

# Spire

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## A note from Pastor Karla...

I always look forward to the Fall because of the change in rhythms of our life together. While Summer affords time for fun and travel, it is the Fall which beckons us to go inward, to evaluate our lives, and look deeper at what God is doing in us and through us. A more thoughtful look is what we will be doing this school year as a church centered on our new theme:

***Look Deeper: Unearthing our Collective Soul.***



These past months there has been one question that has been haunting my waking hours and that question is "Where are you?" This is the question God posed to Adam in the garden in Genesis 3 after Adam had eaten the forbidden fruit. Following this act of disobedience, Adam saw the world differently than he had previously and this made him want to hide. His eyes being "opened" made him aware of his distance from Eve, his distance from the garden, and ultimately his distance from God. That is what sin does in

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## Point Loma Community Presbyterian Church

Worship Services  
Sundays

**Sanctuary Service 9:00 am**

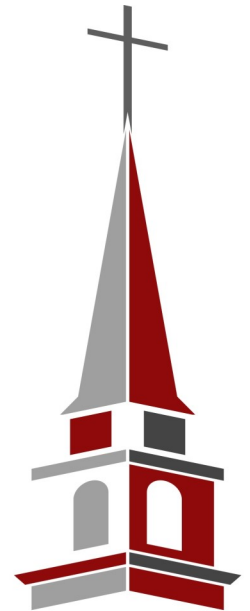
**Online Service 9:30 am**

**Café Service 10:30 am  
in the Chapel**

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### LOOKING AHEAD

September 8:	Prayers & Pints
September 11:	Fall Kick Off
September 11:	Community Blood Drive
September 12:	BRICK Youth Returns
September 15:	Kids Choir, Bells & Drama
September 21:	Worship Night
September 25:	Congregational Meeting
September 30:	BRICK Youth Skating
October 2:	Deacons' Pancake Breakfast

**Our Vision:** Loving Everyone to LIFE with  
Everything we Have.

**Our Mission:** Through authentic community, we  
seek to EXPERIENCE Jesus, JOURNEY into Deeper  
Faith, STRENGTHEN the Church, and  
TRANSFORM our World.

#### Values:

1. We are a good home.
2. We are intergenerational.
3. We inspire engagement.

## FALL KICK OFF

Sunday September 11

Worship 9:30 am | Kick Off 10:30 am  
Sanctuary and Livestream | BBQ, Games, Giveaways



**EXPERIENCE SOMETHING NEW AT YOUR CHURCH HOME!**

## Session Highlights August 31, 2022

There have been six major building campaigns in PLCPC history. During the August 31 meeting, the Session committed to starting the seventh campaign by approving Renovation Task Force Chair John Brand's motion "to renovate existing and build new preschool and children's education facilities and playground, and install an elevator." The Session marked this milestone with a prayer of thanksgiving, and heartfelt appreciation for the dedication and faithfulness of the RTF over the last three years.

In order to accomplish these goals, the Session further approved an agreement with The Steier Group development company, to assist in a capital campaign.

Brand reported on renovation presentations already made for the church staff, and announced a series of presentations to be made available for the congregation's viewing and discussion.

John Spafford  
Clerk

Read more from the  
Renovation Task Force on page 8

Congregational Meeting—September 25  
10:00 am—Sanctuary  
The purpose of the meeting is to elect the slate of  
nominees for Elders and Deacons  
for the upcoming term.

### Save these Dates!



### *A note from Pastor Karla... continued from page 1*

our lives as well, it distances us from relationships and makes us want to hide. But instead of God condemning Adam in this act, which God had every right to do, God posed a question, "Where are you?"

**In our layered disobedience, that is the same question God poses to us today.**

Sin sends us into an identity crisis and we don't know who we are anymore--worse, we have lost our sense of belonging. Our world, both those inside the church and outside the church, are in a crisis of identity and God invites us to answer the question together, "Where are you?" For some of us that means taking a deeper look into our lifestyles, for others it means looking deeper into our purpose, and still for others it means taking a closer look at our alignment with God and God's Church.

