

IN SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY (MAY 28)

Liturgist: Paul Etue

Accompanist: Tyler Vaughn

Junior Church: Karen Kessell

HAPPENING WEEKLY IN THE LIFE OF YOUR CHURCH

Every Sunday 10:30am Sunday School for all ages (thru May)

Every Monday: 9:30am -Noon Monday Morning Bible Reading

Every Wednesday: 10-11am Prayer Fellowship

6:30-7:30pm New Testament Reading and Gospel Q & A

Each Day: Use the Prayer Guidebook (available in the lobby) to pray daily for your family, church, community, and the world. Follow the daily Bible Reading schedule to read the Bible through in One Year.

THIS WEEK

Monday: 6:30 pm Women's Fellowship. All women are welcome to attend whether a member of the church or not.

Wednesday 10 – 11 am Prayer Fellowship

6:30-7:30 pm New Testament reading and Gospel Q & A

YOUTH FUNDING

Help send the Youth Group to *Youth2023* by hiring a youth to help you around the house and yard. You can also donate by taking an envelope found in the lobby, donate the amount listed on the front, and return it to the offering plate. Be sure to write your name on the envelope.

GRADUATE SUNDAY

Graduates (both High School & College) will be honored in worship on Sunday, June 11th. If you or someone in your household has or will graduate this year, please turn their name into the church office as soon as possible. Please do not assume we know you have a graduate in your family.

SUNDAY BRUNCH

The Men's Fellowship will host a Sunday Brunch after worship on Sunday, June 11th. Donations of breakfast casseroles or coffee cakes would be greatly appreciated. See Aaron Vallie if you would like to help provide something. There will be a Freewill basket for donations with proceeds going towards the Youth2023 trip.

ANNUAL CLOTHING GIVEAWAY

The Annual Clothing Give-away will be held at Wagar Middle School on Friday, August 4th from 2-7pm. The collection of gently used clothing of all sizes (including infant & toddler) is now going on. Donations can be dropped off at Wagar Middle School (go to North entrance doors) they will direct you as to where to drop them off. Help will be needed on July 31st and August 2nd to sort and prepare the donations. Call Jean Baker (734-915-1173) or Cheryl Marlow (313-702-4929) for more information.



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Seventh Sunday of Easter

May 21, 2023

Rev. Eun Sik Poy, pastor

Organist: Marsha Metz

Liturgist: Judy Shrewsbury

Junior Church: Kim Baxter

**Nursery and Pray Ground (on the South side of the sanctuary)
is always open for use by parents**

Order of Worship

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Service of Lights

***Call to worship:**

L: Shout to God with voices of great joy!

P: The Lord is great and greatly to be praised!

L: Today, God will give us instructions for our lives.

P: We eagerly look forward to learning more ways to serve God.

L: Listen! God's word is suitable for your quality of life!

P: Open our hearts and spirits to hear your words today. AMEN.

***Opening Songs** *You are My King (Amazing Love)*
Lord I Need You

Greet One Another

Please remain in your pew, standing if you like, and greet one another with a wave of your hand and words of greeting. Children ages 4 to 4th grade may leave for Junior Church at this time.

Praises and Prayer Requests

Please fill out a green prayer card, found in the pew rack, for those you are lifting up in prayer today so we can send a note of encouragement to them.

Pastoral and Silent Prayers

The 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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Song of Preparation *Be Exalted, O God*

Scripture Lesson

John 6: 16-21

Reader: This is the world of God for the people of God!

People: Thanks be to God.

Message

Rev. Eun Sik Poy

"Maintaining the Quality of Life"

Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts

***Doxology**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise him all creatures here below. Praise him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

Almighty God, we express our gratitude for your love and guidance, which empower us continually to grow in your wisdom and knowledge. We place our trust in your promises, knowing they will keep us secure and bring abundant blessings into our lives. We recognize that your word illuminates our path and provides guidance. Thank you, Jesus. We pray in the precious name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

***Sending Forth Song** *Because He Lives*

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

*Please stand as you are able.