

The Third Sunday after Pentecost

June 14, 2026

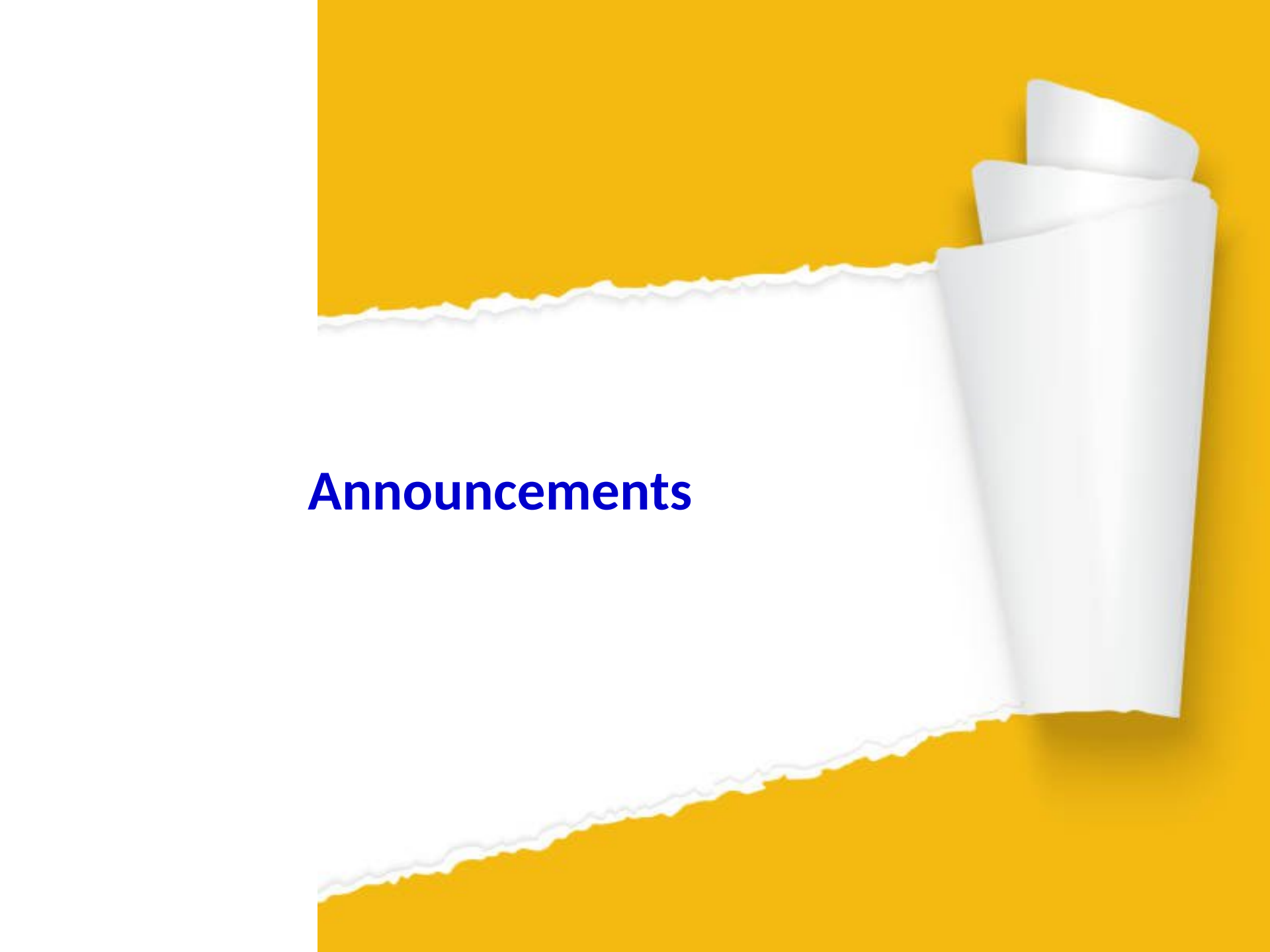
Welcome



Gathering Music

(VU # 639)

“One More Step Along the World I Go”



Announcements

Bible Study



Christian Living

All are
welcome !

Thursday

June 18

@ 7:00 pm

By Zoom

Each session is a complete unit,
so you can join anytime.