### **Where are you?**

May this question haunt you as it has me in this season and may God help us answer its call.

*Pastor Karla*

## ADULT MINISTRY

**Choral Ensemble—Rehearsals 1st Sunday each month at 8 am.** Open to all adults and high school students who want to sing once a month in worship. Begins September 4.

Contact: Alicia McMillan, alicia@pointlomachurch.org

**Sunday Scripture Group—Sundays at 10:15 am in the Parlor.**

We are looking at scripture through the lens of contemporary commentary to help with our own Christian journeys through life. Current series, various episodes of The *Eyewitness Bible* Series while awaiting the release of season three of *The Chosen*.

Contact: Bob Simoneau grsjr1212@gmail.com.

**Monday Morning Men—Monday mornings from 8:00-9:00 am. Resumes September 12.** Virtual coffee via Zoom. Different guest speakers each week.

Contact: Evan Gratz, evan@pointlomachurch.org

**Women's Bible Study—Tuesday at 9:00 am Chapel and online via Zoom.** Pastor Karla leads this weekly study on 1 and 2 Corinthians. The ladies will resume meeting September 13.

Contact: Clara Blenis, cblenis@sdccd.edu

**MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)— Every other Tuesday beginning September 13, from 9:30-11:30 am.**

Contact: Julia Roller, mops@pointlomachurch.org

**Men@Work— Tuesdays at 8:30 am in the Library and on Zoom. Resumes September 13.** We perform handyman chores around the church, saving money and facilitating our church ministries. Guys are welcome to join us in person or online. Drop by even if just curious and consider yourself without skills. We'll show you how!

Contact: Jobs or other queries Don Griffith, 619-432-2682 or don.griffith69@gmail.com. For the Zoom link or study info: Em Cummins, emcum@sdsu.edu.

**Continuing The Conversation (CTC)—4th Tuesday at 7 pm.** All are invited to join us for an inter-faith discussion designed to promote a hate and racism-free society through transformed hearts and minds. Contact: Gordy Lutes, gklutes@gmail.com  
**Wednesday Men's Bible Study at 5pm in the Parlor.** We will continue to offer a Zoom connection for those who cannot attend, using the link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6192231623> and Meeting ID: 619 223 1623.

Contact: Gresham Bayne, cgbaynemd@gmail.com

**Ladies Book Study (for women in their 20s, 30s and 40s )—Thursdays at 7:00 pm via Zoom.** Resumes in October.

Contact: Pastor Karla, karla@pointlomachurch.org

**Red Brick Knitters and Crocheters—2nd Thursday from 10 am – noon in the Parlor.**

Contact: Judy White, gmajudy@san.rr.com

**Centering Prayer—Thursdays at 6:00 pm** weekly, via Zoom.

Contact: Tom Baker, tbakerusa@gmail.com

**New Covenant Choir —Rehearsals Weekly on Thursday at 7:00 pm,** sing 3x per month in worship. Resumes September 8.

Contact: Alicia McMillan, alicia@pointlomachurch.org

**Prayer Quilt Ministry— 1st Saturday from 9 am-3 pm in the Family Life Center.**

Contact: Karen Vandenberg, ktvandenberg@aol.com.

## Online Ministry

Our Online Ministry has some new exciting opportunities coming up for you to join in wherever you are!

**Bible Study on the Gospel of John Tuesdays at 6 pm on Zoom beginning September 13**

Pastor Karla will lead a brief teaching, followed by discussion questions and application ideas.  
*\*If you are not able to join on Tuesdays, the teaching and discussion questions will be available on YouTube for your personal reflection or to go through with a group of friends.*

**September 25—Congregational Meeting**

The Online Service will begin at 9:00 am. Immediately followed by the Congregational Meeting which will be livestreamed from the Sanctuary.

