

**Sunday, April 4, 2021** 



## **WELCOME GUESTS!**

Thank you for joining us today. We'd love to get to know you and help you get connected to our community. If this is your first time with us either in person or virtually, if you are looking to take your next step of connection, or you are simply wanting to find out how to participate please click here to fill out our Connect Card and a staff member will be in touch!

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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## Register to attend Indoor Worship Services

Register to join us in person next Sunday! Safety measures are in place and you'll get detailed info when you register. Registration opens for the following week each Sunday. <u>Click here to register</u> to attend on Sunday!

Families with kids ages birth-8th grade are invited to join us Sundays at 10 a.m. in the MPR for the NEW **Family Service!** Registration is now open! Click on the link above to attend. Children must be accompanied by an adult, and check-in will be located down the ramp after entering from the Main Entrance.

# 3rd Quarter Zoom Game Night! - Friday, April 9, 7-8:30 p.m.

Join Nick Beyer as he engages 3rd Quarter in a variety of games over Zoom. You will be so glad you did!

<u>Click here to register</u>! You will receive the Zoom meeting info on April 9 via email.

## We're Hiring!

Hillary Delanty, our Director of Preschool Ministries, will soon be welcoming another child into the family

and will be on maternity leave. As SPC's Family Ministries continue to open up, we are looking for someone to temporarily join our Family Ministry Team part-time as an Interim Preschool Ministry Coordinator. Click here to view the job description. If you are interested in serving our families in this way, please email your resume to <a href="mailto:renee@southparkchurch.org">renee@southparkchurch.org</a>

#### Make a Nomination

In addition to the current open positions, the Nominating Committee is now seeking nominations for a 9th Elder. The Committee is looking for a female to best represent and serve the church body in this role. Please continue to also make nominations for Trustee Chair, Trustee Vice-Chair, Treasurer and Nominator (2 open positions). You do not need to be a member to make a nomination, and you can also nominate yourself. To make a nomination, click here to fill out the online nomination form.

# Journey Adult Sunday School - Sundays, 11:15 a.m., Zoom & Fellowship Hall

Journey Adult Sunday School is meeting in person and online via Zoom at 11:15 a.m. on Sundays. We hope you join us! Note: there will be no Journey on Easter Sunday. See you on April 11! Click here to attend via Zoom (same link every Sunday) or click here to register to attend in-person. You can watch recordings of past

Journey classes on our website or YouTube.

## Virtual Sunday Morning Prayer - Sundays, 9-9:55 a.m.

Join us at the Virtual Prayer Room on Sunday mornings from 9-9:55 a.m, just prior to Sunday Worship. If you're interested in joining, click here to join the Zoom meeting: <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87402266783?pwd=QUI0alZyVkwzNG1PYnptR1VmVWZCQT09">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87402266783?pwd=QUI0alZyVkwzNG1PYnptR1VmVWZCQT09</a>

#### Join the Tech Team!

The tech team has expanded their video capabilities and needs people interested in live video production! No experience required, but a desire to learn and serve through operating cameras and/or calling the production shots. Contact Adam to get involved! Send him an email at <a href="mailto:adam@southparkchurch.org">adam@southparkchurch.org</a>

#### Join a Moms in Prayer group!

If you are a mom wanting to join with other moms in prayer for our schools, children, educators, and one another, join one of our Moms in Prayer Groups that meet to pray on Mondays from 1:30-2:30 p.m. or Tuesdays from 8-9 p.m. To learn more or join please contact Pat Moy at <a href="mailto:pat@southparkchurch.org">pat@southparkchurch.org</a>

## **CARING FOR EACH OTHER**

If you or someone in our church family are experiencing hardship and have a need for resources, financial help, or prayer, please reach out to Kristin Sorensen, Care Director. Kristin can be reached via email at <a href="mailto:kristin@southparkchurch.org">kristin@southparkchurch.org</a> or give her a call at 847-825-5507 and press 125 to leave her a message.

## **WEEKLY GIVING REPORT**

#### Week ending March 21, 2021

YTD 2021	\$ 201,001
YTD BUDGET	\$ 330,462
YTD Surplus(Shortfall)	\$ (129,461)
YTD % change	-39.2%

## PRAYING FOR EACH OTHER

Pray for **South Park Church** - Pray that God would lead, guide, and give wisdom to each of us so that we may be participants, not spectators, in God's story!

#### Continue to Pray for:

Kathy Palansky - Kathy is stable at home in hospice care. Please pray that the Lord will comfort and surround Kathy with His deep love for her. And, pray that Kathy would experience His presence and peace.

**Dawn Phillips** - Please pray that Dawn will continue to gain strength overall and for Bill as he manages Dawn's care needs. Continue to pray for God's comfort and endurance for Bill, Michael and Gregory.

Holly Kretekos' father, Victor - Victor is doing well following pacemaker surgery. Please pray that his heart continues to strengthen and his body would continue to heal with no signs of infection.

**Greg Schimmel** - Please continue to pray for Greg as he and his doctors determine next steps in addressing tumor growth and spread. Pray pray that a medication change and procedure will yield improved results at the next scan in a few weeks. Pray that Greg and his family would experience God as their refuge and strength.

**Kay Stecher** - Please pray that Kay will continue to tolerate the leukemia treatment with minimal side effects and that her health will be fully restored.

# **SERMON NOTES**

## Jesus the King

1. In the beginning	·
2. We chose to be	
3. Jesus came to	<del>.</del>
4	to Jesus the King

## **DIGGING DEEPER**

1. There seems to be a universal human longing for the rule of a righteous king. What stories have moved you that develop this idea? (Ex. *The Lion King* with reigns of Mufasa, Scar, and Simba)

- 2. How is the career of Jesus like and unlike what we expect of a king restoring a kingdom?
- 3. Put yourself in the crowd on the day of Pentecost. Read Acts 2:1-36. What do you hear, see, smell, feel?
- 4. What was the response of the crowd, and what happened in the days that followed? Read Acts 2:37-47.
- 5. What does it mean to pledge allegiance to Jesus the King?
- 6. What stood out to you from those who gave witness as people of the resurrection?