

WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP

GATHERING TOGETHER

O Lord, let my soul rise up to meet you.

As the day rises to meet the sun, we come to you Lord God.

Let us shout the Lord all honor and praise.

Let us rejoice in the wonders that the Lord God reveals, let us life up our hearts with praise.

PRAYER / LORD'S PRAYER

HEARING TOGETHER

John 6:56-69

Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever." He said these things while he was teaching in the synagogue at Capernaum.

When many of his disciples heard it, they said, "This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?" But Jesus, being aware that his disciples were complaining about it, said to them, "Does this offend you? Then what if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? It is the spirit that gives

life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life. But among you there are some who do not believe." For Jesus knew from the first who were the ones that did not believe, and who was the one that would betray him. And he said, "For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted by the Father." Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him.

So Jesus asked the twelve, "Do you also wish to go away?" Simon Peter answered him, "Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God."

RECEIVING TOGETHER:

"Jesus says some weird stuff"

- Rev. Ian Macdonald

"I am the One."

~ Jesus

Benediction

Now that your eyes have been open to see the work of Jesus Christ, go now and live out in the world in all that you do.

Thank you for being a part of today's service.

It is always our intention to make you feel welcomed and at home. We hope we were able to achieve this and that you will continue to participate in our ministry.

Your financial support is imperative to the success of this ministry. Please visit our website and make a generous donation today. www.newchurchshermanoaks.org

Sunday Worship: 11:00 – 11:30 am

Streaming Live on Facebook

Our Vision:

- Love God.
- Love Others.
- Serve Both

New Church Sherman Oaks is a home church plant of New Church Whittier. We are a gathering of ordinary people trying to build up our faith in God and live it out in a way that is relevant and purposeful for the building up of God's Kingdom. We invite you embrace this Spirit and make our home your New Church home.

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