

**GOLETA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**OCTOBER 18, 2020**

**PRELUDE:** “Jesu, Joy of Our Desiring” Johann Pachelbel

**WELCOME:** Rev. Jim Pazan

**Call to Worship:** Jeannie Cavender, CRE

**PRAISE SONG:** “Father of Lights” by John Barnett

Don Davis, Anne Lawler, Kris Warner

**Verse 1**

(James 1:17)

Father of lights, You delight in Your children

Father of lights, You delight in Your children

Every good and perfect gift comes from You

Every good and perfect gift comes from You

Every good and perfect gift comes from You

Father of lights

Father of lights, You never change,

You have no turning

Father of lights, You never change,

You have no turning

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**A MOMENT FOR MISSION** Impact Kristy LaBarge

**SCRIPTURE: Matthew 22:15-22**

<sup>15</sup> Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap him in what he said. <sup>16</sup> So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, “Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. <sup>17</sup> Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?” <sup>18</sup> But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, “Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? <sup>19</sup> Show me the coin used for the tax.” And they brought him a denarius. <sup>20</sup> Then he said to them, “Whose head is this, and whose title?” <sup>21</sup> They answered, “The emperor’s.” Then he said to them, “Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor’s, and to God the things that are God’s.” <sup>22</sup> When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

**MESSAGE:** “The things that are God’s” Rev. Jim Pazan

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**          Jeannie Cavender, CRE

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy  
kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as  
we forgive our debtors.*

*And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.  
Amen.*

**HYMN OF RESPONSE: "This Is My Father's World"**

Marilyn Gross, Ernie & Alison Tamminga

**Verse 1**

This is my Father's world  
And to my list'ning ears  
All nature sings and 'round me rings  
Music of the spheres  
This is my Father's world  
I rest me in the thought  
Of rocks and trees of skies and seas  
His hand the wonders wrought

**Verse 2**

This is my Father's world  
O let me ne'er forget  
That though the wrong seems oft so strong  
God is the ruler yet  
This is my Father's world  
The battle is not done  
Jesus Who died shall be satisfied  
And earth and Heav'n be one

**BENEDICTION:**

Rev. Jim Pazan

**Postlude:**

"Allegro"

Wilbur Held

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