

Worship Service

January 16, 2022

GLORY

Song of Preparation *What a Friend We Have in Jesus*

Call to Worship George Aidoo
Associate Pastor

Songs of Glory *Lord, from Sorrows Deep I Call
How Firm a Foundation*

GRACE

Prayer of Confession Josh Black
Lead Pastor

Songs of Grace *I Will Wait for You (Psalm 130)
His Mercy Is More*

Prayer of Petition George Aidoo

Sermon The Power of Prayer
James 5:16, Josh Black

GO

Song of Response *Before the Throne of God Above*

Benediction

Worship Team: Claire Drevets, Gail Keck, Jeff Keck, Jeri Paden, Paul Callaway, Dave Miller, Jim Meyer, Jim Logan

Our Mission: *We exist to make disciples of Jesus Christ who glorify God as the grace of the gospel grows deep in God's people and goes wide to all peoples.*

Prayer Requests

Our Missions Partners

- Shige and Luann work with ReachGlobal in Tokyo. Shige is the co-team leader for their Tokyo City Team which aims to plant churches in central Tokyo where less than one percent of the population claims to follow Christ. Praise God that he has been raising up faithful lay leaders in the churches. Pray for four unbelievers who have recently been attending one of the churches to believe the gospel.
- Alex Lomangino works as an evangelism and discipleship trainer in Western Canada. He helps lead a network of churches called Transformation City Network. Recently engaged to his fiancé Nicole, pray for their upcoming marriage. Pray he will faithfully deliver God's truth as he preaches at a Chinese church this month.
- Ask the Lord to be near to the people in Kazakhstan amidst recent political unrest. Praise God that our missions partner there is okay.
- *Praying for People Groups:* The Sunda in Indonesia are 99% Islam. Ask God to raise up long-term missionaries who will go to Indonesia and share Christ with the Sunda people. Pray that the Holy Spirit would protect and guide those already laboring among the Sunda people and that the gospel would be at work. Ask the Holy Spirit to soften the hearts of the Sunda toward Christians so that they will be receptive to the gospel.

Our Church Family

- Donald Anderson, husband of Sharon Anderson, died January 11. His service is at 10:30 am on January 22 at the Cozine Life Events Center.
- Barbara Takemoto's mother, Hanae June Watanabe, died December 29. A service date is pending at this time.
- Ruth Scheer, long-time member of First Free and mother of Brick Scheer, died January 4. Her service was on January 10 at First Free.

- Receiving dialysis: John Ross
- Dealing with cancer: R. Guggisberg, Katy Harms
- Ongoing health concerns: Helen Day, John Eby, Nancy Gustavson, Wes Jenkins, Kevin Oneth, Larry Pankow, Jeanne P., Marilyn R.

National/Local Leaders

- President Joe Biden
- Dept. of Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg
- Kansas Senators Roger Marshall and Jerry Moran

Serving Our Country

- Air Force: Ethan Adams, Xochitl Hernandez, Greg R.
- Marines: Clark Hollander

Names are rotated weekly. If you or your loved one is serving in the military and you'd like them to be added to the prayer page, or you'd like to receive a full list of names, please email Pastor Dick, dhigh@firstfreevichita.org.