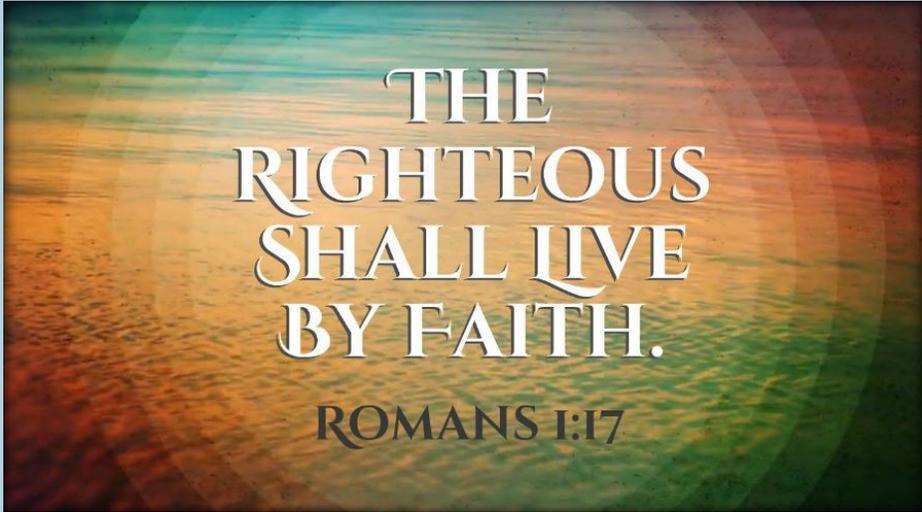


# PILGRIM'S PROGRESS



*Faith with Love & Compassion Brings Hope*



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Pilgrim Church is opening July 5th! We will slowly be returning to campus while ensuring the safety of all who visit Pilgrim Congregational Church. You will find information in this newsletter on what you should know before you come and what to expect when you get here.

In this edition of the Pilgrim's Progress you will also find the many ways you can continue to engage with Pilgrim Congregational Church online.



## PILGRIM PATHS WORKING

### ~Reflections on “Black Lives Matter”~

#### Dr. Patrick Horn ~ Senior Minister



My fellow Pilgrims, in my role as Senior Minister I do not speak for Pilgrim Congregational Church when I speak. I have a responsibility for spiritual oversight of the Church, but that does not extend to pronouncements on behalf of the Church. As Congregationalists, we all speak for ourselves and when we speak as a congregation, we do so after discussion and vote.

So, when I say in a public forum that Black Lives Matter, I speak for myself. But I also say it as the one most responsible for the development of the spiritual needs of this congregation: faith compels us to listen with compassion to those who are crying out that Black Lives Matter. How we respond to this moment in our history will reveal the state of our souls, who we are before God. We are all free to make up our own minds concerning what political response is called for in light of both the history and the recent treatment of African Americans in this country. But there should be little doubt about what our spiritual response should be.

Pain and suffering are not determined by race or ethnicity. But African Americans have suffered disproportionately in this country, beginning with the brutal slave ships, continuing with the horrors and disgrace of the institution of slavery in this country for 200 years, and then another 150 years of explicit, implicit, latent, and structural racism. The suffering continues to this day with evidence of structural racism in many of our institutions and throughout the country.

In the first chapter of Romans St. Paul talks about the power of the Gospel. He says that it has the power to save and reveals the righteousness of God through faith. In that Gospel we are told that Jesus saw a widow who was weeping because her son was dead, and Jesus had compassion for her and raised her son from the dead (Luke 7:12-15). When mothers weep for their dead sons, if we are followers of Christ, our response ought to be like his: compassion and healing. When African Americans wonder who in their family may be next, we ought to be moved to heal the conditions that have created this disparity of treatment.

Because I am speaking for myself, I invite anyone who wishes to discuss these matters with me. And I encourage you to begin conversations with one another about how we as individuals and as a church ought to respond to racism.

I am not naïve. I understand that all sorts of political issues are tied up with the cry, “Black Lives Matter.” But I also hear anguish in the cry. I hear suffering in the cry. And I know where Christ is. He is with the ones in pain, the suffering ones. And he is responding with compassion and healing. And if I am living by faith in this same Christ, I will be there, too. For if we are righteous, it is due to the faith that we live.



## PILGRIM PATHS WORKING

### ~Message from the Moderator~



Dear Pilgrims,

July arrives with the great news Pilgrims are coming back! Church services are resuming at Pilgrim on July 5th – wear your red, white and blue and celebrate! Although some of our usual Sunday routines won't get going for a bit, I hope those of you who can will join us in the sanctuary. Then, on July 12th we will have an abbreviated annual meeting following the service and vote on and install all the new officers and boards for the coming year. We need 40 members for a quorum, so please plan to stay after the service. And meeting Sunday on July 19th will let our boards get going! And, Cedar Lake Camp is happening – a great Pilgrim tradition! Just look at all the paths we get to take in July! God has cherished us while we were absent from Pilgrim and He guides us back now to worship in this place we love.

~ Sue Selters

The flower chair works unnoticed and is often under appreciated for the service they give to the congregation. Sanctuary flowers provide the subtle reminders of God's wonder each Sunday and are an expression of our joy, gratitude, even grief and especially love. The dedications express those feelings to our Pilgrim Family and to God as they add beauty and grace to each worship service. Often times they are passed along to those who are homebound as a reminder that they are remembered and loved. This is more true now as the definition of "homebound" has expanded.

Thank you **Don Sanders** for sharing your time and talents throughout this last year.

Welcome to **Bonnie Seath (Durbin)** as our 2020/2021 Sanctuary Flowers Chair. You add beauty and grace to our sanctuary every Sunday!

*Happiness held is the seed; Happiness shared is the flower." ~John Harrigan*





## GIFTING MUSIC

Choral singing is still not allowed. Pilgrim Choir, you are greatly missed. Our services are so different, but our new format seems to work and worship services are as fulfilling as possible. I would like to thank Michal Conner, baritone/bass from Repertory Opera Co., Lizbeth Lucca, mezzo-soprano, Debbie Dey, mezzo-soprano and violin, Christian Campbell, trombone, Nancy Rodewald, alto, and Carolyn Wilson, mezzo-soprano and viola. They all added wonderful music during June.

