

IN SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY (AUG. 27)

Liturgist: Trevor Kessell Accompanist: Tyler Vaughn
Junior Church: leaders are needed. Please sign-up in the lobby.

HAPPENING WEEKLY IN THE LIFE OF YOUR CHURCH

Every Wednesday: 10-11am Prayer Fellowship

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.

TODAY

Blessing of the Backpacks

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

The next newsletter will be for September/October and material is due into the church office by Tuesday, August 22nd.

HOMECOMING DAY

Our member care team is hosting a Homecoming Day on Sunday, September 17th. With hopes of seeing the whole church family, we invite everyone to join together for worship followed by a potluck and fellowship. Please reach out to those who we have not seen in a while to fellowship with us. Hot dogs will be provided.



Acts 4:8-16

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Worship: 9:30 a.m.

Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

August 20, 2023

Rev. Eun Sik Poy, pastor

Pianist: Marsha Metz

Liturgist: Paul Etue

Order of Worship

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Service of Lights

*Call to Worship

L: Come, let us worship the Creator who has given us life.

P:Let us send our praises to God, who knows us totally and loves us.

L: God is like a potter who shapes and forms our lives.

P:Let us place our trust always in his guidance.

L: Come, let us worship God, who has blessed us so mightily.

P:Let us praise God with our whole hearts, souls, minds and spirits.

*Opening Song

How Great Thou Art

#77

Greet One Another

Children ages 4 to 4th grade are welcome help themselves to the activity cart in the lobby.

Blessing of the Backpacks

Praises and Prayer Requests

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

Silent and Pastoral Prayer

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 Pass it On

#572

Scripture Reading

Acts 4:8-16

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

People: Thanks be to God!

Message

Aspirations for A Productive and Effective Christian Life Rev. Poy

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, thank you for the overflowing blessings and amazing love you have bestowed on us through Jesus Christ. We acknowledge that Jesus Christ is the source of our comfort, the inspiration of our life. Loving God, empower us to be bold in sharing your gospel through our words and our lives as your disciples. And grant us the courage to stand up for righteousness, justice, and truth. We pray in the precious name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Sending Song

Since Jesus Came into my Heart

#2140

*Benediction

*Postlude

*Please stand as able.