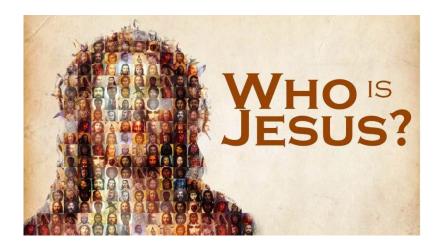
<u>St. Peter's</u> United Church of Christ



Sunday School – 9:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship – 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Church Office – (815) 465-6191 *Website:* www.stpetersgp.org *Email:* stpetersgp@sbcglobal.net *Facebook:* St. Peters UCC Grant Park



ORDER OF WORSHIP - March 14th, 2021

*- In the way you are able, whether in body or in spirit, please rise.

Pre-Service Music

Ringing of the Bell

Welcome and Announcements

<u>Prelude</u> "	Out of the Depths I Cry Unto You" (Lau)	Shari Ohm
<u>Call to Worship</u>	(Based on Psalm 100)	Video
Worship with Music	"Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee" "My Jesus, My Savior" "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"	Both services 9 am 10:30 am

Prayer of Invocation

Jesus, Savior, Lover of our souls, we stand here in reverence in this holy sanctuary. We bring all that we are, all our sins and failures, and we ask that You would forgive us when we fall short and accept us despite our own sinfulness. Meet with us today. Let us see You active and alive among Your people as we worship You in full glory, honor, and praise. Be lifted up in all that we say in do as we commit this time to worship You. Amen.

<u>Worship in Song</u>	"Lord, I Need You"	9 am
	"Surely the Presence" (sing twice)	10:30 am

Scripture Reading

Psalm 25:1-7

<u>Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer</u> Sharing of Concerns & Joys Pastoral Prayer				
Worship in Song	"I Must Tell Jesus"	Both services		
Scripture Reading		Matthew 6:1, 5-15		
<u>Sermon</u>	"Who is Jesus? An Example to Al	1"		
<u>Closing Hymn</u>	"All I Once Held Dear" "I Am Thine, O Lord"	9 am 10:30 am		
Spoken Benediction				
Postlude	"Thine is the Glory" (Thygerson)	Shari Ohm		
We at St. Peter's are praying for:				

Gary Ekhoff	Gene Sievers	Sherrie Hruby
Jerry Regnier	Carter Fortin	Louise Sievers
Austin Delaney	Mason Beseke	Rev. Frank Hoss
Delores & James Cator	n Linda Havely	Craig Schneider
Ken & Sandy Erickson	Mildred Katz	Pauline Mitchell
Minnie Pfingsten	Melissa Mort	Jerry Regnier
Taylor Cleary	The family of Lyle Lehnert	Nancy Lewke
Joyce Segert		Dennis Balgemann

Worship with Your Tithes and Offerings – We are grateful for the many who have remained faithful in the giving of their offerings to the church during the past several months. There are several ways you can financially support the ministry of St. Peter's in addition to placing your gifts in the plates near the back of the sanctuary.

Additional Ways to Give:

Mail your offerings to St. Peter's UCC, PO Box 220, Grant Park, IL 60940 or, drop off your financial gifts to the church during office hours.

Additionally, you may sign up to give automatically from your checking or savings account via an EFT automatic withdrawal - if you'd like a form to fill out, please contact the church office and we'll help you set one up.

Lastly, visit our church webpage for giving and make a secure donation at <u>www.stpetersgp.org/give/</u>. You can give just one time or set it up for reoccurring gifts as well.

Psalm 25:1-7

In you, LORD my God, I put my trust.

² I trust in you;

do not let me be put to shame, nor let my enemies triumph over me.

³No one who hopes in you will ever be put to shame,

but shame will come on those who are treacherous without cause.

⁴Show me your ways, LORD, teach me your paths.

