



“Gazing at the Sunrise!”

Rev. James Lee

It is a wondrous experience to watch the sun rise from inside a car heading toward church. A sunrise when the sky is heavily draped with clouds, in particular, instills a deeply moving emotion that defies description. Why is it that watching a sunrise brings a sudden swell of emotion to the heart? It makes me feel a certain energy surging from deep within. Perhaps it is because I see how small I am before the immense power of nature. It is because I am reminded of the sheer greatness of God, the Creator. It is because I can discern hope for a life that seemed to have paused in the darkness. And it is because the sunrise feels like a sign pointing toward a fresh start—whispering, "Yes, let us begin anew." This is why I love the early hours of the dawn.

As the sun rises, the lingering darkness gradually fades away. The dew formed overnight begins to glisten brilliantly. Tightly closed flower buds open wide, and the life forms that slept through the night stretch and awaken.

I hope we can all harbor a sense of anticipation for each day that begins anew. I pray that this morning becomes a time where everything—the things we must do, the things we left undone, our ruined moods, and the hearts that felt weighed down through the night—can find a completely fresh start.

One of the reasons I love Arizona is its perennially bright weather. Except for the brief period when cloudless days bring intense heat, I truly believe Arizona is one of the best places to live in America. Furthermore, how grateful I am to be able to offer early morning prayers in such a beautiful sanctuary. I am also deeply thankful for the brothers and sisters with whom I can praise, pray, share meals, and divide love. I give thanks that we can live out each day in good health. I am grateful that even those facing physical discomfort look out for one another and stand as a source of strength. I thank God for guiding us so that we can continue to work and live, even amidst challenging circumstances. I also offer my gratitude for giving us specific prayer requests to hold onto. For the deacon praying for cancer treatment, the deacon praying over business matters, the deacon seeking guidance for the future path, and the deacons seeking wisdom for various immediate challenges. I am deeply thankful that when we pray earnestly, God hears our prayers and answers them.

May the lives of the saints be filled with unceasing praise and thanksgiving.



Sunday worship	11:00AM	Small Sanctuary
Sunday School		
Early morning Prayer	06:00AM(Tue.-Fri.) 06:30AM(Sat.)	Main Sanctuary
Intercessory Prayer meeting	09:00AM(Sun)	Education Building
Disciple Training Man of Jesus	1:00 PM(Sun)	Education Building
New comers Class	1:00PM(Sun)	Education Building
Yedam Community	Every Second Sunday Fourth Sunday	Meeting Room
Korean School (Plan)	01:00PM(Sun)	Education Building
College & Adult	01:00PM(Sun)	Education Building



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May 31, 2026

예수님을  
따라가는  
공동체



Ephesians 4:13  
until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ.



Church Map



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1310 S. Longmore  
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# Sunday Worship

Sunday Worship 11:00 AM

'From the fullness of his grace we have all received one blessing after another.' John 1:16

Confession of Faith	Apostle's Creed
Hymn	Praise & Worship
Prayer	Deacon Bo Hyun Kim
Scripture Reading	Genesis 13:14-17
Sermon	"God's promise, Vision!" -Rev. James Lee-
Welcome & Announcement	Rev. James Lee
Offering & Praise	"He Provides Rain!" Offering: Robert McCagrhen /Cindy Jang
Benediction	Rev. James Lee



# Worship Service Volunteers

	Prayer Sunday	Prayer Sat.	Offering	Lunch(Sunday)		Cleaning
				Serving	Dish washer	
5/31	Bo Hyun	Grace (6/6)	Robert/Cindy	Shinwoo	Faith	Joshua (6/6)
6/7	Min Hyuk	Shinwoo (6/13)	Kang Sub/Dasom	Ji Hyun	Hephzibah	Timothy (6/13)
6/14	Jay Jang	Jay Jang (6/20)	SeungHun/HeeJin	Youl Cho	Joshua	Faith (6/20)
6/21	SungSik	Sungsik (6/27)	Hae Jeon/Eun Young	Bo Hyun	Timothy	Hephzibah (6/27)
Worship Guide: Bo Hyun Kim, Hee Jin Jeon						



# Church Announcement

"Welcome to the Community Becoming Like Jesus. We sincerely welcome you. We look forward to a beautiful fellowship and meeting after the worship service."

- Welcome to New Members**  
We welcome those who are visiting our church for the first time or just stopping by.
- New Family Bible Study**  
We are starting the New Family Bible Study. Date: May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2026. 1:00 pm (Every Week)
- Deacon Meeting**  
Date: 7 June, after service.  
Agenda: 2/4 financial report
- Pastor's schedule**  
To attend the Domestic Mission Committee.  
Date: 1 June, Mon. - 4 June, Thur.(Atlanta)
- Simultaneous interpretation**  
We provide interpretation services through a smart app. Scan the QR code to get started.



# 매일 성경읽기 및 중보기도(가정) 안내

	1(Mo)	2(Tu)	3(Wn)	4(Tr)	5(Fr)	6(Sa)	7(Su)
Nehemiah 11-12	Nehemiah 13	Esther 1-5	Esther 6-10	Job 1-5	Job 6-10	Job 11-15	
	Haesil	Sungsik Ji Hyun	Su Bin	Min Jin Sang Mi	Sunday Service		



# Saturday Early Mornng Prayer

6, June. Sat. 6:30am

Confession of Faith	Apostle's Creed
Hymn	Hymn 310, 426
Prayer	Deacon Grace Shim
Sermon	Phillipians 1:12-21 "Holy Joy!" Rev. James Lee



# Bible Problem Solving

(May 31)

## Nehemiah 8 – Esther Job 10 Name:

### Nehemiah

- Who read and taught the Book of the Law of Moses to the Israelites who had returned? (Nehemiah 8:1)
- In what manner did they determine to bring the wood to be burned at the temple? (Nehemiah 10:34)
- Where did the leaders of the people settle among those who returned to Judah? (Nehemiah 11:1)
- To whom did the Levites give a portion of what the people had given to them? (Nehemiah 12:47)
- What duty did Nehemiah assign to Shelemiah the priest, Zadok the scribe, and Pedaiah the Levite? (Nehemiah 13:13)

### Esther

- Who was the first to find out about the plot to assassinate King Xerxes (Ahasuerus)? (Esther 2:21)
- What did Esther ask Mordecai and the Jewish people to do for her? (Esther 4:16)
- Whom did Esther invite to the banquet she had prepared? (Esther 5:5)
- How high was the gallows (pole) that Haman had set up? (Esther 7:9)
- What is the name of the festival established to commemorate the day the Jewish people were saved from Haman's plot? (Esther 9:26)

### Job

- What did Job do for his children when a period of feasting had run its course after their birthdays? (Job 1:5)
- What did Job curse? (Job 3:1)
- According to Eliphaz, what kind of person is blessed? (Job 5:17)
- What did Job say he would rather choose than endure his agonizing pain? (Job 7:15)
- Job said that even if he were innocent, he could not answer Him; what did he say he could only do? (Job 9:15)

### Answers from Last Week

- Hilkiah 2. Cyrus 3. The governor of Judah 4. The holy things / The sacred portions 5. Wept aloud / Wept bitterly 6. Xerxes / Ahasuerus 7. The Passover 8. To teach the Law 9. Three months 10. The king's cupbearer 11. Ammon 12. The sword 13. Do not take interest / Do not charge interest 14. 52 days 15. Hananiah