For July, you can look forward to these wonderful musicians: Nancy Rodewald, alto, a brass quartet made up of Bill Pareida, trumpet, Emmanuel Rickards-Ruiz, trumpet, Nancy Rodewald, trombone, and Christian Campbell, tuba; Leslie Rigney, soprano from Repertory Opera Co., Bonnie Snell, mezzo-soprano, and James Salazar, tenor, also from Repertory Opera Co.

These musicians are donating their time as they "just want to make music" during this time. They're doing their part by presenting from their hearts, musical excellence for all to enjoy. Thank you!

*Susan Winckler*

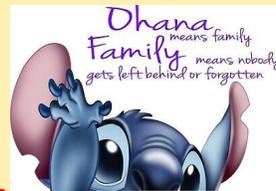


## OHANA

### Nobody Gets Left Behind or Forgotten

If you know someone who would love to receive a card or note from the Women's Auxiliary; please call or send an email submitting their name, address and phone number. We believe in no one being left out, it's always nice to receive a note "Just Because".

Contact Sharla Wickman at [sharla1wick@gmail.com](mailto:sharla1wick@gmail.com)



## Band of Prayer

A church that prays together, stays together, especially during these challenging and uncertain times when we are separated by the need for social distancing and don't know what happens next.

What is certain is that God is with us, filling in the spaces between us and He hears our prayers.

Band of Prayer requests may be sent to Sue Shedd via email at [saintshedd@roadrunner.com](mailto:saintshedd@roadrunner.com)



## PILGRIM PATHS WORKING

Despite people staying at home due to the pandemic, Pilgrim Memorial Library has been busy circulating books to our readers. On Mondays when I am in the church office, folks have stopped by to check out books and I have also been delivering books to readers' front porches. Our numbers have been close to the usual number of books being checked out before the virus hit us.

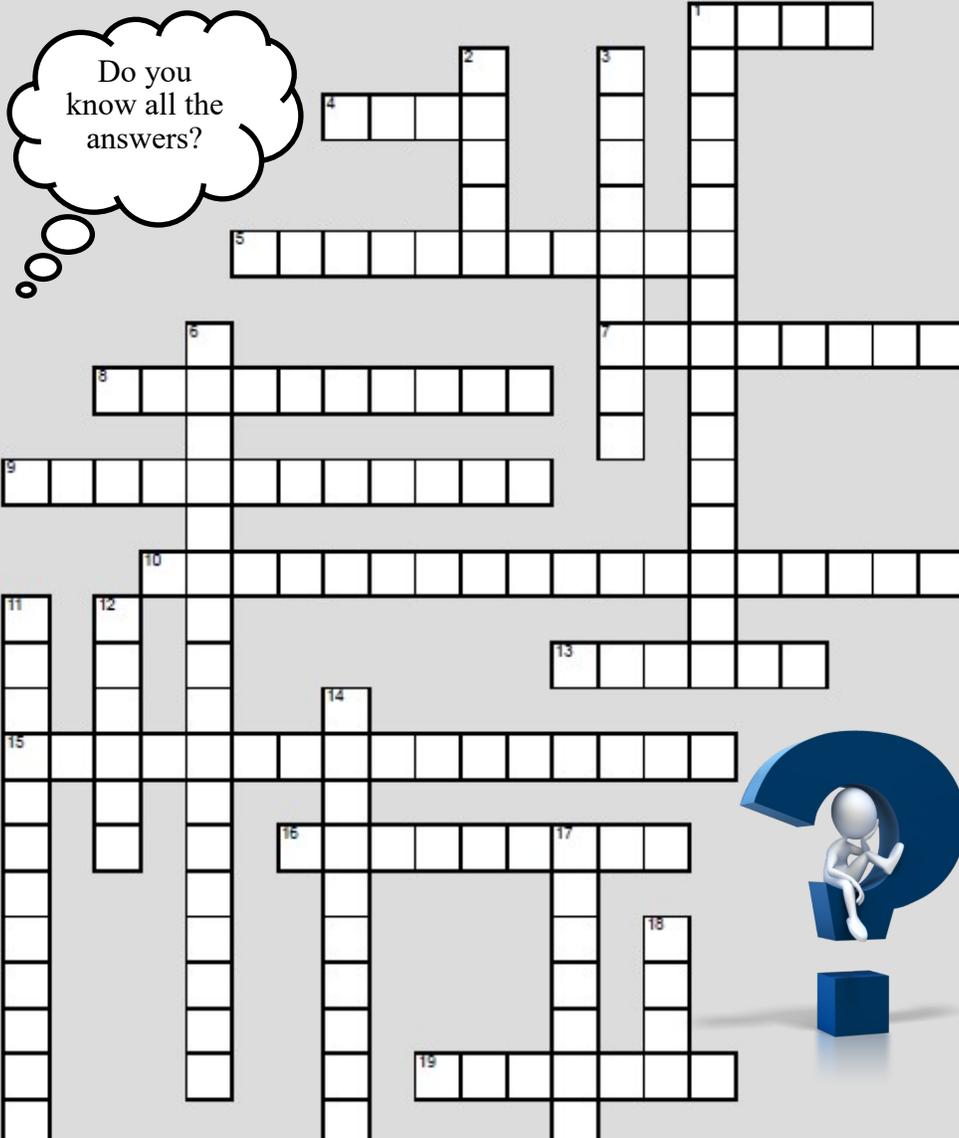
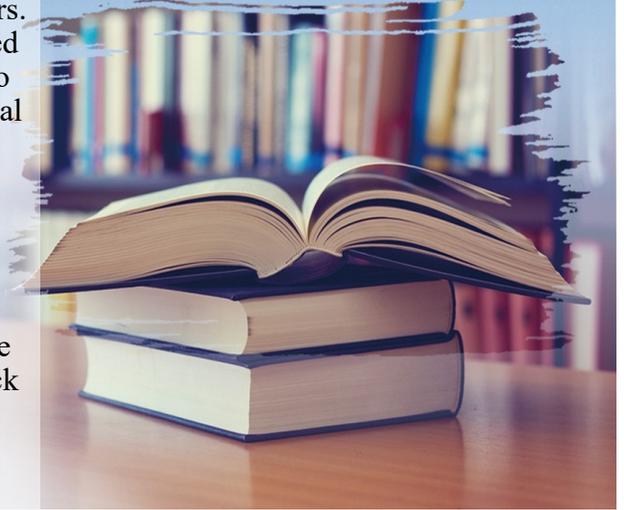
Returned books are kept in quarantine for a week (as recommended by the Church Librarians Association) before they can go out again.

