

EASTER SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

April 17, 2022

10:00 AM
(*please stand)

CALL TO WORSHIP

Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good; His love endures forever. In our anguish we cried to the LORD, and He answered by setting us free. Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good; His love endures forever. The LORD is our strength and our song; He has become our salvation. Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good; His love endures forever. We will not die but live, and will proclaim what the LORD has done. Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good; His love endures forever. The stone the builders rejected has become the capstone; The LORD has done this; and it is marvelous in our eyes. This is the day the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

—from Psalm 118:1, 5, 14, 17, 22-24, NIV

PRAISE*

This Is Amazing Grace
Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

CALL TO CONFESSION

The proof of God's amazing love is this: While we were sinners, Christ died for us. Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need. Trusting in God's faithfulness and compassion, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

—based on Romans 5:8; Hebrews 4:16, NRSV

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

"Death has been swallowed up in victory." "Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?" The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

—1 Corinthians 15:54-57, NRSV

THE APOSTLE'S CREED*

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ His only son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. The third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Universal Church; the communion of

saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING*

Luke 20:9-19

9 And he began to tell the people this parable: "A man planted a vineyard and let it out to tenants and went into another country for a long while. 10 When the time came, he sent a servant to the tenants, so that they would give him some of the fruit of the vineyard. But the tenants beat him and sent him away empty-handed. 11 And he sent another servant. But they also beat and treated him shamefully, and sent him away empty-handed. 12 And he sent yet a third. This one also they wounded and cast out. 13 Then the owner of the vineyard said, 'What shall I do? I will send my beloved son; perhaps they will respect him.' 14 But when the tenants saw him, they said to themselves, 'This is the heir. Let us kill him, so that the inheritance may be ours.' 15 And they threw him out of the vineyard and killed him. What then will the owner of the vineyard do to them? 16 He will come and destroy those tenants and give the vineyard to others." When they heard this, they said, "Surely not!" 17 But he looked directly at them and said, "What then is this that is written: "'The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone'?" 18 Everyone who falls on that stone will be broken to pieces, and when it falls on anyone, it will crush him." 19 The scribes and the chief priests sought to lay hands on him at that very hour, for they perceived that he had told this parable against them, but they feared the people.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER

Elder Chris Choi

SERMON

A Rude Rejection

Pastor Peter Pak

OFFERING & RESPONSE*

O Praise the Name/What a Beautiful Name

ANNOUNCEMENTS & BENEDICTION*

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- Please continue to pray for our Senior Pastor, Elders & Pastoral Staff.
- Thank you to everyone who participated in last Sunday's Fellowship Event. Special thanks to Deaconess Ahn and Isabell Choi, and to Deacon Patrick who helped setup the sound and projector.
 - Welcoming Committee is working on another fellowship event in June to fellowship with returning college students and graduating High School seniors.
- Elementary and Youth Group will be having an Easter BBQ today at church at 1PM.
- BCPC will be offering an in-person Summer School program this summer. There are information flyers at the welcome table and online: www.bcpcem.org/summer-school/
 - We need teachers for the Summer School program. If you are interested, please speak with Pastor Peter.
- If you are interested in getting involved with some feedback about the church facilities, please speak with Pastor Peter.
- Please continue to pray for Yun Keun and his family, and for more information please visit: www.swabforyunkeun.com
- Reminder: We encourage families to bring their children to EM worship. We will have a nursery room for infants/toddlers. All Education Department programming will begin at 11:30AM.
- Online Giving: Please go to <https://www.bcpcem.org/give>.



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Intercessory Prayer Schedule

- April 24: Deaconess Judy Jo
- May 1: Deacon Will Park
- May 8: Deaconess Hue-Sun Ahn

Fighter Verse of the Week: Psalm 1:1-2

1 Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; 2 but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night.

Please prepare your hearts for worship

1 John 3:16