HUGE GARAGE SALE



JUNE 20 & 21st

Rain
Dates
July 4 & 5

9:00am to 1:00pm

5225 8th Line, Erin

Help Erin Refugee Action raise the funds
to support our latest sponsorship of a
Syrian refugee family.

\$1
tables

MULTI-FAMILY ITEMS;

\$2
tables

**THERE IS SOMETHING
FOR EVERYONE!!**





Lighting the Christ Candle

We light this candle as a visible reminder that we are committed to working toward creative change in the world. We turn to the Christ light as we worship with a spirit of love.



Prelude

"Children's Medley"

Call to Worship

We delight in the gift of a new day. Welcome to this time of worship.

May God be praised and honoured in all that we do here this day.



Hymn VU # 333 *“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”*

1 Love divine, all loves excelling,
 joy of Heaven to Earth come down,
fix in us thy humble dwelling,
 all thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, thou art all compassion,
 pure, unbounded love thou art;
visit us with thy salvation,
 enter every trembling heart.

2

Come, almighty to deliver; let us all thy Grace
receive;

suddenly return, and never, nevermore thy
temples leave.

Thee we would be always blessing,
serve thee as thy hosts above,
pray, and praise thee, without ceasing,
glory in thy perfect love.

3

Finish, then, thy new Creation; pure and spotless
let us be; let us see thy great salvation
perfectly restored in thee, changed from glory
into glory,

‘til in Heaven we take our place,
‘til we cast our crowns before thee,
lost in wonder, love, and praise.

Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, there are times we feel weak, when we feel that we have not lived as godly people, times when we feel we deserve your anger, times when we know we betray and hurt others. Help us to overcome our suffering and make amends for the suffering we cause others, by the power of your Holy Spirit. Amen.

Words of Assurance

We have peace with God, through the Holy Spirit, and reconciliation through our Lord Jesus Christ. Let us share that peace with the world. Amen.



Time with the Young People

with Diane

Children Song "Jesus Loves Me"

Musical Offering VU # 540

Grant us, God, the grace of giving,
with a spirit large and free,
that ourselves and all our living
we may offer faithfully

Offering Prayer



**In response to your call to give of ourselves, we
bring these offerings to you. Where it truly
represents us and our gifts, accept and multiply
them in your love and Grace. Amen.**

*(The children may now proceed with their guardians
to have sharing time.)*

The Scriptures

read by Julie

First Reading

Genesis 18:1-15

The LORD appeared to Abraham near the great trees of Mamre while he was sitting at the entrance to his tent in the heat of the day. Abraham looked up and saw three men standing nearby. When he saw them, he hurried from the entrance of his tent to meet them and bowed low to the ground. He said, "If I have found favour in your eyes, my lord, do not pass your servant by. Let a little water be brought, and then you may all wash your feet and rest under this tree. Let me get you something to eat, so you can be refreshed and then go on your way - now that you have come to your servant."

“Very well,” they answered, “do as you say.”

So Abraham hurried into the tent to Sarah. “Quick,” he said, “get three measures of the finest flour and knead it and bake some bread.” Then he ran to the herd and selected a choice, tender calf and gave it to a servant, who hurried to prepare it. He then brought some curds and milk and the calf that had been prepared, and set these before them. While they ate, he stood near them under a tree.

“Where is your wife Sarah ?” they asked him.

“There, in the tent,” he said. Then one of them said, “I will surely return to you about this time next year, and Sarah your wife will have a son.” Now Sarah was listening at the entrance to the tent, which was behind him. Abraham and Sarah were already very old, and Sarah was past the age of childbearing. So Sarah laughed to herself as she thought, “After I am worn out and my lord is old, will I now have this

Then the LORD said to Abraham, “Why did Sarah laugh and say, ‘Will I really have a child, now that I am old?’ Is anything too hard for the LORD? I will return to you at the appointed time next year, and Sarah will have a son.” Sarah was afraid, so she lied and said, “I did not laugh.” But he said, “Yes, you did laugh.”

Second Reading **Matthew 10:1–15**

Jesus called his twelve disciples to him and gave them authority to drive out impure spirits and to heal every disease and sickness.