I am so happy that so many Pilgrims are still reading.

The library committee has decided to meet in September so we can stock up on all the new books our readers are eager to check out. Be sure to get in touch with me to see what's available by calling the church at (909) 622-1373.

*~Megan*

## LIBRARY NEWS



### ACROSS

1. Flying symbol of faith.
4. Faith, \_\_\_\_\_, & Love
5. Father, Son & \_\_\_\_\_
7. Bible Study
8. Make a joyful noise.
9. Meeting Hall
10. Newsletter
13. Notes of joy, love & praise.
15. Mini Sanctuary
16. House of Worship
19. Front Entrance

### DOWN

1. Senior Minister
2. Son of God & Son of Man
3. Head of Church Council
6. Youth Group
11. Women's Auxiliary holds these bi-annually.
12. Words of hope, & Gratitude.
14. Our piece of heaven on Earth.
17. Let there be light.
18. The greatest of these...

## PILGRIM PATHS WORKING

### Pilgrim Congregational Church is LIVE-ONLINE! Please join us on this new adventure!

Pilgrim Congregational Church is opening for in-person Sunday Worship Services, AND still continuing to meet in cyberspace as well. So if you are unable to join us on-campus, we can still be together through our many online options. Please check in regularly to our website and Facebook page for up-to-date information on everything going on at Pilgrim Congregational Church be it on-campus or online.



\*Visit our website at:

<https://pilgrimchurchpomona.com/>

to find general information about Pilgrim Congregational Church, Pomona, view a calendar of events and sign up to receive the Pilgrim's Progress via email.



\*Visit, like and follow our Facebook page: Pilgrim Congregational Church Pomona

<https://www.facebook.com/Pilgrim-Congregational-Church-Pomona-105373002833758/>

to view up-to-date information on programs and to participate in live events such as Morning Devotional and Sunday Services.



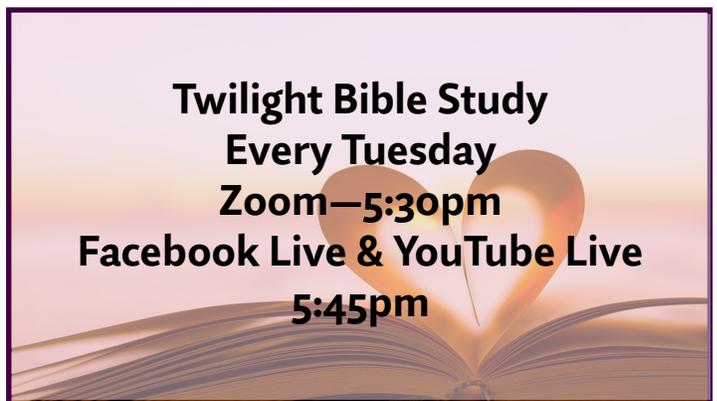
\*Visit and subscribe to our YouTube Channel: Pilgrim Congregational Church Pomona

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCVv2ZCIOILuucAT5jOKuFTQ>

to view Daily Devotionals, Twilight Bible Study, Sunday Services & more.

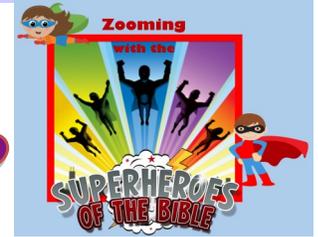


\*Arrange conference call events through ZOOM to meet with your Boards, Guilds and small groups. [To set up a ZOOM event call Karli Tanner at 909-622-1373](tel:909-622-1373)





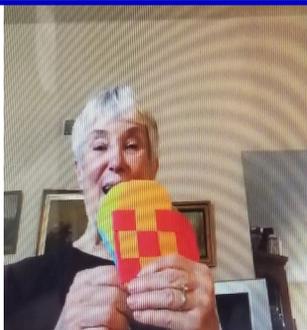
# Summer Fun with the Sparkling Legacies



There is no denying this year has been one filled with challenges and disappointments. Those who are really feeling it is our children. They thrive on outdoor adventures at the park, visiting with friends and family, and participating in their youth organizations like Scouts, and sports. I have even heard kids longing to, dare I say it, go back to school. I am sure it is more out of a desire to see their friends again. On top of being isolated from friends they have missed out on long awaited field trips and special events. So the mission is to help these kids to not feel isolated while social distancing and remind them that through it all God is with them. Though I miss when we could all come together to sing, dance and play while learning about God's love the Sparkling Legacies have managed to continue to have fun together online. During the spring we enjoyed virtual Sunday School and youth groups like Sparks of Faith & Flashpoint online and the fun has continued into summer as we **Zoom Around the World** twice a month and have already visited the Galapagos Islands in Ecuador and Etoshi Safari Park in Africa. Our next stop is the Pyramids in Egypt. We also enjoy a fun craft as a part of each adventure. The fun doesn't stop there. Though we are unable to hold our traditional Vacation Bible School, this summer, every Sunday through August we have fun at our **Virtual Bible School** where we get to Zoom with the **Heroes of the Bible**. So far we have met Joseph, Mary's husband, Moses, Joshua and Naomi who told us about her hero and best friend, Ruth. We can't wait to see who we get to meet next. Miss Nancy Rodewald joins us for music time where we get to sing and dance to our favorite VBS songs and Mrs. Jan Manildi shows us how to make fun projects. Our high school kids are exploring the bible with Miss Nancy Newell every Friday **during H.S. Bible Study**. So, though we missed many of our loved events like CE Sunday, we continue to have fun together online. And that fun is continuing through July and August.

