

July 21, 2024

Ninth Sunday After Pentecost • 9:00 am 304 E Spruce Ave Inglewood, CA 90301

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INTROIT

"What A Wonderful World"

Inglewood First Jazz

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Risa Wheat Liturgist

OPENING PRAYER

Healer of division, your Son came to abolish enmity and to create one humanity in his name.

Unite us with your saints and bring us into the peace of your household, that we might dwell as one family through the one Spirit.

Be present in our worship this day and seal us in the heart of Christ, our shepherd. Amen.

OPENING HYMN

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

Hymnal #140

PASSING OF THE PEACE

"We Are the Church"

Inglewood First Jazz

English Version:

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!

Spanish Version:

¡Yo soy la Iglesia!
¡Tú eres la Iglesia!
¡Somos la Iglesia juntos!
¡Todos los que siguen a Jesús
en todo el mundo!
¡Si, somos la Iglesia juntos!

Tongan Version:

Ko au koe temipale! Ko koe koe temipale! Tautolu koe temipale! Tau muimui kia Sisu Tautolu kotoa 'i mamani 'Io, ko tautolu koe temipale kakato!

SONG OF PREPARATION

SCRIPTURE READING

"Halle Halle Halle"

2 Samuel 7:1-14 Common English Bible Inglewood First Jazz

After the king was settled in his palace and the Lord had given him rest from all his enemies around him, 2 he said to Nathan the prophet, "Here I am, living in a house of cedar, while the ark of God remains in a tent." 3 Nathan replied to the king, "Whatever you have in mind, go ahead and do it, for the Lord is with you." 4 But that night the word of the Lord came to Nathan, saying: 5 "Go and tell my servant David, 'This is what the Lord says: Are you the one to build me a house to dwell in? 6 I have not dwelt in a house from the day I brought the Israelites up out of Egypt to this day. I have been moving from place to place with a tent as my dwelling. 7 Wherever I have moved with all the Israelites, did I ever say to any of their rulers whom I commanded to shepherd my people Israel, "Why have you not built me a house of cedar?" 8 "Now then, tell my servant David, 'This is what the Lord Almighty says: I took you from the pasture, from tending the flock, and appointed you ruler over my people Israel. 9 I have been with you wherever you have gone, and I have cut off all your enemies from before you. Now I will make your name great, like the names of the greatest men on earth. 10 And I will provide a place for my people Israel and will plant them so that they can have a home of their own and no longer be disturbed. Wicked people will not oppress them anymore, as they did at the beginning 11 and have

done ever since the time I appointed leaders[a] over my people Israel. I will also give you rest from all your enemies. "The Lord declares to you that the Lord himself will establish a house for you: 12 When your days are over and you rest with your ancestors, I will raise up your offspring to succeed you, your own flesh and blood, and I will establish his kingdom. 13 He is the one who will build a house for my Name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever. 14 I will be his father, and he will be my son. When he does wrong, I will punish him with a rod wielded by men, with floggings inflicted by human hands.

MESSAGE

"Worship with Rejoicing" Pastor Monalisa Siofele-Lolohea

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

INVITATIONAL SONG

"Kum Ba Yah, My Lord"

Inglewood First Jazz

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE

Pastor Monalisa Siofele-Lolohea

CLOSING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Risa Wheat

SENDING FORTH

Pastor Monalisa Siofele-Lolohea

POSTLUDE

"St. Thomas"

Inglewood First Jazz



TODAY IN WORSHIP: Bravo Maintenance; Pastor Dr. Monalisa Siofele-Lolohea, *Lead Pastor*; Risa Wheat, *Worship Chairperson & Liturgist*; Sam Reid, *Director of Music*; Sam Rossi, *Percussion*; Tony Greene, *Sound Tech*; Tuutanga Tuihalamaka, *Video Tech*

4 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!
- (4) Download the Church App at www.inglewoodfirst.org/app

COMING UP @ INGLEWOOD FIRST UMC / inglewoodfirst.org/calendar/

- Zoom Bible Study | Tuesdays @ 12 pm & 7 pm | Sign up at inglewoodfirst.org/biblestudy
- Property & Grounds Team Meeting | Today @ 10:30 am
- Choir Rehearsal | 3rd & 4th Sundays after worship service
- SoulCare Sundays Planning Meeting | 3rd Sundays after worship service
- We're on our journey to Build Affordable Housing! Updates @ inglewoodfirst.org/housing

CONGREGATIONAL CARE | Submit prayer requests at inglewoodfirst.org/prayer.

JULY BIRTHDAYS | Monica Webb 7/2, Reverend Howard Ashford 7/4, Robert Ferguson 7/15, Pastor Lesa Smith 7/18, Elizabeth Bayne 7/22, Dana Ferguson 7/22, Anthony Greene 7/24, Kerri Hill 7/26, Rev. Linda Furtado 7/26

PRAYER LIST | John Cohill & Family (loss of his brother, Jerry) • Rokyia Ferguson • Toni Ravens & Candice Callins • Ceasefire in Gaza • Soto-Mack Family • Houseless Neighbors • Elethea Cunningham & Family • Wendy Reynolds & Family • Elizabeth Payne • Elva Herrera • Affordable Housing Project • Della Greene & Anthony Greene • Blanche Smith • Stephannie Starr • The Wheat Family