

# TWIN TOWERS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



Sunday, July 21, 2024 | 9:30 AM



## Prelude

## Call to Worship

Leader: Come, give to the Lord your praises of thanksgiving.

**People: We come this day, grateful for God's wondrous gifts to us!**

Leader: Sing with great enthusiasm of God's mighty power and love.

**People: We celebrate that love that sustains our lives.**

Leader: It is a wonderful thing to praise God!

**People: May God's praise always be in our hearts and in our lives. Amen**

## Opening Hymn

"Come to the Water"

# Opening Prayer

## Today's Scripture

### John 5:1-9

**5** After this there was a festival of the Jews, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem.

**2** Now in Jerusalem by the Sheep Gate there is a pool, called in Hebrew **[a]** Beth-zatha, **[b]** which has five porticoes. **3** In these lay many ill, blind, lame, and paralyzed people. **[c]** **5** One man was there who had been ill for thirty-eight years. **6** When Jesus saw him lying there and knew that he had been there a long time, he said to him, "Do you want to be made well?" **7** The ill man answered him, "Sir, **[d]** I have no one to put me into the pool when the water is stirred up, and while I am making my way someone else steps down ahead of me." **8** Jesus said to him, "Stand up, take your mat and walk." **9** At once the man was made well, and he took up his mat and began to walk.

Now that day was a Sabbath.

*Reader: The Lord bless our hearing and receiving of today's reading from the Bible.*

*All: Thanks be to God.*

## Hymn of Response

"Healer of Our Every Ill", TFWS 2213, verses 1, 3 & 4

## July Birthday

Lola Brown

Dennis Dizon

Deacon Judith Pruess-Mellow

Cristina Quezon

# Prayers of the People

Joys and Concerns - as joys and prayers are lifted, the leader will say "Loving God," asking all to please respond, "**We lift our hearts to you.**"

**All: Lord's Prayer**

## Offering

Online: <https://twintowersumc.org/giving>

Mail: 1411 Oak Street, Alameda, CA 94501

**All: Prayer of Thanksgiving**

We make our offerings, small and large, with the hope and confidence that all we do, all we offer all we say, all we think, and all we hope, will take root in this world and be the source of new expressions of Your love, Your justice, Your healing, and Your reign in Jesus' name, *Amen.*

## Closing Hymn

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus, 2129 all verses

## Benediction

## Postlude



# ANNOUNCEMENTS AND INVITATIONS





## Midway Shelter Needs Our Help

**MIDWAY SHELTER IS  
THE ONLY WOMEN AND  
CHILDREN SHELTER  
OPERATING IN  
ALAMEDA.**

We provide 30 meals twice a month  
(2nd Tuesday and 4th Wednesday).

You can participate by preparing  
meals or being a financial donor.

**To participate contact:**

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Sign-up to volunteer for Dine and Connect [here!](#)

# Dine & Connect

Help to prepare & serve  
**130 meals**  
for our neighbors



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or email us at:  
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**Monday, August 5th**

**Shifts:**

12 - 4PM Cooking & Plating  
4 - 5:30PM - Serving & Cleaning Up