



**PARK AVENUE
CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

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

EASTER IV

April 26, 2026

PRELUDE

Imagine Me (Instrumental)
Composed by Kirk Franklin

WELCOME + PRAYER

The Rev. Kaji S. Douša

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

You Are My Strength
Composed by Reuben Morgan

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 22:23-33 (Year A, p. 310)
Gumbs-Fahie Family

PRE-SERMONIC SELECTION

Goodness of God
*Composed by Edmond Cash, Benjamin Fielding,
Jason Ingram, Brian Johnson, & Jennifer Johnson*

SERMON

The Rev. Kaji S. Douša

POST SERMONIC INTERLUDE

Speak To My Heart (Instrumental)
Composed by Donnie McClurkin

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

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, Amen, Amen*

OFFERTORY PRAYER + PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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THE FEAST OF THE EUCHARIST

THE INVITATION TO THE TABLE

WORDS OF INSTITUTION & THE PRAYER FOR THE MEAL

The Rev. Kaji S. Douša

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.*

PARTAKING OF THE FEAST

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Rev. Kaji S. Douša

COMMUNION MUSICAL MEDITATION

Let Us Break Bread Together
Traditional

THE BLESSING

The Rev. Kaji S. Douša

CLOSING SELECTION

(All are welcome to join in song)

Friend of God

Composed by Israel Houghton & Michael Gungor



Prayers

WE REMEMBER THE NAMES OF OUR SAINTS:

Olga Mae, 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 Nook, Elaine Guimingham, Frederica Cunningham, Bess Terry, Joyce Clevenger, Frank Tyson, Estella 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:

Elle, Bree & The Juarbe Family, Hillary, Tony & The Buckland Family, Evelyn, Luis-Alfredo & Their Family, Michael McKee & Eric Stenshoel, Myrna & Her Family, The Family of Dr. Robert Adams, The Wiedeman Family, Brooke & Jayden, Julianna & Khaleigh, The Norton Brennan & White Families, Ravi, Kevin, Beth, Grace & Preston, Marla, Sigrid, Cordace, Donna & The Benvesee Family, Sharon & Her Husband, Rev. Dan & Gloria Feliciano, Peggy Owen Clark, Mary D. O'Brien, Patricia & Her Son Quincy, Christopher, Donna Marie & The Henderson Family, Harry & His Family, Maria Lopez, Donald Wong, Jared Souder & Family, William Allen, The Alton Family, Kevin Santos, 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 & Marven, Pam & Bruce Wood, The People Of Ukraine, Rebecca, The Bezner Family, Tammy, Star, 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.



THE PARK

Happy Birthday

April

3- Marcia Bateson	18- Jeff Wong, Tristan Nowicki,
4- "Chubby" Nandallal	Dasha S. Dwin
5- Rev. Carlos Alejandro	20- Chantilly Mers
6- Rachel Payne	22- Christopher Apgar
7- Jeff Fields, Marshalee Jin	25- Francesca Fortunato,
10- Elle Greene,	Maxwell Wallace
Jeisaura Rodriguez	26- Kimberly Bell, Alan Walden
13- Aimee Mars	27- Ephraim Tchandao,
14- Arlene Virga	Lynda Myles,
15- A.B. Weeks	Stephen Sekyiamah
	28- Stephanie Wilson

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Prelude – (INSTRUMENTAL)

Imagine Me – Composed by Kirk Franklin
CCLI – 5600201 ESL – 44385

Praise and Worship –

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

Pre-Sermonic Selection –

Goodness of God – Composed by Edmond Cash, Benjamin Fielding,
Jason Ingram, Brian Johnson, & Jennifer Johnson
ASCAP – 895629049 CCLI – 7117726 ESL – 1836281
Harry Fox – GB4J49

Post Sermon Interlude – (INSTRUMENTAL)

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

Offering – (PIANO INCIDENTAL, INTO DOXOLOGY)

Communion –

Let Us Break Bread Together – Traditional
CCLI – 28249 ESL – 935663

Closing Song –

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

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