

IN SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY (JULY 30)

Liturgist: Cheryl Marlow Accompanist: Morgan Vaughn
Junior Church: leaders are needed. Please sign-up in the lobby.

HAPPENING WEEKLY IN THE LIFE OF YOUR CHURCH

Every Monday: Bible Reading is now on summer break

Every Wednesday: 10-11am Prayer Fellowship

New Testament Reading is on summer break

Each Day: Use the Prayer Guidebook 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.

WALK WITH FRIENDS

Today, 2pm Walk with Friends at Willow Metro Park

YOUTH23

Please keep our Youth and Chaperones attending YOUTH23 in Daytona Florida this week.

CHURCH OUTING

Today is the final day to sign up and pay to attend the August 27th Detroit Tiger Game with the church. Ticket prices are \$31.00 each. Please sign-up on the office door today if you are interested in attending. Money is due to Stacey Bodenmiller by check or by Venmo @Stacey-Bodenmiller. We will meet up here at church at Noon on the 27th and travel as a group. Once at the stadium, parking will be on your own (there are fees involved). We will meet up again in our reserved section as each person attending will have their own tickets so entry will not be an issue.

ANNUAL CLOTHING GIVEAWAY

The sorting of the donations for the Annual Clothing Giveaway will be Monday, July 31st and Wednesday, August 2nd. See Jean Baker or Cheryl Marlow for details. Donations can still be taken to Wagar Middle School (go to the main door – which are the middle set on the front of the building) the office staff will direct you from there on where to place your donations. The Giveaway takes place on Friday, August 4th from 2= 7pm.



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Worship: 9:30 a.m.

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

July 23, 2023

Rev. Eun Sik Poy, pastor

Pianist: Tyler Vaughn

Liturgist: Mike Baxter

Junior Church: Kim Baxter

Order of Worship

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Service of Lights

*Call to worship:

L: Come, let us worship the Lord our God who made our bodies, souls, and spirits.

P: we come into the presence of God to worship and praise His glory.

L: Come, let us open our hearts to God, who knows our hearts and needs.

P: we come into the presence of God, bow our heads, and pour our hearts into Him.

L: Come, let us get on our knees and ask for his healing hand and comforting grace.

P: Our God is loving and merciful and will answer our prayers. AMEN.

*Opening Hymn *Come into the House of the Lord
Lord, Reign in Me*

Greet One Another

Children ages 4 to 4th grade are welcome to attend Junior Church at this time with Kim Baxter.

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.

Hymn of Preparation *Victory in Jesus* 370

Scripture Lesson

1 Kings 18: 41-46

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

People: Thanks be to God.

Message

Rev. Eun Sik Poy

"Three steps for making your prayer effective"

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 thank you for your unchanging love and the countless blessings you bestow upon us. Today, we humbly acknowledge our weaknesses and lean on your strength to fulfill our needs abundantly. Loving God, may the miraculous stories in the Bible become a source of comfort and guidance in our own lives. Help us to open our hearts and eyes, that we may see the needs of others and extend our care and support for them. We pray in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Sending Song *I Stand Amazed in the Presence* 371

*Benediction

*Postlude

*Please stand as you are able.