

Announcements:

1. **Welcome:** Welcome to all Newcomers and Visitors! Please join us downstairs after Worship Service for refreshments.
2. **Thursday Night Bible Study:** The group will gather on Zoom at 7 PM. We will be starting a study on the epistle of James. If interested in learning more, please contact Wayne Shen at wayneshen1@gmail.com or email the church at elesteropc@gmail.com to receive discussion materials.
3. **Ukulele Group:** Practice 1st Sunday of every month to play 2nd Sunday of every month.
4. **Unity Candle:** Churches in the Presbytery have been asked to pray for the congregation hosting the candle each week. Today, the unity candle is at Gilroy Presbyterian Church.

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Worship Order

Welcome & Announcements Richard Marquez

Word for the Week (Romans 7:18-20)

And I know that nothing good lives in me, that is, in my sinful nature. I want to do what is right, but I can't. I want to do what is good, but I don't. I don't want to do what is wrong, but I do it anyway. But if I do what I don't want to do, I am not really the one doing wrong; it is sin living in me that does it.

Call to Worship (Galatians 2:20) Richard Marquez

L: I have been crucified with Christ;

P: It is no longer I who live,

L: but Christ lives in me;

P: And the life which I now live in the flesh,

L: I live by faith in the Son of God,

P: who loved me and gave Himself up for me.

Opening Prayer Richard Marquez

***Opening Hymns**

As We Gather/Steadfast Love
Spirit of the Living God

Scripture Reading Ephesians 4:21-32

If indeed you have heard Him and have been taught by Him, as the truth is in Jesus: that you put off, concerning your former conduct, the old man which grows corrupt according to the deceitful lusts, and be renewed in the spirit

of your mind, and that you put on the new man which was created according to God, in true righteousness and holiness.

Therefore, putting away lying, "Let each one of you speak truth with his neighbor," for we are members of one another. "Be angry, and do not sin": do not let the sun go down on your wrath, nor give place to the devil.

Let him who stole steal no longer, but rather let him labor, working with his hands what is good, that he may have something to give him who has need.

Let no corrupt word proceed out of your mouth, but what is good for necessary edification, that it may impart grace to the hearers.

And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. Let all bitterness, wrath, anger, clamor, and evil speaking be put away from you, with all malice.

And be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God in Christ forgave you.

Sermon "The New You" Pastor Mick Erickson

***Closing Hymn**

Change My Heart, O God

Fellowship with Church Family on Zoom

Joys & Concerns & Prayer Richard Marquez

Benediction

Pastor Mick Erickson

***Congregation Standing**

Please join us downstairs for refreshments and fellowship