

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### WELCOME GENEVA CHILDREN'S CENTER FAMILIES!

The Geneva congregation is blessed to see little ones on our campus every week day, and to experience the joy of hearing their voices in worship. Please join us on the courtyard after the service for popcorn, snow cones and cookies for a time of celebration and connection.

### LINE DANCING CANCELLATION

Thursday, April 27 & Monday, May 1

Class will resume

Thursday, May 4th. Let's wish leader Mary Payne safe travels as she and Glen head to Texas to visit family.

### O'NEILL/BOYER SCHOLARSHIP

Applications accepted now through April 30th.

Geneva members, and relatives of members, may be eligible to receive the O'Neill/Boyer academic scholarship. These financial awards assist new high school graduates entering college or Genevans returning to school to finish a degree, pursuing an advanced degree or special training. Visit [genevapres.org](http://genevapres.org) / scholarships to complete an application.

### SPRING TEA

Saturday, May 6, 12-2pm in Simpson Hall

Whether or not you're a regular participant, Geneva Presbyterian Women invite women and young ladies (age 5+) to grab a favorite teacup and join the fun. Purchase tickets (\$5) in the courtyard, the church office or at [genevapres.org](http://genevapres.org) / events.

### MEET & GREET LUNCH

Sunday, May 7, 11:30am in McLennan Lounge

Visitors and guests are invited to join Pastor Steve for lunch directly after worship to chat, ask questions and discover how we can help you connect with the church. Register at [genevapres.org/events](http://genevapres.org/events).



### COMMUNITY FOOD DRIVE

May 13-20

Help replenish the shelves of the South County Outreach Food Pantry! May 13 and 20, Geneva volunteers will be

at Stater Bros. Market across from the church to collect food. You may also bring donations to the church office throughout the week! Download the Shopping List at [genevapres.org](http://genevapres.org) / events.

### CHORALFEST

May 21, 4pm in the Sanctuary

This year, Geneva hosts ChoralFest, a musical celebration featuring choirs and vocal musicians from our neighboring houses of worship. Admission is free.

### SUMMER CAMP

July 5-9, Catalina Island

Students grade 6-12 middle and high schoolers go to Catalina Island. Sign-ups begin in May. Scholarships available. Learn more and register at [genevapres.org/events](http://genevapres.org/events).

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

July 17-21 9am-12:30pm

Kids preK-5th grade are invited for a week of fun wrapped in the message of Jesus' love. Music, crafts, service, snacks, games, and meaningful Bible teaching await. Register now at [genevapres.org/events](http://genevapres.org/events).

## CONNECT

### PASTORS

**The Rev. Dr. Steven M. Marsh, D.Min.**

Head of Staff

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Website: [realtheology.org/blog](http://realtheology.org/blog)

**The Rev. Ryan Romberg**

Associate Pastor of Intergenerational

Missional Engagement

[rromberg@genevapres.org](mailto:rromberg@genevapres.org)

### GENEVA ONLINE

 [genevapres.org](http://genevapres.org)

 [facebook.com/genevapresoc](https://facebook.com/genevapresoc)

 [youtube.com/genevapresbyterianchurchoc](https://youtube.com/genevapresbyterianchurchoc)

### INTEGRATE

#### I'm New!

Scan this QR code with your smartphone to complete a Connect Form.

#### Get the App!

Download the Church Center App @ [churchcenter.com/app](http://churchcenter.com/app).

### OFFICE INFORMATION

Geneva Presbyterian Church  
24301 El Toro Road / Laguna Woods, CA 92637 / 949-837-2323

**Office Hours:** Mon. -Thurs., 9am-4pm and Fridays 9am-1pm.

**24-Hour Emergency Line:** 949-837-2323

### CAMPUS PARTNERS

#### Geneva Children's Center

Preschool for children age 2-6  
Amy Lussier, Director / 949-581-2200  
[genevacc.org](http://genevacc.org)

#### Irvine Taiwanese Presbyterian Church

Worship service Sundays at 10am in the chapel. Albany Lee, Pastor  
[albany.lee@gmail.com/irvinetpc.org](mailto:albany.lee@gmail.com/irvinetpc.org)

#### The Geneva School

Education for K-8th Grade  
Gina Bonecutter, Head of School  
[genevaschooloc.org](http://genevaschooloc.org) / 949-377-1616

## Our MISSION

To remember, tell, and live the way of Jesus by being just, kind and humble. Geneva also is an inclusive congregation, who together are...

### Worshipping

"O come, let us worship and bow down, let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!"

— Psalm 95:6

### Learning

"But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ."

— 2 Peter 3:18

### Connecting

"Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ."

— Galatians 6:2

### Giving

"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also."

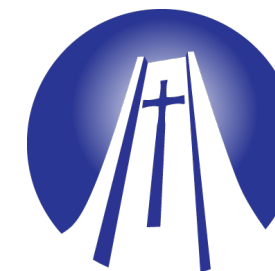
— Matthew 6:21

### Serving

"When Jesus saw the crowds, he had compassion on them... Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.'"

Matthew 9:36-38

IN COMMUNITY WITH



**Geneva**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
Loving God • Loving Others • Making Disciples

April 23, 2023

Third Sunday of Easter

### CURRENT SERMON SERIES

Rebirth: "Ongoing Conversion"

### TODAY'S SERMON

The Rev. Dr. Steven M. Marsh  
"What Is Being Revealed?"

