

PEARL CITY COMMUNITY CHURCH 1955 - 1990



Reconciliation, Renewal and Recommitment

"Therefore, if any one is in Christ, he is a new creation, the old has passed away, behold, the new has come. All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; that is, God was in Christ reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. So we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We beseech you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

(II Corinthians 5:17-21)

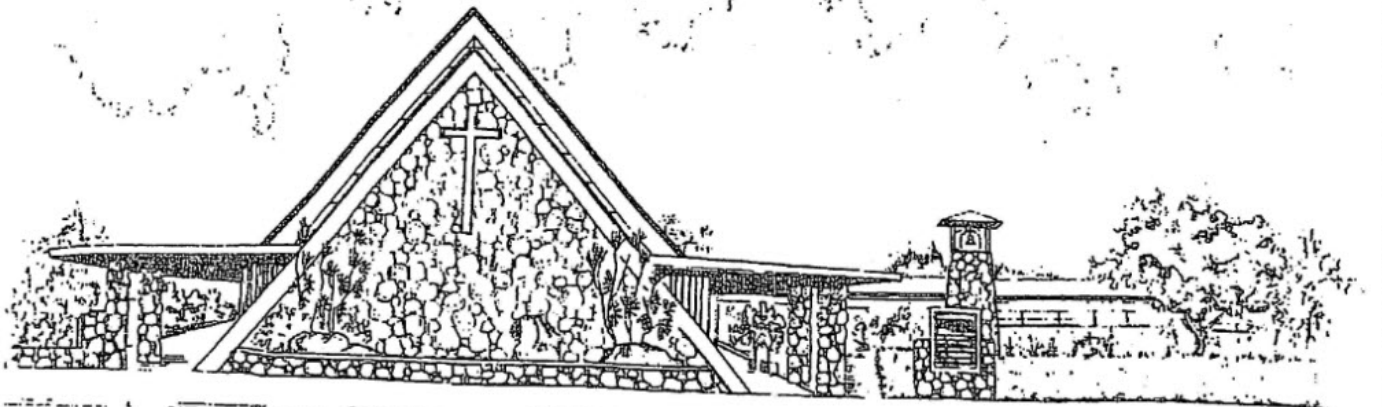


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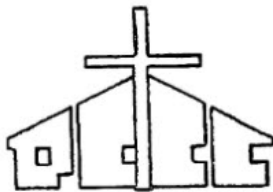
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Dear Members and Friends of Pearl City Community Church,

It gives me great pleasure to greet you on this, the 35th Anniversary of Pearl City Community Church. Happy Birthday!

In recent weeks, as I have spent a good amount of time researching the Church's history by digging into old and present records and by talking with people, I have been profoundly touched by the experience. Many will say that past history has no value and some may align themselves with Henry Ford who once was quoted as saying, "History is bunk!" It is my feeling, however, that a sense of history is critically important to our present day experience which will in turn give form and shape to an exciting and creative future. Knowing our story, getting in touch with the pain and struggle as well as the joys and victories of being the church has taught me much about how human beings choose to respond to God and especially how God has been faithful to this, Christ's church.

As we gather during this occasion of the 35th Anniversary, may we as a Church exercise a profound sense of gratitude to God for all that God has done, and may we, together be in a joyful spirit which binds us in solidarity with each other and with the Spirit of the Living God who breathes life anew

Thank you for being a part of this rich history and thank you for your ongoing contributions to the Church as God's servant people. May we together continue to build this community-of-faith in Pearl City to the glory of God in Jesus Christ.

Sincerely,

Grant S. C. Lee
Pastor

