

Sunday, May 24, 2020 • Ascension Sunday • 10:00 am

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INTROIT

“Oseh Shalom”

Inglewood First Music

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

“We Are Not Alone”

Hymnal #883

We are not alone, we live in God’s world.

We believe in God: who has created and is creating,

*who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile & make new,
who works in us and others by the Spirit. We trust in God.*

We are called to be the Church:

to celebrate God’s presence, to live with respect in Creation,

to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil,

to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us.

We are not alone. Thanks be to God.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

“We Are the Church”

Youth Praise

I am the church! / You are the church! / We are the church together!

All who follow Jesus all around the world! / Yes, we're the church together!

***SCRIPTURE**

Acts 1:6-8

(Common English Bible)

6 As a result, those who had gathered together asked Jesus, “Lord, are you going to restore the kingdom to Israel now?”

7 Jesus replied, “It isn’t for you to know the times or seasons that the Father has set by his own authority. 8 Rather, you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE MESSAGE

“God is Power”

Rev. Victor
Cyrus-Franklin
Inglewood First Music

SONG OF INVITATION

*“I Love the Lord
(He Heard my Cry)”*

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE

MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOING FORTH

POSTLUDE

Announcements

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TODAY IN WORSHIP

Worship Team: Nell Walker, *Director of Music & Arts, piano*; Michael Wright, *Worship Leader*; Morgan Wells & Gregory Eberhart, *soloists*, Risa Wheat, *worship chair*

Altar Flowers: Flowers are in memory of love ones given by Jean Pryor and family

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Give Online!** | Tithe for church operations / inglewoodfirst.org/give. Also, give for COVID-19 Mutual Aid & Support / inglewoodfirst.org/support.
- **Zoom Bible Study** | Tuesdays from 2-2:50 pm & 7-7:50 pm | [Click to sign up!](#)
- **The Listening. #Freestyle** | 2nd & 4th Wednesdays @ 8pm | [Click to sign up!](#)
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May Birthdays | Jessica Diaz-Fister 5/01 • Gerald Collins 5/05 • Mary Ann Swayne 5/17 • Michael Wright 5/23 • Morgan Wells 5/23