

Sunday, July 25, 2021 • 9th Sunday After Pentecost • 10:00 am Online

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WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

Melody Ngaue-Tu'uholoaki

OPENING HYMN

"It Is Well"

UMH# 377

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 withus.
We are not alone. Thanks be to God. Amen.

SCRIPTURE

Mark 6 : 53-56

(Common English Bible)

53 When Jesus and his disciples had crossed the lake, they landed at Gennesaret, anchored the boat, 54 and came ashore. People immediately recognized Jesus 55 and ran around that whole region bringing sick people on their mats to wherever they heard he was. 56 Wherever he went - villages, cities, or farming communities - they would place the sick in the marketplaces and beg him to allow them to touch even the hem of his clothing. Everyone who touched him was healed.

MESSAGE

"You Better Recognize"

Rev. Victor Cyrus-Franklin

SONG OF INVITATION

"I Have A God (Who Never Fails)"

Inglewood First Music

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE

Rev. Victor Cyrus-Franklin

MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Melody Ngaue-Tu'uholoaki

GOING FORTH

POSTLUDE

TODAY IN WORSHIP:: Nell Walker, Director of Music & Arts; Michael Wright, Assistant Director; Risa Wheat, Worship Chairperson; Melody Ngaue-Tu'uholoaki;, Liturgist

The opening hymn "It Is Well With My Soul" is a tribute to the passing of *Mr. Herman Simmons*, father of Nikki Lowe and grandfather to Victoria Lowe.



- 3 Ways to Give!
 - o (1) Mail: Send to Inglewood First UMC, 304 E Spruce Ave, Inglewood, CA 90301
 - (2) **Online**: <u>www.inglewoodfirst.org/give</u> or
 - o (3) **Text-to-Give:** *Text an amount to* **84321**!
 - Get updates COVID-19 testing and vaccinations @ covid 19.lacounty.gov.
 - Zoom Bible Study | Tuesdays @ 1pm and 7 pm
 - Virginia Beckett Food Pantry | Thursday, Aug 19 @ 9:45 am
 - The Listening. (Our music sharing group) | Wed, July 28 @ 8 pm
 - Monthly Men's Check In | Thu, Aug 5 @ 7 pm
 - United Methodist Women Mission U 2021 | Jun 21 Aug 14 | Zoom at no cost. The online registration link is on our church website at inglewood first.org/umw.
 - Register for Virtual (Zoom) Vacation Bible School 2021 | July 26 28, 2021. Join in this time of Bible Fun while at HOME from 6:30 8:00 pm! The Zoom code and/or phone number will be provided after registration. There are classes for all ages from Pre-K Adults! Register online at: https://tinyurl.com/vbschampions.



• Let Us Pray: Weekly Prayer Line Invitation Meeting | Sunday, August 1 (After Holy Communion) @11:30 am. "Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you" (1 Thessalonians 5:16-18). Inglewood First UMC is starting a new Weekly Morning Prayer Line! Join the after-worship Holy Communion and Zoom gathering on Sunday, August 1 as Sister Elethea Cunningham shares more about the vision for Wednesday morning prayer with the church. It will be on Zoom at (http://inglewoodfirst.org/worship).



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JULY BIRTHDAYS | • Monica Webb 7/02 • Anthony Greene 7/24 • Kerri Hill 7/26 • Serenity Smith 7/26

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