

ENGLISH SERVICE HYMNS
THE KING OF HEAVEN

1. Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;
To his feet your tribute bring.
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
Evermore his praises sing.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise the everlasting King!
2. Praise him for his grace and favor
To his people in distress.
Praise him, still the same as ever,
Slow to chide, and swift to bless.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Glorious in his faithfulness!
3. Fatherlike he tends and spares us;
Well our feeble frame he knows.
In his hand he gently bears us,
Rescues us from all our foes.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Widely yet his mercy flows!
4. Angels, help us to adore him;
You behold him face to face.
Sun and moon, bow down before him,
Dwellers all in time and space.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise with us the God of grace!

GOD IS HERE AND THAT TO BLESS US

1. God is here, and that to bless us
With the Spirit's quick'ning power;
See, the cloud already bending,
Waits to drop the grateful shower.

Refrain

Let it come, O Lord, we pray Thee,
Let the shower of blessing fall;
We are waiting, we are waiting,
Oh, revive the hearts of all.

2. God is here! We feel His presence
In this consecrated place;
But we need the soul refreshing
Of His free, unbounded grace. [Refrain]

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3. God is here! Oh, then, believing,
Bring to Him our one desire,
That His love may now be kindled,
Till its flame each heart inspire. [Refrain]
4. Savior, grant the prayer we offer,
While in simple faith we bow,
From the windows of Thy mercy
Pour us out a blessing now. [Refrain]

BIND US TOGETHER

CHORUS

*Bind us together Lord, Bind us together,
Bind us together with cords that cannot be broken,
Bind us together Lord, Bind us together,
Bind us together with love.*

1. There is only one God, There is only one King,
There is only one Body, That's why I sing.

CHORUS

*Bind us together Lord, Bind us together,
Bind us together with cords that cannot be broken,
Bind us together Lord, Bind us together,
Bind us together with love.*

2. Made for the glory of God, Purchased by His
precious Son, Born with the right to be clean,
For Jesus the victory has won.

CHORUS

*Bind us together Lord, Bind us together,
Bind us together with cords that cannot be broken,
Bind us together Lord, Bind us together,
Bind us together with love.*

3. You are the family of God, You are the promise
divine, You are God's chosen desire, You are the
glorious new wine.

CHORUS

*Bind us together Lord, Bind us together,
Bind us together with cords that cannot be broken,
Bind us together Lord, Bind us together,
Bind us together with love.*

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WEEKLY MEETINGS

DAY	MEETING	TIME
Monday	TEE /Intercessory	6.00pm
Tuesday	Rejoice Choir	5.00pm
Tuesday		
Wednesday	Kiswahili Choir	5.30Pm
Wednesday	Praise & Worship	6.00pm
Wednesday		6.00Pm
Wednesday		5.30pm
Thursday	Rejoice Choir	5:00pm
Friday	Praise & Worship	6.00pm
Saturday	Youth Band	8.00am

BANK DETAILS

- The New Sanctuary Fund account **Cheques Payable to PCEA EVERGREEN CHURCH** Account No. 0948815842 Barclays Bank, Queensway House Branch Pay Bill NO: **770525 Acc No. YOUR Name.**
- The Church Bank Account **Cheques Payable to PCEA EVERGREEN PARISH;** Account No. 1340262060092, Equity Bank Ridgeway Branch Pay Bill NO: **247247 indicate the purpose for the fund.**
- **Mpesa paybill No: is 876552 for Account No-indicate the Purpose for the Fund.**

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7th May, 2023

**English Service
Evergreen Church**

ORDER OF SERVICES

Evergreen Church
Morning Glory 7am - 8am
Swahili Service: 8.45am-10.15am
English Service: 10.30am-12.00 pm
Youth/Teens: 10.30am-12.00pm
Beulah Church
Youth/Teens: 8.30-10.00am
Swahili Service 10.30-12.30pm

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OUR THEME 2023:

**Never be Lacking in Zeal
(Romans 12:11)**

EVERGREEN SERVICE
ENGLISH SERVICE: 10.30am-12.00pm

1. **Leader: Elder Gitau Mungai**
2. Opening Hymn: The Kind of Heaven
3. **Call to Worship : Psalm 133**
4. Short Opening Prayers:
5. Praise & Worship
6. Intercessory Prayer:
7. Children Prayers & Apostles Creed:
8. Welcome & Intimations:
9. Presentations:
10. **Bible Readings:**
1st Bible Reading: Deuteronomy 6:4-12
2nd Bible Reading: 1st John 4:11-21
11. Hymn: God is here and that to bless us
12. **Preacher: Rev. Nehemiah Mburu**
13. **Sermon: Building a Strong Family Church**
14. Tithes /Offertery /Prayer:
15. Hymn: Bind us Together
16. Noon: Benediction.

MESSAGE FROM MINISTERS DESK
THEME: BUILDING A STRONG FAMILY CHURCH

Ref: Psalm 133:1 *“How good and pleasant it is when brothers live together in unity”.*

A family is an organization of relationships that endure over time and contexts through which persons attempt to meet their needs for belonging and attachment and to share life purposes, help and resources (*Diana R Garland*). Family is the unit that constitutes the church and the community – that again feeds the church with members.

A strong family church is anchored on the following pillars:

- i. Commitment to one another and a sense of connectedness.
- ii. Adequate time together which is spent effectively in meeting family needs, working together and enjoying recreation.
- iii. Effective communication and conflict management.
- iv. Sufficient expression of appreciation and encouragement.
- v. Agreement on and competence in the fulfillment of the roles and responsibilities of family life.
- vi. Shared spiritual life that gives meaning and purpose.
- vii. Involvement in, support from and contribution to their community and larger world.
- viii. Positive family identity and shared life history.
- ix. Ability to cope with crises and development changes.

As a spiritual discipline, family living is a place to strengthen our faith, a ground for encountering with God, a place of love and hospitality (*1 Kings 17:8-24*), a place of forgiveness (*Matthew 5:38-39*), a place of grace and hope (*2 Corinthians 5:17*) and a place of celebration (*Luke 7:34*).

Next week theme: Raising up a Godly Family {Genesis 18:19}.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. We give warm Christian greetings and welcome all our visitors today. Kindly fill the visitor's card and put it in the offertory box.
2. **Moderator's Desk**
The Holy Communion Services are as follows:
 - a.) 1st Sunday - Youth Service;
 - b.) 2nd Sunday-Kiswahili Service, Evergreen Church
 - c.) 3rd Sunday - Beulah Church
 - d.) 4th Sunday - English Service, Evergreen Church.
 - Minister's **Pastoral day** is every **Wednesday** book your appointment with the Church secretary.
3. All members are notified that every **2nd Sunday** of the month will be **Tithe Day**.
4. All Communicants shall be presenting their **Holy Communion cards** during the service. All those who need assistance with cards should report to their **District Elder** to avoid getting inconvenienced.
5. The **Senior Citizens** monthly fellowship will be held at **Mr. and Mrs. George Maina's** residence on **Sunday 14th May, 2023** immediately after the English Service.
6. **Woman' Guild Desk**
 - i} Woman's **Guild monthly fellowship** will be on Saturday **13th May, 2023** at 7.30am.
 - ii} **Guild Week** starts on **Monday 29th May, 2023** and Climax on **June 4th , 2023**. All Ladies are requested to prepare for the week.

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, Born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, died and buried, He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead, He ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God, The Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge. The living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the Holy Catholic Church; The communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; The resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.

AMEN.