



Miller Avenue Baptist Church

Mill Valley, California

A Christ-Centered and Evangelical Congregation*

Acts 2:42

And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers.

5th Sunday after Pentecost

June 28, 2026

*We claim the original, non-political, Biblical meaning of "Gospel Proclamation"



Ministry Associates

Kent Philpott – *Senior Pastor*
 Katie Philpott – *Associate Pastor*
 James Daley – *Preaching/Treasurer*
 Andrea Busta – *Audio-Visual*
 Shirley Laur – *Pastoral Ministry*
 Vernon Philpott – *Associate Pastor*
 Rebeka Etuku – *Preaching/Facilities*
 Juan Carlos Garcia – *Spanish Pastor*
 Ingrid Melin, Saran Chuluun – *Preaching*

← *Corinth in Paul's Day*, by J Brown

WEEKLY SCHEDULE	
SUNDAY	
Morning Worship (<i>in person and via Zoom</i>)	10:30–12:00
Lunch and Gathering	12:20–1:20 pm
Evening Worship (<i>in person</i>)	6:00–7:00 pm
WEDNESDAY	
Divorce Recovery Workshop (<i>via Zoom</i>)	6:50–8:30 pm
FRIDAY	
Bible Study and meal in the parsonage	6:30–8:00 pm
SATURDAY	
Donated food distribution in the hall	10:00–11:00 am
Spanish Prayer meeting at JuanCarlos' home: Call for address: 415-879-5493	7:00–8:00 pm

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Leader: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ
Congregation: And also with you.

The Gloria Patri

Hymn #406 Wonderful Words of Life

Call to Worship from Deuteronomy 6:4: *Sh'ma Yisrael Adonai Elohenu Adonai echad*
“Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one.”

Leader: Let us worship God—

People: The God who as Father brings light out of darkness, order out of chaos.

Leader: Let us worship God—

People: The God who as Son brings life out of death.

Leader: Let us worship God—

People: The God who as Spirit brings power to witness.

Morning Prayer — Prayers of the Church — Silent Prayer

Collect of the Day

ALMIGHTY GOD OUR FATHER, DWELLING IN MAJESTY AND MYSTERY,
RENEWING AND FULFILLING CREATION BY YOUR ETERNAL SPIRIT, AND
REVEALING YOUR GLORY THROUGH OUR LORD, JESUS CHRIST: CLEANSE
US FROM DOUBT AND FEAR AND ENABLE US TO WORSHIP YOU, WITH YOUR
SON AND THE HOLY SPIRIT, ONE GOD, LIVING AND REIGNING, NOW AND
FOREVER. AMEN.

We Confess our Faith — The Apostle's Creed

Scripture Reading: Romans 16:1–16; 1 Corinthians 1:14–16; 2:1–5;
2 Corinthians 11:1–11.

Memory Verse: For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ and him crucified. (2 Corinthians 2:2) & (Jesus speaking:) “I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart, I have overcome the world.” (John 16:33)

Reflection: Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus

Choruses: “There’s a Great Day Coming” & “Lord, I Want to be a Christian” & a song from the Choir:

Offertory Theme: Our giving is not in vain.

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

Ways to give when not present at service:

- 1) Go to the “Giving” page of our website: milleravenuechurch.org/giving and click on the “Donate” button, then follow the link. There is a second Donate button for PayPal.
- 2) Download the GivePlus+ app on your smartphone, then input Miller Avenue Church and follow the instructions.
- 3) Text a dollar amount (e.g., \$25) to 844-918-0231, then follow the link.
- 4) Mail a check to Miller Avenue Church, 285 Miller Ave., Mill Valley, CA 94941
- 5) Use your PayPal app or the PayPal button on the “Giving” page of the church website.

The Doxology

Announcements:

Choir practice 10:00am on Saturday and 9:30am on Sunday.

Fridays at the parsonage: Bible Study **6:30 pm (new time)** then dinner prepared by James and John—RSVP to James. Bilingual prayer/oración Saturday nights 7:00–8:00 at Juan Carlos’ home. Lunch after service. Food in the silver refrigerator. **Sunday evening worship service 6:00–7:00 pm.**

Exposition:
Galatians 5:7–15
(Saran)

Hymn: #581 Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

Sermon:
Acts 18:1–17
(James)

Benediction song:

By **His** grace I am redeemed; by **His** blood I am made clean.
And I now can know **Him** face to face.
By **His** power I have been raised, hidden now in Christ by faith;
I will praise the glory of **His** grace. (Repeat with “**Your**”)

Aaronic Benediction (Numbers 6:24–26):

May the LORD bless you and keep you; may the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; may the LORD lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace. Shalom. Amen.

