

# Welcome to First Church of Christ, Scientist, San Juan Capistrano

A church where love and prayer unite in healing  
**Our purpose is to promote spiritual growth, unconditional  
love and healing based on the teachings of the Bible and  
Mary Baker Eddy's writings**

**October 6, 2024**

**Musical Prelude:** Candi Daggett, keyboardist  
Mahfrin Santoke, flutist

*(This is time to quietly prepare our thought for the inspiration and healing of this service.)*

**Let's Sing:** *Hymns 392 and 401* (Hymnal / website)

**Scriptural Selection:** John, II Corinthians & Matthew (*The Voice*)

**Let's Sing:** *Hymn 600* (New Hymnal / website)

## Silent Prayer & The Lord's Prayer/El Padre Nuestro

With its spiritual interpretation from *Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures* by Mary Baker Eddy. Words to the prayers may be found on the website. If you have a specific need you would like addressed through prayer, please contact us via phone or email – (please see back of program for contact details) and we will include your need in our prayers.

**Let's Sing:** *Hymn 226* (Hymnal / website)

## Announcements

**Wednesday Testimony Meeting** – October 9, 2024, at 7:00 pm  
"Prayer"

**A Rule for Motives and Acts** (*The Manual of the Mother Church*)

**Solo:** "Let It Go"

words & music: Désirée Goyette, sung by Lola Kristine with Candi & Mahfrin

## Subject: Unreality

From our Pastor

The *Bible* and *Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures* by Mary Baker Eddy  
Read by Paul Garman & Collier Kaler

**Golden Text:** : I Thessalonians 5:5 *We*  
*(The golden thread running through the lesson)*

. . . We do not belong to the night or to darkness.

**Responsive Reading:** Psalms 139:1, 11, 12; 18:1, 3, 4, 6 (to 1<sup>st</sup> .),  
19, 20, 28; 97:11, 12

1 You have searched me, Lord, and you know me.

**11 If I say, "Surely the darkness will hide me and the light become night  
around me,"**

12 even the darkness will not be dark to you; the night will shine like the day, for  
darkness is as light to you.

**18 I love you, Lord, my strength.**

3 I called to the Lord, who is worthy of praise, and I have been saved from my  
enemies.

**4 The cords of death entangled me; the torrents of destruction  
overwhelmed me.**

6 In my distress I called to the Lord; I cried to my God for help.

**19 He brought me out into a spacious place; he rescued me because he  
delighted in me.**

20 The Lord has dealt with me according to my righteousness; according to the  
cleanness of my hands he has rewarded me.

**28 You, Lord, keep my lamp burning; my God turns my darkness into light.**

11 Light shines on the righteous and joy on the upright in heart.

**12 Rejoice in the Lord, you who are righteous, and praise his holy name.**

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The Responsive Reading is from the Holy Bible, New International Version®, NIV®  
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## Musical Offering

**Instrumental:** "How Can I Keep From Singing"

music: Robert Lowry, arranger: Marianne Kim, played by Mahfrin with Candi

**Vocal:** "Go Light Your World"

words (adapted) & music: Chris Rice, sung by Lola with Candi & Mahfrin

We welcome your prayers, inspiration, and monetary support. Donations may be  
made in person, by mail or **Zelle** (for more info: [www.csinsanjuancapistrano.com](http://www.csinsanjuancapistrano.com)).  
This Christian Science Church tithes a portion of our collection each month to  
Outreach Activities. These Outreach Activities receive our prayers as well as our  
financial support. For more info please see the announcement sheet or our website.

**Let's Sing:** *Hymn 589* (New Hymnal / website)

## Scientific Statement of Being

*(Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, page 468:9)* (hymnal / website)

## Correlative Scripture: I John 3:1–3

*(The New Testament & Psalms – An Inclusive Version)*

See what love the Father-Mother has given us, that we should be called children  
of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it  
did not know Christ. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not  
yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when Jesus Christ is revealed we  
will be like Christ for we will see Christ as Christ is. And all who have this hope in  
Christ purify themselves, just as Christ is pure.

