

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.

SYMPATHY:

We share with you the sad news that Bob Shaffer, beloved husband of our church member Sue Shaffer, passed away on Tuesday, April 14th.

We extend our heartfelt condolences to Sue, and to their children, Elizabeth and Tom, as they grieve the loss of their husband and father.

UPCOMING MEMORIALS:

Nancy Roslund on Saturday, May 16 at 1:00 pm in the LAUMC Sanctuary.

Mike Shemwell on July 25.

PRAYERS FOR STRENGTH AND HEALING:

Harvey Dixon, Chuck Dunker, Dave Ahn

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)



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.

Experiencing Resurrection...

**They cared for all
as any had need**

Pastor Dave Samelson & Parker Richardson

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, April 19, 2026

10:00 am

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

Morning Worship

Prelude - *Moonlight Sonata, 1st*

Abraham Kenner III, Minister of Music and Worship Arts

Welcome

Pastor Dave Samelson, Senior Pastor

Introit - *The Lord is My Shepherd (Psalm 23)*

Howard Goodall

Theme from the BBC TV series *The Vicar of Dibley*

New Covenant Choir, Jose Mendiola Acc: Yvonne Yang

Call to Worship - based on *Matthew 5:42-48*

Pastor Dave Samelson & Pastor Jeong Park

Opening Hymn - *Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore*

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Abraham Kenner III

Children's Time

Sharon McClintock, Director of Children's Ministry

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Pastor Jeong Park

Bible Reading - *Acts 2:42-47*

Susan Schwamkrug

Anthem - *O When the Saints*

Michael Woytiuk

New Covenant Choir, Jose Mendiola Acc: Yvonne Yang

Message - *Experiencing Resurrection... They cared for all, as any had need.*

Pastor Dave Samelson and Parker Richardson

Hymn - *Pues Si Vivimos (When We Are Living)*

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Miracle Sunday Video

Offering

Timothy Loewen-Elofson, Dir. of Young Adult & Youth Ministries

Offertory - *Time After Time* by Cyndi Lauper

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Doxology

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Announcements

Pastor Dave Samelson

Sending Forth

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Song of Blessing - *If You Say Go*

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Postlude - *I Want You Back* by The Jackson 5

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Get Connected

THE GATHERING PLACE (CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP): Today - April 19

Lunch Served 11:30 – 12:15 pm. Worship 12:15 – 1:00 pm.

No sign-up required – Just come as you are, open to something a little different.

FOOD DONATION SUNDAY: Today - April 19, during 10:00 am Worship

We're collecting Fresh Produce for San Jose and non-perishable food items for our Mountain View partner CSA. Place produce in the produce cart, and shelf-stable items such as soups, tuna, pasta, rice, and more in the Red Barrel.

CHILDREN'S PRESCHOOL HIRING - TEACHER WANTED

We are looking for a warm, energetic, and dependable Part-Time Preschool Teacher to join our early childhood team. The schedule is Monday-Friday, 8:00 am to Noon. More info or apply to Denize Gray deegray@laumc.org

BROWN BAGS & BIBLES - LENTEN BIBLE STUDY: Mondays 12 - 1 pm

Join us for a 6-week Lenten Bible Study, Palm Sunday through the Resurrection, in person in the Sequoia Room or via Zoom. LAUMC.org/BBB

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP: 4/20, 10 am - 1st & 3rd Mondays of the month

Facilitated by a licensed psychologist and Care Ministry Team member in the **Live Oak Room**. All navigating the profound journey of caregiving are warmly invited to share tea, find comfort, encouragement, and support. Sign up: Pastor Jeong Park at jeongpark@laumc.org LAUMC.org/Caregiver

THE BREAKFAST CLUB: April 21, 1st & 3rd Tuesdays of the month, 8:45 am

Young adults and college students are invited to enjoy good food, easy conversation, and community before your day gets busy. Main Street Bagels (666 Fremont Ave., Los Altos). Talk to Tim Loewen-Elofson for more details.

TimothyLoewen-Elofson@laumc.org

GEN2GEN MOVIE GROUP: Tuesday, April 21, 2 pm

Join us for the 2025 Shakespearean drama *Hamnet* in the Live Oak Room.

LAUMC.org/gen2gen

MIDWEEK MORNING PRAYER: Every Wednesday, 7:15 - 8:00 am

Join Tim Loewen-Elofson for a short time of prayer based on the Book of Common Prayer in the LAUMC Chapel. Take a moment to pause, breathe, and recenter before the day begins.

GEN2GEN GUEST ZOOM SPEAKERS-KAREN & LOUIS PANDULA: April 22, 11am

Our guest presenters will discuss, Encountering God in the Wilderness. They love backpacking and being in nature; their slides are so incredible!! Please join us on Earth Day for this amazing adventure. For questions, kindly contact Terry Morrison at morrison2002@aol.com.

SERMON TALK-BACK WITH PASTOR DAVE: Sunday, April 26, 12:30 pm

All are welcome. Each talk-back will focus on the previous two sermons.

LAUMC.org/Sermon-Talk

CHILDREN'S CENTER-SAFE & SOUND WORKSHOP: Wed., April 29, 9-10:30 am

Janice Apol, previously at Stanford Children's Health, will discuss Better sleep routines and the benefits, Safer spaces in your home, and Tips on how to help your child (and you Stay Healthy. All are welcome, please RSVP

Brynstuebner@laumc.org

DAMONTE SCHOLARSHIPS: Due by Friday, May 1 at 5:00 pm

The Damonte Scholarship applications are now live! Both scholarships offer help as you move into your next chapter of education. LAUMC.org/scholarships

ALLELUIA RINGERS (HANDBELL CHOIR) REHEARSAL: Tues., 5 - 6 pm

Our rehearsals in the Choir Room on Tuesdays. New musicians are welcome to join. No experience required. Jeff Jenks jenks.jeff@gmail.com

CHOIR REHEARSALS: Tuesdays at 7:00 pm

Join us for our rehearsal in the Choir Room. We would love to have you sing with us. Contact Director Jose Mendiola jose.mc.mendiola@gmail.com