letter but of the Spirit. For the letter kills, but the Spirit gives life.

Now if the ministry of death, carved in letters on stone, came with such glory that the Israelites could not gaze at Moses' face because of its glory, which was being brought to an end, will not the ministry of the Spirit have even more glory? For if there was glory in the ministry of condemnation, the ministry of righteousness must far exceed it in glory. Indeed, in this case, what once had glory has come to have no glory at all, because of the glory that surpasses it. For if what was being brought to an end came with glory, much more will what is permanent have glory.

Since we have such a hope, we are very bold, not like Moses, who would put a veil over his face so that the Israelites might not gaze at the outcome of what was being brought to an end. But their minds were hardened. For to this day, when they read the old covenant, that same veil remains unlifted, because only through Christ is it taken away. Yes, to this day whenever Moses is read a veil lies over their hearts. But when one turns to the Lord, the veil is removed. Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. And we all, with unveiled face, beholding the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another. For this comes from the Lord who is the Spirit.” (ESV)

### **Songs**

**We Have Come/ Bless The Lord** (W. Reagan, United Pursuit)

**Praise is Rising Hosanna** (P. Baloché, B. Brown)

**Forever Reign** (R. Morgan, J. Ingram)

**Mighty to Save** (Hillsong)

**In Christ Alone** (Music adapted from King's Kaleidoscope, by C. Kolb)

**Holy Spirit** (B. Torwalt, K. Torwalt)

Notes

**The Identity of the Holy Spirit**

**The Presence of God With His People**

**Law vs. Spirit**

**The Power of God Among His People**

**The Call to Walk in the Spirit**