**September 28 - Noon - Chapel and via Zoom**

Release | Reconnect | Restore Yoga led by certified yoga instructor, Jolene Wade

**Coming in October**

Behind the Scenes at Cygnet Theater with Sarah and Patrick Marion



## Continuing the Conversation

### 4 Little Girls Film Screening

We invite you to join us on September 11 at 2:00 pm for a special film screening and presentation of the movie *4 Little Girls*. Directed by Spike Lee, the documentary recounts the notorious bombing of an African American church in Birmingham, Alabama during the Civil Rights movement. The bomb destroyed the church and killed four young girls who were inside. Following the screening, Lisa McNair, sister of one of the girls killed will share their story. You can join in person or via Zoom.

### Eyes on the Prize Episode 8

Continuing the Conversation is presenting a viewing and discussion of Episode 8 of the acclaimed PBS series, *Eyes on the Prize* on Monday, September 19 at 7 pm hosted by Cindy Graham, of First Presbyterian Church of El Cajon, and moderated by CTC's Minister Clovis Honore. All are invited to this continuing study and discussion of the Civil Rights Movement. They will meet via Zoom.

Register for both events at:  
[pointlomachurch.org/register](https://pointlomachurch.org/register)

We had a GREAT time over the summer with our Friday Fundays and yet we are STOKED to get back into our "normal" swing of things. BRICK Youth will be meeting regularly again in September!



## Save the Date!

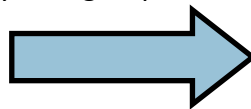
September 30  
BRICK Youth  
Group is going  
roller skating!  
We will be at  
Skate World San  
Diego from 7-9  
PM. (6907 Linda  
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Email Michael  
(michael@pointlomachurch.org)  
for more information or to be  
added to our mailing list.



We are excited to let y'all know that we will be starting Youth Groups again on Monday, September 12! For the fall we are sticking to our regular Monday night youth group times.



This is a great group for students to get involved with. We cover a broad range of topics and play some amazing games. We meet each week upstairs in the Youth Center.

If you are looking to dive deeper in your faith we have our High School small group that meets on Thursday nights from 7:30-9 PM. The location for this group may change so email Michael for more information!

Unicorn Battle 4 was epic.  
See page 10 for pics.

## BRICK MONDAYS in the Youth Center

Junior High 6th-8th grade  
6:00-7:15 pm

High School  
7:30-9 pm

## High School Small Group

Thursdays  
7:30-9 pm  
email:

michael@pointlomachurch.org  
for location

Nicole Hage, Director | preschool@pointlomachurch.org | 619-223-3327 | www.redbrickpreschool.org

This summer we had our largest ever attendance in our 8 weeks of summer camps. The children and families loved having the opportunity for fun and more social interaction. We are looking forward to another great school year starting September 6. We offer a half day and extended day program for 2-5 year olds. If you are looking for a quality preschool for your child or grandchild or would like any information on our Preschool call Nicole at 619-223-3327 or email at preschool@pointlomachurch.org. or visit our website at www.redbrickpreschool.com. We are also looking for dedicated staff to substitute as needed.





The Children's Ministry Back to School BBQ was a spectacular end-of-summer celebration as we gathered for hamburgers, games, Kona Ice and so much more. We appreciate all of the volunteers and staff who helped to assure that the event was a success. And of course, to you the families who joined in the fun, thank you for allowing us to minister to you and your children!



### Sunday Programs

Our Kids Worship continues to meet each Sunday morning in the Children's Center upstairs. All kids in grades preschool through 5th grade are invited to join us during Worship at either 9:00 am or 10:30 am.

Please drop your children off in the Narthex (9:00 am Sanctuary) or the Chapel (10:30 am Café). After Worship, please pick-up your children in the preschool courtyard.

Nursery care is available for those 6 months—3 years old.

Our MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) will start back up September 13 right after our fall kickoff.



We'll meet every other Tuesday from 9:30 to 11:30 am with meetings featuring a great speaker and plenty of discussion with fellow moms about topics such as parenting, friendship and spirituality. If you're a mom with kids preschool age or younger or if you know someone who would enjoy our group, check out our Meetup page at [www.meetup.com/playgroup-754/](http://www.meetup.com/playgroup-754/) for the latest schedule updates.

