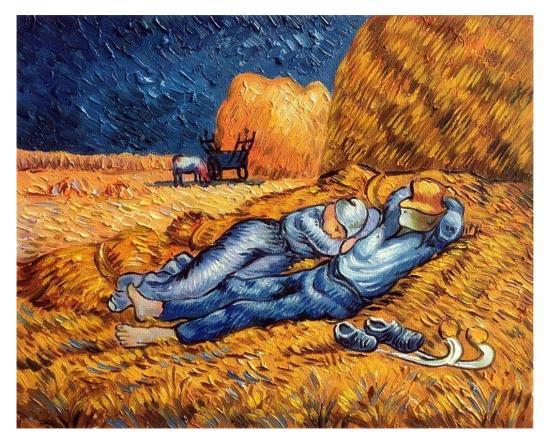
# Mendocíno Presbyterían Church

## **Our Vision Statement**

We are God's Love by:Feeding those in need • Singing with the joyful

- Comforting the sick and the suffering
- Listening to those who want a voice Walking in companionship with Jesus



Noon - Rest from Work (after Millet), 1890 by Vincent Van Gogh

Sunday June 2, 2024 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

#### THE GATHERING

PRELUDE	God is Here & Be Thou My Vision	Matthew Leach	
RINGING OF THE BELL			
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS			
INTROIT	Dear Lord and Father of Mankind	MPC Choir	
CENTERING PRAYER			
<ul> <li>*CALL TO WORSHIP Steve Grey</li> <li>We come together to observe the Sabbath day and keep it holy.</li> <li>Renew us by your Spirit, Lord.</li> <li>We come together to praise God with festive songs and shouts of joy!</li> <li>Renew us by your Spirit, Lord.</li> <li>We come together to hear the voice of our Savior calling us to compassion.</li> <li>Renew us by your Spirit, Lord.</li> <li>We come together to experience the abundance of God's grace.</li> <li>Let us worship God.</li> </ul>			
*ODENING UVMN 255 This		I. d. I	

\*OPENING HYMN 355 This Is a Day of New Beginnings (\*sing alt. verse 4) Jack Leung

#### \*CALL TO CONFESSION

#### \*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord of Life, you call us to rest, but we are too busy working. You call us to offer rest to others, but we are too busy demanding. You call us to remember that you are always at work in our lives, but we are too busy worrying. Forgive our constant striving and our obsession with work. Remind us that our value comes from you, not from anything we produce or how productive we appear to others. Teach us the rhythms of your grace, and grant us rest for our weary souls. Amen.

#### \*DECLARATION OF GOD'S LOVE

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE Gloria Patri (Glory Be to the Father)

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - Iona Community We believe in God above us. maker and sustainer of all life, of sun and moon. of water and earth. of male and female. We believe in God beside us. Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh, born of a woman, servant of the poor, tortured and nailed to a tree. A man of sorrows, he died forsaken. He descended into the earth to the place of death. On the third day he rose from the tomb. He ascended into heaven to be everywhere present, and his kingdom will come on earth.

We believe in God within us, the Holy Spirit of Pentecostal fire, life-giving breath of the church, Spirit of healing and forgiveness, source of resurrection and eternal life. Amen.

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE The Peace of Christ be with you. And also with you.

### **THE WORD**

CHURCH IN MISSION

MPC Deacons: Joyful in Hope

Linda Hartzell

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

\*HYMN 492

Spirit of the Living God (VS. 1, 2 & REPEAT VS. 1)

\*Please stand if you are able.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING	Deuteronomy 5:12-15		
*HYMN 429 If	You Will Trust in God to Guide You		
SECOND SCRIPTURE READING	G Mark 2:23-3:6	Steve Grey	
ANTHEM	Jesus Paid It All JOHN GRAPE	MPC Choir	
SERMON	"Sabbath Rest as Healing"	Rev. Matthew Davis	
OFFERING *Offering & Dedication o Offertory Doxology	of Gifts		
THE EUCHARIST *Invitation to the Lord's Great Thanksgiving, Pra Breaking of the Bread Prayer after Communio	ayers of the People and The Lord's Pr	ayer	
*HYMN 614	et There Be Peace on Earth		
THE SENDING			
*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION			
BLESSING	Amen	MPC Choir	
POSTLUDE		Jack Leung	
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