Memory Verse This Week – "But rejoice insofar as you share Christ's sufferings, that you may also rejoice and be glad when his glory is revealed." – 1 Peter 4:13 (ESV)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- May God's amazing grace be with all who joined us for worship today!
- Baptism & Reaffirmation Sunday September 14. If you want to be baptized or reaffirm your baptism, please scan the QR code and complete the form by August 16. We will be delighted to celebrate this meaningful step of faith with you!



- Salam and Mauna, missionaries serving in Iraq, will be with us next Sunday to preach and share about their ministry.
- Pastor Ho is currently attending a summer course at Asbury Theological Seminary in Kentucky. Please pray for a safe journey and a spiritually enriching time. He will return on August 15.
- Vision Meeting, 8/16 (Sat), 10:30 AM @ Lambert Hall

MULTIPLICATION

Church Planting Churches! Disciples Making Disciples!

- 1. Brightview, Every last Saturday of the month, 2 PM @ Brightview in Great Falls
- 2. Chantily Campus (Korean Ministry), Every Sunday, 2 PM @ Impact Church in Chantily
- 3. Great Falls Campus (Korean Ministry), Every Sunday, 12:30 PM @ Smith Chapel

EMPOWERING GOD'S PEOPLE

Please sign up for Usher, Prayer, Offering Song, Scripture Reading, Fellowship Meal.

TRANSFORMATIONAL DISCIPLESHIP

To Be More Enthusiastic Christians!

- Children Gathering: TBD
- Youth Gathering: Today, 11:15 AM @ Youth Room
- Young Adult Group Meeting: Next: 8/18 (Mon), 8 PM (Zoom)
- Early Morning Prayer Meetings (Zoom): Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri, 5:30 AM
- Lectio Divina (Bible Meditation & Prayer): Wed-5:30 AM / 8 PM, Sat-7 AM
- Praise Night, Every Friday, 7:30 PM @ Chapel
- Men's Brunch Meeting, Every Last Saturday, 10:30 AM @ Lambert Hall
- Women's Group Meeting, Every Last Saturday, 3:30 PM @ Lambert Hall. *Rev. Dr. Ashley Goad will join us online as the guest speaker at our next meeting on August 30.

YOUR SOUL FOOD THIS WEEK TO "KNOW GOD"

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Mon (8/11)	Tue (8/12)	Wed (8/13)	Thu (8/14)	Fri (8/15)	Sat (8/16)	Sun (8/17)
Psalm	Hebrews	Luke	Psalm	Luke	1 Samuel	Corporate
89:1-18	11:17-28	12:41-48	82	1:46-55	6:1-16	Worship





WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENT

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+ OPENING SCRIPTURE

Matthew 28:19-20 (ESV)

"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.

And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

† HYMN UMH 657. This Is the Day UMH 357. Just as I Am, Without One Plea (1,2,3,6) UMH 600. Wonderful Words of Life

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Everyone

Faithful and Gracious God, you have called us to be a people of hope, to trust in what we cannot see. As we bring these gifts before you, we offer not only our resources but also our faith – faith that you are at work in our giving, building a future of justice, mercy, and love. Bless these offerings, that they may be signs of our longing for your kingdom and our trust in your promises. May our generosity inspire others to live with courage and conviction, seeking that better country you have prepared for us. In Christ's name, we pray. Amen.

† DOXOLOGY Everyone

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Peter 4:1-2,12-19

¹Since therefore Christ suffered in the flesh, arm yourselves with the same way of thinking, for whoever has suffered in the flesh has ceased from sin, 2 so as to live for the rest of the time in the flesh no longer for human passions but for the will of God. ¹² Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery trial when it comes upon you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. ¹³ But rejoice insofar as you share Christ's sufferings, that you may also rejoice and be glad when his glory is revealed. 14 If you are insulted for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the Spirit of glory and of God rests upon you. ¹⁵ But let none of you suffer as a murderer or a thief or an evildoer or as a meddler. ¹⁶ Yet if anyone suffers as a Christian, let him not be ashamed, but let him glorify God in that name. ¹⁷ For it is time for judgment to begin at the household of God; and if it begins with us, what will be the outcome for those who do not obey the gospel of God? ¹⁸ And "If the righteous is scarcely saved, what will become of the ungodly and the sinner?" 19 Therefore let those who suffer according to God's will entrust their souls to a faithful Creator while doing good. 20 teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

SPEICAL SONG

Charis Kang & Sarah Yang

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PROCLAMATION	Yeonmi Kang					
HAVE YOU GIVEN YOUR LIFE TO JESUS?						

Expect Salvation By Faith – Expect It As You Are – Expect It NOW

PRAYER OF REPENTANCE & REFLECTION

- Identify where you are in Peter's journey: First encounter? Following without full surrender? Denying Jesus out of fear? Being redeemed? Boldly proclaiming? Rejoicing in suffering?
- Reflection:
 - Have I truly given my life to Jesus?
- What fear (of death, rejection, loss, etc.) or inner resistance is holding me back from fully surrendering to Jesus? Then pray through them, surrendering each one.
- How might this current season be an invitation to share in Christ's suffering—not suffering as a result of sin, but for the sake of the gospel? Remember: this is also an invitation for the Spirit of glory and of God to rest upon us.
- Consider writing a personal mission statement: "Because I have given my life to Jesus, I will..."

† BLESSING SONG

Everyone

Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends.

May God's full mercies bless you, my friends.

In all your living and through your loving,

Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.

† THE LORD'S PRAYER

Everyone

† Please stand as you are able.