

March Birthdays: Jack Wolicki 3/11, Shizuko Shirai 3/15, Seishi Matsui 3/17, Michiko Stewart 3/18, Sachiko Fukami 3/31.

Announcements : Japanese Ministry Meeting after lunch today.

Next Sunday is 10am Joint Service and Palm Party after the service.

This Week's Activities: Monday—1pm Taiko class in Bercaw Hall,

Wednesday— Soup Supper (6pm) and Lent Service(7pm) at LCR.

Palm Party— Let's dress Hawaiian next week. Japanese Ministry will be in charge of "Paper Airplanes" and "Head Bands" booth. \$10 per person for a Hawaiian Lunch prepared by the Youth Group for their fundraiser. Also if you wish to make a tile that day, please see insert for more information.

Maundy Thursday— March 28. Please come and join a Soup Lunch at 12pm and Maundy Thursday Service at 1pm.

Easter Invitation— Let's invite friends and family to church! Anyone who wishes to be baptized or transferred in this special time, please consult with Pastor Hitoshi at 949.923.8535.

Prayer Requests: **Health:** Esther Fujita, Michiko Jordan, Chizuko Miller, Kai & Yukiko Hoshi, Tamotsu Tanaka, Teruko & Seishi Matsui, Teruko Yasumatsu, Kayoko Balser, Hiroshi Hirano, Toyomi Shigaki's mother, Satoko Adachi's mother, Fumi Liang's father-in-law.

Study in Japan: Joy Shigaki

Travel: June Yoshinari, Hiroko Schwartz

LCR Japanese Ministry March Schedule

(See March Calendar for Wednesday's Soup Supper and Lent Service)

3/4,11,18,25	CCN Taiko Class	1:00PM	Bercaw Hall
3/10,17	Christianity 101	10:00AM	Bercaw Hall
3/12, 26	Irvine's Bible Study	10:30AM	Aiko G's
3/14	CCN Seminar: HB Senior Center	11:30AM	Bercaw Hall
3/17	Pot Luck /Birthday Celebration/MJM Meeting after Service		
3/24	Palm Sunday Blended Service and Palm Party		
3/28	Maundy Thursday Soup Lunch	12PM, Services 1PM & 7PM	
3/29	Good Friday Service	7:00PM	KOG
3/30	Tustin Bible Study	1:30PM	Rev. Adachi's
3/31	Easter Prayer and Breakfast	10:00AM	Bercaw Hall
	Easter Service	11:30AM	LCR

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Worship Services:	Traditional Worship	8:30 a.m.
	Praise Service	10:00 a.m.
	Japanese Worship	11:30 a.m.

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Fifth Sunday in Lent



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The Theme of 2013

“God's message is near you,
on your lips and in your heart”
Romans 10:8

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Prelude (seated)
 Greeting and Announcements

Opening Hymn "Syu wo Aogimireba" Not in ELW
 (stand) Japanese Hymn 21 No.579

Blessing In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Invocation Let us draw near with a true heart, and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching him, in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to grant us forgiveness.

Confession O most merciful God,
We poor sinners confess to you, that we are by nature sinful and unclean, and that we have sinned against you by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring your grace, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Absolution Almighty God, in his mercy has given his Son to die for us, and for his sake, forgives us all our sins.
Amen.

Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
 Christ, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
 Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Hymn "Son of God, Eternal Savior" ELW 655
 (seated) Japanese Hymn 21 No.481

Prayer of The Day: Creator God, you prepare a new way in the wilderness, and your grace waters our desert. Open our hearts to be transformed by the new thing you are doing, that our lives may proclaim the extravagance of your love given to all through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Lesson Isaiah 43:16-21
 Second Lesson Philippians 3:4-14
 Gospel John 12:1-8
 (stand)

Hymn "O Savior, Precious Savior" ELW 820
 Japanese Hymn 21 No.510

Today's Message: "Joyful Giving" Rev. Hitoshi Adachi

The Apostles' Creed: **I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Offering and Prayer & Prayers of the Church

Holy Communion

Communion Hymn Marana Tha Please see insert
 Japanese Hymn 【21】 No. 81 (First verse only)

The Lord's Prayer **Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed 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 those who 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, forever and ever. Amen.**

Communion Hymn Marana Tha Please see insert
 (stand) Japanese Hymn 【21】 No.81 (2 & 3 verses only)

Benediction

Threefold Amen

Hymn "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me" ELW 623
 Japanese Hymn 21 No. 449