

Mr. Matthew DeRaad, Organist-Choir Director
Pastor Makarios Darawi

11:00 A.M.

May 6, 2007

*We welcome all who are worshipping 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.
A supervised nursery is available for children age two and under.*

ORGAN PRELUDE
CALL TO WORSHIP

***OPENING HYMNS**- #159 "Praise Him! Praise Him! (Vv. 1,3)
#6 "We Praise Thee, O God" (Vv. 1,4)
"Lord, I lift Your Name On High"(Insert)

INVOCATION
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

ANTHEM
ANNOUNCEMENTS
JOYS & CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH FAMILY
PRAYER
OFFERING

SCRIPTURE IN ARMENIAN: Mark 14: 31&50 (Pp. 1580-81)
MESSAGE IN ARMENIAN: "Loneliness"

HYMN- #70 "Anywhere With Jesus I Can Safely Go" (Vv. 1,2,4)

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***HAYR MER** - #133

***BENEDICTION**
ORGAN POSTLUDE

**Congregation is requested to stand
*** Latecomers may be seated*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE FELLOWSHIP HOUR this morning is sponsored by Mrs. Armina Boujoulian in honor of her granddaughter Christine Boujoulian's graduation from Madonna University. Congratulations.

THE WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP business meeting will be held today from 12:30-1:30 p.m.

MOTHER'S DAY, SUNDAY MAY 13. Please join us in the morning worship service, as we honor our mothers. The Mother's Day Banquet will be held that afternoon at 5:00 p.m. Reserve your tickets today!

VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITY. On **Saturday, May 19 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon** a group of A.C.C. members will be going to *Gleaners Community Food Bank* in Howell to help pack boxes of food for needy families in Michigan. If you would like to volunteer contact the church office.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING will be held on **Sunday May 20**, immediately following the morning worship service. All church members are expected to attend.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS)

VBS will be held **June 25-28 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** This year, children will become detectives investigating God's Word. Participants will enjoy skits, puppet shows, crafts, games, Bible lessons, and music. VBS will be geared towards children ages 3-10. Older students are encouraged to assist with the younger groups. Watch for registration forms in the mail soon, or speak to Mrs. Leslie Banerian or Mrs. Ann Bayleran for more information.

MOTHER'S DAY BANQUET, SUNDAY MAY 13, 2007

Please reserve for (Name) _____

Total Number Attending: _____

\$20.00 per Adult x ___ = _____

\$10.00 (Ages 6-12) x ___ = _____

Free (Under 6 years old) # _____

CHURCH JOYS & CONCERNS.

- Pray for Helen Vartanian, and Charlie Ayanian.
- Pray for God's continued protection of this great nation.

Synopsis of the Armenian Message

(Mark 14:31, 50)

In the recent tragic shooting at Virginia Tech University, stories emerged about the life of the shooter that describe him as a socially isolated and unconnected person. Loneliness is an epidemic that most often goes unnoticed. In our busy self-centered lifestyles we usually do not have time to think about others and what they might be going through. People feel lonely for many reasons; in the case of Jesus it was abandonment by His closest companions. Those friends He needed the most at the most difficult time in His life left Him and fled away. Jesus' experience with loneliness can help us when we feel lonely. Jesus understands what we are going through. Turn to Him in **prayer** when you feel lonely. **Do not isolate** yourself, but continue to **fellowship** with your church family. Remain **active** in your church community by finding ways to use your gifts in its **service**. **Develop special friendships** with fellow believers that you can count on when you need to.

Armenia⁷⁶ Congregational Church 90th Anniversary

Presents International Recording Artist

DANIEL DECKER

Saturday, June 2, 2007 at 7:30 p.m.

(Admission is \$25.00. For more information see Bob or Gayaneh Kachadourian.)