



PARK AVENUE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

A CONGREGATION OF THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(DISCIPLES OF CHRIST) + THE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

October 1, 2023

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

Sweet Hour of Prayer

Text: William Walford

Hymn Tune: William B. Bradbury (SWEET HOUR)

WELCOME

The Rev. Kaji S. Douša

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

Friend of God

Composed by Israel Houghton & Michael Gungor

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 15:10-11, 15-20 (Year A, p. 482)

PRE-SERMONIC SELECTION

Give Me A Clean Heart

Composed by Margaret Pleasant Douroux

SERMON

The Rev. Kaji S. Douša

POST SERMONIC MEDITATION

A Secret Place (Instrumental)

Composed by Richard Smallwood

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC

Lovely Day (Instrumental)

Composed by Bill Withers & Skip Scarborough

DOXOLOGY

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE INVITATION TO THE TABLE

WORDS OF INSTITUTION & THE PRAYER FOR THE MEAL

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PARTAKING OF THE FEAST

CHRIST'S PRAYER

Our God in heaven,
hallowed be Your name.
Your Kindom come, Your will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
And forgive us our sins/debts/trespases,
as we forgive those who
sin/debt/tresspass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Yours is the kindom, and the power,
and the glory forever. Amen.

*Padre nuestro que estás en los cielos
santificado sea tu nombre.
Venga a nosotros tu reino, hágase
Tu voluntad, en la tierra como en el cielo.
Danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día.
Perdona nuestras deudas/ofensas, como
también nosotros perdonamos
a los que nos ofenden.
No nos dejes caer en tentación
y libranos del mal.
Porque tuyo es el reino, tuyo es el poder y
la gloria, ahora y siempre. Amén.*

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

COMMUNION MUSICAL MEDITATION

Total Praise
Composed by Richard Smallwood

THE BLESSING

CLOSING SELECTION

Siyahambe
Traditional Xhosa Melody

Prayers

WE LIFT BY NAME:

HARRY AND HIS FAMILY, HELEN, MARY, & THEIR EXTENDED FAMILIES, BETH, THE FAMILY OF ANADITH REYES, SIGRID, MARIA & THE FAMILY OF SANTOS MORALES, THE FAMILY OF SARAH MOOK, DONALD WONG, THE FAMILY OF FREDRICKA CUNNINGHAM, LUIS-ALFREDO, EVELYN & THEIR FAMILY, JARED SOUDER & FAMILY, WILLIAM ALLEN, THE ALLEN FAMILY, KEVIN SANTOS, ELIAS, LIDIS, HILLARY, TONY & THE BUCKLAND FAMILY, BABY LUCAS, FRANCINE DOZIER, CHRISTOPHER HENDERSON, THE FAMILY OF ELAINE CUNNINGHAM, FREDDIE MAE JACOBS, LINDA, JOE, JASON, ERIC, JAMESON, JACOB, THE PACHOMSKI FAMILY, EDWARD & EMILY, ROSA & MICHAEL, WENDY, ANTHONY, CAROL, JENNIFER & MARVEN, PAM & BRUCE WOOD, THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE, REBECCA, THE BEZNER FAMILY, TAMMY, STAR, ELLE & THE JUARBE FAMILY, MIGUEL, SALOME & THE WATSON FAMILY, MARSHA, SHANNON, TODD & HIS FAMILY, AHMIR, LENNY & HIS FAMILY, MARYLYN & HER FAMILY, JIMMY, DANN, DYLAN, WAYNE, BRAD, BRIAN, JEAN, DORIS, SAMUEL, JENSENE, BRIAN, HALEY, THOMAS, TANYA, ADOLPHUS, JAY, EARL, & GLORIA.

MAY THE LOVE OF CHRIST BE WITH YOU ALWAYS.

**Happy Birthday
October**

2- DR. ANNE COFFMAN	17- JOSIE CATHERS, LYNN M. MACY, RODNEY PAGE
3- MARISA ANTOS-FALLON, SAMANTHA NOWICKI	18- AZUA KOUADIO, AMENAH KOUADIO
5- BONNIE T. DILL, BETH PEASE	21- DAN BURCH, DR. SHERRY GILES, PRESTON DAVIS
6- BILL TOKEDTER, CAROL GRIFFITHS, LEE CROSHAM, JOE ROBERSON	22- NADEIGE C. SEKUYAHMAH
7- JOCHRISTINE MILES	23- SIMONE JANSSEN
12- IRIS BURROUGHS	24- MONA LISA MARTIN
13- BILL SOMPLATSKY-JARMAN	27- JASMINE SYKES KLINK, MARY N. COCHRAN-SCHLOTTMAN
14- CASSIDY C. BURCH, VINCE PAGANO JR.	28- CERRY BRAGUE

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Praise and Worship –

Sweet Hour of Prayer – Text: William Walford;
Hymn Tune: William B. Bradbury (SWEET HOUR)
(#505 TNCH) CCLI – 5252587 ESL – 14617

Friend of God – Composed by Israel Houghton & Michael Gungor
CCLI – 3991651 ESL – 10147 Harry Fox – F3991G

Pre-Sermonic Selection –

Give Me A Clean Heart – Composed by Margaret Pleasant Douroux
CCLI – 314764 ESL – 69597

Post Sermonic Moment – (INSTRUMENTAL)

A Secret Place – Composed by Richard Smallwood
BMI – 6219944 ESL – 2050329

Offertory – (INSTRUMENTAL)

Lovely Day – Composed by Bill Withers & Skip Scarborough
ASCAP – 420223369 ESL – 11571 HarryFox – L3501Q

Communion –

Total Praise – Composed by Richard Smallwood
CCLI – 2110330 ESL – 10087 Harry Fox – T11789

Closing Selection –

Siyahambe – Traditional Xhosa Melody
Public Domain CCLI – 7051680 ESL – 41873

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