



“A Samaritan woman came to draw water, and Jesus said to her, ‘Give me a drink.’”

- John 4:7

**March 12, 2023**

**ROLLING HILLS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**310-377-6771**

**SUNDAY WORSHIP HOURS  
8:30 & 10:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.**

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## OUR CHURCH AT WORSHIP

March 12, 2023

Third Sunday in Lent

8:30 and 10 a.m.

*As we gather we hope you will visit quietly with friends.*

*Please silence cell phones.*

\*Standing - if comfortable

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PRELUDE                      *“Prelude and Fugue in B Major”* – J. S. Bach                      Althea Waites

INTROIT                      *“O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee”*                      Joyful Ringers

\*CALL TO WORSHIP                      *adapted from Psalm 95*

Leader: Come, let us sing to the Lord;

**People: Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of salvation!**

Leader: Come into God’s presence with thanksgiving;

**People: Let us make a joyful noise with songs of praise!**

Leader: For the Lord our God is great; from the depths of the earth to the mountains,

**People: From the seas to the dry lands, the Lord holds the world in loving hands.**

\*HYMN                      *“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”*                      #89

**Joyful, joyful, we adore thee, God of glory, Lord of love;  
Hearts unfold like flowers before thee, opening to the sun above.  
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; drive the dark of doubt away.  
Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day!**

**All thy works with joy surround thee, earth and heaven reflect thy rays,  
Stars and angels sing around thee, center of unbroken praise.  
Field and forest, vale and mountain, flowery meadow, flashing sea,  
Chanting bird and flowing fountain, call us to rejoice in thee.**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND RENEWAL

**Unison: God of grace and mercy, each day you share with us gifts of faith, hope and love.  
You offer us the chance to begin again, and to see ourselves as you see us. When we  
are confused, you walk alongside us with compassion, and lead us in hope. Help us  
to receive the grace that surrounds our lives this day. Stir our hearts, that we may  
be the people you have called us to be. Help us to follow in the way of Christ, and to  
share your love with all your children. Amen.**

SILENT PRAYER

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Chris Hall

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty,  
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.  
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty,  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**



## **New to the Church?**

We are grateful that we can worship together. Please use our digital welcome pad by opening the QR code. Thank you!



Rev. Jonathan Chute, Senior Pastor  
Rev. Dr. Martha Rowlett, Senior Pastor Emeritus  
Myra Ghabrial, Preschool Director  
Gabby Palacios, Kid Zone/Mid Zone Director  
Debra DeLuca, Children's Ministry Director  
Rev. Kristin Sutrave, Youth Ministry Director  
Catherine Dingman, Exec. Asst. to Pastor  
& Finance Manager

Rev. Dr. April Herron, Associate Pastor  
Charles Dickerson, III, Music Director  
Althea Waites, Organist  
Paula Kuno, 3<sup>rd</sup> Service Music  
Peggy Roulette, Church Office Admin.  
Lori Brunn, Admin. Asst.  
Miguel Portillo, Custodian