

# 실로암 한인침례교회

Siloam Korean Baptist Church

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## 모임 안내 Gatherings

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주일 예배 Lord's Day Worship Service (Korean/English) 10:30 am  
수요 성경 공부 Wednesday Bible Study (Korean) 8:00 pm via Zoom  
Zoom Meeting ID: 401 799 0718

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## WORSHIP ORDER

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### I 모이기 Gathering

교회 소식 Life of the Church .....장선욱 목사 Pastor Sean Chang

예배 기도 Invocation.....장선욱 목사 Pastor Sean Chang

찬양 Let's Praise! .....다같이 All Together

H104 곧 오소서 임마누엘 (Em) O Come O Come Immanuel

C1030 지금은 엘리야 때처럼 (A) The Days of Elijah

C1249 주님의 영광 나타나셨네 (G) The Lord Has Displayed His Glory

신앙 고백 Affirmation of Faith .....다같이 All Together

삶을 되돌아보기 Time to Reflect .....다같이 All Together

평화의 나눔 Sharing Peace .....다같이 All Together

중보 기도 Intercessory Prayers .....다같이 All Together

주기도문 The Lord's Prayer .....다같이 All Together

### II 말씀 The Word

성경 봉독 Scripture Reading .....다같이 All Together

마태복음 Matthew 3:1-12

설교 Sermon.....장선욱 목사 Pastor Sean Chang

침례 요한이 길을 예비하다 John the Baptist Prepares the Way

### III 화답 Response

성찬식 The Holy Communion .....다같이 All Together

헌금 기도 Offering Prayer.....다같이 All Together

### IV 파송 Sending

파송 및 축도 Sending Word and Benediction.....장선욱 목사 Pastor Sean Chang

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## THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

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- Wednesday Bible Study Wednesday 8 pm Zoom Meeting ID: 401 799 0718
  - Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
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## THE PRAYER LIST

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- To be an Act2 church
  - The church that serves the community.
  - The church that helps missionaries.
  - The local church is the hope of the world.
- For the missionaries
  - Daniel Cho in Cambodia
  - Nakwon Lee in Kenya and the children we support: Fabian Kamau Eunice Wanjiku Allysa Wambui Sharlin Akai
- For those in hardship
- For the sick and caretakers
- For our children under the covenant
- For those who are travelling
- For those in government

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## THE FIRST LESSON 이사야 ISAIAH 11:1-10

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- 1 A shoot will come up from the stump of Jesse; from his roots a Branch will bear fruit.
- 2 The Spirit of the Lord will rest on him—the Spirit of wisdom and of understanding, the Spirit of counsel and of might, the Spirit of the knowledge and fear of the Lord—
- 3 and he will delight in the fear of the Lord. He will not judge by what he sees with his eyes, or decide by what he hears with his ears;
- 4 but with righteousness he will judge the needy, with justice he will give decisions for the poor of the earth. He will strike the earth with the rod of his mouth; with the breath of his lips he will slay the wicked.
- 5 Righteousness will be his belt and faithfulness the sash around his waist.
- 6 The wolf will live with the lamb, the leopard will lie down with the goat, the calf and the lion and the yearling together; and a little child will lead them.
- 7 The cow will feed with the bear, their young will lie down together, and the lion will eat straw like the ox.
- 8 The infant will play near the cobra's den, and the young child will put its hand into the viper's nest.
- 9 They will neither harm nor destroy on all my holy mountain, for the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the Lord as the waters cover the sea.
- 10 In that day the Root of Jesse will stand as a banner for the peoples; the nations will rally to him, and his resting place will be glorious.

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## 시편 PSALM 72:1-7, 18-19

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- 1 Endow the king with your justice, O God, the royal son with your righteousness.
- 2 May he judge your people in righteousness, your afflicted ones with justice.
- 3 May the mountains bring prosperity to the people, the hills the fruit of righteousness.
- 4 May he defend the afflicted among the people and save the children of the needy; may he crush the oppressor.
- 5 May he endure[a] as long as the sun, as long as the moon, through all generations.
- 6 May he be like rain falling on a mown field, like showers watering the earth.
- 7 In his days may the righteous flourish and prosperity abound till the moon is no more.
- 18 Praise be to the Lord God, the God of Israel, who alone does marvelous deeds.
- 19 Praise be to his glorious name forever; may the whole earth be filled with his glory. Amen and Amen.

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## THE SECOND LESSON 로마서 ROMANS 15:4-13

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4 For everything that was written in the past was written to teach us, so that through the endurance taught in the Scriptures and the encouragement they provide we might have hope.

5 May the God who gives endurance and encouragement give you the same attitude of mind toward each other that Christ Jesus had, 6 so that with one mind and one voice you may glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

7 Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you, in order to bring praise to God. 8 For I tell you that Christ has become a servant of the Jews[a] on behalf of God's truth, so that the promises made to the patriarchs might be confirmed 9 and, moreover, that the Gentiles might glorify God for his mercy. As it is written: "Therefore I will praise you among the Gentiles; I will sing the praises of your name."

10 Again, it says, "Rejoice, you Gentiles, with his people."

11 And again, "Praise the Lord, all you Gentiles; let all the peoples extol him."

12 And again, Isaiah says, "The Root of Jesse will spring up, one who will arise to rule over the nations; in him the Gentiles will hope."

