Music during Communion "Come, Share the Lord"......# 2269 The Faith We Sing "Come to the Table of Grace"# 3168 Worship & Song Prayer after Communion

+ Benediction Bishop Schwerin

Postlude Prairie North District Music Team

Following the Service, all are invited to the Fellowship Hall for a light supper, provided by the people of Grace United Methodist Church.

Many thanks to all of the musicians, readers, and worship helpers for today.

Special thank-you to Rev. Sejoon Jang and Grace United Methodist Church

for their warm welcome and generous hospitality.

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A Celebration of Appointment Prairie North District Superintendent Hwa-Young Chong Sunday, September 24 4 pm





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A Celebration of Appointment Prairie North District Superintendent

Bishop Dan Schwerin has appointed Rev. Dr. Hwa-Young Chong as District Superintendent of the Prairie North District of the Northern Illinois Conference of The United Methodist Church, effective as of July 1, 2023.

+ Please rise in body or spirit

Gathering Music Prairie North District Music Team

Prelude "Just a Closer Walk with Thee" Bells Choir

Arr. S. Berry & J. Van Valey (Grace UMC, Rockford)

Ching Rev. Jeremiah Lee (Good Shepherd UMC, Addison)

Welcome Rev. Sejoon Jang (Grace UMC, Rockford)

+ Call to Worship Pastor Alex Lee (Harvard UMC),

Rev. Jenny Weber (New Morning Retreat Center), David Hilton (District UMM Pres.),

Rev. Melwin Alagodi (Lena UMC/Wesley UMC, Stockton)

+ Processional Hymn "Sing of the Lord's Goodness"#3010 Worship & Song

Opening Prayer Rev. David Daegyu Yim (Savanna UMC)

Psalm of Praise Psalm 105: 1-6, 37-45 with sung response

"O So So" (Vs 1 in Korean)# 2232 The Faith We Sing

Kim Emery (Beth Eden UMC, Rockford), Pastor Eddie Eddy (Harmony UMC, Freeport),

Karen Andrus (District UWF Pres.)

Introduction of Rev. Dr. Hwa-Young Chong Pastor Brenda Morris(Bethel UMC, Shannon)

Covenant Bishop Dan Schwerin (Chicago Episcopal Area, UMC) & Pastor Morris

Siblings in Christ (response):

We reaffirm our commitment to support you

with our prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness.

We welcome you and commit to our mutual ministry in the name of Jesus.

Thanks be to God!

Presentation of Signs of District Superintendency

Bishop Schwerin, Rev. Arlene Christopherson (Assistant to the Bishop, NIC), Rev. Dr. Audrea Nanabray (Lake South DS), Rev. Brian Gilbert (Prairie South DS), Rev. Martin Lee (Director of Congregational Development & Redevelopment, NIC), Pastor Audrey Rochet (Centennial Multicultural UMC, Rockford), Deaconess Joy Hayag (Christ UMC, Rockford)

Prayer of Installation Bishop Schwerin

Song of Commitment "We Are Called" # 2172 The Faith We Sing

Faith Witness Rev. Dr. Hwa-Young Chong

Anthem "He Leadeth Me" NIC Korean-American Pastors

M. McDonald & W. B. Bradbury Rev. H. Kim, Director

Scripture Philippians 2:4-13 Rev. Chris Druce Jones

(Christ the Carpenter UMC, Rockford)

Message Bishop Schwerin

+ Hymn "Hymn of Promise" (Vs 1 & 3)..... # 707 *UM Hymnal*

Offering Today's offering will be given to the eyeglasses fund for the students at the Methodist Middle School in Tanzania established by Rev. Young Seon Kim.

Video Rev. Young Seon Kim & Students

Rev. Kim is a NIC Elder serving as a missionary with the General Board of Global Ministries of The UMC as director of the Next Generation Ministries of the church in Tanzania based in Dar es Salaam, Advance #3021957.

Music during Offering "Let There Be Peace on Earth" Bell Choir

Arr. S. Miller & J. Jackson

Service of Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving Musical Setting; Rev. Chapman