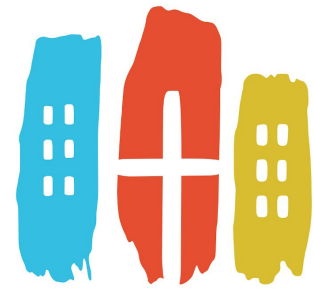


Seventh Sunday of Eastertide

June 2, 2019

Ascension Sunday



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

Leader: Sing to God, praise his name, extol him who rides on the clouds; rejoice before him.

People: **A father to the fatherless, a defender of widows, is God in his holy dwelling.**

Leader: God sets the lonely in families, he leads out the prisoners with singing. Sing to God, you kingdoms of the earth, sing praise to the Lord, to him who rides across the highest heavens, the ancient heavens.

People: **Proclaim the power of God, whose majesty is over Israel, whose power is in the heavens. Praise be to God!**

Gathering Songs

Rejoice the Lord is King

LUYH 224

Before the Throne of God Above

LUYH 682

GOD GREETUS US - WE RESPOND BY GREETING ONE ANOTHER

GOD RECONCILES US TO HIMSELF

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Words of Assurance

Song of Reflection:

Psalm 126

(following page)

Bm G D Bm

1. Our mouths, they were filled, filled with laugh - ter; Our
 2. The nat - tions will say "He has done great things!" The

G D G

tongues, they were loosed, loosed with joy. Re -
 nat - tions will sing songs of joy. Re -

A G A A sus

store us, O Lord! Re - store us, O Lord! Al -
 store us, O Lord! Re - store us, O Lord!

G D A Bm

though we are weep - ing, Lord, help us keep sow - ing the

G D A Bm

seeds of Your King - dom for the day You will reap them! Your

G Bm A D

sbeaves we will car - ry; Lord, please do not tar - ry! All

G Bm A D

those who sow weep - ing will go out with songs of joy!

MEAL

Hebrew Bible Reading: Amos 9:13-15 (*Bible page 750*)

New Testament Reading: Acts 1:1-12a (*Bible page 884*)

Leader: This is the Word of the LORD.

People: Thanks be to God

Sermon: The Stage is Set

Discussion / Questions / Responses

PRAYER (*At tables at conclusion of discussion time*)

GOD SENDS US OUT INTO THE WORLD

Benediction

Sending Song

We Receive Your Blessing

LUYH 947

This week's lectionary readings:

First Lesson: Acts 16:16-34

Epistle: Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21

Psalm: Psalm 97

Gospel: John 17:20-26

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Interested in Volunteering or Submitting an Announcement? Send an email at admin@loopchurch.org

Hope and Roseland CRC are hosting a Pentecost service for Classis Chicago South at Hope at 6:00 pm on June 9. The service and format will be similar to the “Rooted” services. Erin Pacheco and David Walker will be leading music, RCRC liturgical dancers will help, Roger Nelson is preaching, and we’ll celebrate communion together. We hope you’ll join us; there will be a time of fellowship following the service at Hope CRC, 5825 W. 151st Street, Oak Forest, IL 60452

Please note new office email address admin@loopchurch.org (instead of jim@loopchurch.org)

Offering Update: May 26: Gen Fund \$3688.00 FYTD: \$109,225.00

Calendar:

Date	Event	Time	Location
Thu, Jun 6	Anti-Racism MC		
Sun, Jun 2	Brunch Sunday	10:00 - 11:30	11 E Adams
Thu, June 13	Steering Council Meeting	6:30 - 8:30 PM	11 E Adams
Tue, Jun 11	Welcoming the Stranger MC		
Fri, Jun 28	Environmental Issues MC		

Sunday Schedule:

Date	Jun 2	Jun 9	Jun 16	Jun 23	Jun 30
Set Up	Peter & Silvia	Tim & Lexi	Kevin & Mona	Jim & Mary	Peter & Silvia
Take Down	Kevin & Mona	Ginny & Debbie	Peter & Silvia	Jim & Mary	Kevin & Mona
Greeter 1	Mary	Deqa	Lexi	Peter	Kevin
Greeter 2	Jim	Kelley	Janna	Silvia	Mona
Refreshments	Brunch	Laura & Karim	Adam & Becca	Tracey	Janna
Nursery	-----	Briana	Kayla	Rae	Naomi
Lead Elder	Jennie	Peter	Claire	Debbie	JB