



UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF VISTA  
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## **Worship Bulletin of the United Methodist Church of Vista**

*We are called to be an authentic, accessible and inclusive community  
in Christ, celebrating and extending God's love into the world.*

**In-house and Live-stream ([livestream.umcvista.org](https://livestream.umcvista.org)) Worship**

**Blended Sunday Morning  
March 8, 2026  
10:00 a.m.**

**Prelude**  
Praise Band

### **Begin Worship**

**Welcome and Invocation** (Pastor Broghan)

**Opening Hymn**  
**FWS 2236 – Gather Us In (Vs. 1, 2 & 4)**  
Praise Band

**\*Unison Prayer** (Jacque Howard)  
All Together:

God of the in-between,  
we enter this space carrying unfinished stories,  
unanswered prayers,  
and emotions we cannot quite name.  
Slow us down.  
Tune our attention to what is quiet, faithful, and easily overlooked.  
Help us trust that you are present  
even when nothing seems to be happening.  
Amen.

**Ministry Moments** (Jacque Howard)

**Invite Children to Godly Play** (Jacque Howard)  
Our Young Disciples, ages 3 through 6<sup>th</sup> grade, are invited to continue worship in Godly Play.

They can meet their teachers in the back of the sanctuary and walk over together. Parents are invited to pick their children up at the Godly Play Sanctuary after worship.



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## Message

**1<sup>st</sup> Scripture Reading** (Jacque Howard)

**[Mark 14:1-2](#)** (NRSV)

**Gift of Music**

**II. Mouvement de Menuet – Ravel**

Adam Ferrara, Piano

**2<sup>nd</sup> Scripture Reading** (Jacque Howard)

**[Mark 14:6-8](#)** (NRSV)

**Homily** (Pastor Broghan)

**Invitation to Prayer Stations**

## Response

**Community Prayer (Pastor Broghan)**

**Hymn of Response**

**FWS 2128 – Come and Find the Quiet Center**

Adam Ferrara, Organ

**Liturgy of Confession and Candles (Pastor Scott)**

All Together:

God of the in-between,  
we confess our discomfort with silence.

We rush to fill the space,  
to explain what we do not understand.

Teach us to wait.

Teach us to notice small acts of faithfulness  
that resist despair.

Hold us in the quiet.

Amen.

Leader:

Nothing happens.

And yet everything is already in motion.

We extinguish this candle,  
honoring the love that persists  
even as the shadows grow longer.



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## **Offertory**

### **\*UMH 95 – Doxology**

Adam Ferrara, Organ

### **\*Prayer of Dedication (Pastor Scott)**

## **Closing Worship**

### **\*Sending Forth (Pastor Broghan)**

Leader: Faithfulness does not always make noise.

People: Still, it matters.

Leader: Love is not always efficient.

People: Still, it endures.

Leader: Go in quiet courage.

People: We go, trusting God in the waiting.

## **Closing Hymn**

### **UMH 507 – Through It All**

Praise Band

## **Benediction (Pastor Broghan)**

## **Postlude**

Praise Band



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### Announcements

**Giving thanks for your Support and Contributions:** You are essential to all we do for Vista and beyond. Please consider making a financial contribution to the ongoing work of this faith community. Your monetary gifts can be dropped in the offering box, put through the secure mail slot near the office or use your credit card at the Scrip table. Thank you!

**Lenten Bible Study** will be after worship in Cable Hall on Sundays (March 8, 15, 22 and 29), till 12:15 p.m., or online via Zoom (Meeting ID: 873 1395 7968) on Monday evenings (March 9, 16, 23 and 30), from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Note: During Sunday's Lenten Bible study, there will be a Children's Bible Study (ages 3-12) in the Godly Play Sanctuary. Childcare will be available in our Nursery during the Sunday Bible Study (ages 3 and under). **Questions?** Contact Pastor Broghan [pastorbroghan@umcvista.org](mailto:pastorbroghan@umcvista.org) or Laurel [laurel@umcvista.org](mailto:laurel@umcvista.org)

### Spring Hymn Festival, Sunday, March 15, 4 p.m., Sanctuary

Join the combined voices of the UMC Vista and Oceanside First Presbyterian Church for an afternoon of timeless anthems, favorite hymns, and handbell arrangements. This is more than a concert—it is a community sing! Admission is free, supported by a freewill offering. Come ready to listen, ready to be inspired, and above all, ready to sing.



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