

Prayer Concerns

IN SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY AND THE WORLD: Please pray for those who are hungry, displaced, sick, or in poverty because of natural and human-made disasters, and for the workers who minister to them.

MEMORIAL: A celebration of the life of Nancy Wride, will be held on September 7, in Creekside, 2-4pm.

PRAYERS: Jim Giulie, John Walker, Dave Ahn, Shawn Singh, Moses Maravou, Valda Tormey, Milt Wehrman

MEN & WOMEN IN UNIFORM AROUND THE WORLD:

Rachel Z. E. Sheridan (USAF), James Dobson (USAF), Devin Kenny-Hernandez (USA), Phillip Lyman (USA), JP Springsteel, Jared Vallner (USA)

To view an extended Prayer Concerns list, or to request prayers, please visit [laumc.org/prayers](https://www.laumc.org/prayers)



LAUMC is a Care Ministry Congregation with trained, supportive, and loving people who are available to provide you with confidential, caring support in times of special need. If you need care, call the office at 650.948.1083 and connect to a pastor. If you are experiencing a pastoral care emergency, you may choose # to be connected to an on-call pastor.



We are a Changemaker church, committed to following Jesus' example of having compassion for all people, and celebrating God's gift of diversity. We strive to create a church home where people of every gender identity, sexual orientation, race, ethnicity, physical and mental ability, immigration and socioeconomic status can unite in the mission of God's love.

All are welcome here!

Sunday, September 8, 2024

Los Altos United Methodist Church
655 Magdalena Ave, Los Altos CA 94024
www.laumc.org

Morning Worship

Prelude - <i>Chorale No. 3-Adagio</i>	Franck Craig Norris, organist
Welcome	Pastor Dave Samelson
Introit - <i>In Loving Partnership</i>	Strathdee Casie Walker, Carol Damonte
Call to Worship	Pastor Dave Samelson
Hymn - <i>I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me</i>	TFWS 2153
Children's Time (10am)	Sharon McClintock
Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer	Pastor Jeong Park
Bible Reading	Exodus 20 - The 10 Commandments Siteri Maravou (8:30am), Kathy Marshall (10am)
Anthem - <i>A Little Help from My Friends</i>	Lennon/McCarthy/Damonte Casie Walker, Carol Damonte
Message - <i>Mentor Sunday... Why?</i>	Pastor Dave Samelson
Hymn - <i>Here I am, Lord</i>	UMH 593
Outreach Connection - <i>Compassion Week</i>	
Offering	Pastor Jeong Park
Offertory - <i>Ich ruf' zu dir, Herr Jesu Christ</i>	J.S. Bach Craig Norris, organist
Doxology & Prayer of Dedication (10am)	
Announcements	Pastor Dave Samelson
Sending Forth	Pastor Dave Samelson
Song of Blessing - <i>If You Say Go</i>	
Postlude - <i>The Throne Room</i>	Williams Craig Norris, organist

Get Connected

COMPASSION WEEK 2024: REGISTRATION OPEN!: Sept. 21-29

Our community will unite to spread compassion so that all may thrive! Join projects supporting local partners. CompassionWeekLosAltos.org SiliconValleyVolunteers.org

FALL DINNER SERIES 2024 - REGISTER TODAY!: September 12 to October 17

Register for fun, dinner, classes, and growth. LAUMC.org/Fall-Dinner-Series-2024

CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS CHAPLAINCY CARD & CALENDAR DRIVE

Please bring blank greeting cards or calendars to the Narthex or church office before Compassion Week. Place in the "Cards and Calendars for CIC" boxes. Please contact Susie Buchholz if you need more information at drsusieb2001@hotmail.com

STORY HOUR WITH MS. SHARON: September 14, 9:30 am

Join us for stories, music, and dancing about life in the Jungle! Ar Children's Center.

AFRICAN LIBRARY PROJECT - COMPASSION WEEK: Through Sept. 15

Help collect books (ages 2-16) and teacher materials to build a library. Place books and materials in red barrels in the Narthex. LAUMC.org/African-Library-Project

EARTHSTORY FESTIVAL - A CHANGEMAKER INITIATIVE EVENT: Sept. 14, 1 pm

Help LAUMC support EarthStory, a nonprofit launched through Changemaker's Change the Story program, by joining us for a festival in Mountain View.

midpenearthstory.org.

RIDE TO END HOMELESSNESS - 10th ANNUAL: September 14, 7 am

Join us at Stanford Research Park for cycling, camaraderie, and making a difference.

Participants receive a T-shirt, breakfast, and lunch. LAUMC.org/End-Homelessness

FRESH PRODUCE SUNDAY: September 15

Please bring produce, including perishable items, from your yard or a store on Sept. 15. Your gifts will bless those who lack access to affordable produce.

WOMEN'S BOOK GROUP: Thursday, September 19, 8:00 pm (Time Change)

The group will discuss *Farewell to Manzanar* by James Houston & Jeanne Wakatsuki Houston. Email Susan at sschwamkrug@gmail.com. LAUMC.org/News.

MMF COMPASSION WEEK PROJECT - Sunday, September 22 at 11:15 am

All are invited. Please bring scissors and a ruler as we will be fringing the blankets for various organizations in need. Questions? Email Ginny Lau ginnylau@gmail.com

2025 PUERTO RICO SERVICE TRIP INFO MEETING: Sept. 22 after 10:00 am Service

Youth's Ministry will partner with local churches 7/26 to 8/2. Parents & students are encouraged to attend. Lunch will be served, so please register LAUMC.org/News.

SUPPORT OUR IMMIGRANT FAMILY: Wednesday, September 25, 2:00 pm

Help support our immigrant family as they continue to seek asylum. Please prayerfully consider joining us in supporting them in court.

LAUMC.org/Immigrant-Family-Support

WALK TO END ALZHEIMER'S: Saturday, September 28, 9:15 am

Sign up to walk with or donate to the LAUMC team. Your support will advance the mission of the Alzheimer's Association. LAUMC.org/End-Alzheimers-2024

2024 LAUMC MEN'S RETREAT: Registration Open Until Oct. 15

This year's theme is "Faith: Improvements and Remodels," with Pastor Rod Brayfindley from Nov. 1 - Nov. 3 at Mount Hermon Camp.

More info: LAUMC.org/mens-retreat-2024

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP: Starts October 19

Join our group led by Dave Beggs & Karen Pandula providing comfort & connection for those coping with loss of a loved one. LAUMC.org/Grief-Support-Group