

September 25, 2020

Dear Friends,

Sunday Online Worship Gathering at 10 a.m.

Through this week's reading from Matthew 21:23-32 we will explore the authority or influence Jesus has because of his integrity. Jesus is the master of an integrated life. He is trustworthy. There is nothing two-faced about him. Who he is, how he appears, what he says, and how he lives, match.

How might we begin to set aside our masks or personas or false selves and live lives of integrity? (This will mean letting our cracks show.)

Please [contact me](#) for a Zoom link to Sunday's online gathering.

For this week's scripture readings and other announcements, go to [Sunday's bulletin](#). For fall opportunities to connect with others, check out our [Building Community brochure](#).

Sunday School for grades 4-6 at 11:15 a.m.

To 'send' your child to Sunday School (grades 4-6) at 11:15 a.m., please contact our [family pastor](#).

Tuesday Prayer Gathering: September 29

You are welcome to [send requests for prayer](#) to our prayer team, which gathers each Tuesday at 11:30 a.m. to hold you before God.

Praying with the Psalmists: In-Person Evening Gatherings, this Fall

Twenty-four of us were together this past Wednesday evening for in-house worship and prayer. Please [register here](#) to participate on September 30th at 7 p.m. in the church building. (The gatherings last week and this coming week have an identical order of worship.) Our theme this month is *Living through Loneliness*. This applies to all of us. There are several types of loneliness and nobody is exempt from experiencing it in one way or another. We will read scripture and hear devotional reflections. We will hear sung worship music (from behind newly built plexiglass barriers), consider questions, pray together, and participate in Communion.

Current Covid-19 regulations will be followed when we gather. Those who register will receive details about Sunnyside's current in-person worship guidelines on Monday.

Thank you all for your flexibility these days. We are trying to stick together. If you are isolated and don't have the experience of others alongside you, please [reach out](#).

I am so grateful for you and pray for your health and strength.

With love,

Pastor Kerry Kronberg (with the whole team)