



PARK AVENUE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 21, 2025

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

Jesus, I Love You
Composed by Edwin Hawkins

WELCOME

The Rev. Kaji Douša

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

How Great Is Our God
*Composed by Chris Tomlin,
Jesse Reeves & Ed Cash*

SCRIPTURE READING

John 5:25–29 (NRSV)
Hillary Buckland

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Sharon Jenkins

PRE-SERMONIC SELECTION

Order My Steps
Composed by Glenn Burleigh

SERMON

The Rev. Kaji Douša

POST SERMONIC INTERLUDE

Holy Is The Lamb (Instrumental)
Composed by Frederick White

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

Sharon Jenkins

OFFERTORY MUSIC

Piano Incidental

DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise God all creatures here below
Praise God above ye heavenly hosts
Praise Maker, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.*

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Sharon Jenkins

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THE FEAST OF THE EUCHARIST

THE INVITATION TO THE TABLE

Sharon Jenkins

WORDS OF INSTITUTION & THE PRAYER FOR THE MEAL

The Rev. Kaji Douša

CHRIST'S PRAYER

Our God in heaven,
hallowed be Your name.
Your Kingdom 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/trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Yours is the kingdom, 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.*

PARTAKING OF THE FEAST

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Rev. Kaji Douša

COMMUNION MUSICAL MEDITATION

Total Praise
Composed by Richard Smallwood

THE BLESSING

The Rev. Kaji Douša

CLOSING SELECTION

Great Things
Composed by Ricky R. Dillard



Prayers

WE REMEMBER THE NAMES OF OUR SAINTS:

Robert Adams, Mary Norton, Juanita Shacklett, Dr. Thelma Mothershed-Wair, Michael Cathers, Helen White, Connie Packard, Ashley Ballard, Deborah Owen, John Lau, James Brewer-Calvert, Randolph White, Carl Buckland, Anadith Reyes, Santos Morales, Sarah Mook, Elaine Cunningham, Frederica Cunningham, Bess Terry, Joyce Clevenger, Frank Tyson, Estelita Pate, Mark Leach, Joe & Aubrey Platnick, Ima Jean Kidd, and many others in our families and in our community.

We continue to raise these names in prayer:

The Family of Dr. Robert Adams, The Wiedeman Family, Brooke & Jayden, Julianna & Khaleigh, The Norton Brennan & White Families, Ravi, Kevin, Beth, Grace & Preston, Manola, Sigrid, Candace, Donna & The Bevenssee Family, Sharon & Her Husband, Rev. Dan & Gloria Feliciano, Peggy Owen Clark, Mary Devon O'Brien, Hillary & The Buckland Family, Patricia & Her Son Quincy, Christopher, Donna Maria & The Henderson Family, Harry & His Family, Maria Lopez, Donald Wong, Luis-Alfredo, Evelyn & Their Family, Jared Souder & Family, William Allen, The Allen Family, Kevin Santos, Elias, Lidis, Baby Lucas, Francine Dozier, Christopher Henderson, Freddie Mae Jacobs, Linda, Joe, Jason, Eric, Jameson, Jacob, The Pachomski Family, Edward & Emily, Rosa & Michael, Wendy, Anthony, Carol, Jennifer & Marvin, 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, Marilyn & Her Family, Jimmy, Dann, Dylan, Wayne, Brad, Brian, Jean, Daris, Samuel, Jensene, Brian, Haley, Thomas, Tanya, Adolphus, Jay, Earl, & Gloria

May the love of Christ be with you always.



THE PARK

Happy Birthday

September

1- Craig Hoffman	11- Socrates E. Echavarria
2- Nicole Kyriazis	12- Will Pagano
4- Meghan Janssen, Natalie Lewis	13- Saya Callner, Vanessa Lindley,
6- Ayodeji Otuyelu, Alvin Moonesar, Steven Macdonald, George Schmidt,	15- Paul Vasile, Alec Wirth
Patricia Scales	16- Leslee Sumner
7- Kathryn Brewer-Calvert	16- Robert Castro
8- Gary Lowery, Judith Wray	18- Scott Sublett, Matthew Walters
9- Evelyn DeJesus,	19- Katrina Mitchell
Carol Somplatsky-Jarman	20- Maria Morban
10- Maggie Adolphe, Agnes Leyden, Scott Edson, Jonathan Spencer	21- Shannon Harris
	22- Charles Valeschi, CJ Watrobcki
	23- Deb Wada
	30- William Shipman

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Praise and Worship –

Jesus, I Love You – Composed by Edwin Hawkins
ESL – 1824607 Harry Fox – J26681

How Great Is Our God – Composed by Chris Tomlin, Jesse Reeves & Ed Cash
ASCAP – 381020055 BMI – 7165498 CCLI – 4348399
ESL – 10871 Harry Fox – H3701R

Pre-Sermonic Selection –

Order My Steps – Composed by Glenn Burleigh
CCLI – 1138080 ESL – 27501 Harry Fox – 000514

Post Sermon Interlude – (INSTRUMENTAL)

Holy Is The Lamb – Composed by Frederick White
ASCAP – 380406266 ESL – 69117 Harry Fox – H08375

Offertory – (PIANO INCIDENTAL, INTO DOXOLOGY)

Communion –

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

Closing –

Great Things – Composed by Ricky R. Dillard
BMI – 8328639 ESL – 26177

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