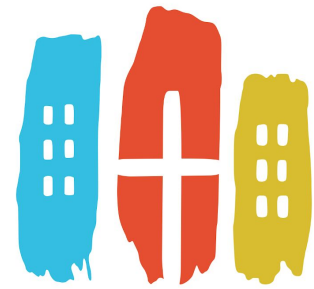


Twenty-third Sunday of Kingdome tide

October 28, 2018



LOOP CHURCH

C H I C A G O

Welcome to our worship service at Loop Church!

Our Purpose - As followers of Jesus Christ we bless our neighbors in Chicago and beyond by welcoming the presence and love of God into our lives such that it overflows to those around us. This happens as we engage in spiritual practices, live out our community values, and engage in acts of love and service.

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Reader: There is none like you among the gods, O Lord,
nor are there any works like yours.

People: **All the nations you have made shall come
and worship before you, O Lord,
and shall glorify your name.**

Reader: For you are great and do wondrous things;
you alone are God.

People: **Teach me your way, O Lord,
that I may walk in your truth;
unite my heart to fear your name.**

Reader: I give thanks to you, O Lord my God, with my whole heart,
and I will glorify your name forever.

People: **For great is your steadfast love toward me;
you have delivered my soul from the depths of Sheol.**

Gathering Songs

Come Thou Fount LUYH 521

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty LUYH 538

GOD GREETUS US - WE RESPOND BY GREETING ONE ANOTHER

GOD CALLS US TO RECONCILIATION

Call to Confession and Prayer

GOD SPEAKS THROUGH HIS WORD

Old Testament Reading: Psalm 86 (*Pew Bible 473*)

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon: Help: Asking God for help without turning God into our personal genie

Discussion

WE RESPOND IN THANKSGIVING AND PRAYER

Offering for the General Fund

(Our morning offering is an act of worship whereby we as members of this congregation express our gratitude to and reliance on God. Guests and visitors should not feel that participation in this part of the service is obligatory. Anyone may participate electronically at <http://www.loopchurch.org/giving/>.

Alternatively, anyone using the ZELLE payment app can donate by sending funds to lcm@loopchurch.org)

Mission Moment

Congregational Prayer

HALLELUJAH! LET US CELEBRATE THE FEAST

Invitation & Institution

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right for us to give thanks and praise.**

Communion

(The Lord's Supper is an open invitation to all. If you are - or desire to be - a follower of Jesus Christ, come and celebrate with us. Today we will celebrate the sacrament by forming a circle around the communion table and passing the bread and wine to one another with the words, "The Body of Christ, broken for you," and, "The Blood of Christ, shed for you.")

GOD SENDS US OUT INTO THE WORLD

Sending Song

Give Thanks

LUYH 358

Benediction

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This week's lectionary readings:

Old Testament: Job 42:1-6, 10-17

Epistle: Hebrews 7:23-28

Psalm 34:1-8, (19-22)

Gospel: Mark 10:46-52

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Interested in Volunteering or Submitting an Announcement? Talk to Jim Bosman after the service or send him an email at jim@loopchurch.org

Congregational Town Hall: Next week following the service the Steering Council will be giving an update on the state of Loop Church. This meeting is the promised follow-up to the discussion we had at our meeting on June 10.

Calendar:

Date	Event	Time	Location
Tue, Oct 30	<i>Worship Team Meeting</i>	5:45 - 7:00 PM	Home of Brouwers
Thu, Nov 1	<i>Anti-Racism MC</i>		
Sun, Nov 4	<i>Not Brunch Sunday</i>	All Saints service	11 E Adams
Sun, Nov 4	<i>Congregational Town Hall</i>	11:30 - 12:00	11 E Adams
Sun, Nov 11	<i>Brunch Book Release Sunday</i>	Note change from Nov 4	11 E Adams
Thu, Nov 15	Steering Council Meeting	6:30 - 8:30 PM	11 E Adams
Tue, Nov 20	<i>Welcoming the Stranger MC</i>		
Fri, Nov 23	<i>Environmental Issues MC</i>		

Sunday Schedule:

Date	10/28	Nov 4	Nov 11	Nov 18	Nov 25
Set Up	Peter & Silvia	Kevin & Mona	Jim & Mary	Peter & Silvia	Tim & Lexi
Take Down	Ginny & Charlene	Tim & Lexi	Jim & Mary	Anne & Debbie	Peter & Silvia
Greeter 1	Peter	Mary	Joseph	Lexi	Peter
Greeter 2	Silvia	Jim	Kelley	Janna	Silvia
Refreshments	Kelley	Ginny	Brunch	Laura & Karim	Adam & Becca
Nursery	--- /Kayla	--- /Kayla	-----	--- /Brianna	--- /Naomi
Lead Elder	Debbie	JB	Kevin	Claire	Debbie
Liturgist	Anne				

Offering Update: October 21: Gen Fund \$1433.00 FYTD: \$35,622.00