



Sunday, April 25, 2021



Walk with God • Connect as Family • Love People in Jesus' Name

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. [Click here to register](#) 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!** Click on the link above to register! Children must be accompanied by an adult. Check-in is located down the ramp after entering from the Main Entrance.

Farewell Reception for the Floods - Today after Service, April 25, Parking Lot

Join together after service for a farewell reception for the Floods. Light pre-packaged refreshments will be served. We'll be collecting cards and if you have pictures of the Floods during their time here at SPC, there will be a photo board for you to add your additions. Let us know you are coming by [clicking here to register!](#)

Not able to attend the Farewell Reception in person? Join us via Zoom after service as Renee broadcasts the festivities!

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://zoom.us/j/96359096999?pwd=QIRaRmRCbnVHMWzeGgvUDE2dW9lUT09>

Meeting ID: 963 5909 6999

Passcode: Floods

Cooking with 3rd Quarter Live! - April 30, 7 p.m., Zoom

Join 3rd Quarter for a live cooking demonstration! Pat Moy will walk us through the creation of a favorite family dish--Savory Asian Flank Steak. Pat will share some of her family history and why this recipe is a favorite. Watch for the April Edition of the 3rd Quarter Newsletter for the registration link or [register here!](#) When you register you will receive the ingredient list and Zoom link. Join us hungry and ready to cook or join us ready to simply watch the Zoom presentation.

THRIVE Women's Ministry Spring Series: 3 Spiritual Practices - Begins April 22/23

Join THRIVE for this 3-week series on the Spiritual Practices of Examen, Rest & Retreat, and Humility. The series begins on Thursday, Apr. 22 from 7-9 p.m. or Friday, Apr. 23 from 9:15-11:15 a.m. and ends on May 6/7. In-person and virtual options are offered. [Click here to register!](#)

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! [Click here](#) to register to attend in-person. You can watch recordings of past Journey classes on our [website](#) or [YouTube](#). Click to join the Zoom meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/94431939491?pwd=Vy9SS1kzOWdYbXFkM09WVWoxeIR4QT09>

Please note, **Journey is canceled today** due to the farewell reception for the Floods.

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:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87402266783?pwd=QUI0aZyVkwzNG1PYnptR1VmVWZCQT09>

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 adam@southparkchurch.org

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 pat@southparkchurch.org

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 kristin@southparkchurch.org or give her a call at 847-825-5507 and press 125 to leave her a message.

WEEKLY GIVING REPORT

Week ending April 11, 2021

YTD 2021	\$	291,283
YTD BUDGET	\$	413,077
YTD Surplus (Shortfall)	\$	(121,794)
YTD % change		29.5%

PRAYING FOR EACH OTHER

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

Continue to Pray for:

Greg Schimmel - Praise God that Greg's most recent scans showed no new tumor growth on the current medication dosage. Please pray that the medication will continue to successfully work in this way. And, please pray that Greg and his family will experience the sustainment and blessing of Jehovah Rophe in the days and weeks ahead.

Kathy Palansky - Kathy is stable at home (at The Sheraton) 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.

Pray for **Dawn Phillips** who is home receiving outpatient therapy and making good progress. 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. Please email kristin@southparkchurch.org if you'd like to provide a meal for the Phillips family.

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

Remember This

BINGO INSTRUCTIONS

Listen for the following words throughout today's service to see if you can be the first person to get 5 in a row—across, down, or diagonal.

B	I	N	G	O
Beloved	Running	Maine East HS	IREF	Iron Men
C. S. Lewis	Asbury	Boston Marathon	Sabbatical	Milestones
Chicago	Farming	Trinity Father, Son, Holy Spirit	Tim Keller	J. R. R. Tolkien
Mission	Chariots of Fire	Bow Tie	Purdue	Basketball
Small Groups	Ephesians	Sending	New Thing	Legacy

DIGGING DEEPER

1. Of the Top 10 things Pastor Eric wants us to remember, which stood out to you most and why?
2. How is God inviting you to be part of the new thing he is doing at South Park Church?
3. Using Ephesians 3:14-21 as a template, pray for yourself, your small group, and our church family.