The28th Sunday Rite of the year

19th Sunday of Pentecost Worship Service

《Sunday Morning Divine Liturgy》

【Entrance Part】
- Prelude (Silent Prayer)
  "All men must die"
  Composed by A. Reinhardt
- Greeting
- Hymn 21-51
- Opening Prayer
- Reading Psalms119(Kofu)

【Worship of the Word】
- Scripture
  ✚ Daniel 12:1-4
  ✚ John 5:24-30
  (Old Tes p.1401, New Tes p.172)
- Response Hymns 21-46
- Lecture　Pastor Takaaki Inoue

" The Dead Hear the Voice of the Son of God "
- Apostles' Creed

【Communion Worship】
- Consecration Hymns 21-72
- Church Prayer (Litany)
- Peace Greetings
- Hymns21-83
- The Lord's Prayer
- The Supper

【Response, Dispatch, and Blessing】
- Hymn 21-358
- Offering of Thanksgiving
- Hymns of Glory　Hymns 21-24
- Words of Dispatch
- Prayer of Blessing
- Aftermath (Silent Prayer)
  "The Lord Is My Life"
  (Hymn 21, No. 570)
  Composed by J.G. Walter

【Today's Worship Service】
- AssistantCerver：Masato Sawada
- Musician：Sachie Shikano
- Donation Duty：Yoshiko Aizawa
- Reception Duty：Kimiko Kobuchi

【Today's schedule】
◇Church school (9:30 a.m.)
- Talk：Mayumi Sawada

◇Hymn practice (after service)
◇Joint prayer meeting (after service)
◇Regular Board Meeting(1:00 PM)

【Information on this week's church meetings】
◇Morning prayer
- October 14 (Tue) 9:00a.m.
- October 17(Fri) 9:00 a.m.

◇English Conversation
- October 16 (Thurs)7:30 p.m.

【Information on next Sunday】
◇Church School Service (9:30 a.m.)
- Talk：Pastor Takaaki Inoue

◇Sunday Morning Service
October 19 (10:30 a.m.)
- Scripture

✚ Isaiah 56:1–8
✚Acts 3:1–8
- Lecture by Pastor Takaaki Inoue

"A House of Prayer for All Nations"
- Hymn 21　503、46、419
- Reading Psalms 119 (Resh)
- AssistantCerver：Mariko Inoue
- Musician：Masako Iida
- Donation Duty：Takako Matsumoto
- Reception duty：Kotaro Hata

◇Hymn practice (after service)
◇Joint prayer meeting (after service)
◇General Cleaning(after service)

Scripture

「When the appointed time comes, all who are in the graves will hear the voice of a man, and those who have done good will come forth to receive life.」

(John 5 :28)

【Reports and personal disappearances】

(1) "Pastor Inoue's schedule for this week" : Friday, the 17th, 2:00 PM: "Osaka Prefecture Religious Federation General Meeting (Isshinji Temple)"

(2)《Scheduled church events for October》

■Sunday, October 12, After Worship Service "Evangelism Committee"

■Sunday, October 19, 1:00 PM "General Cleaning"

■October 21 (Tue) 10:00 AM "Mental Health Study Group" Participation Fee: ¥500

■October 26 (Sun) 1:00 PM "Church Retreat"

■October 27 (Mon) 1:30 PM "Sharon Senri Worship Service"

(3)【Today's prayer task】

For the construction of a new church building. For peace to be realized in Ukraine and Gaza. For friends and family in prison. For the growth of children. For friends who have drifted away from the church.

(4)【Last week's meeting statistics】

day	meeting	boy	girl	adult	total	Donation
5	Church chool	0	1	4	5	¥2,050
	meeting	male	female	child	total	Donation
5	Morning Service	5	16	3	24	¥12,100
7	Morning prayer	2	3	—	5	
10	Morning prayer	1	4	1	6	

(5)【10/5donation report】

[Monthly Subscription] Takaaki Inoue, Yoshiko Aizawa, Masako Iida, Mariko Inoue, Asako Inoue, Seiichiro Inoue, Hitoshi Katsumi, Sachie Shikano, Ritsuko Terada, Kishiko Hata, Kenichi Yamachiyo, Seiko Yamachiyo (Total: ¥103,000) [Appreciation] Yoshiko Aizawa, Asuka Terada, Keiko Nakamura (Total: ¥8,300) [Construction] Takaaki Inoue, Masako Iida, Mariko Inoue, Ritsuko Terada, Kishiko Hata, Marina Hata (Total: ¥16,500) [Mutual Aid] Takaaki Inoue, Mariko Inoue, Hideo Okumiya, Kimiko Kobuchi, Ritsuko Terada (Total: ¥6,000)

【Continuation of last week's sermon summary】

↘ forgiving our enemies, and not resisting evil.Gandhi forgave those who killed him and died. During World War II, Father Kolbe at Auschwitz also forgave the Nazi soldier who came to kill him. It is said that Father Kolbe's death changed the atmosphere of the entire camp. Prisoners who had previously lived in apathy began to find beauty in the setting sun. They came to understand that "a person can become a beast, but also an angel," and gained the courage and hope to "die as human beings." It was the moment when evil, violence, hatred, and fear were defeated.

Gandhi said, "Fear breeds distrust. If just one person stops being afraid, we will stop fighting." Yet fear is what drives those waging war today and what resides in the hearts of many. Trump says, "More immigrants will ruin America." A certain party in Japan says, "If foreigners increase, Japan will be ruined." Putin says, "If NATO and Western countries come in, Russia will be ruined." It's all fear. People called Christians are dominated by fear and sin. Because they are nominal Christians. They have not truly encountered God's love. Those who encounter genuine love should have their fear disappear.

Now more than ever, people truly governed by God's love are needed. Even if they are few, genuine Christians—those who live Christ-like lives—are sought after. Loving others, forgiving, and never losing hope: these are our weapons to overcome the world. First, let us be still and be filled with God's love.