### TEXTS

Isaiah 51:1-6  
Psalm 34:1-10  
1 Peter 1:17-23  
Luke 24:13-35

### Thank you to today's door greeters!

Elsa Day and Christine Njoroge represent our Prayer Warrior team. Email prayer requests to [prayer@genevapres.org](mailto:prayer@genevapres.org), call the church office at 949-837-2323 or stop by and complete a Prayer Request Form. You may choose if your request is limited to our Prayer Warriors of published for the congregation.

# SUNDAY WORSHIP

### 10:30am – On Campus

Join us in the Sanctuary. Masks recommended but not required.

### 10:30am – Online

Connect at [genevapres.org](http://genevapres.org),  
Youtube ([youtube.com/genevapresbyterianchurchoc](https://www.youtube.com/genevapresbyterianchurchoc))

# SUNDAY CLASSES

### KIDS DROP-OFF & PICK-UP

(infant through 5th grade)

9-10am - Room 2

10:30-11:30am

Nursery Rm 2; PreK- 5th drop-off in Sanctuary, pick up: PreK/Rm 2, 1st-3rd/Rm25, 4th-5th/Rm 29

### GENEVA YOUTH

(6th-12th grade)

9-10am: Drop-off / pick-up, room 29 (Youth Room).

10:30 - 11:30am: Attend service with leaders in Sanctuary.

### 7pm - High School Hang

To participate, email Pastor Ryan at [rromberg@genevapres.org](mailto:rromberg@genevapres.org)

### 9AM ADULT CLASSES

- Exploring the Bible Together, Annex
- The Network, McLennan Lounge
- The Bible Project, Saddleback Room

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude

*I Know that My Redeemer Lives*

arr. Michael Burkhardt  
Charlotte Hsieh, organ

Welcome

The Rev. Dr. Steven M. Marsh

Life at Geneva

Welcome Geneva Children's Center Preschool singers!

Call to Worship†

Jack Clement, elder

Congregational Hymn

*Alleluia! Sing to Jesus*

*Glory to God #260*

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 51:1-6 (OT page 833)

Prayer of Confession†

Moment for Connecting

Epistle Reading: 1 Peter 1:17-23 (NT page 282)

Musical Offering

*The Resurrection*

Pearl G. Curran  
Tony Gonzales, tenor; Charlotte Hsieh, piano

*The first day of the week, cometh Mary Magdalene  
and seeth the stone roll'd away from the door of the tomb.  
And as she wept, Jesus appear'd unto her,  
and said unto her: Woman, why weepest thou? Go and tell  
my disciples that I ascend unto my Father, and to my God.  
Then many times did Jesus appear to His disciples;  
They saw His hands, His feet, and felt the wound in his side.  
He bade them believe that He was the self-same Jesus,  
and brought to their remembrance things that  
He had taught them:  
I am the resurrection and the life:  
Whoso believeth in me shall never die.  
Behold, I come quickly, and my reward is with me.  
Believest thou this, that Christ is the Son of God?  
There shall be no more death, neither sorrow nor crying;  
for God hath giv'n everlasting life.*

Psalter Reading: Psalm 34:1-10 (OT page 625)

† The Call to Worship and Prayer of Confession Response are adapted and/or taken from *Connections Worship Companion, Year A, Volume I* (Louisville, Kentucky: Westminster John Knox Press, 2022).

Anthem

*Holy Art Thou*

G.F. Handel

Geneva Chancel Choir, Tony Gonzales, tenor; Hannah Prince, soprano  
Eileen O'Hern, director

*Holy art Thou, Lord God Almighty,  
Who wert and art, and art to come.  
Glory and majesty in heav'n are Thine.*

*Holy art Thou, Lord God Almighty,  
Earth lowly bending, swells the full harmony,  
Blessing and glory to the Lamb for evermore,  
For worthy art Thou;  
Let all nations and kindreds and peoples  
give thanks to Thee for evermore.*

Gospel Reading: Luke 24:13-35 (NT page 109)

Message: *What Is Being Revealed?*

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Congregational Hymn

*When the Lord Redeems the Very Least*

*Glory to God #852*

Opportunity to Be Generous

Blessing

Postlude

*Presto* from Organ Concerto op. 4 no. 5 G. F. Handel, arr. Marcel Dupré  
Charlotte Hsieh, organ

# Notes:

# WEEKLY CALENDAR

April 24-30

Time Event / Location

### Monday 4/24

8am Rowdies /Ann  
10am Chair Yoga / Zoom  
3:30pm Line Dancing / SB

### Tuesday 4/25

3:30pm Stephen Ministry  
Training / LIB

### Wednesday 4/26

10am Chair Yoga / Z  
6pm Youth Group / YR

### Thursday 4/27

7:30pm Chancel Choir / CR

### Friday 4/28

11am Al-Anon / Ann

### Sunday 4/30

9am Geneva Kids/Rm 2  
9am Geneva Youth/Rm 29  
9am Exploring the Bible / Ann  
9am The Network / ML  
9am The Bible Project / SB  
10am ITPC Worship / CHAP  
10:30am Worship / San

**Location Key:**  
Ann = Annex  
CHAP = Chapel  
CY = Courtyard  
CW = Campus Wide  
CR = Choir Room  
EB = Education Bldg.  
FB = Facebook  
LIB = Library  
ML = McLennan Lounge  
OC = Off Campus  
PL = Parking Lot  
SB = Saddleback Rm  
San = Sanctuary  
SH = Simpson Hall  
YR = Youth Room  
YT = YouTube  
Z = Zoom