

Zoom Worship Announcements:

1.) Today's order of service, songs, and message outline are on the church website, elesteropc.org.

Under **Messages**:

2.) Please be sure to stay after our worship service for our Fellowship Time.

3.) Please join us for our Thursday Evening Zoom Bible Studies.

4.) Thank you for those who continue to give of your tithes and offerings, they are greatly appreciated. Just a reminder that we do not deposit the checks every week.

5.) Open Art Studio meets online Saturday's from 10:00 a.m. Contact Lynn Gunter if interested.

6.) Please feel free to forward the zoom link to family and friends.

7.) Upcoming Event:

On Saturday, October 14, 9:00 am - Noon, our church will be hosting a DRIVE UP and DROP OFF Holiday Donation Drive to benefit the Salvation Army. We are collecting new blankets, pajamas for kids and teen, and toys. Drive up on the Pearl Street side of the church and we will assist you with your donation.

El Estero Presbyterian Church
August 20, 2023



Welcome & Announcement *Bob McIntyre*

Opening Prayer *Dr. Wayne Shen*

Opening Song: "As the Deer" (*Ukulele Group*)

Word for Your Week – Col 1:19-20

For God in all his fullness was pleased to live in Christ, and through him God reconciled everything to himself. **He made peace with everything in heaven and on earth** by means of Christ's blood on the cross.

Call to Worship 交誦文 Isaiah 9:6

L: For unto us a Child is born,

P: Unto us a Son is given.

L: And the government will be upon His shoulder.

P: And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, **Prince of Peace**

Scripture: James 4:1-4

What is causing the **quarrels and fights among you?**
Don't they come from the **evil desires at war within you?**

You want what you don't have, so you scheme and kill to get it. You are jealous of what others have, but you can't get it, so you fight and wage war to take it away from them.

Yet you don't have what you want because you don't ask God for it. And even when you ask, you don't get it because your motives are all wrong—you want only what will give you pleasure. You adulterers! Don't you realize that friendship with the world makes you **an enemy of God?**
I say it again: If you want to be a friend of the world, you make yourself an enemy of God.

Sermon 説教 “War & Peace” *Dr. Wayne Shen*

Prayer of Thanksgiving *Dr. Wayne Shen*

Hymn: "Holy, Holy, Holy" (*Ukulele Group*)

Benediction: Peace I leave with you, My peace I give to you; not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid. (John 14:27)

Hymn: "Trust and Obey" (*Ukulele Group*)

Fellowship