13 May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

### Bible Study Focus: *Hope*

### Word *of life*

Hope! That is the theme of this passage from Apostle Paul's letter to the Romans. Whether we are strong or weak, we are to place our hope in Jesus Christ. "For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, so that by steadfastness and by the encouragement of the scriptures we might have hope." (Romans 15:4 NRSV)

Take a moment to think of the Old Testament's description of those who lived before Jesus was born in Bethlehem. Consider the words of prophets who both comforted and challenged the people of Israel. Focus on those who had hope.

1. What scriptural passages from the Old Testament encourage you and give you hope?
2. What individual in the Old Testament inspires you? How so?

It is the prayer of Apostle Paul for the church in Rome to live in harmony with each other. Paul offers this prayer, "May the God of steadfastness and encouragement grant you to live in harmony with one another, in accordance with Christ Jesus, so that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ." (Romans 15:5-6 NRSV)

Apostle Paul envisions followers of Jesus having a single voice to give glory to God. "To live in harmony" and to act "with one voice" is a wonderful goal of the church. This goal is not obtained by the work of Christians, but by the Holy Spirit at work in the life of believers.

3. What makes it easy or challenging to live in harmony with other Christians?
4. How important is it for the church to strive to "live in harmony"? Explain your answer.

Hope is not reserved for Abraham and his descendants, but God extends hope to the Gentiles. This inclusive vision of God is both expansive and radical. Apostle Paul is not the first to mention God's grace for the Gentiles; the seeds of hope for the Gentiles are planted in the Old Testament.

God chooses to use the Jewish nation to proclaim the promises of God to an audience beyond the descendants of Abraham. Romans 15:9-13 includes a series of Old Testament quotes to support this conclusion. "...and again Isaiah says, 'The root of Jesse shall come, the one who rises to rule the Gentiles; in him the Gentiles shall hope.'" (Romans 15:12 NRSV) Although the roots of the family tree of Jesus include David and his father Jesse, the branches include both Jews and Gentiles.

Paul's prayer concludes with his words, "May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." (Romans 15:13 NRSV)

5. What does it feel like when the God of hope fills us with joy and peace?
6. Describe what it means to abound in hope.

## Word *among us*

The choir took their place in the front of the sanctuary of the small church and prepared to sing their anthem. Just as the introduction was being played on the piano, a young female adult with some visible learning problems enthusiastically skipped up to join the choir. Immediately, the choir welcomed her and gently helped her find her position. It was abundantly clear how much the choir loved this enthusiastic singer.

The choir sang exceptionally well, despite the various sounds sung by the young woman. She smiled broadly as she lingered on a favorite word or note. Whatever notes she sang, she offered them with great gusto and joy. The anthem was memorable, but not because of its musical qualities. No doubt there are other church choirs with more talent and training, but it is doubtful to find a choir with more genuine love for each other. Most importantly, this choir modeled how to sing with one voice and glorify to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ-despite not being on the same page.

7. What was more important to the choir than a perfect performance?
8. How did the choir bear witness to the love of Christ?

Paul prayed to God for believers "to live in harmony with one another... so that together you may with one voice glorify God..." (Romans 15:5-6 NRSV) When we think of harmony and having one voice, we often think of choirs. So many times choirs inspire us with their music, but we forget the collaborative and prayer-filled effort to blend individual voices to create one voice.

9. What often prevents a congregation from becoming one voice?
10. What lessons might a church learn from an effective choir?
11. What role does the Holy Spirit play in creating a community which lives in harmony?

## faith practice *in daily life*

### Live among God's faithful people

As we hear God's Word, there are several themes which ring consistently. Hope is clearly one of those themes. But hope does not come alone; it is coupled with joy and peace in believing. It is God alone who is the sole Source which instills hope in us through the Holy Spirit. We are invited to hear God's Word and turn to the God of hope.

As hope touches each of our lives, it spreads to brothers and sisters in Christ. By the grace of God, we become a community of individuals voices molded into a single voice offering praise and glory to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ

12. How does the hope of Christ shape a community into a single unified voice?
13. What is attractive about someone who has hope in Christ?
14. How might your hope in Christ impact your decisions in the upcoming week?

### Prayer

Gracious God, grant us to live in harmony with one another so we might glorify you with one voice. Amen

## *Last Word*

Pay attention to the opportunities this week to live in harmony with others.

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## THE GOSPEL 마태복음 MATTHEW 3:1-12

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3 In those days John the Baptist came, preaching in the wilderness of Judea 2 and saying, “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.” 3 This is he who was spoken of through the prophet Isaiah: “A voice of one calling in the wilderness, ‘Prepare the way for the Lord, make straight paths for him.’”

4 John’s clothes were made of camel’s hair, and he had a leather belt around his waist. His food was locusts and wild honey. 5 People went out to him from Jerusalem and all Judea and the whole region of the Jordan. 6 Confessing their sins, they were baptized by him in the Jordan River.

7 But when he saw many of the Pharisees and Sadducees coming to where he was baptizing, he said to them: “You brood of vipers! Who warned you to flee from the coming wrath? 8 Produce fruit in keeping with repentance. 9 And do not think you can say to yourselves, ‘We have Abraham as our father.’ I tell you that out of these stones God can raise up children for Abraham. 10 The ax is already at the root of the trees, and every tree that does not produce good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire.

11 “I baptize you with water for repentance. But after me comes one who is more powerful than I, whose sandals I am not worthy to carry. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. 12 His winnowing fork is in his hand, and he will clear his threshing floor, gathering his wheat into the barn and burning up the chaff with unquenchable fire.”