

Laguna Niguel Presbyterian Church



A Service for the Worship of God
Sunday • June 24, 2007 • 8:50 am

*For those who are able, please stand.

Please turn your cell phones off prior to entering the Worship Service

“The place to change the world is to begin with one’s heart and work outward from there. . . . We should begin at the center. That’s a good way to understand how the Bible uses the term heart. . . . Blessed are those who are pure at the center of their beings.”

— *Donald McCullough*

MORNING PRAISE (8:50 a.m.)

Everlasting God by Brenton Brown and Ken Riley

Meet with Me by Lamont Hiebert

**SONG OF ADORATION*

Forever by Chris Tomlin
Worship Ensemble and Congregation

**OPENING PRAYER*

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Susie Hess

- *Please sign and pass the Friendship Pads*

Children (parents welcome also) come forward to the steps.

After the Children's Message: Sunday School classes are held in the McCullen Center Building. (out the main doors to your left).

Preschool and Kindergarten age will meet in the *Pre-K/Kindergarten Room (Sunshine Room)* located on the 1st floor.

Grades 1-2 will meet in *Classroom #204 (The Forest)* (2nd floor).

Grades 3-5 will meet in *Classroom #202 (The Ocean)* (2nd floor).

Youth will meet in the 2nd floor *Youth Room* (10:30 service only).

- *Parents must pick up and sign their children out from their respective classrooms.*
- *A quiet room is available in the rear.*

WORDS OF WELCOME AND CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

Dr. Randy Steele

**CALL TO CONFESSION* *Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)* by Giglio, Tomlin,
Newton, Excell and John Rees

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison)

Gracious God, we confess that we have been ungrateful and insensitive, cutting ourselves off from you and from other people. We do not see our own iniquity. We do not sense any wickedness in our own ways. We seek to measure life by our own standards, not yours. Awaken our consciences, we pray, that we may receive pardon and new life. Hear us now as we offer our personal prayers of confession...Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel.

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

We are now free to live as God's people, empowered to live life anew.

Let us live the new life that is ours; let us live as forgiven people.

**AFFIRMING GOD'S GRACE*

ORDINATION OF ELDERS AND DEACONS

Elders:

Bill Lee
Peter Platt
Jo Ann Renning
Karen Skinner
Margaret Valian
Sandy Walden

Deacons:

Judy Grant
Cheryl Kelsey
Margaret Lee
Bob & Jan Pierson
Jean Shelton
Marc & Veronica Skelton
Dee Wells

MORNING PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Duncan McColl

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
Thy Kingdom come, Thy 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 Thine is the Kingdom and the Power and the Glory, forever. Amen.*

OFFERING OF OUR LIVES AND GIFTS

MUSICAL OFFERING

Wonderful Maker
Becca Mangan, Soloist

by Matt Redman

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 5:1-10

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SERMON

"A Kingdom Perspective: A New Attitude"

Dr. Randy Steele

Jesus instructs us how we can find ourselves in a condition to be blessed; to have that deep-seated joy and contentment and peace regardless of the issues going on in our life.

**CLOSING SONG OF PRAISE*

Lord Reign in Me

by Brenton Brown

**BENEDICTION*

(THE PRAYER TEAM IS AVAILABLE AFTER TODAY’S SERVICE BY THE STAINED GLASS WINDOW ON THE
RIGHT SIDE OF THE SANCTUARY)

Today’s flowers are donated by Jerry and Lois Hansen
“In celebration of our 55th wedding anniversary.”

Today’s Pastoral Deacons are Linda Bare (08:50)
Jim and Linda Schmidt (10:30)

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“Remember God loves you”