We hope you  
come Zoom  
with us soon!

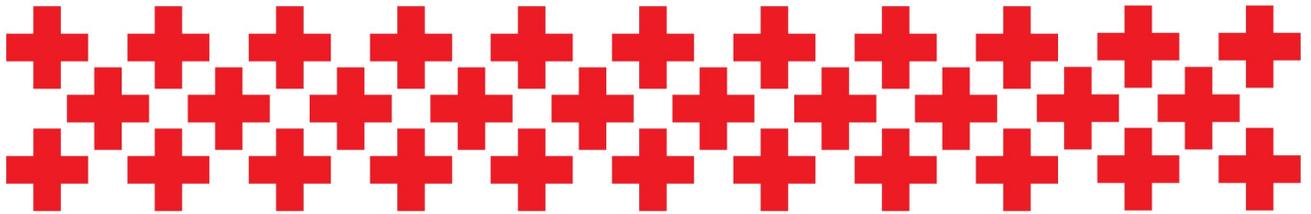
To join in the fun email Sarah at:  
[Pilgrimcongregationalce@gmail.com](mailto:Pilgrimcongregationalce@gmail.com)  
or call 909-622-1373



**PILGRIM PATHS WORKING**

**American Red Cross**

*Give blood.* Help save lives.



**Blood Drive**  
**Pilgrim Congregation Church**

Location: Gymnasium

600 N Garey Ave  
Pomona, CA 91767

**Wednesday, July 22, 2020**  
**12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**

To schedule an appointment please visit [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org)  
and enter sponsor code: **PilgrimChPom**

All donors will be tested for COVID-19 antibodies and given  
the results via Blood Donor App 7 days after donating

Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting  
[RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass](http://RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass) to complete your pre-donation reading and health history  
questions on the day of your appointment.

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## PILGRIM PATHS WORKING



The Sparking Legacies are partnering with Heel the Soul to host a School Supply Drive to benefit local schools. We will be collecting items throughout the summer to end with the Blessing of the Backpacks on August 30th. Schools are always in need of supplies, but this year the need is particularly great as funding to schools has been cut and expenses are rising due to social distancing needs caused by the COVID-19 crisis. Because of this, teachers are being depended on more and more to provide school supplies. Representatives from Heel the Soul have reached out to the local schools to learn what is needed the most. The needed items are listed below.

### Supply List:

**Touch-screen Chromebook accessories:** Stylus pens & Headphones

**Gift Cards/Scrip (of any amount) for teachers** to purchase needed items for the classroom. (Target or Walmart, Staples or Office Depot, Michael's (they provide teacher's discounts as well), or Amazon. **Special Note:** When purchasing items including gift cards, consider purchasing using Pilgrim's Scrip program. You can order scrip by calling 909-622-1373.

**Bonus:** You help two great causes with one purchase.

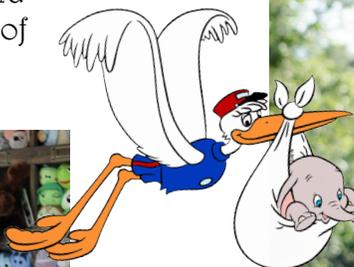
**Kids' Books: Science Topics such as** Animals, habitats, and biomes, The Solar System, Natural Disasters, Engineering Concepts, Barnes & Noble gift cards to pick out needed books.

**Cash or Check:** You can turn in money to Pilgrim Congregational Church's C.E. Department to be used by the board to purchase items for the drive. Make the check out to Pilgrim Congregational Church, write School Drive in Memo and send to:

**Pilgrim Congregational Church  
C/O: Board of Christian Education  
600 N. Garey Ave.  
Pomona, CA. 91767**

## Welcome to our new Lil' Pilgrims

Congratulations to the new parents, Audrey & Aaron and grandparents, Karen & Tim and great-grandmother, Elyse on the arrival of their precious new bundle of joy, **Emmalynn Rose Mengle!**



Please send in any news, announcements, messages of congratulations or thanks to be shared among our Pilgrim family for our "Announcements" page. Each of you have a talent, a special gift from God, whether it is drawing, painting, taking photos, quilting, crochet, building models, writing poetry or more. We would love to showcase your work in "Sharing God's Gifts". Also if you have any special thoughts, feelings or concerns for the congregation we would love to hear your "Whispers from the Pews".

Turn in submissions to:

[smcampbell@pilgrimchurchpomona.com](mailto:smcampbell@pilgrimchurchpomona.com)

**Submissions are due by noon on Wednesday, July 22nd.**

Julie & Daniel McCormick were surprised by the (4 week) early arrival of **William Arnett McCormick**

on June 23, 2020. He was 6 lbs. and 19.25 inches, and growing bigger and stronger every day. His brothers, Charlie (age 3) & Harrison (age 2) can't wait until he is big enough to play. Congratulations to the McCormicks & to grandparents, Christine & Ron Vango on your new addition to your family! The family joined Pilgrim Church on Easter Sunday in 1990. Julie is a lifetime member of Pilgrim, grew up in the youth group, and was baptized and confirmed as a Pilgrim member. She hopes to continue these traditions with her children and family.

## PILGRIM PATHS WORKING

### Sharing God's Gifts

*“Your talent is God’s gift to you, what you do with it is your gift to God.” ~Leo Buscaglia*



Nathaniel Campbell is working on his scouting merit badges. For Family Life he had to plan and complete a project to benefit the family. He built much needed shelving and a pantry in our garage. He will probably tell you it wasn't his favorite thing to do, but he did an amazing job and learned new skills, including how to use a table saw, and made his parents very happy completing a much needed and long-awaited project. Now there is so much space in our garage for them to work out and practice their music for the upcoming Marching Band Season. Nacho, Lucy & Lil'Bit appreciate having more room to chill in as well.

