



## Worship Schedule

9:00am Worship @ Mulberry  
10:15am Bible Study @ Mulberry  
11:30am Worship @ TriPoint

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## Songs for the Journey



Our lives are often compared to a journey. We are on our way somewhere, pilgrims on a journey. When ancient Israelites made the pilgrimage up to Mt. Zion, Jerusalem for their prescribed festivals, they worshiped as they travelled. They sang the “songs of ascent” (Psalms 120–134) together on the road to help shorten the journey, prepare them for the festival, and remind them of the truths that kept them faithful.

During these days following Easter, we will spend time with some of the songs of ascent to strengthen us in our journey. Some of the most important truths of discipleship are found in these brief but beautiful poems. They will help us pursue what Eugene Peterson (quoting Nietzsche) called, “a long obedience in the same direction.” Why not read through these psalms several times, praying them during these weeks leading up to Pentecost?

Dr. Robert Creech  
*Interim Senior Pastor*



# STRONGER THROUGH PRAYER

**National Day of Prayer**  
**Thursday, May 5, 2022**

We need God and we need each other.  
These needs strengthen us as we act on them...

**During this unique time:**  
**How have you prayed? Why have you prayed?**

By answering these two questions,  
our prayer life comes into focus.



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**Michael Kiolbassa**

Michael is a native San Antonian and began his career in the family sausage business in 1987 after a two-year period working in the commercial banking industry as a credit analyst. Since then, he has overseen the transformation of the family meat company from a small family business to one of the fastest growing meat brands in the US with national distribution of their sausage, chorizo and dry-cured bacon. He was named one of San Antonio’s “40 under 40” rising business stars, the 2004 Small Businessperson of the Year by the Small Business Administration and a 2016 and 2020 finalist for Ernst & Young’s Entrepreneur of the Year award. In 2020, his company, Kiolbassa Smoked Meats was named by Forbes Magazine as one of 25 “Small Giants” in business. His company was the focus of a case study on successful transitions in family business by Stetson University’s Family Business Enterprise Center and has been named a Top Workplace in San Antonio for the past seven years.

Michael has given numerous presentations on the power of Values-Based Leadership on the culture in his family’s company and the adoption of the Great Game of Business which is an operating system to teach employees financial literacy so that they can make better decisions.

Michael holds a BBA in finance from Southern Methodist University and is a member of the Young Presidents Organization, United Way of San Antonio Board of Directors, Valero Alamobowl Board of Directors and Christ Episcopal Church. He loves to hunt, fish, golf, snow ski and just about anything outdoors with his family. He is married to his lovely and patient wife, Nita and has two grown children.



**Rev. Ann E. Helmke**

Ann Helmke is an ordained ELCA minister and serves as the Faith Liaison for the City of San Antonio. Prior to that she served as the Director of Spiritual Services at Haven for Hope. Ann’s 30+ years of service in our city includes teaching theology and spirituality at the University of the Incarnate Word and Texas Lutheran, workshop and retreat leadership, mission development, co-founding of the all-volunteer and interfaith San Antonio Peace Center, co-authoring a couple books, and always social justice with civic engagement.

Rev. Helmke considers Peace is Our BirthRight as her most important book which pales in comparison to the seven babies she is passing peace onto in her life – 2 daughters, 2 sons-in-love, 2 gorgeous grand-boys and 1 vivacious grand-girl!

6:30am	Breakfast Provided
6:50am	
Music in the Lobby	Jacob Sensenig, Minister of Music & Worship Arts, Trinity Baptist Church (TBC)
7:15 am	
Opening Prayer	Jacob Sensenig
7:17am	
Pre-Service Music	Jacob Sensenig
7:30am	
Welcome & Statement Prayer	Debbie Potter, Minister of Children, TBC
7:35am	
Scripture Reading.	Laurie Bracher & Veronica Grant Co-Coordiators for TBC Prayer Ministry
7:40am	
Keynote introductions	David McGee, President and CEO of Amegy Bank

**KEYNOTE SPEAKERS**

7:45am	Mike Kiolbassa, President of Kiolbassa Sausage
8:00am	Ann Helmke, Faith Liaison, City of San Antonio
8:15am	
Prayer Experience	Nancy Abbott, Chaplain, YMCA of Greater San Antonio
8:28am	
Benediction	Debbie Potter, Minister of Children, TBC