

Sunday, March 14, 2021 • 4th Sunday in Lent • Online @ 10 am
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INTROIT

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

Rodney Rose
Liturgist

OPENING HYMN

“Give Thanks”

John Baker &
Rev. Neema Cyrus-Franklin

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. Amen.

SCRIPTURE

John 3:19-21
(Common English Bible)

19 *“This is the basis for judgment: The light came into the world, and people loved darkness more than the light, for their actions are evil. **20** All who do wicked things hate the light and don’t come to the light for fear that their actions will be exposed to the light. **21** Whoever does the truth comes to the light so that it can be seen that their actions were done in God.”*

MESSAGE

“Come to the Light”

Rev. Victor Cyrus-Franklin

SONG OF INVITATION

“Is There Anybody Here?”

Inglewood First Music

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE

MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOING FORTH

POSTLUDE

TODAY IN WORSHIP

Worship Team: Nell Walker, *Director of Music & Arts, Inglewood First UMC*; Michael Wright, *Song Leader*; Risa Wheat, *Inglewood First UMC worship chair*; Rodney Rose, *liturgist*

Altar Flowers are **In Memory of Harold Pryor**, husband and father, given by Jean Pryor and family.

Announcements

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● 3 Ways to Give!

- (1) **Mail:** Send to *Inglewood First UMC, 304 E Spruce Ave, Inglewood, CA 90301*
 - (2) **Online:** www.inglewoodfirst.org/give or
 - (3) **Text-to-Give:** Text an amount to **84321!**
- **Set your monthly COVID-19 testing appointment @ covid19.lacounty.gov.**
 - **Zoom Bible Study | Tues @ 1pm & 7pm**
 - **Virginia Beckett Food Pantry | Thursday, Mar 18 @ 9:45 am**
 - **The Listening. (Our music sharing group #BlackGirlMagic) | Wed, Mar 24 @ 8 pm**
 - **USC Music & Child Development Study Info Session | Coming Soon!**

Get Well Workshop: Sleep, Rest & Wellness

Saturday, March 27 @ 1:00 pm via Zoom

This session will be led by leaders of the [Tree Yoga Cooperative](#) in Los Angeles. They will explore the relationship between breathing & wellness and help us gain tools for stronger mental health through intentional breathing. **Register at inglewoodfirst.org/getwell.**

Breathe like Jesus.

Join our Breathing & Breathwork workshop on March 27 @ 1 pm.

*In partnership with aBeingtheChurchLB & MSW Students from Cal-State Univ, Long Beach

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We're on our Journey to build Affordable Housing!!!

Spread the news & sign up for updates @ inglewoodfirst.org/affordablehousing.

MARCH BIRTHDAYS | Kirstie Baker 3/3 • Lucia Fister-Diaz 3/7 • John Baker 3/14 • Rev. Neema Cyrus-Franklin 3/14 • Rodney Rose 3/15 • Bradley Baker 3/20 • Wendy Reynolds 3/22 • Lilye Harbison 3/24 • John Cohill 3/26 • Nikki Lowe 3/30

Go to the church website at inglewoodfirst.org for more info and to sign ups!
