

# **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**

**December 16, 2018**

**Musical Prelude:** Candi Daggett, keyboardist

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

**Let's Sing:** *Hymn 32* (Hymnal)

**Scriptural Selection:** Genesis (*KJV and The Voice*)

**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 inside the front cover of your hymnal and on the website. If you have a specific need you would like addressed through prayer, please drop a note in one of the yellow donation bowls (or 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 53* (Hymnal)

## **Announcements**

**Solo:** *"Be Not Afraid"*

words (based on Isaiah 43:1-4), music: Craig Courtney,  
sung by Rachel McLaughlan with Candi

**Subject: God the Preserver of Man**

From our Pastor

The *Bible* and *Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures* by Mary Baker Eddy  
Read by Marlene Bridges and Debbie Stucker

**Golden Text:** Psalms 36:7

*(The golden thread running through the lesson)*

How precious is your unfailing love, O God! All humanity finds  
shelter in the shadow of your wings.

**Responsive Reading:** Deuteronomy 33:12 *The*, 27 (to :)

Psalms 40:1-3 (to :), 8, 11 *let*; 61:3, 4

12 . . . The beloved of the Lord shall dwell in safety by him; and the Lord  
shall cover him all the day long, and he shall dwell between his shoulders.

**27 The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting  
arms:**

1 I waited patiently for the Lord; and he inclined unto me, and heard my cry.

**2 He brought me up also out of an horrible pit, out of the miry clay,  
and set my feet upon a rock, and established my goings.**

3 And he hath put a new song in my mouth, even praise unto our God:

**8 I delight to do thy will, O my God: yea, thy law is within my heart.**

11 . . . let thy lovingkindness and thy truth continually preserve me.

**3 For thou hast been a shelter for me, and a strong tower from the  
enemy.**

4 I will abide in thy tabernacle for ever: I will trust in the covert of thy wings.

The Golden Text is from the Holy Bible, New Living Translation

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## **Musical Offerings**

**Keyboardist:** *"Greensleeves"*

music: Traditional English Folk Song, arranger: Liz Story, played by Candi

**Vocal:** *"Because God Loves Us"*

words and music: Rebecca Minor, sung by Rachel with Candi

We welcome your prayers, inspiration, and monetary support. Donations may be made during the offering in the room or by mail or **PayPal** (please see our website: [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 details of our tithing and this month's tithing recipient, please see the announcement sheet.

**Let's Sing:** *Hymn 310* (Hymnal)

## **Scientific Statement of Being**

*(Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, Page 468:9 (front of Hymnal & Website)*

**Correlative Scripture:** I John 3:1-3 (*J.B. Phillips*)

Consider the incredible love that the Father has shown us in allowing us to be called "children of God" - and that is not just what we are called, but what we *are*. This explains why the world will no more recognize us than it recognized Christ. Here and now, my dear friends, we *are* God's children. We don't know what we shall become in the future. We only know that when he appears, we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is! Everyone who has at heart a hope like that keeps himself pure, 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 online, on the phone and on the patio*

## Can't attend in person?

### Join us by telephone or internet...

**BY PHONE** call 805-309-2350, then enter access code: 12111#  
or call 712-770-4160, then enter access code: 332950#

**BY INTERNET—Computer (Mac/PC), Smartphone and Tablet:**

1. from your computer's web browser
2. from your smartphone or tablet (iPhone, iPad and Android)  
(how to connect: [www.csinsanjuanCapistrano.com/internet.html](http://www.csinsanjuanCapistrano.com/internet.html))

*Recording by any means is not permitted.*

**Available EVERYDAY – Bible Lesson 24/7** by phone: 323-543-8600

### 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. (Childcare is provided)

**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. Open Tuesdays from 10am to 1pm, Thursdays from 10am to 4pm, and before and after services. Teleconference hours—**Mondays, Fridays & Saturdays:** noon to 1pm ; **Wednesdays** from 1pm to 3pm (call in via teleconference: 805-309-2350, access code 12111#).

**WEDNESDAY MEETING - 7:30 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.

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## Announcements – Sunday, December 16, 2018

### This Church:

<b>Weekly</b> – call 805-309-2350 / access code 12111#		
Sundays	6:10PM– 6:35PM	Weekly reading of the Sermon on the Mount
Tuesdays	12PM & 7:30PM	Prayer group: "Healing and Saving the World"
Thursdays	10:30AM	The Bible Lesson reading / discussion group

Dec 17 @ 7PM: Metaphysical workshop. Via teleconference only.

Dec 19 @ 7:30PM: Wednesday Testimony Meeting. Topic: "Christmas candlelight service: the Christmas story." Available on teleconference & internet.

Tithing info: This Christian Science Church tithes 10% of our collection each month to a specific local, national, or global organizations whose mission we support. Our **December** Tithing Recipient is our **San Juan Capistrano Christian Science Church Benevolent Fund**. The fund assists members or regular attendees with financial resources for housing, transportation, or unexpected expenses. Our prayers throughout the month and contributions to the fund will be very much appreciated by those in need.

### Talks, etc. in Orange County:

Stay tuned...

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Stay tuned...

### Youth and Family Events:

Stay tuned...