For more info, contact Julia Roller at [mops@pointlomachurch.org](mailto:mops@pointlomachurch.org).

### **Bible Memory Class Begins Sept. 18**

Calling all 3rd grade and older students! Are you interested in learning more about the Bible? Our Bible Memory class resumes **September 18 at 10:30 am**. Held at the same time as the Cafe Worship service, Bible Memory students study the origin of the Bible as well as memorize the books of the Old and New Testament, memorize scripture verses, the Ten Commandments, the Lord's Prayer, the names of the Disciples and more.

Register at [pointlomachurch.org/register](http://pointlomachurch.org/register)



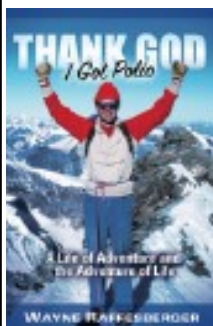
**WELCOME BACK LUNCHEON MIKE CHAMBERLIN "THE SINGING TV GUY" SINGS DISNEY SONGS AND SHOW TUNE FAVORITES**

**Tuesday, September 13 in the Family Life Center**

**Doors open at 10:00 am; Entertainment at 11:00 am; Lunch at Noon**

**\$5 - RESERVATION REQUIRED BY 9/9**

You may remember Mike Chamberlin from KTVK-3TV where he worked as a Sports Anchor in the 1980's. A natural performer, his first love has always been music. Come hear him perform some classic Disney tunes and other favorites. Lunch Menu: Chicken salad sandwich on croissant, fruit and dessert.



**AUTHOR TALK: *Thank God I Got Polio: A Life of Adventure and the Adventure of Life* by Wayne Rafflesberger**

**Wednesday, September 21, Noon-1:30 pm in the Family Life Center**

Local author, Wayne Rafflesberger, has written a book about his life including contracting polio as a young boy and his decision to surmount his physical and emotional challenges and ultimately live a fulfilling life of adventure. Come hear him speak about his unique life experience. Light refreshments provided, bring a sack lunch and your questions. RSVP to Elaine.



**OUTING TO THE SAN DIEGO MODEL RAILROAD MUSEUM - BALBOA PARK**

**Wednesday, September 28. Meet at the church at 10:00 am for a ride in the church van.**

**We will return by 2:00 pm**

Spanning over 27,000 square feet, the San Diego Model Railroad Museum features indoor and outdoor exhibits of operational trains, trestles, and tracks. Come and be impressed by the amazing model trains in action. \$15 covers your admission ticket to the museum, sack lunch, and transportation to and from the museum. Limited to 13 passengers in the church van. Register by calling Elaine or register online at [pointlomachurch.org/register](http://pointlomachurch.org/register).



**FOREVER FIT GENTLE EXERCISE CLASS**

**Every Wednesday 9-9:50 am, Family Life Center, Elke Ertle, Instructor**

Join us every Wednesday for this free, gentle exercise class especially for senior adults.



**SHARP HEALTHCARE AGING CONFERENCE**

**October 5 | 9 am—1 pm | Family Life Center**

Experience the Spectrum of Care. Join us for the FREE event for seniors and caregivers. Registration is required, call 1-800-827-4277 or visit [sharp.com/classes](http://sharp.com/classes).

You may now register for events ONLINE at: [pointlomachurch.org/register](http://pointlomachurch.org/register) or you can always call or email Elaine to RSVP.

### September Flower Donors

Each week, the Deacons deliver flowers in order to brighten days and bring cheer. We are so grateful to those who have donated to make this flower ministry possible. The flowers this month are given:



#### September 4

- by Dianne Grafton in loving memory of her husband Richard.
- by Rosie Rutherford in loving memory of her husband Bud, his parents James and Madelyn Rutherford and her parents William and Mary Ward and her sister Susan.

#### September 11

- by Kathleen McKnight in joyful celebration of the 9th birthday of her granddaughter Ava Kathleen McDonald.
- to celebrate the 60th wedding anniversary of Judy and Bill White, which took place right here at the Red Brick Church on September 9, 1962.