**Thank You Nathaniel!**

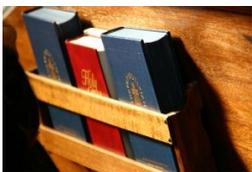


The idea of “date night” for couples is a well-established tradition for breaking up the day-to-day or mundane that sometimes occurs in relationships. Date Night gives couples an opportunity to build communication and a dedicated time to focus on one another; rather than the kids, work or other responsibilities. **Side-by-Side 2.0** recently offered a virtual painting class for couples led by local art instructor and friend to Pilgrim, **Heather Hilliard-Bonds**. The class was open for Pilgrim members and non-member couples interested in a relaxing for a few hours of watercolor painting, good conversation and laughter. As two very inexperienced painters, my fiancé and I had some apprehension about the class. However, the excitement of chatting with other couples and trying something new together made our choice to participate easy. From learning whose favorite color is green, to laughing about brushstroke mistakes, we had a great time and thank Pilgrim Church for offering a great experience for us to interact with other Christian couples.

*~Karti Tamer*

If you are interested in learning more about Side-by-Side 2.0 email [smcampbell@pilgrimchurchpomona.com](mailto:smcampbell@pilgrimchurchpomona.com)

### Whispers from the Pews



As we prepare to re-open campus activities we celebrate being able to come together again even if we still need to be cautious giving air hugs and hand waves instead of embracing in joy. Being together again is definitely a reason to celebrate! That being said, I would argue that we were never truly apart and dare I say it, more together than ever. As Pilgrim jumped online, so did our congregation. As we came together in cyber space, more of us came together than in a

long time as those who have miles between us were able to join in Worship Services and Bible Study as well. Not only that, but we are now able to share the word of God and the Congregational way beyond the boundaries of our sanctuary walls. Another way we have stayed connected is through our members acts of love, such as delivering books, meals, and groceries for those who can't pick them up themselves and the phone calls to check on each other. Though I do long for the day when I can greet each of you with a great big hug, I say, despite social distancing, our Pilgrim family has never been closer.

*~Sarah Campbell*

## PILGRIM PATHS WORKING

# Pilgrim is Reopening in July!

*On Sunday, July 5th we will reopen our doors for worship!*

We will closely follow guidelines provided by state and federal health experts (see below)—practicing physical distancing (because we can still be social six feet apart!), disinfecting our facilities, and limiting our gathering to one hour of worship in the sanctuary. There will be no Fellowship Hour and Sunday School will be available online only, but children are welcome in the sanctuary for the worship service. It will be great to see those of you who decide to come!

If you are sick, have symptoms related to the flu or Covid-19, have been recently exposed to someone with Covid-19, or are concerned about the risks of participating in worship service in person, please remain home and join us online.

## PLANNING TO JOIN US IN PERSON FOR SUNDAY SERVICE ON JULY 5<sup>TH</sup>?

To reserve a seat for the in-person July 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday service, please give us a call at (909) 622-1373 and leave 1.) your name and 2.) number of guests in your party.

This will allow us to maintain a maximum of 100 attendees in the sanctuary.

## WAVING WORKS!

Waving is the new handshake! Please refrain from any hugs, handshakes, or fist bumps. We love them and miss them, but for now, waving is the best way to express your affection to fellow Pilgrims. Check out the Waving Fans template on the next page to make your own “Waving Fan”.



## NOT READY TO REJOIN US IN PERSON FOR SUNDAY SERVICE?

If you're not ready to attend Sunday worship service in person, please continue to participate in the online service or consider hosting a Pilgrim Watch Party. A Watch Party is a small gathering of people who meet in person to experience an online service together. At a Pilgrim Watch Party, you will connect with God and other people, as you watch the worship service through one of our online platforms.

## RE-OPENING DETAILS

Due to Covid-19 we have some special guidelines that we are required to follow as we reopen for worship services. With considerations of the guidelines provided by the Los Angeles Health Department, we plan to have a good time worshipping together, but church will look a bit different. Please be prepared to follow the below instructions:

- You will want to allow extra time to park and find seating before the service begins.
- The parking lot will have designated spaces taped with an X to indicate “no parking.” Leaving spaces between cars will allow for physical distancing in the parking lot.
- After parking, please proceed through the “Office” entrance at the rear parking lot while maintaining 6 feet of distance and proceeding through the courtyard and through the Northwest door of the sanctuary (under the Bishop Archway).
- A friendly usher wearing a face covering will greet you at the door of the “Office” entrance, request that each guest use a face covering/mask, and track occupancy.
- Please bring and wear a mask or face covering. If you do not have one, you will be provided with one.
- Upon entering the sanctuary, you may find a seat in which you feel comfortable. Limited pews will be open for seating. Some pews will be roped off to permit a 6-foot space between individuals and family groups.
- Attendees will remain seated until the postlude has concluded and will be dismissed one family group at a time by the minister or other representative.

Please continue to check our webpage [www.pilgrimchurchpomona.com](http://www.pilgrimchurchpomona.com) for the most up to date information and do not hesitate to contact the church office at (909) 622-1373 to RSVP for Sunday service or if you have questions.

## PILGRIM PATHS WORKING

# I'm ready to wave at church!

## Instructions to make your very own waving hand fan:

Making a waving fan is simple and can be personalized with your family name, colors, or embellishments to fit your personal style.

Here is what you will need:

- 1 wooden ruler or popsicle stick for the fan handle
- 1 glue stick or adhesive (Elmer's glue will work but might cause ripples in your paper)
- 1 pre-printed waving hand (template available on page 14)
- A pair of scissors
- Ribbon or Twine to embellish your fan (optional)
- Mini Corner Rounder Punch (optional)

**PAPER TIP:** We suggest using 65lb-110lb paper for a more stable fan. Photocopy the template page onto the heavier paper/cardstock.

### Step 1

Fold the 8.5" x 11" paper with the waving hand template on it in half. Refer to the long, horizontal dashed fold line in the center of the paper. It's best to fold and crease your paper before adding the glue. This way, you don't have to worry about the glue sticking or drying before your paper edges are lined up.

### Step 2

Cut the paper into a square by cutting along the vertical dashed cut lines.

### Step 3

Now that your waving hand is prepared, it's time to turn it into a fan! Lay it on a flat surface, apply a generous amount of glue to one side where the stick goes, and place the stick on the fan. Press firmly and assure that it is straight.

