



# It Happened In Philippi

## Welcome!

January 1, 2022



**PIONEER**  
MEMORIAL CHURCH

# SABBATH SCHOOL

## SONG SERVICE

Greg Offenback

## WELCOME

Alina Baltazar

## SPECIAL FEATURE

"New Year, New You"

Foluke Arthurton

## PRAYER

## LESSON STUDY

## CLOSING SONG

"Lift Up the Trumpet"

## CLOSING PRAYER

# CALL TO WORSHIP

PASTOR: Arise, shine, for your light has come;

**PEOPLE: And the glory of the Lord has risen upon us.**

PASTOR: I am the root and the offspring of David, the bright morning star.

**PEOPLE: Whoever follows Jesus will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.**

PASTOR: Let us praise the name of the Lord.



## SUNSET TODAY

5:25

## SUNSET NEXT FRIDAY

5:24

## OFFERING

### 01 • 01

Pioneer Operating Budget

### 01 • 08

Religious Liberty

Moreover I will give you  
a new heart. I will put a  
new spirit within you.  
I will remove the stony  
heart from your flesh and  
give you a heart of flesh.

EZEKIEL 36:26

## PIONEER PULPIT

### 01 • 08

Dwight K. Nelson

### 01 • 15

Dwight K. Nelson

# WORSHIP

9:00 AM

## OPENING MUSIC

"The Old Year Has Passed Away"  
Johann Sebastian Bach

## WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP

### "FOR TIME AND FOREVER": A HYMN CYCLE

"O God, Our Help"  
"Amazing Grace"  
"Marching to Zion"  
"Amazing Grace"  
"In a Little While We're Going Home"

## CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

### BAPTISM

Hayoon (Ellis) Chun with Youngbo Chun

### CHILDREN'S STORY

Children's Story: Jonathan Burt  
Prayer: Kaleb

### WORSHIP IN MUSIC

"Of Fortitude and Faith" • Kenneth Logan

### MESSAGE

"It Happened In Philippi"  
John Glass, Associate Pastor

## CONNECT CARD

### HYMN OF COMMITMENT

"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

### BENEDICTION

### CLOSING MUSIC

"O God, Our Help" • William Croft

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Organ: Kenneth Logan, Minister of Music

Presiding Pastor: Lindsey Pratt, Associate Pastor

Hymn Leaders: Ryan Clough, tenor; Eric Lofgren, trumpet

Worship in Music: Eric Lofgren, trumpet

11:45 AM

## OPENING MUSIC

"The Old Year Has Passed Away"  
Johann Sebastian Bach

## WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP

### PRAISE

"To God Be The Glory"

## CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

### BABY DEDICATION

Jonah Clifton Graves, presented by Byron and  
Jennifer Graves with Ben Martin

### WORSHIP IN MUSIC

"Of Fortitude and Faith" • Kenneth Logan

### CHILDREN'S STORY

Children's Story: Jonathan Burt  
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### PRAISE

"Called Me Higher"  
"New Beginnings"  
"Believe For It"

### MESSAGE

"It Happened In Philippi"  
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## CONNECT CARD

### HYMN OF COMMITMENT

"Leaning On the Everlasting Arms"

### BENEDICTION

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Worship in Music: Eric Lofgren, trumpet

Praise Team:  
Vocals: Grace Dockerty, Zothile Sibanda, Towett Shioh  
Ben Loenser, piano; Chris Mwashinga, cajón

# PIONEER FAMILY

## Pioneer Holiday Office Closure

Due to the upcoming holiday our offices will be closed on the following dates:

Dec 30 (Thu) Closed at Noon

Dec 31 (Fri) Closed

Jan 3 (Mon) Closed

We wish God's richest blessings to you in this new year to come!

## Women's Ministries Book Club

Join Pioneer's Women's Ministries Book Club starting Friday, January 7, 2022 at 7:00 PM. They will be studying the book "Heaven," by Ellen G. White. Find the free version of the book at <https://whiteestate.org>. A Zoom link will be sent to those who join the group. Join by calling 517.316.1570 or email [coliver@misda.org](mailto:coliver@misda.org).

## Something in Common

**PIONEER ROOM 141 • 10:30 AM**

Get your family ready for Christmas and its deeper meaning. Join our Healthy Families Sabbath School class! Sabbath Morning in Room 141. We will be showing and discussing the DVD study series, January 1 - Immanuel, January 8-Gold, Frankincense, Myrrh.

## Renovate Update

Thank you for your faithful giving toward our Renovate project as we near our goal! Our balance remaining is \$349,040 as of December 18, 2021.

## Benton Harbor Water Crisis

Due to excessive lead in the water in Benton Harbor, Harbor of Hope serves as a distribution site for cases of free bottled water for Benton Harbor residents. Volunteers are needed from 4:00 – 6:00 PM every Sabbath afternoon.

## The Christmas Story

Did you catch our Christmas Eve service premiere online? If not you can watch it now at [pmchurch.org/christmas-story](http://pmchurch.org/christmas-story).

## Our United Cry Prayer Conference

On March 11-12 Lake Union Conference will be having an in person Prayer Conference event at the Embassy Suites in Plainfield, Indiana. The Our United Cry's theme for this year's Conference comes from John 17, "One With God, One with each other. As a Lake Union Conference family we need to come together in prayer especially in such a time that we are in right now. As a Union we need to come and together seek for the Holy Spirit. We will also be praying for the upcoming General Conference Session the following summer. We want every church in this great Lake Union to be represented in this conference. Looking to seeing you all there!




## Happy 100th Birthday!

Donna Wheeler, a member at Pioneer for many years, as well as Andrews Academy Librarian, is turning 100 years old on January 9, 2022. If you would like to send her a birthday card, please submit it to the Pioneer front desk. She would love to hear from you. Email [algersallie@gmail.com](mailto:algersallie@gmail.com) if you have any questions.

To submit or read more announcements visit [pmchurch.org/announcements](http://pmchurch.org/announcements)

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