

Pastor Makarios Darawi
Mrs. Susan Harrison, Choir Director and Organist

11:00 A.M.

June 14, 2009

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.

PRELUDE

CHOIR PROCESSION - #8 "Holy, Holy, Holy"---Aaron Keteyian - Sax

CALL TO WORSHIP

***HYMN & SONG -#115 "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" (Vv.1,2,3)**
#12 "Step By Step" (X2) (Songbook)

PRAYER

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS
THE LORD'S SUPPER

SCRIPTURE IN ENGLISH: *Matthew 6:19-24 (Pp. 1504-05)*
MESSAGE IN ENGLISH: "Choose Your Master"

ANTHEM

JOYS AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH FAMILY
CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER
OFFERING

***HYMN - #72 "All Glory To Jesus Be Given" (Vv. 1,2)**

SCRIPTURE IN ARMENIAN: *2 Peter 2:1-10 (Pp. 1894-95)*
MESSAGE IN ARMENIAN: "False Teachers"

REMINDERS

***HAYR MER - #133**

***BENEDICTION**

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

POSTLUDE

**Congregation is requested to stand*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE FELLOWSHIP HOUR this morning is sponsored by Mr. & Mrs. Daniel and Marian Flanagan in honor of their 45th anniversary celebration.

NEW MEMBERS RECEPTION will be held today during the morning worship hour.

THE LORD'S TABLE will be celebrated today during the morning worship service.

THE ACC WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP meeting will be held on today following the fellowship hour. All ladies are welcome!

**THE ACC FATHER'S DAY
PICNIC**

Father's Day Picnic will be on Sunday, June 21. The church family will gather at Bay Lodge Park in Waterford starting at 9:30 a.m. There will be a church service at 10:00 a.m. followed by lunch, and fun activities. Please add your name to the sheet posted on the bulletin board.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS)



VBS will be held on **June 29 - July 2 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** This year we are doing "Boomerang Express" (Australian Theme). Participants will enjoy applicable Bible lessons, fun praise and worship, skits, puppet shows, crafts, games, and snacks. VBS will be geared towards children ages 3-11. Older students are encouraged to assist with the younger groups. For more information please speak to Leslie Banerian or Ann Bayleran.

JOYS AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH FAMILY. Please pray for Mrs. Marie Arslanian, Jacob Arslanian, Daniel and Marian Flanagan. We praise God and rejoice for the graduates and the new members. We pray His wisdom, guidance and blessing on all of them.

Year-To-Date Budget

Budgeted stewardship and offerings \$77,000.00

Received to date (January - May) \$34,889.46

Monthly needs to meet year-end stewardship budget \$6416.66

Total year budget \$181,320.00

Received to date (January - May) \$67,501

Synopsis of the Armenian Sermon

(2 Peter 2:1-10a)

In this section of his letter, Peter turns his attention to the issue of false prophets (teachers). At the end of chapter one he had said that the Old Testament prophets did not prophesy of their own will, but as they were moved by the Holy Spirit. Now he adds that there always were false teachers and there always will be. These false teachers often pose as real ministers of the gospel, but introduce false and destructive teachings. They carry their Bibles and use biblical expressions, yet they use them to mean something entirely different. These false teachers are motivated by financial and sexual greed, and they exploit their followers through made up stories. Because of their deception, condemnation and destruction is awaiting them. In verses 4-10, Peter gives three Old Testament examples of apostasy – the angels, Noah’s flood, and Sodom and Gomorrah. The angels mentioned here are most likely the ones mentioned in Jude 6 and Genesis 6 called “*sons of God.*” They sinned by not keeping their position and proper dwelling. In Noah’s time God decided to punish man because “*The LORD saw how great man’s wickedness on the earth had become, and that every inclination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil all the time*” (Genesis 6:5). God also condemned the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah for their wicked sin. But, Peter says, this same God who judges the sinner, also rescues the righteous as in the case of Lot.

Friends, we live in a society that has been forcing us to accept immoral and sinful practices as normal. False teachers who call themselves Pastors and Bishops falsely teach that God’s Word does not condemn these sinful practices. What to do? Know God’s truth, care about the truth, and lovingly confront the world with the truth.