Visit our church website: www.milleravenuechurch.org:

Worship Service Videos, Audio Sermons, Essays, Pastor’s Blog, Community Blog, Newsletters, Bulletins, Photo Gallery, Giving Portal, links to our videos, and more!

Also visit our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/miller.avenue.church.mill.valley>

Our videos of Sunday morning sermons, Bible Study shows, and Why We Are Christians shows are on:

YouTube at Miller Avenue Church Mill Valley

Our Sunday morning sermons (audio) are also on:

Apple podcasts, Amazon music/audible, Gaana
YouTube Music, iHeartRadio,
Radio.com mobile app, and Spotify
(look for “Miller Avenue Church”)

Our YouTube channel: [@milleravenuechurchmillvalley](https://www.youtube.com/@milleravenuechurchmillvalley)

Questions? ask katie@milleravenuechurch.org



Gospel Meditation

Paul in Corinth

Acts 18:1-17

1. Paul left Athens and went to Corinth, 46 miles away. There he teamed up with Aquila and his wife Priscilla, Jews who had been forced to leave Rome in 49 AD, and they were tentmakers as Paul was.
2. Paul continued his practice of going to a local synagogue on the Sabbath, Saturday mornings, and preached to both the Jews and Greeks who were there.
3. Silas and Timothy arrived from Athens later on and found Paul doing his missionary work.
4. Paul was opposed by the local Jewish folks, and he rather dramatically announced he would focus on reaching out to Gentiles.
5. Despite this, the ruler of the local synagogue believed in Jesus along with his entire household. And thus began many Corinthians hearing the Gospel and being baptized.
6. One evening, while Paul was asleep, the Lord spoke to him and told him that many in Corinth would become believers—so, do not be silent.
7. For another year and a half Paul continued teaching “the word of God among them.”
8. However, despite this promise, local Jewish people did attack Paul, stating that his preaching was “contrary to the law” and thus the Romans should prevent him from doing this.
9. But Gallio, the Roman proconsul, said he would not interfere with Paul and they would have to deal with him themselves.
10. Oddly, and mostly unknown, Sosthenes, the ruler of the synagogue was beaten by his own people, but Gallio paid no attention to this.

Notes:

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father almighty, Creator
of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son,
our Lord. He was conceived by the power of
the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead. On the third day
He rose again. He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand
of the Father. He will come again
to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian
Church, the communion
of the saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen

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Lord's Prayer

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who
trespass against us.

Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory forever. Amen

Visitor Information Card

*Please tear off and fill out card.
Place in offering basket or
give to church staff member.*

Today's Date: _____

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Prayer Request

Please pray for:

Other comments:

☐ I would like someone to contact
me to pray over more confidential
matters.

I would like to learn more about: .

- ☐ Christianity .
- ☐ The Bible .
- ☐ Baptism .
- ☐ Receiving Counseling .
- ☐ Deliverance Ministry .
- ☐ Other _____ .

I am interested in helping with: .

- ☐ Lunch Helping .
- ☐ Fix-up and Clean-up .
- ☐ Donated Food Pick-up .
- ☐ Worship music .
- ☐ Worship Audio/Visual .
- ☐ Television Crewing .
- ☐ Pastoral Care Team .
- ☐ Teaching .
- ☐ Writing and Publishing .
- ☐ Website Maintenance .
- ☐ Other _____ .

I am interested in attending: .

- ☐ Wed. Eve. Divorce Recovery .
- ☐ Men’s Group (TBD) .
- ☐ Women’s Bible Study (TBD) .
- ☐ Zoom Class on Christian History .

Other Comments: .
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Upcoming Preaching Schedule
Morning Service:

- July 5:** Sermon= Acts 18:18–28 (Kent)
Expo= Galatians 5:16–26 (Ingrid)
- July 12:** Sermon= Acts 19:1–10 (Kent)
Expo= Galatians 6:1–10 (Rebeka)
- July 19:** Sermon= Acts 19:11–20 (Kent)
Expo= Galatians 6:11–18 (Matthew)

Sunday Evening Service:

6:00–7:00 p.m.

Filming schedule at CMCM happens
most Thursday afternoons.
Contact Kent or Katie if you are
interested in learning how to crew
on our productions

TV Program Viewing Schedule
(View all on Marin cable channel **24** or 99)

- Why We Are Christians:**
Saturdays 1:30 and Fridays 7:30 PM
- Bible Study:**
Fridays 8:00 PM
- Spiritual Paths and the Pastor:**
Sundays noon, Mondays 2:30 PM

For current daily broadcast schedule, check
online at **cmcm.tv/watchcommunity**

Giving:

- Anticipated Income \$ 5,000
- *Giving for June \$ 2,610
- *DOES include digital giving