



My Help, the Shade on My Right Hand

Welcome!

March 18, 2023



PIONEER
MEMORIAL CHURCH

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Let us worship the God who has been our help.

All: Our God is the God of hope.

Leader: May the Lord's presence be felt among the people of our congregation today

All: It is God's mercy and grace that we stand. Let us sing with songs of prayer and praise. Amen.



But as for me and
my household, we
will serve the Lord.

JOSHUA 24:15

SABBATH SCHOOL

SONG SERVICE

Alex Markovich

OPENING SONG

"When We All Get To Heaven" • 633

WELCOME

Philip Giddings III

FEATURE

"Our View or His?"
Gilbert Wari

LESSON STUDY

"Managing In Tough Times"

SUNSET TODAY

7:55

SUNSET NEXT FRIDAY

8:03

OFFERING

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Pioneer Operating Budget

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Michigan Advance Partners

PIONEER PULPIT

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Davide Sciarabba

"Under God's Mighty Hand"

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Dwight K. Nelson

"Return to Calvary:
The Absent Daddy
(How to Find Your Father)"

"Who Is This King Of Glory?" Psalm 24:8-10

APRIL 1-9

This is our third year of Easter Reflections brought to you by the Pioneer Women's Ministries Easter Reflections. You will receive a daily email and/or a text meditation for nine days on events that happened during the Passion week. Let us reflect on what Jesus did for us. How does it relate to me today? To receive this daily short blessing, text "GLORY" to 269.281.2345.

WORSHIP

9:00 AM

OPENING MUSIC

"We Live by Faith and Not by Sight" • James Biery

WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP

Mordekai Ongo, Pioneer Elder

"CONTENTMENT IN GOD'S LEADING": A HYMN CYCLE

"Praise to the Lord" • 1, st. 1-2

"Lead On, O King Eternal" • 619 st. 1, 3

"He Leadeth Me" • 537, st. 1, 3

"Beneath the Cross of Jesus" • 303, st. 1, 3

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" • 538, st. 1

Mordekai Ongo, Pioneer Elder

OFFERTORY

"Lift Thine Eyes to the Mountains" (from "Elijah")

Felix Mendelssohn

CHILDREN'S STORY

Melissa Poua, Pioneer Member

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 121 NKJV

Benny Mongkau, Pioneer Member

WORSHIP IN MUSIC

"I Got Shoes" • Allice Parker and Robert Shaw

MESSAGE

"My Help, the Shade on My Right Hand"

Bryan von Dorpowski, Pioneer Head Elder

CONNECT CARD

HYMN OF COMMITMENT

"A Shelter in the Time of Storm" • 528, st. 1-2, 4

BENEDICTION

CLOSING MUSIC

"Choral Song" • Samuel Wesley

Organ: Kenneth Logan, Minister of Music

Hymn Leader & Worship in Music: Pioneer Sanctuary Choir, Brenton Offenback, director

11:45 AM

OPENING MUSIC

"We Live by Faith and Not by Sight" • James Biery

WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP

Mordekai Ongo, Pioneer Elder

PRAISE

"This Is How I Thank the Lord"

"Touch the Sky"

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

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PRAISE

"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

"Death Was Arrested"

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 121 NKJV

Lily Murphy, Andrews Academy Student

MESSAGE

"My Help, the Shade on My Right Hand"

Bryan von Dorpowski, Pioneer Head Elder

CONNECT CARD

CLOSING SONG

"My Help"

BLESSING

CLOSING MUSIC

"Choral Song" • Samuel Wesley

Organ: Kenneth Logan, Minister of Music

Worship in Music: Pioneer Sanctuary Choir, Brenton Offenback, director

Praise Team: Sarah Ayaz, Christiana Michel, Gabi Gonçalves, Lily Murphy, vocals; Nathaniel Miller, piano; Kristen Kim, cello; Marcus Silie, bass; Nico Poloche, cajon

PIONEER FAMILY

Fellowship Dinner

There will be a fellowship dinner today, in the Commons on the lower level. Visitors are always welcome.

RMES Book Swap

If you have books appropriate for grades K-8 and consistent with Christian values that you are willing to donate, please bring them to RMES during business hours between now and March 31. RMES students will have an opportunity to select a book during the week of April 3. This is a wonderful way for our church family to support our students and promote a love for reading. Email RMESHomeAndSchool@gmail.com or speak to Kimberly Westfall if you have any questions. Thank you for your support!

Pioneer's Main Office Entrance Closed Mon – Fri until Further Notice

Thanks to great progress on Renovate 2.0—The Elevator Project—Pioneer's main office entrance at the canopy is now closed Mondays to Fridays until further notice. To access Reception or the Church offices, please use the entrance at the Lower Level Welcome Center. Thank you for your patience and continued support of this critical project.

Beds for Berrien

On April 16, Pioneer plans to provide beds for local children without. This project needs your help! First, you can donate to the Pioneer Outreach fund. \$15,000 and 40 beds is our goal. Second, you can help us get organized on April 16. We'll be unloading and sorting materials, and loading them to deliver. Third, we need teams to transport the beds and bedding, and assemble them in homes. If you'd like to donate, volunteer, and/or find more information, text BEDS to 269.281.2345 or visit pmchurch.org/beds. Donations in excess of what we need for this project will be used for other service/outreach initiatives in and by our community.

Kindergarten Parent Night and Visitor's Day

Our Kindergarten program helps children grow spiritually, academically, physically, and socially!

Parents of children who will be 5 years old by September 1, 2023, are invited to our Kindergarten Parent Information Night on April 4, 6:30 – 7:30 PM. Children are invited to Kindergarten Visitor's Day on April 5. Please let us know if you are coming by calling 269.471.3220.

VEC Report-2

Lonnie Ayaz – Deacon
Sarah Ayaz – Deacon
Caleb Colwell – Maintenance and Custodial
Lynell De Wind – Photographers Coordinator
Meaatoa Fio – Jail Ministry Member
Brenda Markert-Green – Prayer Ministry Member
Trudean Scott-Elliott – Greeter, Jail Ministry Member
Harlene Smith Wagner – Homebound Ministry Member, Jail Ministry Member, Prayer Ministry Member
Sharon Straw – Fellowship Dinners Member, Funeral Dinners Member

Paper Crafting Together

MARCH 26 • 1:00–5:00 PM

LAKE UNION CONFERENCE BOARD ROOM

Bring your paper crafting (card making, scrapbooking, mixed media) supplies and enjoy spending time with friends or making some new ones. We will have chocolate to share. Questions, call Sherrie Davis, 269.473.8274. To register email sherrie.davis@lakeunion.com. A \$5 Donation requested to help defray the cost of the rental.




Our Service People

Our SDA World Service Organization (WSO) at the General Conference ministers to SDA Military Active Duty, Reserves, and National Guard. Also under its umbrella are all levels of Law Enforcement, Firefighters, EMTs, Corrections Personnel, Government Workers at all levels, and Military Veterans. All have access to WSO support resources by creating a personal profile at portal.worldserviceorganization.org. Pass the word! Questions? Contact James North, Jr. the Pioneer Servicepersons Coordinator at jamesn@andrews.edu.

To submit or read more announcements
visit pmchurch.org/announcements

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