- ⁵ Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my Savior, and my hope is in you all day long.
- ⁶ Remember, LORD, your great mercy and love, for they are from of old.
- ⁷ Do not remember the sins of my youth and my rebellious ways;

according to your love remember me,

for you, LORD, are good.

Matthew 6:1, 5-15

6 "Be careful not to practice your righteousness in front of others to be seen by them. If you do, you will have no reward from your Father in heaven.

⁵ "And when you pray, do not be like the hypocrites, for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and on the street corners to be seen by others. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward in full. ⁶ But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you. ⁷ And when you pray, do not keep on babbling like pagans, for they think they will be heard because of their many words. ⁸ Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.

⁹ "This, then, is how you should pray:

"Our Father in heaven,

hallowed be your name,

¹⁰ your kingdom come,

your will be done,

on earth as it is in heaven.

¹¹Give us today our daily bread.

¹² And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors.

¹³ And lead us not into temptation,^[a] but deliver us from the evil one.^[b]

¹⁴ For if you forgive other people when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. ¹⁵ But if you do not forgive others their sins, your Father will not forgive your sins.

All I Once Held Dear (Robin Mark)

All I once held dear, built my life upon All this world reveres, and wars to own All I once thought gain I have counted loss Spent and worthless now, compared to this

Knowing you, Jesus, knowing you, There is no greater thing You're my all, you're the best You're my joy, my righteousness And I love you, Lord

Now my heart's desire is to know you more To be found in you and known as yours To possess by faith what I could not earn All-surpassing gift of righteousness

Knowing you, Jesus, knowing you, There is no greater thing You're my all, you're the best You're my joy, my righteousness And I love you, Lord

Oh, to know the power of your risen life And to know You in Your sufferings To become like you in your death, my Lord So with you to live and never die

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I Must Tell Jesus (Mary Barrett)

I must tell Jesus all of my trials I can not bear these burdens alone In my distress He kindly will help me He ever loves and cares for His own.

(Chorus) I must tell Jesus, I must tell Jesus I can not bear my burdens alone I must tell Jesus, I must tell Jesus Jesus can help me, Jesus alone!

Tempted and tried I need a great Savior One who can help my burdens to bear I must tell Jesus, I must tell Jesus He all my cares and sorrows will share.

(Chorus)

Oh how the world to evil allures me Oh how my heart is tempted to sin I must tell Jesus and He will help me Over the world the victory win.

I must tell Jesus, I must tell Jesus I can not bear my burdens alone I must tell Jesus, I must tell Jesus Jesus can help me - Jesus can hear me -Jesus can heal me - Jesus alone.

Jesus will help – Jesus will heal – Jesus will help me – Jesus alone!

(Chorus)

Lord I Need You (Matt Maher)

Lord I come, I confess Bowing here, I find my rest Without You, I fall apart You're the one that guides my heart

(Chorus) Lord, I need You, oh I need You Every hour, I need You My one defense, my righteousness Oh God, how I need You

Where sin runs deep, Your grace is more Where grace is found is where You are And where You are, Lord I am free Holiness is Christ in me

(Chorus)

So teach my song to rise to You When temptation comes my way And when I cannot stand, I'll fall on You Jesus, You're my hope and stay

(Chorus)

You're my one defense, my righteousness Oh God, how I need You My one defense, my righteousness Oh God, how I need You

My Jesus, My Savior (Shout to the Lord) (Darlene Zschech)

My Jesus, my Savior - Lord there is none like you All of my days, I want to praise the wonders of your mighty love

My comfort, my shelter - Tower of refuge and strength Let every breath, all that I am never cease to worship You

Shout to the Lord, all the earth let us sing Power and majesty, praise to the King Mountains bow down and the seas will roar At the sound of Your name I sing for joy at the work of your hands Forever I'll love you, forever I'll stand Nothing compares to the promise I have in You

My Jesus, my Savior - Lord there is none like You All of my days, I want to praise the wonders of your mighty love My Comfort, My Shelter -Tower of refuge and strength Let every breath, all that I am never cease to worship You

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