

# THE CHURCH AT STUDY

9:30 a.m. — 10:30 a.m.

Classes begin at 10am and end at 10:40

Welcome & Opening Prayer

Devotion: *"Don't Leave at the 7th Inning Stretch"*

Mission Emphasis: Inter-European Division

Closing Prayer

## Classes begin at 10:10 a.m. and end at 10:40

**Seekers of Truth:** Teachers—Craig Cole & Lewis Stout. Traditional study from the SS quarterly. Meets in the main sanctuary.

**Maranatha:** Teachers—Sean McDermott & Victoria Gurgel: Traditional study from the SS quarterly. Meets in the transept.

**Seiman, Indonesian Class:** Teachers—Hanny Jauwena and Wilson Sinambela. Meets in the main sanctuary.

**Iluminacion de la Biblia, Spanish Class:** Teacher—Naomi Flores. Meets in the mother's room, behind the transept.

**Pastor's Class:** Teacher—The Singhs. Round Table discussions of basic Christian beliefs and books of the Bible; meets in the multi-purpose office, northeast corner of the church, behind the sanctuary piano.

**Young Adults Class:** SS quarterly taught from a Young Adult perspective for ages 18 to 35. It meets in the Young Adult Classroom, south of the church front entrance in the classroom corridor at 9:45 a.m.

# THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

10:50 a.m. — 12:15 p.m.

Prelude 479 *"Tread Softly"* Piano/Organ

Welcome/Announcements Pastor Ackerman  
Sean Mc Dermott

Worship in Music *"Higher Ground"* 625  
*"I'll Go Where You Want Me to Go"* 573

Invocation Pastor Ackerman

Opening Hymn *"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"* 499

Pastoral Prayer Craig Cole

Church Offering NAD Women's Ministries Bonnie Cole

Children's Story Kazaria Ackerman

Scripture 2 Chronicles 7:12-14 Sean Mc Dermott

Special Music *"Amazing Grace, My Chains are Gone"* Michael Aragon

Message *"If My People..."* Pastor Ackerman

Closing Hymn *"Faith Is the Victory"* 608

Benediction Pastor Ackerman

**Pianist:** Laurent Jauwena  
**Chorister:** Camille Alaras

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From the Pastor's Desk

“We are bound up in a delicate network of interdependence because, as we say in our African idiom, a person is a person through other persons. To dehumanize another inexorable means that one is dehumanized as well.”

There is hope. There is hope because [we] are revealed as human beings, frail but with the capacity to do better if [we] get out of the self-justifying mode, the denial mode, and are able to say quietly, humbly, “I am sorry, forgive me/us....”

I came away with a deep sense—indeed an exhilarating realization—that although there is undoubtedly much evil about, we human beings have a wonderful capacity for good. We can be very good. That is what fills me with hope for even the most intractable situations.

Desmond Tutu

Reference:

Tutu, Desmond. *No Future Without Forgiveness*. (New York, NY: Doubleday, 1997).

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