PoP Churches New Features

Added a capability to Open the Apple Maps App to the Location of the Currently Selected Church (PoP Churches 6.2)

Added a capability to open the Apple Maps app to the location of the currently selected church. This allows use of the many extensive features of Apple Maps for every church, including the Look Around feature which is available for nearly all of the Presbytery of the Pacific churches. The Look Around feature allows users to interactively view the 360° street-level imagery of the church facilities and all of the surrounding buildings. Just touch the small church building icon to open Apple Maps to the church's location. See Addendum at end for instructions on using Look Around.









PoP Churches App

Maps App

Look Around

Added Capability to Enter Next Worship Service Event into Calendar App (PoP Churches 6.1)

Added a button which enters the time and date of the next worship service into the Calendar app. The time of the church's worship service is converted to local time in your current time zone. Alarms are set for one hour and one day prior to the worship service time. The URL for the worship service live stream is included, along with relevant Zoom information (if applicable).

For churches with multiple worship service times, you can easily change the specified worship service time to your desired worship service directly in the Calendar app. You can delete or add alarms directly in the Calendar app. You can also remove the worship service event or change the event to a repeating event directly in the Calendar app.



of Hawthorne Worship Service 13560 HAWTHORNE BLVD, HAWTHORNE, CA Join 🗅 10:15 AM to 11:15 AM St. Mark's Presbyteria George > 1 hour before > 1 day before > zoomus://zoom.us/join? confno=84387754072&pwd=383548 In-Person and Online (Zoom) Zoom Meeting ID: 84387754072 Zoom Passcode: 383548 Hawthorne ndale **Delete Event**

PoP Churches App

Calendar App

Added Online Worship Service Links

Added a direct link to Online Worship Services for churches that have live streaming on Zoom, YouTube Live, Facebook Live, or on their own Websites. Simply click or touch the Online Worship Button to go directly to the Live Stream during normal worship times. Many churches have also archived past worship services on their own Website, YouTube or Facebook pages.

Added Quick Actions to Pop Churches App (iPhone and iPad only)

- Pacific Presbytery is Static Quick Action
- The (up to) 3 most recent churches accessed are Dynamic Quick Actions
- Long press to show Quick Actions
- Tap any church shown to go directly to that church in PoP Churches.

Added Siri Shortcut for Last Accessed Church to PoP Churches (iPhone and iPad only)

- · Activate in Apple's Shortcuts App
- · Can choose custom phrase to invoke Siri
- Can add to Home Screen (with custom name and icon image if desired)
- Can have multiple Siri Shortcuts by sequentially choosing each church and setting Siri Shortcut for that church.







Added Small and Medium Widgets with iOS 14 or Later (iPhone and iPad only)

- Activate with button on Church Detail View
- Widget can only be implemented for a single church
- Tap on Widget to go directly to that church
- May take a few minutes for new church information to appear when widget is updated with a new church





PoP Churches App Capabilities

As in previous versions, each church page provides links to that church's website, Facebook page, Twitter page, Instagram page, and YouTube page (assuming the church has those pages), as well as worship times and current weather conditions at the church. Links are also provided to each church's PC(USA) Church Trends, Church Statistical Report, and Minister Directory.

The PoP Churches App can also enter church contact and address information directly into the iOS or Mac Contacts App, and provides a detailed map of the church's location along with driving directions from your current location to the church

A form is provided to easily send an email message to the church, and an iPhone can directly place a call to the church. The PoP Churches App permits you to easily find Presbytery of the Pacific Churches by name, city, state, or language spoken, and provides a map displaying the location of all PoP churches in California and Hawaii.

Compatibility

PoP Churches App Requires iOS 12.0 or later, iPadOS 12.0 or later, or macOS 10.15 or later.

Addendum:

Look Around in Maps on iPhone and iPad

You can view the church's location in the Maps app in interactive 3D that lets you pan 360 degrees and move through the location.

Tap the image or binoculars near the bottom of a map.

To change the view, do any of the following:

- Pan: Drag a finger left or right.
- Move forward: Tap the scene.
- Zoom in or out: Pinch open or closed.
- Switch to or from full-screen view: Tap 5 or 5.
- View another point of interest: Switch from full-screen view, then tap elsewhere on the map.
- Hide labels in full-screen view: Tap the place card at the bottom, then tap .