

# Laguna Niguel Presbyterian Church

A Service for the Worship of God  
Sunday • July 18, 2009 • 10:00 am

\*For those who are able, please stand.

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

*Children are God's apostles, day by day sent forth to preach of love,  
and hope, and peace.*

— *James Russell Lowell*

## PRELUDE

*Vast Voyage*  
VBC Children & Crew

by Jay Stocker

## WELCOME

*Please complete the yellow cards provided.*

Dr. Randy Steele

## SONGS OF PRAISE

*Let the Praises Ring*  
Worship Ensemble, VBC Children & Crew

by Lincoln Brewster

*Shout to the North*  
Worship Ensemble, VBC Children, Crew & Congregation

by Martin Smith

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: We gather to worship as the family of God.

People: *We are here as a family of faith guiding our young people in God's way.*

Leader: We are all here, children, youth, and adults, with hope and enthusiasm for our future.

People: *We are here as parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles, and members of our congregation, who are connected with many family generations.*

Leader: Today we all gather as children of God to be open to God's message to us.

All: *Let our eyes and ears be open to God's word that lives from generation to generation.*



*\*HYMN OF PREPARATION*                      *Child of Blessing, Child of Promise*                      NETTLETON  
*Child of love, our love's expression, love's creation, loved indeed!*  
*Fresh from God, refresh our spirits, into joy and laughter lead.*

*Child of joy, our dearest treasure, God's you are, from God you came.*  
*Back to God we humbly give you: live as one who bears Christ's name.*

*Child of God, your loving Parent, learn to listen for God's call.*  
*Grow to laugh and sing and worship, trust and love God more than all.*

*SCRIPTURE READING*                      Matthew 19: 13-15                      Pew Bible, NT Page 21

*SERMON*                      "Let the Children Come"                      Dr. Randy Steele

How do you enter the Kingdom of God? Jesus tells us, "You come as a child."

*\*HYMN*                      *O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus*                      by Francis & Harris  
Worship Ensemble, VBC Children, Crew & Congregation

*\*BENEDICTION*

*\*POSTLUDE*                      *Musical Themes from VBC*                      Slide Show

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

Today's Pastoral Deacons are: Bob & Kathy White

Worship Leader: Stanley E. Pepek, Jr.

SPECIAL THANKS TO:

The Amador family: Al, Lorelei, Arianna, and Zachary for the VBC High Seas set.

Gary Mills for all the wonderful photographs.

Chuck Campman for being our High Seas Expert.

American Security Bank for their donation of the 7% difference on the  
CoinStar change fundraiser for the VBC Mission Project.

## THANK YOU VACATION BIBLE CAMP VOLUNTEERS

A special thank you to all our volunteers for donating their gifts, talents  
and time to make this week most memorable for all.

Marie Abugarde	Blanche Gerard	Christie Phillips
Al Amador	Kirstin Gerry	Sloan Purcell
Lorelei Amador	Sue Gloeckler	Anu Rettig
Jeney Banyard	Eileen Green	Kristen Robelotto
Linda Bare	Ellen Hampsten	Kathleen Roebuck
Lisa Blaisdell	Joie Hardie	Karen Skinner
Annie Boscardin	Laurie Hefty	Virginia Snyder
Suzanne Chapman	Susie Hess	Julie Stidham
Christine Clark	Sam Johnson	Lee Lee Truong
Fred Ehlers	Marie Kaufer	Margaret Valian
Kelsey Ehlers	Heather Lee	Kerry Villar
Kathy Etienne	Devon Mantucca	Nicole Von Gierke
Dave Flower	Paula Mathews	Julie Wiedemann
Heather Flower	Marilyn McCloskey	

## YOUTH VOLUNTEERS

Maria Abrugade	August Etienne	Griffen Kratzer
Arianna Amador	Alex Friend	Lelah Loree
Ellie Blaisdell	Jack Galloway	Glenna McIntosh
Alyssa Boscardin	Morgan Gault	Gwen McIntosh
Max Boscardin	Natalie Garrett	Katie Miller
Sami Brown	Melissa Green	Michael Monzano
Amanda Buckingham	Zach Hayes	Heather Nielson
Julia Buchs	Hannah Hess	Tanner Podres
Jessica Clark	Melanie Hess	Will Quinn
Maddy Clark	Christian Hopkins	Alex Rager
James Colley	Ian Hopkins	Mitch Robelotto
Jessica Costa	Chole Hopper	Haley Sanford
Sarah Denney	Erin Huseby	Matthew Sanford
Kristine DoVu	Katelyn Huseby	Connor Scarf
Sylvie Do-Vu	Sam Johnson	Mackenzie Skelton
Allison Eder	Alan Johnstone	Isabelle Tran
Blakely Ehlers	Maxi Jones	Scott Wendy
Wesley Estep	Jonathan Kim	Paige Wilson