

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.

Prayer requests can be shared with either just the pastors, elders and a confidential prayer team or printed anonymously in our worship guide.

If you are a regular attender, please also use an information card to update your contact information.

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

Sunday Classes

Body Life in Mandarin, led by Joseph Chou & Teng Moh at 10:30am in room 205, on-going.

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

Community Hour Cafe is in need of monthly coordinators for the 1st and 4th Sunday of the month. Please contact Linda Marten: lindamarten@gmail.com to learn more about these two opportunities.

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

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Upcoming Events

Next Sunday: John Hanneman will begin our summer series in Judges.

Women - Cheri Gregory, speaker at the R&R on **April 30**, has sent us a link to the video and notes from her two talks: *Getting Out from Under Overwhelmed* and *Hope for Over Attempters*. You can access the link from our website on the Women's Events Page under R&R.

June Workshop: *Come Paint Rocks with Kathy Woodward* on **June 12, 1-4pm**. Register **Today** on the patio OR online at pbcc.org → Serving at PBCC → VAM.

Sex and the Brain Seminar: **Today, 2:30pm-4:30pm** in the PBCC auditorium. This seminar will address how pornography and other sexual messages can impact our brain chemistry, creating a need to act in ways that are contrary to our own values and morals. The good news is that our brains can heal, we can be restored from feelings of shame and guilt, and our relationships can thrive again! Whether for yourself, your spouse, your kids or your friend, this seminar is full of helpful information and tools to bring freedom from a bondage that so many experience today. There will be an opportunity to ask questions anonymously.

New Art Exhibit, *God's Dwelling Place*, opens **Next Sunday**; Reception for the artists – all PBCC'ers – from 12-1pm **Next Sunday**.



Prayer Requests

Please pray for...

1. peace and salvation for Sharon who has been diagnosed with terminal cancer.
2. my sister Dolores, who is caring for my mom who suffers from severe dementia, as she deals with her own medical and family issues.
3. our family friend, Jennifer, who was recently diagnosed with stage four cancer. The doctors don't give her much time. Pray that through this tragedy they might know of a better life with knowledge of God.

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

<i>April 2016</i>	<i>received</i>	<i>disbursed</i>	<i>gain/(loss)</i>
General Fund	\$128,331	\$183,218	(\$ 54,887)
Gen. Fund 12 mo. average	\$184,204	\$180,227	\$ 3,977
Need Fund	\$1,885	\$732	
Missions Fund	\$8,144	\$42,166	

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Setting our Sails to the Wind

Acts 13:1-12



The Olga, a Bristol Channel pilot cutter built in 1909

In his teaching the islands will put their hope.
Isaiah 42:4 (NIV)

Sunday, June 5, 2016

Music: Kady Taylor and Team

Host: Shawn Reese

Message: Brian Morgan

Scripture Text: Acts 12:1-3; 13:1-12 (ESV)

Call to Worship: based on Psalm 27; John 4:23

Leader - Let us worship God, our light and our salvation.

People - **The Lord is the stronghold of our lives.**

Leader - We desire to live in God's house and to seek God in his holy temple.

People - **We have come with shouts of joy, to sing and to make music to the Lord.**

Leader - Let us worship God in spirit and in truth.

People - **Teach us your ways and make straight our paths in this hour of worship and always.**

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 49:6-7

And now the LORD says—

“It is too small a thing for you to be my servant
to restore the tribes of Jacob
and bring back those of Israel I have kept.
I will also make you a light for the Gentiles,
that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth.”
This is what the LORD says—
the Redeemer and Holy One of Israel—
to him who was despised and abhorred by the nation,
to the servant of rulers:
“Kings will see you and stand up,
princes will see and bow down,
because of the LORD, who is faithful,
the Holy One of Israel, who has chosen you.”

(NIV)

Songs

Sing To The Lord (M. Crocker, M. Guglielmucci)

At Your Name (T. Hughes, P. Wickham)

Jesus Paid It All (J. Grape, E. Hall, A Nifong)

God and God Alone (C. Tomlin, J. Ingram, J. Myrin)

Holy Spirit (B. Torwalt, K. Torwalt)

Breathe On Us (E. Cash, K. Jobe)

Once And For All (L. Daigle, P. Duncan, P. Mabury)

I. The Call to Go (12:1-3)

¹ Now there were in the church at Antioch prophets and teachers, Barnabas, Simeon who was called Niger, Lucius of Cyrene, Manaen a lifelong friend of Herod the tetrarch, and Saul. ² While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, “Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them.” ³ Then after fasting and praying they laid their hands on them and sent them off.

Note:

1. The diverse makeup of Antioch's leadership.
2. The spiritual disciplines that made them sensitive to God's voice.
3. Who the Spirit chose for the work of mission.

II. The Wind Blows in Cyprus (Acts 13:1-12)

A. Arrival and proclamation (vv. 4-5)

⁴ So, being sent out by the Holy Spirit, they went down to Seleucia, and from there they sailed to Cyprus. ⁵ When they arrived at Salamis, they proclaimed the word of God in the synagogues of the Jews. And they had John to assist them.

Note: The relationship between Holy Spirit and wise strategy.

B. The channel is open (v. 6-7)

⁶ When they had gone through the whole island as far as Paphos, they came upon a certain magician, a Jewish false prophet named Bar-Jesus. ⁷ He was with the proconsul, Sergius Paulus, a man of intelligence, who summoned Barnabas and Saul and sought to hear the word of God.

Note: The necessity of prayer to create open doors (Col 4:2-3) (Eph 6:10-20).

C. Confronting a storm of deceit (vv. 8-11)

⁸ But Elymas the magician (for that is the meaning of his name) opposed them, seeking to turn the proconsul away from the faith. ⁹ But Saul, who was also called Paul, filled with the Holy Spirit, looked intently at him ¹⁰ and said, “You son of the devil, you enemy of all righteousness, full of all deceit and villainy, will you not stop making crooked the straight paths of the Lord? ¹¹ And now, behold, the hand of the Lord is upon you, and you will be blind and unable to see the sun for a time.” Immediately mist and darkness fell upon him, and he went about seeking people to lead him by the hand.

Note:

1. There is no advance of the gospel without opposition.
2. We must be on constant alert (1 Pet 5:8) and divinely equipped (Eph 6:10-20).

D. New life secured v. (12)

¹² Then the proconsul believed, when he saw what had occurred, for he was astonished at the teaching of the Lord.

Note: The relationship between “belief” in Jesus and the renunciation of idolatry.