

# Welcome to Church of the Painted Hills

United Church of Christ  
Tenth Sunday after Pentecost  
July 28, 2024

## Welcome and Announcements Passing of the Peace

Paul Tobey

One: Through webs and nets and wires, it googles and zooms to everyone whose heart needs peace, and to every place there is no peace. And we will share it now: the peace of Christ be with you!

**All: And also with you.**

## Prelude Truly He is My Rock and My Salvation (Yoojung Lee)

Dr. Kyungsun Choi

## Call to Worship

Lynn Mooney

One: From the remnants of our trials, we gather,

**All: Seeking renewal in this sacred assembly.**

One: In our brokenness, we find the seeds of restoration,

**All: Drawing strength from our collective spirit.**

One: Let us worship with hearts open to healing,

**All: United in hope, restored by God's grace. Amen!**

## Hymn Break Now the Bread of Life

#321

**Break now the bread of life, Savior, to me,  
as you once broke the loaves beside the sea;  
Beyond the sacred page I seek you, Lord;  
my spirit yearns for you, O Living Word.**

**Bless now the truth, dear Christ, to me, to me,  
as you once blessed the bread by Galilee;  
Then shall all bondage cease, all shackles fall,  
and I shall find my peace, my all in all!**

## Young at Heart

Sue Ellen Coltrin

## Opening Prayer

Lynn Mooney

**Gracious God, in this space, we gather with our remnants, seeking wholeness through faith. Guide us from brokenness to restoration, from weariness to renewal. In our unity, may we find strength, and in Your love, find restoration. Bless our gathering, that we may reflect Your grace and peace. Amen.**

## Prayers of the People Pastoral Prayer

Carlos Sosa

**Savior's Prayer**

Carlos Sosa

**Our Creator, who art in Heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your 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 yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen**

**Music** Great Is Thy Faithfulness (William M Runyan, arr. Marianne Kim)

Dr. Kyungsun Choi

**First Reading** 2 Kings 4:42-44 NRSVUE

Lynn Mooney

**Second Reading** John 6:1-21 NRSVUE

Sean Sosa

**Message** Remnants of Resilience: Finding Strength in What Remains

Carlos Sosa

**Invitation to the Offering**  
**Offering Prayer**

Carlos Sosa

**Gracious God, we thank You for the gifts You have bestowed upon us and dedicate these offerings to Your work. May they serve as instruments of Your love and peace, reaching out to mend the broken and uplift the downtrodden. In gratitude, we give back to You, trusting in Your eternal wisdom to guide these contributions toward Your purpose. Bless these gifts and our intentions, that together, we may fulfill Your call. In Jesus name, Amen!**

**Hymn** Be Not Dismayed (God Will Take Care of You)

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**Be not dismayed whate'er betide,  
God will take care of you;  
Beneath God's wings of love abide,  
God will take care of you.  
God will take care of you,  
through every day, o'er all the way;  
God will take care of you,  
God will take care of you.**

**Through days of toil when heart grows frail,  
God will take care of you;  
When dangers fierce your path assail,  
God will take care of you.  
God will take care of you,  
through every day, o'er all the way;  
God will take care of you,  
God will take care of you.**

All you may need God will provide,  
God will take care of you;  
Nothing you ask will be denied,  
God will take care of you.  
God will take care of you,  
through every day, o'er all the way;  
God will take care of you,  
God will take care of you.

No matter what may be the test,  
God will take care of you;  
Lean, weary one, upon God's breast,  
God will take care of you.  
God will take care of you,  
through every day, o'er all the way;  
God will take care of you,  
God will take care of you.

**Benediction**

Carlos Sosa

**Postlude** And Can It Be (Thomas Campbell, arr. Mark Hayes)

Dr. Kyungsun Choi