

GOLETA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

NOVEMBER 22, 2020

PRELUDE: "Partita on Now Thank We All Our God" Kenneth Kosche

WELCOME: Rev. Jim Pazan

Call to Worship: Jeannie Cavender, CRE

HYMN OF PRAISE: "In Christ There Is No East or West"

Marilyn Gross, Ernie & Alison Tamminga

Verse 1

In Christ there is no East or West

In Him no South or North

But one great fellowship of love

Throughout the whole wide earth

Verse 2

In Christ shall true hearts ev'rywhere

Their high communion find

His service is the golden cord

Close binding humankind

Verse 3

Join hands disciples of the faith

Whate'er your race may be

All children of the living God

Are surely kin to me

Verse 4

In Christ now meet both East and West

In Him meet South and North

All Christly souls are one in Him

Throughout the whole wide earth

A MOMENT FOR MINISTRY

ALAN SCHOLL

SCRIPTURE: Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24

¹¹ For thus says the Lord God: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. ¹² As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. ¹³ I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. ¹⁴ I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. ¹⁵ I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep,

and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God. ¹⁶ I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice.

²⁰ Therefore, thus says the Lord God to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. ²¹ Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, ²² I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep.

²³ I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. ²⁴ And I, the Lord, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the Lord, have spoken.

MESSAGE: "OUR SHEPHERD KING" Rev. Jim Pazan

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Jeannie Cavender, CRE

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

HYMN OF RESPONSE: "Fairest Lord Jesus"

Marilyn Gross, Ernie & Alison Tamminga

Verse 1

Fairest Lord Jesus, Ruler of all nature
O Thou of God to earth come down
Thee will I cherish, Thee will I honor
Thou my soul's glory, joy, and crown

Verse 2

Fair are the meadows, fairer still the woodlands
Robed in the blooming garb of spring
Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer
Who makes the woeful heart to sing

Verse 3

Fair is the sunshine, fairer still the moonlight
And all the twinkling starry host
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer
Than all the angels heaven can boast

BENEDICTION:

Rev. Jim Pazan

Postlude: "Now Thank We All Our God" Paul Manz

CCLI License # 809839