

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.

PRAYERS: Larry Dike, Lori Draper, Jim Giulie, Milt Wehrman, Kirk Willard

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



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, October 20, 2024
8:30am

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

Morning Worship

Prelude	Dirk Damonte, pianist
Welcome	Pastor Dirk Damonte
Introit - Make Us One	Cymbala Carol Damonte, Casie Walker
Call to Worship	Pastor Dirk Damonte
Hymn - And Are We Yet Alive	
Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer	Pastor Jeong Park
Bible Reading	Romans 5: 1-5 Siteri Maravou
Anthem - Who You Are	D. Damonte Dirk Damonte, Carol Damonte, Casie Walker
Message - Uniquely Christian... Uniquely Methodist	Pastor Dirk Damonte
Hymn - Love Divine, All Loves Excelling	
Offering	Timothy Loewen-Elofson
Offertory	Dirk Damonte, pianist
Announcements	Pastor Dirk Damonte
Sending Forth	Pastor Dirk Damonte
Song of Blessing - If You Say Go	Springer
Postlude	Dirk Damonte, pianist

Get Connected

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY: November 3

We celebrate the saints during our November 3 worship, reading the names of family members who have passed away in the past year (since last All Saints Day). If you've lost someone in the past year, please email their name(s), plus a photo to communications@laumc.org.

LIBRARY REFRESH RENAMING: Due by October 31

Our library is currently being refreshed, and we want to create a new name for this flourishing space. We invite you to propose your name choice by writing your suggestion(s) on a 3x5 card at the Connection Point in the narthex or by email at libraryrenaming@laumc.org. [LAUMC.org/library-refresh](https://laumc.org/library-refresh).

COME AND SING THE MAGNIFICAT: Sundays 12-2:00 pm

This year our Festival of Carols and Lights will feature a final performance of Dirk Damonte's Magnificat. If you have ever sung this with us, we hope you'll join us again! More info: dirkdamonte@laumc.org

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP: Register Today - Starts October 19

Join our group led by Dave Beggs & Karen Pandula, providing comfort & connection for those coping with loss. [LAUMC.org/Grief-Support-Group](https://laumc.org/Grief-Support-Group)

FRESH PRODUCE SUNDAY: October 20

Our collection was small last month, so please bring produce, including perishable items, from your yard or a store on Sunday, October 20! Refrigeration is available. Your gifts are a blessing to those who do not have access to affordable produce.

CUDDLE MEDITATION - CHILD'S SELF-SOOTHING SKILLS: October 22, 7:00 pm

Join us for a hands-on workshop for parents and caregivers with parent coach and author Kristene Geering. Adults only, please. No childcare provided. Register at [LAUMC.org/Children](https://laumc.org/Children)

A CHANGEMAKER WORKSHOP: Thursday, October 24, 4-5:15 pm

Are We Measuring What Actually Matters? How do we move beyond attendance and budget numbers that don't tell the whole story? Come hear from Meghan Hatcher, Director of the Innovation Lab, about capturing and sharing ministry transformation, not just transactions. Free on Zoom. Register at thechangemakerinitiative.org.

TRUNK OR TREAT: Sunday, October 27 at 3:30 pm

All are invited to a community-wide Trunk-or-Treat! Come dressed in your favorite costumes for fun, games, and treats! If you wish to be one of the "trunks" and decorate your car, fill out this registration form at [LAUMC.org/TrunkOrTreat](https://laumc.org/TrunkOrTreat).

GEN2GEN MOVIE GROUP: Tuesday, October 29, 2:00 pm

Join us for the sci-fi classic *Gremlins* (1984), Live Oak Room. [LAUMC.org/gen2gen](https://laumc.org/gen2gen)

LAUMC MEN'S RETREAT: NOVEMBER 1-3 (Registration open until Nov. 1)

This year's theme is "Faith: Improvements and Remodels," with Pastor Rod Brayfindley from Mount Hermon Camp. More info: [LAUMC.org/mens-retreat-2024](https://laumc.org/mens-retreat-2024)

DIGNITEA 2024: Saturday, November 16, 1-4 pm

Join us for an unforgettable afternoon. Be an integral part of a community that empowers and creates lasting change. Every ticket, bid, and smile contributes to our efforts to support victims of sexual violence. Registration coming soon.