#### September 18

- by Bill Gallaher in loving memory of his wife, Mildred Keyes Gallaher.
- in loving memory of my dear Linda, by Fred Daughtery.

#### September 25

- by Merrie Friberg Shinn in loving memory of her daughter, Barbara; Tom, her husband of 50 years; and her mother, Grace.
- by Kathleen McKnight in loving support for her Sacramento grandchildren: Abigail, Elizabeth, Benjamin and Joanna McKnight.



### • DEACON DOINGS •

Prayerfully consider becoming a Deacon— the hands and feet of the church. New people bring new ideas and renewed energy.

### Your generosity is So Appreciated!



As a result of the Backpack and Bus Pass Drive, more than \$2,200.00 was donated to New Day Urban Ministries at the end of July. In addition we were able to give them more than 100 backpacks loaded with school supplies, all given by our thoughtful and caring members. Thank you so much!

### Save the Date:

### Fall Pancake Breakfast October 2

Once again, the aroma of bacon/sausage, and pancakes will fill the air coming from the Family Life Center.

You've got plenty of time to work up an appetite for the feast. Did we mention bacon?!

### Point Loma Summer Concerts

We had so much fun enjoying the Point Loma Summer Concerts with you! What a blessing it was to just get to know each other better while enjoying the fresh air and fantastic music! We look forward to next year's concerts!



# RENOVATION OF OUR CHURCH

Session is pleased to announce, upon the recommendation of the Renovation Task Force (RTF), their unanimous approval of a motion to move forward with renovation of the preschool, playground and installation of an elevator.

When we renovated the Sanctuary in 2011-12, we made the commitment to focus our next renovation on the preschool and children's areas. To maximize this investment in our infrastructure, the RTF devised a plan which keeps the entire campus and all ministries in mind for the next 20-50 years. The Master Plan affords us many great campus-wide options to meet more needs for future generations, without compromising or reworking the structures we build in the near term.

Although the Covid pause halted us moving forward with our capital campaign in 2020, it also enabled us to come to this point with excellent improvements to the plan, for example, filling the need for open-air community gathering spaces, improving Children's play areas, upgrading overall security and safety, easier wayfinding and better flow, and addressing accessibility throughout the campus.

There are opportunities in September for you to become familiar with the renovation plans:

Kickoff, Sunday Sept 11

Coffee on the Porch, Sunday Sept 18 between services. Presentation in the FLC.

Questions? RTF members are glad to talk with you. Please call or email:

John Brand (Chair), Susan Cramer, Melissa Mullins, Sue Skala, Jolene Wade or Ryan Waterman



***Artist rendering of renovation of preschool, playground and installation of an elevator.***

## Worship & Arts Opportunities

As we kick-off the new season in the church, now is a great time to get involved with our Worship and Arts Ministries. Please consider joining a new group today!

### New Covenant Choir

Leads worship 3 times a month and rehearses on Thursday evenings from 7-9 pm

### Choral Ensemble

Leads worship the first Sunday of the month and rehearses once a month at 8:00 am

### Christmas Concert Choir

Sings for the annual Christmas Concert and rehearses on Thursdays in October and November from 7-8 pm

### Ringers ReJOYce! Bell Choir\*

Rehearsals: most Tuesday evenings in the bell room

Play at 9 am service, Christmas Concert, special events

Commitment - weekly and subbing opportunities

\* Contact Ann at [ann88sim@gmail.com](mailto:ann88sim@gmail.com) for more information.

### Sanctuary Worship Band

Rehearsals: Twice a month on Sundays

Play at 9 am service, Christmas Concert and special events.

### Cafe Worship Band\*

Rehearsals: Sundays 9:00 am for the 10:30 am

Cafe service - as needed

Electric guitar, bass, keyboard, strings, percussion, vocals

\*Contact [ro@pointlomachurch.org](mailto:ro@pointlomachurch.org) for more information or to join.