### Step 4

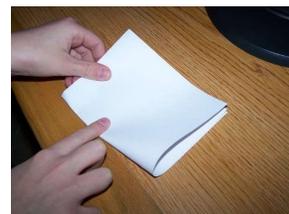
Apply glue around the edges and fold immediately. Remember to be generous with the glue where the stick will be placed. The image below shows where glue should be applied.

### Step 5

Press each edge firmly, assuring that all edges are sealed. Make sure to use clean fingers! Even a small amount of oil, lotion or glue can leave a mark on your beautiful waving hand fan.

### Step 6

Add the finishing touches to your fan. Use a corner rounder (available at Michael's Crafts), apply ribbon or twine, or come up with your own embellishment to personalize your waving hand fan.



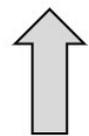
**Enjoy waving at others with your custom Waving Fan!**

Cut along this line



PILGRIM  
CHURCH

Cut along this line



Fold along  
this line



PILGRIM  
CHURCH

**UPCOMING**  
*Events*

**Every Morning**

Morning Devotional  
Facebook Live and Zoom 9am  
YouTube 10am

**Every Tuesday**

Twilight Bible Study—Online  
Facebook Live 5:45pm

**Thursdays (July 2nd, 16th & 30th)**

Sparking Legacies: Zooming Around the World  
6:00pm via Zoom

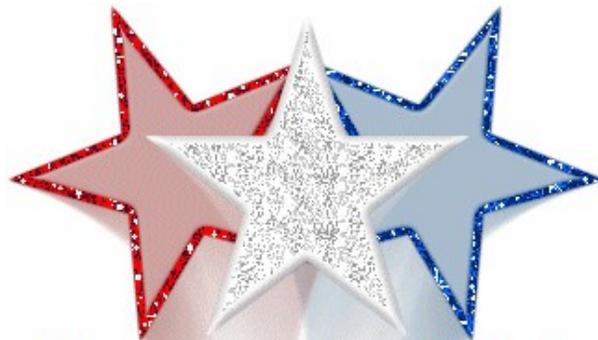
**Every Friday**

High School Bible Study  
1pm via Zoom

**Every Sunday**

Worship Service  
In-Person & Online  
Facebook Live & YouTube 10am

Summer Sunday VBS  
via Zoom 1pm—2:30pm



*Happy 4th of July*

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## July 5, 2020 ~ 10:00 a.m.

*Fifth Sunday after Pentecost*

*Service performed by Senior Minister Patrick Horn*



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|--|--|---|
| <b>Prelude</b>                             | “Song of Triumph”<br>“Blessing and Honor”<br>“Fanfare on ‘St. Anne’”<br>“America the Beautiful”  | G. Blake<br>C. Simone<br>C. Jantzen<br>AMERICA<br>Dr. Patrick Horn<br>Dr. Horn<br>Dr. Horn<br>GUTAMGOTT |
| <b>Hymn #696</b>                           |  |   |
| <b>Welcome</b>                             |  |   |
| <b>Parish Concerns</b>                     |  |   |
| <b>Call to Worship</b>                     |  |   |
| <b>Introit</b>                             | “Good Morning, Lord”   |   |
| <b>Invocation</b>                          | As you heard the prayer of Isaac and Rebekah, O God, and guided them in the way of your love, so listen now to those who call upon you. Move us to praise your gracious will, for in Christ Jesus you have saved us from the deeds of death and opened for us the hidden ways of your love. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. |   |
| <b>Gloria Patri</b>                        | Glory be to the Father<br>And to the Son<br>And to the Holy Ghost;   | As it was in the beginning,<br>Is now, and ever shall be,<br>World without end. Amen. Amen.             |
|  |  | Hymn #71  |
| <b>Lesson</b>                              | <i>Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67</i>  |   |
| <b>The Lord’s Prayer</b>                   |  |   |
| <b>Youth Message</b>                       |  |   |
| <b>Hymn #437</b>                           | “This is My Song”  | FINLANDIA<br>Dr. Horn   |
| <b>Pastoral Prayer and Silent Prayer</b>   |  |   |
| <b>Prayer Response</b>                     | “On Eagle’s Wings”   | Joncas/arr. Wagner  |
| <b>Offering</b>                            |  |   |
| <b>Offertory</b>                           | “God Bless America”<br>Nancy Rodewald, alto  | I. Berlin   |
| <b>Doxology Hymn and Dedicatory Prayer</b> | Praise God from whom all blessings flow,<br>Praise God all creatures here below,   | Praise God above ye heavenly host,<br>Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen                              |
| <b>Hymn #428</b>                           | “For the Healing of the Nations”   | CWM RHONDDA   |
| <b>Sermon</b>                              | “ <i>Speaking for Oneself</i> ”  | Dr. Horn  |
| <b>Hymn #431</b>                           | “Let There Be Peace on Earth”  | WORLD PEACE<br>Dr. Horn   |
| <b>Benediction</b>                         |  |   |
| <b>Congregational Response</b>             | God be with you till we meet again;<br>with his sheep securely fold you;   | by his counsels guide, uphold you,<br>God be with you till we meet again.                               |
| <b>Postlude</b>                            | “Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory”  | arr. M. McDonald  |

**Theme:** Soul Competency

**Color:** Green

**Organist:** Susan Winckler

**Hymn Leader:** Nancy Rodewald

**Videographer:** Bill Parnell

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**Bouquets given by:** Harriet Hartshorn ~ “May we continue to be a blessing to this COMMUNITY.”

**Boutonnieres given by:** Bob Smith ~ “In loving memory of Gwen.” Selters Family ~ “In celebration of our nation.” and Jeanne Cockrell ~ “In memory of Mom’s birthday, Doris Bruce. Miss you and love you.”