These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon (who is called Peter) and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Zealot and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: “Do not go among the Gentiles or enter any town of the Samaritans. Go rather to the lost sheep of Israel. As you go, proclaim this message: ‘The kingdom of heaven has come near.’ Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those who have leprosy, drive out demons. Freely you have received; freely give.

“Do not get any gold or silver or copper to take with you in your belts - no bag for the journey or extra shirt or sandals or a staff, for the worker is worth his keep.

Whatever town or village you enter, search there for some worthy person and stay at their house until you leave. As you enter the home, give it your greeting. If the home is deserving, let your peace rest on it; if it is not, let your peace return to you.

If anyone will not welcome you or listen to your words, leave that home or town and shake the dust off your feet. Truly I tell you, it will be more bearable for Sodom and Gomorrah on the day of judgment than for that town.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.
We give thanks for inspiration.





Message

by Rev. Yun-Hee

Hymn VU # 563

“Jesus, You Have Come to the Lakeshore”

1 Jesus, you have come to the lakeshore
looking neither for wealthy nor wise ones;
you only asked me to follow humbly.

Refrain

**O Jesus, with your eyes you have searched me,
and while smiling, have spoken my name;
now my boat's left on the shoreline behind me;
by your side I will seek other seas.**



2 You know so well my possessions;
my boat carries no gold and no weapons;
you will find there my nets and labour.

Refrain

**O Jesus, with your eyes you have searched me,
and while smiling, have spoken my name;
now my boat's left on the shoreline behind me;
by your side I will seek other seas.**

3 You need my hands, full of caring
through my labours to give others rest,
and constant love that keeps on loving. **R**

4 You, who have fished other oceans,
 ever longed for by souls who are waiting,
 my loving friend, as thus you call me.

Refrain

**O Jesus, with your eyes you have searched me,
and while smiling, have spoken my name;
now my boat's left on the shoreline behind me;
by your side I will seek other seas.**



Prayers of the People

Loving God, we thank you that you know each of us personally and lovingly. Before we were formed, you knew us. Before we called upon you, you called us by name.

Lord, remind us that we are not forgotten, unseen, or insignificant. You know every heart, every joy, every burden, and every need. When we feel lost, help us hear your voice calling us by name and leading us in your ways.

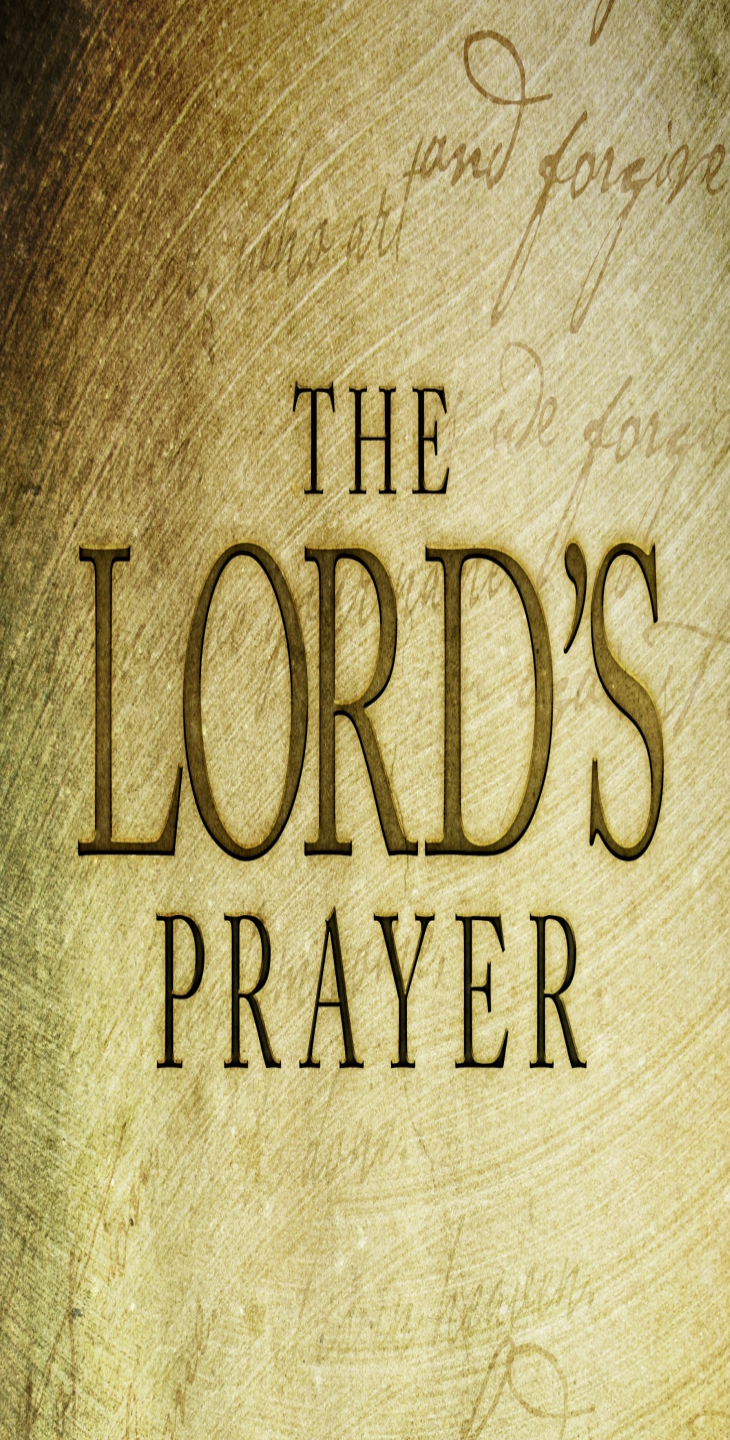
Caring God, strengthen those who are weary, comfort those who are grieving, heal those who are hurting, and encourage those who are discouraged. Draw us closer to you, that we may walk in faith, hope, and love.