### Children's Worship & Arts Opportunities



### Children's Choir, Drama and Bells

Grades 1-6

Thursdays from 4:00 - 6:00 pm

Starts on Sept. 15

Register at: [pointlomachurch.org/register](http://pointlomachurch.org/register)

### Music and Movement

Kindergarten and 4-year olds

Wednesdays from 3:30-4:30 pm

Starts on Sept. 21

Register at: [pointlomachurch.org/register](http://pointlomachurch.org/register)

Contact [alicia@pointlomachurch.org](mailto:alicia@pointlomachurch.org) more information

## Celebrating 10 Years of Service—Nicole Hage

This month we are so grateful to recognize Nicole Hage, our preschool director for 10 years of faithful service to the children of our preschool, their families and the entire PLCPC community. Over the last decade, Nicole has made immeasurable impacts on the children and families in the surrounding Point Loma area.

Highlights of Nicole's accomplishments include: increasing the preschool's operating hours from just three hours per day to offering a full-day option to minister to the needs of working families. She also created and implemented an extremely successful full summer camp program for preschool children, which is increasingly difficult to find in our area.

The pandemic proved phenomenally challenging for the preschool especially. Nicole courageously led the preschool through the pandemic with a commitment to keep our doors open offering creative at-home learning programs that kept our children and families engaged. Additionally, over the years, Nicole has worked to expand the Preschool Chapel program to share Jesus in a more fun and entertaining way, thus further supporting our vision of Loving Everyone to LIFE with Everything we Have.

If you see Nicole around campus, be sure to thank her for all that she has done and continues to do to assure that Red Brick Preschool children thrive each day.



The BRICK Youth Unicorn Battle is always an epic adventure. In addition to being the most colorful event of the year, it's also a favorite among our BRICK Youth in grades 6-12.



Did you know that each week a different ministry group, serves coffee and food at Coffee on the Porch between Sunday services? Be sure to stop by the Family Life Center porch at 10:00 each Sunday to see who is serving and maybe learn about a new opportunity to get involved.

Save  
Lives  
With Us



## Community Blood Drive September 11 8 am - 1:30 pm

[pointlomachurch.org/register](http://pointlomachurch.org/register)

There is still time to make an appointment to save a life at our Community Blood Drive on September 11. The San Diego Blood Mobile will be parked in the library lot before, during and after the Fall Kick Off.

The Men's Ministry is Hosting  
Prayers & Pints  
September 8  
5-7 pm @ The Lot  
Join them for the NFL's kick off game  
between the Los Angeles Rams and  
Buffalo Bills.

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## Life Events

### Births:

Correction to last Spire - Last month we incorrectly named Matt and Louise Lucas as the great grandparents to Sterling Parker Grandmaison. Sterling is actually the son of Whitney Meredith Grandmaison, grandson of the late Carolyn Meredith and great grandson of Eloise Thomas.

### Deaths:

- Louise "Lou" Moody passed away on July 22. Services were held on August 6. Rev. Karla Shaw officiated.
- Jan Culley passed away on July 19. Services were held in the Sanctuary on August 27. Rev. Karla Shaw officiated

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Spend meaningful time together as a family as you play and worship! You'll create great memories and strong connections with your church family, as well. Cost includes lodging, climbing tower, archery, gaga ball, sport court, craft house, bonfires and much more. The setting is beautiful, lodging simple, and five meals are included.

Visit [pointlomachurch.org/register](http://pointlomachurch.org/register) for more information.



GriefShare is a 13-week, in-person grief recovery group for individuals who have experienced the death of a loved one. Sessions involve viewing a brief video, group discussion, and workbook exercises. The Christian curriculum is purposefully designed to help you find hope and healing as you walk the journey of grief. Our group will meet on Thursdays, starting September 22 from 1:00-3:00 pm in the Chapel.

Space is limited – registration is required.  
Contact Elaine Burrell at 619-223-1633, Ext. 210 or [elaine@pointlomachurch.org](mailto:elaine@pointlomachurch.org) to register or for more information.

*A \$30 donation is requested to cover the cost of materials.*