

Healing the World

The 178th California-Nevada Annual Conference Session

June 26 - 29, 2026

Isaiah 58:12



Sunday, June 28, 2026, 9 AM

Castro Valley United Methodist Church

Welcome to Castro Valley United Methodist Church.

May the Holy Spirit fill you with power, unity, and joy as we worship and celebrate God's living presence among us in this Pentecost season.



Make your
tithes & offering
online

TODAY:

Coffee Fellowship

11:00 AM, Fellowship Hall

GATHERINGS THIS WEEK

Grow Pray Thrive

Mon. 4:00 PM

Fireside Room

Food-2-Go Delivery

Tue. 10:00 AM, Fellowship Hall

Tuesday Friends Field Trip

Tue. 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM

San Leandro Senior Center,
Resource Fair

Bell Choir Practice

Thu. 7 PM, Sanctuary

OF NOTE:

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

(29) Bobbi Wheatley

(30) Cassandra Jimison

(01) Ella Lowrey

(01) Marissa Driver

(04) Samiuela Tuita

Order of Christian Worship Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome & Passing of the Peace

Chuck Vejdovsky

Prayers of the People

Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Loving God, **we give you thanks.**

Chuck Vejdovsky

Community Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Rev. Mary Elyn Bahlert

Hymn

Chancel Choir

Scriptures: 1 Peter 1: 13-21

Elaine Wilson

¹³ Therefore gird up your minds, be sober, set your hope fully upon the grace that is coming to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ. ¹⁴ As obedient children, do not be conformed to the passions of your former ignorance, ¹⁵ but as he who called you is holy, be holy yourselves in all your conduct; ¹⁶ since it is written, "You shall be holy, for I am holy." ¹⁷ And if you invoke as Father him who judges each one impartially according to his deeds, conduct yourselves with fear throughout the time of your exile. ¹⁸ You know that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your fathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, ¹⁹ but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot. ²⁰ He was destined before the foundation of the world but was made manifest at the end of the times for your sake. ²¹ Through him you have confidence in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God.

Sermon: *Instructions for a Life of Faith*

Rev. Mary Elyn Bahlert

The Offering of our Tithes and Gifts

Almighty God, giver of every good and perfect gift, teach us that we may praise you, not with our lips only, but with our whole lives, turning the duties, the sorrows, and the joys of all our days into a living sacrifice to you, through our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

Rev. Mary Elyn Bahlert

Life of the Community Benediction

Chuck Vejdovsky

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