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**July 12, 2020 ~ 10:00 a.m.**  
*Sixth Sunday after Pentecost*



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| <b>Prelude</b>                             | “Simple Gifts”<br>“Beautiful Savior”   | arr. Dale Woods<br>arr. Dale Woods  |
| <b>Hymn #57</b>                            | “O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing”   | AZMON (verses 1, 2, 3 and 7)  |
| <b>Welcome</b>                             |  | Dr. Patrick Horn  |
| <b>Parish Concerns</b>                     |  | Ms. Sherry Glab   |
| <b>Call to Worship</b>                     |  | Dr. Horn  |
| <b>Introit</b>                             | “Give God the Father Praise”   | H. Schutz   |
| <b>Invocation</b>                          |  | Ms. Glab  |
|  | Redeeming Sustainer, visit your people and pour out your strength and courage upon us, that we may hurry to make you Welcome not only in our concern for others, but by serving them generously and faithfully in your name. Amen. |   |
| <b>Gloria Patri</b>                        |  |   |
|  | Glory be to the Father<br>And to the Son<br>And to the Holy Ghost;   | As it was in the beginning,<br>Is now, and ever shall be,<br>World without end. Amen. Amen. |
|  |  | Hymn #71  |
| <b>Lesson</b>                              | <i>Genesis 25:19-34</i>  | Ms. Glab  |
| <b>The Lord’s Prayer</b>                   |  | Ms. Glab  |
| <b>Anthem</b>                              | “Maranatha” (Come, Our Lord)   |   |
| Leslie Rigney, soprano                     |  |   |
| <b>Youth Message</b>                       |  | Ms. Glab  |
| <b>Hymn #393</b>                           | “Spirit of the Living God”   | LIVING GOD  |
| <b>Pastoral Prayer and Silent Prayer</b>   |  | Dr. Horn  |
| <b>Prayer Response</b>                     | El Shaddai - EL SHADDAI (Lord, We Will Love You)   | Hymn #123   |
| <b>Offering</b>                            |  |   |
| <b>Offertory</b>                           | “Sing God a Simple Song”<br>Leslie Rigney, soprano   | L. Bernstein  |
| <b>Doxology Hymn and Dedicatory Prayer</b> |  |   |
|  | Praise God from whom all blessings flow,<br>Praise God all creatures here below,   | Praise God above ye heavenly host,<br>Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen                 |
| <b>Hymn #601</b>                           | “Thy Word Is a Lamp”   | THY WORD  |
| <b>Sermon</b>                              | “ <i>Birth Privileges</i> ”  | Dr. Horn  |
| <b>Hymn #451</b>                           | “Be Thou My Vision”  | SLANE   |
| <b>Benediction</b>                         |  | Dr. Horn  |
| <b>Congregational Response</b>             |  |   |
|  | God be with you till we meet again;<br>with his sheep securely fold you;   | by his counsels guide, uphold you,<br>God be with you till we meet again.                   |
| <b>Postlude</b>                            | “A Petite Postlude”  | Rex Koury   |

**Theme:** The Kingdom of God

**Color:** Green

**Organist:** Bruce Jones

**Hymn Leader:** Lizbeth Lucca

**Videographer:** Bill Parnell

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**Bouquets given by:** Gary and Janet Manildi ~ “In celebration of Gary’s birthday.”

**Boutonnieres given by:** Bob Smith ~ “In loving memory of Gwen.” Selters Family ~ “In celebration of our nation.” and Jeanne Cockrell ~ “In memory of Mom’s birthday, Doris Bruce. Miss you and love you.”

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**July 19, 2020 ~ 10:00 a.m.**  
*Seventh Sunday after Pentecost*



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| <b>Prelude</b>  | “Prelude on “Festal Song”<br>“Short Fantasy in A minor”<br>“Come, Ye Thankful People, Come”   | G. Young<br>W. Baylor<br>ST. GEORGE’S WINDSOR<br>Dr. Patrick Horn<br>Dr. Horn<br>Dr. Horn<br>D. Grotenhuis<br>Dr. Horn |
| <b>Hymn #694</b><br><b>Welcome</b><br><b>Parish Concerns</b><br><b>Call to Worship</b><br><b>Introit</b><br><b>Invocation</b>                         | “O Worship the Lord”  |  |
|   | Creator God, you call us to love and serve you with body, mind, and spirit through loving your creation and our sisters and brothers. Open our hearts in compassion and receive these petitions on behalf of the needs of the church and the world. Holy One, hear our prayers and make us faithful stewards of the fragile bounty of this earth so that we may be entrusted with the riches of heaven. Amen. |  |
| <b>Gloria Patri</b>   |   |  |
| Glory be to the Father<br>And to the Son<br>And to the Holy Ghost;  | As it was in the beginning,<br>Is now, and ever shall be,<br>World without end. Amen. Amen.   | Hymn #71   |
| <b>Lesson</b><br><b>The Lord’s Prayer</b><br><b>Anthem</b>  | <i>Genesis 28:10-19a</i><br>“Beautiful”<br>Bonnie Snell, mezzo-soprano  | Dr. Horn<br>Dr. Horn<br>Baloche, Fieldes and Jobe  |
| <b>Youth Message</b><br><b>Hymn #528</b><br><b>Pastoral Prayer and Silent Prayer</b><br><b>Prayer Response</b><br><b>Offering</b><br><b>Offertory</b> | “Nearer, My God, to Thee”<br>El Shaddai - EL SHADDAI (Lord, We Will Love You)<br>“Shout to the Lord”<br>Bonnie Snell, mezzo-soprano   | Dr. Horn<br>BETHANY (verses 1-4)<br>Dr. Horn<br>Hymn #123<br>D. Zschech  |
| <b>Doxology Hymn and Dedicatory Prayer</b>  |   |  |
| Praise God from whom all blessings flow,<br>Praise God all creatures here below,  | Praise God above ye heavenly host,<br>Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen   |  |
| <b>Hymn #178</b><br><b>Sermon</b><br><b>Hymn #670</b><br><b>Benediction</b><br><b>Congregational Response</b>   | “Hope of the World”<br>“A Ladder to God”<br>“Go Forth for God”  | VICAR (verses 1-4)<br>Dr. Horn<br>GENEVA<br>Dr. Horn   |
| God be with you till we meet again;<br>with his sheep securely fold you;  | by his counsels guide, uphold you,<br>God be with you till we meet again.   |  |
| <b>Postlude</b>   | “Flourish”  | D. Rider   |

**Theme:** Heaven

**Color:** Green

**Organist:** Susan Winckler

**Hymn Leader:** Lizbeth Lucca

**Videographer:** Bill Parnell

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**Bouquets given by:** Sherry Glab ~ “Thank you Pilgrims!”

