



PARK AVENUE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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

October 15, 2023

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

Wonderful Is Your Name
Composed by Melvin Crispell

WELCOME

The Rev. Kaji S. Douša

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

Blessed Assurance
Text: Fanny Crosby;
Hymn Tune: ASSURANCE, Pheobe P. Knapp

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 13:54-58 (Year A, p. 496)

PRE-SERMONIC SELECTION

Speak To My Heart
Composed by Donnie McClurkin

SERMON

The Rev. Kaji S. Douša

POST SERMONIC MEDITATION

Indescribable (Instrumental)
Composed by Laura Story & Jesse Reeves

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

Sharon Jenkins

OFFERTORY MUSIC

You Are My Strength (Instrumental)
Composed by Reuben Morgan

DOXOLOGY

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Sharon Jenkins

THE INVITATION TO THE TABLE

The Rev. Dr. Richard Sturm

WORDS OF INSTITUTION & THE PRAYER FOR THE MEAL

Follow us on:

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 líbranos 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

*Be Still My Soul (Instrumental)
Author: Kathrina von Schlegel,
Hymn Tune: Jean Sibelius (FINLANDIA)
Arr. Mika Nishimura-Abustan*

THE BLESSING

The Rev. Dr. Richard Sturm

CLOSING SELECTION

Siyahambe
Traditional Xhosa Melody



Prayers

WE LIFT BY NAME:

PATRICIA & HER SON QUINCY, CHRISTOPHER, DONNA MARIE, & HENDERSON FAMILY, HARRY & HIS FAMILY, HELEN, MARY, & THEIR EXTENDED FAMILIES, BETH, THE FAMILY OF ANADITH REYES, SIGRID, MARIA & THE FAMILY OF SANTOS MORALEZ, 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

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| 2- DR. ANNE COFFMAN | 17- JOSIE CATHERS, LYNN M. MACY, RODNEY PAGE |
| 3- MARISA ANTOS-FALLON, SAMANTHA NOWCKI | 18- AJAJA KOUADIO, AMENAN KOUADIO |
| 5- BONNIE T. DILL, BETH PEASE | 21- DAN BURCH, DR. SHERRY GILES |
| 6- BILL TOEDTER, CAROL GRIFFITHS, LEE CRISHAM, JOE ROBERSON | 22- NADJEE C. SEKYI/ABRAHAM, PRESTON DAVIS |
| 7- JO-CHRISTINE HILES | 23- SIMONE JANSSEN |
| 12- IRIS BURROUGHS | 24- MONALISA MARTIN |
| 13- BILL SOMPLATSKY-JARMAN | 27- JASMINE SYKES-KUNK, MARY N. COCHRAN-SCHLOTTMAN |
| 14- CASSIDY C. BURCH, VINCE PAGANO JR. | 28- GERRY BRACUE |

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Praise and Worship –

Wonderful Is Your Name – Composed by Melvin Crispell
BMI – 4976389 ESL – 47970 Harry Fox – W14857

Praise and Worship (HYMN OF THE MORNING) –

Blessed Assurance – Text: Fanny Crosby;
Hymn Tune: ASSURANCE, Pheobe P. Knapp
CCLI – 22324

Pre-Sermonic Selection –

Speak To My Heart – Composed by Donnie McClurkin
CCLI – 1455608 ESL – 31941 Harry Fox – S35708

Post Sermonic Moment – (INSTRUMENTAL)

Indescribable – Composed by Laura Story & Jesse Reeves
CCLI – 4403076 ESL – 7741 Harry Fox – I54150

Offertory – (INSTRUMENTAL)

You Are My Strength – Composed by Reuben Morgan
CCLI – 4869940 ESL – 28828 Harry Fox – Y19800

Communion –

Be Still My Soul – Author: Kathrina von Schlegel, Hymn Tune: Jean Sibelius (FINLANDIA)
Arr. Mika Nishimura-Abustan
CCLI – 96910 ESL – 44455

Closing Selection –

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

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