## Closing Blessing

**Musical Postlude:** Candi

***We're so pleased that you joined us this morning***

*Please join us after the postlude for fellowship in the room and on Zoom*

## Join us by via phone, smartphone, tablet or computer...

**BY PHONE** call 720-707-2699, then enter access code: 493 154 5979#

**BY ZOOM—Computer (Mac/PC), Tablet & Smartphone:**

1. By web browser – <https://zoom.us/j/4931545979>
2. By Zoom app via smartphone or tablet. Meeting ID: 493 154 5979

For more details on how to connect, please click on the link below:

[www.csinsanjuanapistrano.com/welcome.html](http://www.csinsanjuanapistrano.com/welcome.html)

*Recording by any means is not permitted.*

**Available EVERYDAY – Bible Lesson 24/7** by phone: 323-805-8700

### Broadcasts:

**El Heraldo (Spanish):** Sunday at 6:30 a.m. – KFWB 980 AM  
Sunday at 7:30 a.m. – XEWW 690 AM  
**Sentinel Radio:** Sunday at 9:00 a.m. – KVTA 1590 AM

### CHURCH ACTIVITIES — ALL ARE WELCOME

**SUNDAY SERVICE - 10:00 am** — A family gathering for listening to the week's Bible Lesson, praying, and singing.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL—10:00am**—spiritual education for children up to 20 years, focused on the same practical, Bible-based healing laws that Jesus used.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE READING ROOM: A SPIRITUAL DISCOVERY CENTER AND MORE** —A spiritual resource center and bookstore where you may borrow or purchase books, magazines and CDs on Christian Science and spiritual healing. Also available are Bible references, items for children and Spanish language materials. On-Site hours—Tuesday & Thursday: 12pm–3pm, **Sunday:** after church until noon. Online/Zoom hours—Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday: 1pm–2pm, **Thursday:** 6pm–7pm. Please see the top of this page for how to connect by phone or by Zoom (computer/tablet/smartphone).

**WEDNESDAY MEETING - 7 pm** — Join us for first-hand reports of Christian healing in an informal question and answer setting along with selections from the *Bible and Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures*.

**MONTHLY WORKSHOPS - 7 pm** — Join us on the 2nd Monday of the month as we meet to develop our effectiveness and relevance as a purposeful church. Join us on the 4th Monday of each month as we explore various topics in our metaphysical workshops.

**JOIN US** – We'd love to have you consider joining us in sharing Christian Science with our community. Information about the affirmation process can be found on our website. Everyone is welcome to serve in this church, whether they are a member or not; let us know how you'd like to help or feel free to speak to anyone here about getting involved.

## Announcements – Sunday, October 6, 2024

### This Church:

October 9 @ 7PM: Wednesday Testimony Meeting. Attend in person or by Zoom/phone.

October 14 @ 7PM: Open Forum / Growing Church Workshop. Attend by Zoom/phone.

October 28 @ 7PM: Metaphysical Workshop. Attend by Zoom/phone. Our Metaphysical topic for October is: How can we pray about seeing that our world "rests upon and proceeds from divine Principle? (See page 583:12 in Science and Health. We will come together the last Monday of the month to share our inspiration. All are welcome to join our Metaphysical discussions.

Reading Room: We have Online and on-site Reading Room hours. See <http://www.csinsanjuanapistrano.com/reading-room.html> for details.

We welcome and are most grateful for your donations in support of our church services and outreach activities. To donate online see our website for details.

Tithing info: Each month our church donates part of our collection and includes in our prayers throughout the month a specific local, national, or international organization whose mission we support. Our tithing recipient for **October** is **Petals of Africa School**, located in rural Ngochoni, Kenya. For two decades we have shared the joy and privilege of supporting this school and continue to celebrate its ongoing progress. Over the years several members of our church family, including Sunday School students, have visited and volunteered at Petals, including our ambassador extraordinaire to Petals, Dick Smith. For a detailed story of Petals with photos of students whose infectious smiles you won't forget, visit <https://www.e3schools.org/petals>. E-3—Elevating Education Everywhere, also one of our tithing recipients, actively supports Petals and three other schools in Africa, founded on the principle that "every child deserves a spiritually based education, an education that will help them develop their talents, strengthen their character, and discover their true worth."

### Talks, etc. in Orange County & elsewhere:

Stay tuned...

For more details on talks and events throughout Southern California, see <https://www.prayerthatheals.org/>

### Youth and Family Events:

Stay tuned...

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