

# WELCOME

## Opening Welcome & Admin Announcements

All are welcome at Park Ave. Today's service is a sharing circle. We celebrate your multiple identities. We maintain mask requirements in all movements of the service and we recommend social distancing.

*We acknowledge the original inhabitants of the land where our church is located, the Muskogee people. This recognition is simply a first step, but one we are taking intentionally.*

### Worship Through Singing "New Wine"

**Michael Crute**  
artist: IHillsong

### Call to Worship

One: We come today, representing all the majesty of creation  
ALL: Diverse and beautiful, blessed and beloved, all made in the image of the Creator of all things.

One: We come today, called to this time and this place by an infinite God  
ALL: Who hears our cries and responds with love and mercy.

One: We come today, Transgender, Nonbinary, Bisexual, Two-Spirit, Lesbian, Intersex, Gay, Queer, Ally  
ALL: We come today, knowing you will listen and answer our needs.

One: We come today, to deliver our joined prayers of hope.  
ALL: We come today, a people mourning still our losses, still recovering from the ravages of gun-violence, the Covid-19 pandemic and the pandemic of institutionalized racism & violence.

One: We come today, knowing you care for us  
ALL: We come today, knowing that even when others reject us, we belong in your arms and we receive comfort. We come.

### Worship Through Singing "Fear Is Not My Future"

**Michael Crute**  
by: Maverick City Music

### Poetic Intervention "How To Belong Be Alone" Written by Pádraig Ó Tuama

**Rev. Dr. LaToya Major-McIntosh**

### Centering Down and Prayer

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### Children's Moment

#### Offering

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give online at:  
<https://pabc.breezechms.com/give/online>

**Pastor Henra**

### Worship Through Singing "Build My Life"

**Michael Crute**  
artist: Passion

### Scripture Reading Acts 18:1-11

**Deacon Naretha Timberlake**

In Corinth

18 After this, Paul left Athens and went to Corinth. 2 There he met a Jew named Aquila, a native of Pontus, who had recently come from Italy with his wife Priscilla, because Claudius had ordered all Jews to leave Rome. Paul went to see them, 3 and because he was a tentmaker as they were, he stayed and worked with them. 4 Every Sabbath he reasoned in the synagogue, trying to persuade Jews and Greeks. 5 When Silas and Timothy came from Macedonia, Paul devoted himself exclusively to preaching, testifying to the Jews that Jesus was the Messiah. 6 But when they opposed Paul and became abusive, he shook out his clothes in protest and said to them, "Your blood be on your own heads! I am innocent of it. From now on I will go to the Gentiles." 7 Then Paul left the synagogue and went next door to the house of Titius Justus, a worshiper of God. 8 Crispus, the synagogue leader, and his entire household believed in the Lord; and many of the Corinthians who heard Paul believed and were baptized. 9 One night the Lord spoke to Paul in a vision: "Do not be afraid; keep on speaking, do not be silent. 10 For I am with you, and no one is going to attack and harm you, because I have many people in this city." 11 So Paul stayed in Corinth for a year and a half, teaching them the word of God.

### Sermonic Song "Not In A Hurry"

**Michael Crute**  
by: Will Reagan

### Sermon

**Pastor Henra Chennault**

### A Time of Response

### Respond Through Music

**Michael Crute**

### Benediction

**Pastor Henra Chennault**