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I am the Lord, and there is no other. Besides me there is no God!

Isaiah 45:5a

During the month of October we want to explore some of the Reformation themes that appear in the readings during this season. Today, we reflect on the concepts of *Grace Alone, Faith Alone and Scripture Alone* as we see in these words from the prophet Isaiah that it is God Alone whom we fear, love and trust!

Click below for a full downloadable PDF version of *The Messenger*, including this week's *A Note from Pastor Carl*.

The Messenger, full edition

The Sunday evenings' Bible study begins at 7:00 p.m. and is focused on the doctrine of vocation. Please join us as we explore our calling in God's Kingdom work.
Here is the link to that online meeting room:

Sunday Evening Bible Class

Join Pastor Carl on Wednesday nights for Bible study. The new series will be the Reformation themes of *Faith Alone*, *Grace Alone*, *Scripture Alone* in relation to our faith in Jesus ALONE.
Here is the link to that online meeting room:

Wednesday Night Bible Class

The Friday Women's Bible Study is also virtual. This group is reading through the New Testament. If you are interested in joining or have any questions, please contact Pastor Carl at seoulilc.pastor@gmail.com.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

IN-PERSON CHURCH SERVICES

Our *Socially Responsible Services* will begin again this Sunday, October 18. Please see the electronic version of *The Messenger* for the link to register. Access to the prerecorded services will continue to be found on the ILC website (www.ilcseoul.org), Facebook, and through a YouTube link that will be sent out on Sunday morning.

CLEAN UP DAY

On Sunday, November 1, we will organize our next ILC Clean Up Day. Watch for details.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

We will continue with our Virtual Sunday School schedule this week. The link is found in the electronic version of *The Messenger.*

If you have children and are interested in joining our program (or if you would be willing to help), please email ILC Volunteer at seoulilc.volunteer@gmail.com.

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES

Virtual Bible Studies take place throughout the week:
Sunday nights at 7:00 - *The Biblical Foundation of the Lutheran Understanding of Vocation*
Wednesday nights at 7:00 - NEW SERIES - Reformation themes of *Faith Alone, Grace Alone, Scripture Alone* in relation to our faith in Jesus ALONE
Friday mornings at 10:00 - Women's Bible Study (*Reading Through the New Testament*)

ILC Virtual Sunday School

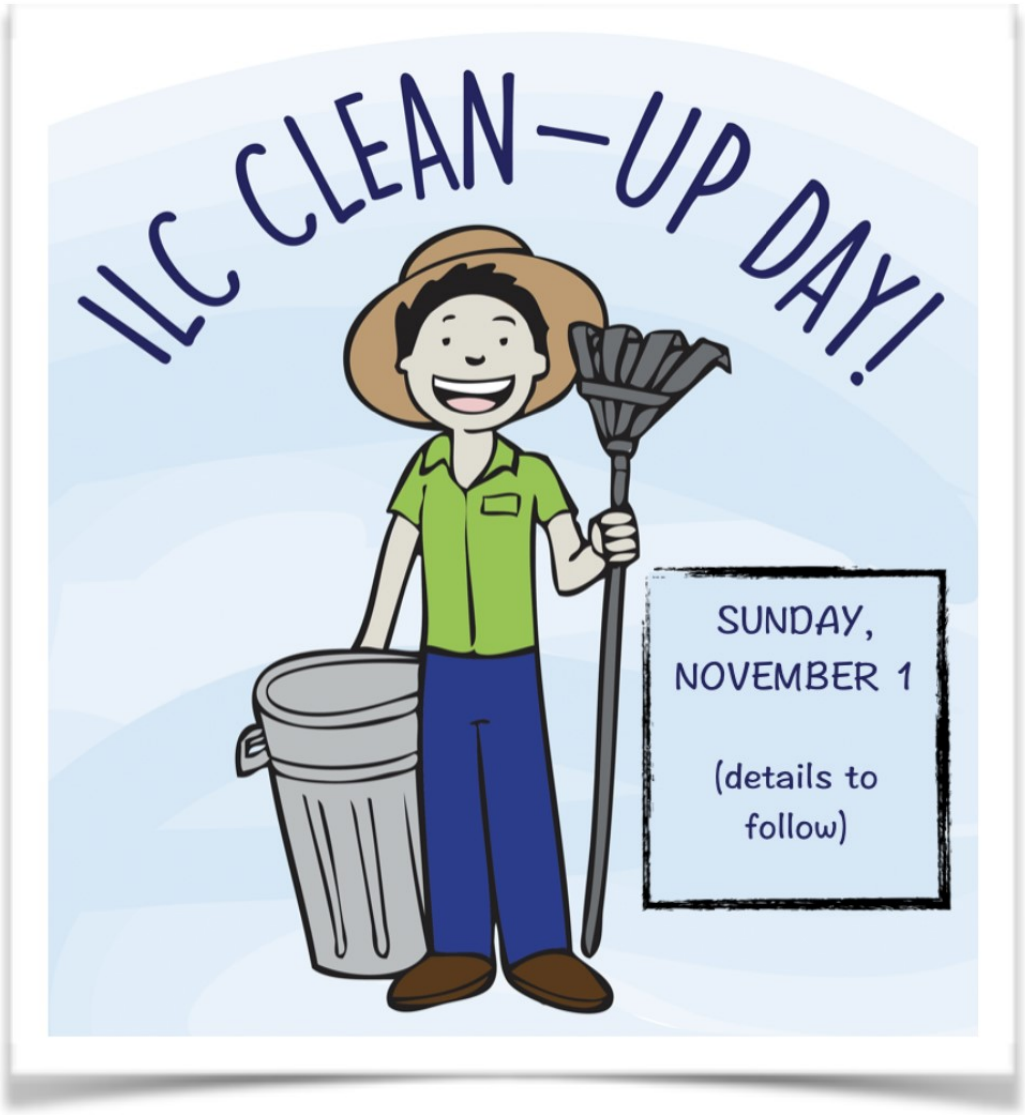
If you are interested in joining our Virtual Summer School, please let us know by sending a message to seoulilc.volunteer@gmail.com.

We will have Virtual Sunday School this Sunday, 10/18 and the link will be sent out on Sunday morning.

FLOWERS

If you would like to purchase flowers for beside the altar in order to honor or gift to someone, the cost is ₩35,000 for a potted arrangement. Please write to seoulilc.volunteer@gmail.com with any questions or requests.

10/18: from Changhee Kim
in memory of her son, Jason


ILC CLEAN-UP DAY!
SUNDAY,
NOVEMBER 1
(details to
follow)

READINGS

October 18: Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost	
OT	Isaiah 45:1-7
NT	1 Thessalonians 1:1-10
Gospel	Matthew 22:15-22
October 25: Twenty First Sunday after Pentecost	
OT	Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18
NT	1 Thessalonians 2:1-13
Gospel	Matthew 22:34-46

GIVING OPPORTUNITIES

ONLINE GIVING

A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN FAITHFULLY MAKING USE OF ONLINE GIVING.

Though we are not meeting in person, church operations still continue and to that end we encourage you to make use of offering your tithes and gifts via online giving. Giving in this way will be recorded for your personal end-of-year giving statement.

If you are unable or do not wish to give electronically, you may hold your offerings until we resume our normal worship schedule.

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Reformation Celebration is coming!

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