**Boutonnieres given by:** Bob Smith ~ “In loving memory of Gwen.” Selters Family ~ “In celebration of our nation.” and Jeanne Cockrell ~ “In memory of Mom’s birthday, Doris Bruce. Miss you and love you.”

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**July 26, 2020 ~ 10:00 a.m.**  
*Eighth Sunday after Pentecost*



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| <b>Prelude</b>                             | “Andante”<br>“Chaconne”   | W. A. Mozart<br>H. Balcombe   |
| <b>Hymn #169</b>                           | “In Thee Is Gladness”   | IN DIR IST FREUDE   |
| <b>Welcome</b>                             |   | Mr. Jon Olson   |
| <b>Parish Concerns</b>                     |   | Rev. Keith Eades  |
| <b>Call to Worship</b>                     |   | Mr. Olson   |
| <b>Introit</b>                             | “O Worship the Lord”  | D. Grotenhuis   |
| <b>Invocation</b>                          |   | Rev. Eades  |
|  | God of mercy and healing, you who hear the cries of those in need, receive these petitions of your people that all who are troubled may know peace, comfort, and courage. Life-giving God, heal our lives, that we may acknowledge your wonderful deeds and offer you thanks from generation to generation through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. |   |
| <b>Gloria Patri</b>                        |   |   |
|  | Glory be to the Father<br>And to the Son<br>And to the Holy Ghost;  | As it was in the beginning,<br>Is now, and ever shall be,<br>World without end. Amen. Amen. |
|  |   | Hymn #71  |
| <b>Lesson</b>                              | <i>Genesis 29:15-28</i>   | Rev. Eades  |
| <b>The Lord’s Prayer</b>                   |   | Rev. Eades  |
| <b>Anthem</b>                              | “It Is Well With My Soul”<br>James Salazar, tenor   | P. Bliss  |
| <b>Youth Message</b>                       |   | Rev. Eades  |
| <b>Hymn #175</b>                           | “Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee”   | ST. AGNES   |
| <b>Pastoral Prayer and Silent Prayer</b>   |   | Mr. Olson   |
| <b>Prayer Response</b>                     | El Shaddai - EL SHADDAI (Lord, We Will Love You)  | Hymn #123   |
| <b>Offering</b>                            |   |   |
| <b>Offertory</b>                           | “How Great Thou Art”<br>James Salazar, tenor  | S. Hine   |
| <b>Doxology Hymn and Dedicatory Prayer</b> |   |   |
|  | Praise God from whom all blessings flow,<br>Praise God all creatures here below,  | Praise God above ye heavenly host,<br>Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen                 |
| <b>Hymn #540</b>                           | “I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord”  | ST. THOMAS  |
| <b>Sermon</b>                              | “Promises and Providence”   | Mr. Olson   |
| <b>Hymn #79</b>                            | “Holy God, We Praise Thy Name”  | GROSSER GOTT (verses 1-4)   |
| <b>Benediction</b>                         |   | Mr. Olson   |
| <b>Congregational Response</b>             |   |   |
|  | God be with you till we meet again;<br>with his sheep securely fold you;  | by his counsels guide, uphold you,<br>God be with you till we meet again.                   |
| <b>Postlude</b>                            | “The Praising Trumpet”  | S. Scott  |

**Theme:** God's Benevolence

**Color:** Green

**Organist:** Bruce Jones

**Hymn Leader:** Lizbeth Lucca

**Videographer:** Bill Parnell

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**Bouquets given by:** Don and Judy Sanders ~ “In loving appreciation of Bonnie Durbin who is the new Woman’s Auxiliary Sanctuary Flower Chair for September 2020 to August 2021.”

**Boutonnieres given by:** Bob Smith ~ “In loving memory of Gwen.” Selters Family ~ “In celebration of our nation.” and Jeanne Cockrell ~ “In memory of Mom’s birthday, Doris Bruce. Miss you and love you.”

## PILGRIM PATHS WORKING

### NOTES

**Mission:** Pilgrim Congregational Church is an independent community of Christian faith which glorifies God through worship and service to others, respects individual spiritual growth, and inspires compassionate fellowship.

**Vision:** Pilgrim Congregational Church is the spiritual home of our community where all people are welcomed, known, and loved.

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**Church Office:** The church office is temporarily closed to non-members and open by appointment only to church members. Please call the church to arrange an appointment or for assistance.

**Sanctuary Flowers** need to be picked up by the following Wednesday.

### Church Staff:

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|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Dr. Patrick Horn.....       | Senior Minister          |
| Dr. Lowell Linden.....      | Consulting Minister      |
| Jon Olson.....              | Licensed Minister        |
| Rev. Donald B. Keepers..... | Minister Emeritus        |
| Dr. Douglas Lobb.....       | Minister Emeritus        |
| Sarah Campbell.....         | Youth Director           |
| Susan Winckler.....         | Director of Music        |
| Bruce Jones.....            | Organist                 |
| Karli Tanner.....           | Administrative Assistant |
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| Nancy Newell.....           | Bookkeeper               |
| Megan Parnell.....          | Librarian                |
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# Pilgrim’s Progress Submissions

Wind, rain, snow or pandemic, all year round, Pilgrim’s Progress is in full production. Please turn in submissions by noon on the Wednesday following the 3rd Sunday. The newsletter is our best way to stay connected so along with board reports and announcements share how you are coping with the “Stay-At-Home” orders, projects you are working on, some of your creative ways you are celebrating milestones like birthdays, anniversaries and graduation and more. We miss our fellowship time with our Pilgrim Family, and would love to hear from you.

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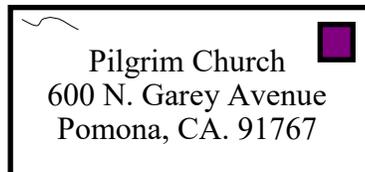
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