



March 26, 2022

4th Weekend in Lent · 12 pm

304 E Spruce Ave Inglewood, CA 90301

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INTROIT

Inglewood First Music

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

Melisa Arnold

Liturgist

Merciful God, you seek the lost sheep of your pasture; you call out to all who have strayed. As the father welcomed the prodigal son home, receive us back into your loving arms. Your steadfast love, O God, knows no bounds. Your loving embrace is always there for us. be with us in our time of worship, that we may feel your presence and know that you are our true home. Amen

OPENING HYMN

“Wade in the Water”

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SCRIPTURE

*Matthew 15:32-39
(Common English Bible)*

32 Now Jesus called his disciples and said, “I feel sorry for the crowd because they have been with me for three days and have nothing to eat. I don’t want to send them away hungry for fear they won’t have enough strength to travel.” 33 His disciples replied, “Where are we going to get enough food in this wilderness to satisfy such a big crowd?” 34 Jesus said, “How much bread do you have?” They responded, “Seven loaves and a few fish.” 35 He told the crowd to sit on the ground. 36 He took the seven loaves of bread and the fish. After he gave thanks, he broke them into pieces and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. 37 Everyone ate until they were full. The disciples collected seven baskets full of leftovers. 38 Four thousand men ate, plus women and children. 39 After dismissing the crowds, Jesus got into the boat and came to the region of Magadan.

MESSAGE

“Little Becomes Much”

Rev. Victor Cyrus-Franklin

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE

Pastor Lesa Smith

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOING FORTH

Rev. Victor Cyrus-Franklin

TODAY IN WORSHIP :: Nell Walker, *Director of Music & Arts*; Michael Wright, *Assistant Director*; Tre Cyrus-Franklin, *Percussion*; Woodie Dozier, *vocalist*; Tony Greene, *Sound Technician*; Melisa Arnold, *Liturgist*

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!**
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- **Complete the New Worship Time Survey!** <https://forms.gle/suLXdRGXjHnDFTmC9>
 - **Preparing to Sail Small Groups is live! Sign Ups are open!** www.inglewoodfirst.org/lent
 - **Backyard Kids' Sunday School & April Youth Activities are live, too!** inglewoodfirst.org/lent
 - **Zoom Bible Study | Tuesdays @ 1pm and 7 pm**
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• Holy Week @ Inglewood First UMC

- **Palm Sunday Worship** | [fill out the survey to help determine our time!](#)
 - **Good Friday Worship** | Details to come!
 - **Easter/Resurrection Day Worship** | [fill out the survey to help determine our time!](#)
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- **Virginia Beckett Food Pantry** | Thursday, Apr 21 @ 9:45 am
 - **All Church Seminar: Life Cycle of the Church** | Saturday, Apr 23, 2022 @ 10:00 am
 - **We're on our Journey to Build Affordable Housing!** Updates @ inglewoodfirst.org/housing.
 - **The Listening. (music sharing group)** | www.inglewoodfirst.org/thelistening
 - **Get updates COVID-19 testing and vaccinations** @ covid19.lacounty.gov.
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United Women in Faith Quadrennial Assembly | May 20th-22nd in Orlando, Florida!

For more information contact Patricia Thomas or visit the website <https://assembly2022.org>



MARCH BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES | Kirstie Baker 3/3 • Madison Boyd 3/9 • Lucia Diaz-Fister 3/10 • John Baker 3/14 • Rev. Neema Cyrus-Franklin 3/14 • Rodney Rose 3/15 • Ruby Ayala 3/17 • Bradley Baker 3/20 • Wendy Reynolds 3/22 • Lillye Harbison 3/24 • John Cohill 3/26 • Timothy Tu'uholoaki 3/29

PRAYER LIST | Oliver & Elthea Cunningham (*Elethea's sister, Delane passed away in Chicago, March 22nd*) • Della Greene & Anthony Greene • Elva Herrera • Stephanie Starr • *Deb Thierry* • Mary Walker • Affordable Housing Project • Members, Family & Friends who have been infected with COVID-19 • Continued recovery effort in Tonga • The people of Ukraine • St. John United Methodist Church (Watts) in their recovery effort after the church caught fire.

To submit a prayer request online, go to inglewoodfirst.org/prayer.

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