

Armenian Congregational Church of Greater Detroit
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11:00 A.M.

October 15, 2006

*We welcome all who are worshiping with us, especially guests and newcomers. We invite you to take part in worship, to engage in the activities of the church and make this your home church.
A supervised nursery is available for children age two and under.*

ORGAN PRELUDE

GREETINGS & CALL TO WORSHIP

OPENING HYMNS - #8 "Holy, Holy, Holy" (vv. 1 & 2)

#13 "What A Friend We Have In Jesus" (vv. 1 & 2)

RESPONSIVE READING - #366 "Christian Unity"

PASTOR: I beg you-I, a prisoner here in jail for serving the Lord to live and act in a way worthy of those who have been chosen for such wonderful blessings as these.

PEOPLE: **Be humble and gentle. Be patient with each other, making allowance for each other's faults because of your love.**

PASTOR: Try always to be led along together by the Holy Spirit, and so be at peace with one another.

PEOPLE: **We are all parts of one body, we have the same Spirit, and we all been called to the same glorious future.**

PASTOR: For us there is only one Lord, one faith, one baptism, And we all have the same God and Father who is over us all and in us all, and living through every part of us.

PEOPLE: **However, Christ has given each of us special abilities whatever he wants us to have out of his rich storehouse of gifts.**

UNISON: **Some of us have given special ability as apostles; to others he has given the gift of being able to preach well; some have special ability in winning people to Christ, helping them to trust him as their Savior; still others have a gift for caring for God's people as a shepherd does his sheep, leading and teaching them in the ways of God. Why is it that he gives us these special abilities to do certain things best? It is that God's people will be equipped to do better work for him, building up the church, the body of Christ, to a position of strength and maturity.**

***INVOCATION**

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

JOYS & CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH FAMILY

PRAYER

OFFERING

***DOXOLOGY AND OFFERTORY PRAYER**

SCRIPTURE IN ARMENIAN: Galatians (selected readings from ch. 1&2)

MESSAGE IN ARMENIAN: "Paul And The Gospel"

***HYMNS-** "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" (insert) (vv. 1&2)

"Be Thou My Vision" (insert) (vv.1&2)

SCRIPTURE IN ENGLISH: Ephesians 4:1-6 (P. 1821)

MESSAGE IN ENGLISH: "Unity In The Body"

***HAYR MER** - #133

***BENEDICTION**

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE:** "Park K0ez D0er, Asdvadz M0er"

ORGAN POSTLUDE

**Congregation is requested to stand*

**** Latecomers may be seated*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER TIME. Come join us today for a prayer time right here in the sanctuary following the worship service.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS' meeting will be held today following the prayer time, at 12:30 p.m. in the Christian Education room.

THE GIDEONS INTERNATIONAL. Representatives from the Gideons International ministries will be visiting us and will take part in our worship service on October 22, 2006.

CHURCH JOYS & CONCERNS.

- Please remember Catherine Fogarty, and the Janigian family in your prayers.

PRAY FOR CHURCH FAMILY MEMBERS WHO ARE LOOKING FOR EMPLOYMENT.

PLEASE RESERVE THE FOLLOWING IMPORTANT DATES:

Friday, October 27, 7:00 p.m.

- **Family Night.** All ages are welcome. Donations are \$12.00 for adults; \$6.00 for children 6-12 years old, no charge for children under 6 years. Come enjoy a delicious meal, featuring “Monte”, and games. Please write your names on the sign-up sheet on the church bulletin board.
- **Pastor Mak’s Trip to Armenia.** During the family night, Pastor Mak will be give a full report and a show a pictures on his trip to Armenia, the Armenian Evangelical Church 160th anniversary celebrations, and his visit to our sister church of Dilijan.

Sunday, November 5, 2006

- **Congregational Meeting.** The meeting will be held following the Church service. All church members are required to attend.

Synopsis of the Armenian Message

(Galatians chapters 1&2)

In this letter we see how the Galatian churches faced a challenge to the gospel. We also learn how they dealt with that challenge.

In 1:6-10, we see that even in the earliest days of Christianity, false teaching was apparent. Paul did not overlook it, pretending it did not exist; neither did he minimize it, saying it does not matter.

In 1:11-2:10, we see that Paul’s message was revealed by Jesus. He explains that the source of his gospel was not from any man, but a direct revelation from Christ. His message was also confirmed by the apostles as they accepted him and encourage him in his ministry.

In 2:11-21, we see that the gospel needs to be defended. The gospel demands that all people bring their doctrine into harmony with it, regardless of popular opinion. The gospel also needs to be demonstrated. Godly living is the mark of a believer. The attacks of the ungodly are silenced by righteous living (1 Peter 2:15).