



**Sunday, March 28, 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!** 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.

## ***Easter Worship***

Join us **in person or online** to celebrate the good news that Christ is risen! Join us on **Good Friday at 7 p.m.** for a service that will be a time to reflect on the approaching darkness of the cross of Christ through prayer, music, and words from eyewitnesses.

**On Easter Sunday at 10 a.m., we are holding two different services** to choose from: Easter worship in the sanctuary and a Family Easter Worship service in the MPR. Registration is required to attend services in person, or stream services live online!

Click below to register attend services in person:

Good Friday Service (7 p.m.) - [Register Now](#)

Easter Sunday Service (10 a.m.) - [Register Now](#)

Family Easter Worship Service (10 a.m.) - [Register Now](#)

### ***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 [renee@southparkchurch.org](mailto:renee@southparkchurch.org)

### ***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***

Today after service, just in time for the Easter season, Rachel Hands will be teaching about Old Testament prophecies focused on Jesus' atonement and our salvation. Join Journey in person or online via Zoom at 11:15 a.m.! [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. We will gather 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=QUI0alZyVkwxNG1PYnptR1VmVWZCQT09>

## ***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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto: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 March 14, 2021***

YTD 2021	\$	175,860
YTD BUDGET	\$	302,923
YTD Surplus (Shortfall)	\$	(127,063)
YTD % change		-41.9%

## PRAYING FOR EACH OTHER

*Remember not the former things, nor consider the things of old. Behold, I am doing a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert.* Isaiah 43:18-19

Pray for **South Park Church** - Pray that God would lead, guide, and give wisdom to those reviewing and discussing the Philosophy of Ministry.

Pray for **Linda Rae Johnson** as she is recovering from surgery. Please pray for pain management that allows for deep sleep and continued healing.

### ***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.

Pray for **Dawn Phillips** who is back home now receiving outpatient therapy. 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.

**Phyllis Verbrugghe** - Phyllis had spinal surgery last Friday and is recovering well. Please pray for full healing and relief

from pain.

**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.

**Gregg Talley's mother, Lela** - Lela is in isolation in a local health facility while she receives antibiotic treatment for two weeks. Please pray that Lela will feel the Lord's presence with her and that the treatment will bring full healing. Please pray for Gregg and his family as this prolongs the time until they can visit with her.

**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

## *A New Thing in Our Lives - Isaiah 43:16-21 (NIV)* *Jesse Hallock*

God's New Thing overcomes great odds, brings special provision, and \_\_\_\_\_.

God's People:

\_\_\_\_\_ Out

\_\_\_\_\_ Out

\_\_\_\_\_ Out

## DIGGING DEEPER

1. Where in your life do you need God to do a new thing?
2. Who can cry out with you?
3. How might God be calling you to step out?
4. What praise have you been keeping in that you should be shouting out?