

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.

Announcements

Next Sunday– Japanese Ministry will attend 8:30 a.m. or 10 a.m. service. 10 a.m. service will be held at HB State Beach. See insert for details.

Orange County Food Bank Collection– Today and next Sunday, we invite you to join LCR for a food drive to support the OC Food Bank to end hunger and malnutrition. Please place items in the baskets located in the narthex.

Final Bible Study with Pastor Carl– Our last class will be September 13, at 11 a.m. followed by a potluck luncheon to thank Pastor Carl.

Pastor Hitoshi's Tustin Bible Study– Saturday, September 10 and October 1. This will be the same theme as the Congregation-Wide Bible Study.

Memorial Worship Service for All People– Sunday, September 25 during the Japanese Service. We appreciate the Japanese Ministry members for their help in many areas. The volunteer and potluck sign up sheet is on the reception desk in narthex.

CCN Seminar– Sign ups started today. See insert for more information.

This Week's Schedule Monday– Taiko Class at 12:30 p.m.

Wednesday– CCN Oak Glen Bus Tour. Meet in LCR Parking at 8:45 a.m.

Thursday– Paper Rollers at 9 a.m.

LCR Japanese Ministry September Schedule

4,18,25	Japanese Service	11:30 a.m. Sanctuary
1,8,15,22,29	Paper Rollers	9:00 p.m. Bercaw Hall
4	Bible Study and Prayer	10:00 a.m. T-Hall
7	CCN Bus Tour to Oak Glen	8:45 a.m. LCR Parking
10	Tustin Bible Study	1:30 p.m. Adachi's
11	Beach Worship Service	10:00 a.m. HB State Beach
12,19,26	Taiko Class	12:30 p.m. Sanctuary
13	Bible Study with Pastor Carl	11:00 p.m. T-Hall
14,21,28	CCN Joy Luck Club	2:30 p.m. T-Hall
15	CCN Lunch and Seminar	11:30 a.m. Bercaw Hall
22	Japanese Bible Study	11:00 a.m. T-Hall
22,29	CCN "Mind Booster" classes	1:00 p.m. Bercaw Hall
25	Annual Memorial Service for All People	11:30 a.m. LCR Sanctuary

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Worship Services: Traditional Worship 8:30 a.m.
Praise Service 10:00 a.m.
Japanese Worship 11:30 a.m. (First and Third Sundays)
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September 4, 2016

Fourteenth Sunday After Pentecost

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The Theme Bible Verse of 2016:

Through him you Gentiles are also being made part of this dwelling where God lives by his Spirit.

Ephesians 2:22

Sharing Christ—Shaping Lives

September 4, 2016 (Since November, 1988) No. 1405

Prelude (*seated*)

Greeting and Announcements

Opening Hymn *ELW # 858 "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"*
Japanese Hymn (21) # 7

Blessing: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever. **Amen.**

Invocation: In the presence of God, who sees our hearts and our minds, let us confess our sin.

Confession: God our strength,
we confess that we are captive to the power of sin that dwells within us. We put ourselves first and others last. What we think will make us happy leaves us longing for more. Even when we want to do what is good, we find ourselves doing the opposite. Rescue us from death's grip on our lives, and raise us up day by day, that we may be alive to God in Christ Jesus. Amen.

Absolution: Sisters and brothers, all have fallen short of the glory of God; therefore we are justified by God's grace as a gift. Nothing can separate us from the love of God in † Christ Jesus, in whom we have forgiveness of sin, life, and salvation. **Amen.**

Kyrie: *ELW #155*
Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison.
Lord have mercy. Lord have mercy. Lord have mercy.

Prayer of The Day: Direct us, O Lord God, in all our doings with your continual help, that in all our works, begun, continued, and ended in you, we may glorify your holy name; and finally, by your mercy, bring us to everlasting life, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

First Lesson: *Deuteronomy 30:15-20*

Second Lesson: *James 4:13-15*

Gospel Acclamation (*stand*)

Gospel: *Luke 14:25-33*

Hymn *ELW #803 "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"*
Japanese Hymn (21) #297

Message: *"First Sit Down"* by 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 *ELW #471: "Let Us Break Bread Together"*
Japanese Hymn (21) #79, v. 1

Communion Hymn

The Lord's Prayer: (*Recite during Communion - see bulletin page 4*)

Communion Hymn *ELW #471: "Let Us Break Bread Together"*
Japanese Hymn (21) #79, v. 3

Benediction and Threefold Amen

Hymn *ELW #817 "You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore"*
Japanese Hymn (21)#505