

English Worship Service		
Presider : Rev. Joshua Cho		11:20 a.m Westminster Hall * <u>Please stand</u>
Prelude		Organist
Call to worship	Psalm 42:1-4, 11	Presider
Invocation		Presider
* Hymn	3(5)	Congregation
* Apostles' Creed		Congregation
* Responsive Reading	No. 9	Congregation
* Doxology	1	Congregation
Prayer		Elder Song Seong Noh
Hymn	41(20)	Congregation
Scripture Reading	Daniel 4:1-37	Presider
Member's Fellowship		Congregation
Offering		Congregation
* Offering Hymn	70(634)	Congregation
* Offering Prayer		Preacher
Anthem	How great is our God	Jerusalem Choir
Welcome to Newcomers		Congregation
Sermon	The Insanity of Pride	Rev. Joshua Cho
* Hymn	147(149)	Congregation
* Benediction		Preacher
* Singing of the Lord's Prayer		Congregation

An insane person does not see the world according to reality. In the Bible, pride is insanity. Pride is not just people thinking highly of themselves, but arrogantly living as if they have control over their lives, while God is behind them managing everything. In response to our insanity, God humbles us by opening our eyes to our pride and to His rule over everything.

First, God interrupts us. As King Nebuchadnezzar went about life unaware, God interrupted with a disturbing dream. God's primary goal is not to keep us happy, but to wake us up to our need for Him. Next, God warns us. The dream symbolically represented the king as a great, beautiful tree that was cut down. Daniel warned the king to turn from his sins while there was still time. Today is the day given by God that we might turn from our insane direction. Finally, God restores us. Even though the tree was cut down, the stump was mercifully left behind. The stump meant that the king would eventually come back to his senses and glorify God. We should be thankful that in the midst of our helpless insanity, God has mercifully restored our right mind. We are restored, because we have a greater king who did not consider his own greatness, but humbled himself to death, even death on a cross. Because of his humility, we too can be humble.

After worship, we invite everyone to join us for fellowship in our usual meeting room.

Next Sunday (7/6), all departments will be joining worship in the main sanctuary for the Lord's Supper. There will not be a separate English service. A simultaneous English translation of Rev. Lee's sermon will be provided. Immediately following worship, please join us for our special bi-monthly fellowship in Manna Hall, Rm. 802.

Upcoming: Get ready for the EM Retreat on August 1-2 at the new Agape Town!

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