May you teach us to recognise your voice amid the noise of the world and we answer as your servants have answered throughout the ages: “Here I am, Lord.” Bless us with your presence, your peace, and your unfailing love. May we remember that we belong to you, for you have called us by name and made us your own.

Bless our families, our communities, and all nations. Help us care for one another, seek justice, and work for a more peaceful world.

May we be instruments of love, generosity, and Grace wherever we go.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, we pray. Amen.



THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in Heaven,
hallowéd be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on Earth as it is in Heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses, as we
forgive them that trespass against
us.

And lead us not into temptation, but
deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the
power, and the glory, for ever and
ever. Amen.

Refrain

**Spirit, open my heart to the joy and pain of living.
As you love may I love, in receiving and in giving,
Spirit, open my heart.**

1.

God, replace my stony heart with a heart that's kind
and tender.

All my coldness and fear to your Grace I now
surrender. *Refrain*

Refrain

**Spirit, open my heart to the joy and pain of living.
As you love may I love, in receiving and in giving,
Spirit, open my heart.**

2.

**Write your love upon my heart as my law, my goal,
my story.**

**In each thought, word and deed, may my living bring
you glory. *Refrain***

Refrain

**Spirit, open my heart to the joy and pain of living.
As you love may I love, in receiving and in giving,
Spirit, open my heart.**

3.

**May I weep with those who weep, share the joy of
sister, brother.**

**In the welcome of Christ, may we welcome one
another. *Refrain***

Blessing

Beloved people of God, may we leave this place filled with courage and integrity.

**May we know God's abiding presence with us.
May we reflect the Spirit of love to whomever we meet.**

**May we persevere even in challenging situations,
knowing that Jesus travels with us.**

We are blessed in the name of the Creator, Son, and Spirit. **Amen.**

Commissioning *“Go Now in Peace”*

*Go now in peace. Never be afraid.
God will go with you each hour of every day.
Go now in faith, steadfast strong and true.
Know God will guide you in all you do.*

*Go now in love and show you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world can see.
God will be there within, around, above.
Go now in peace, in faith and in love.
Amen, amen, amen.*



God, we thank you for being with us.

**Thank you Congregation for worshipping today
in person and by Zoom !**

Thank you for your participation !

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and Images from the public
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{ A short devotional Time }

God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work. (2 Corinthians 9:8)

God does not expect us to give what we are unable to give (8:12). Rather, He entrusts us with money, time or talent to “abound in every good work (9:8), and He supplies what we need so we “can be generous on every occasion” (v. 11). That’s why we can give in faith and with a cheerful heart (v.7), knowing that we give only from what we’ve been given. In the process, we bring praise to God’s name (v. 13).

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by Leslie Koh