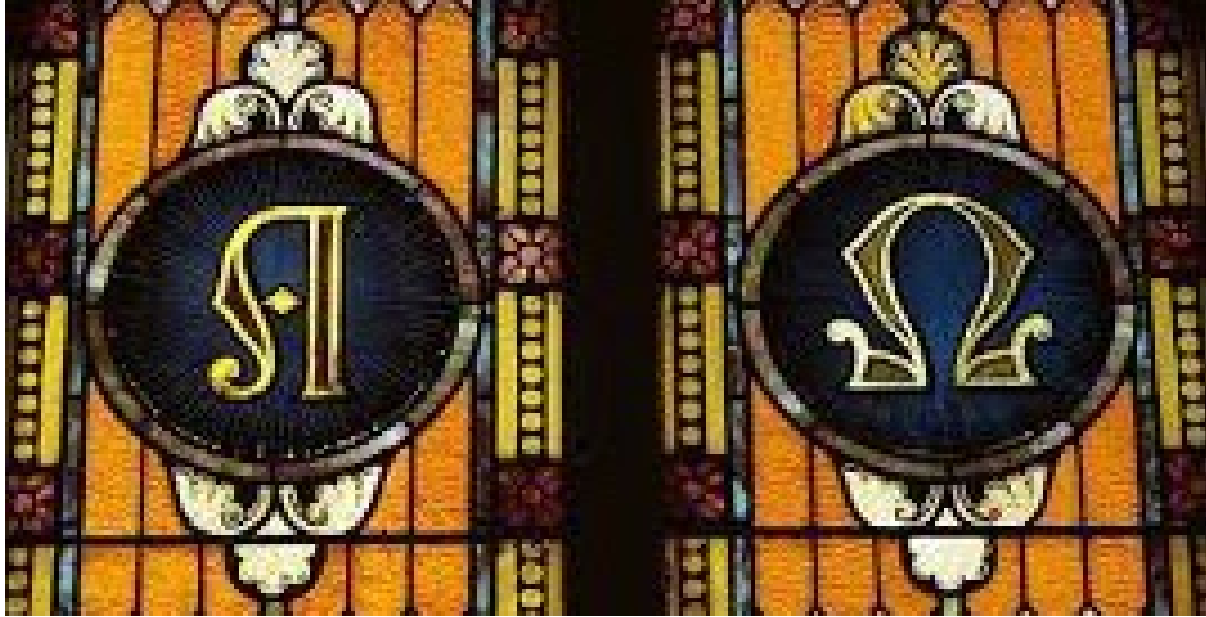


The Names of Christ



The Alpha and Omega

*God's perfect Alphabet are Thou,
Of truth, the kernel and the crown;
Eternal Word to whom we bow,
The Lord of glory and renown,
The First and Last, oh wondrous sight!
The First and Last of love and light.*

*The Alpha and Omega true,
Inclusive this of all between,
Sum total of the Old and New,
Of things invisible and seen,
The First and Last, oh precious thought,
The First and Last who sought and taught.
-C.R. Rolls*

January 16, 2022

TODAY'S WORSHIP

January 16, 2022, 10 am

"I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, "who is, and who was, and who is to come, the Almighty." Rev 1:8

Days of Elijah

Welcome & Announcements

Offering ([Online Giving](#))

Great is Thy Faithfulness

Pastoral Prayer

How Great Is Our God

Sermon — "Names of Christ: *The Alpha and Omega*" -- Pastor Paul Stephen Olson

Revelation Song

Benediction

Postlude

** Children (ages 3 through 5th grade) are dismissed to children's church.*

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EVENTS TODAY

- TODAY:** 9:30 am **No Gathering today because of Covid** (Gatherings are postponed and will be held at a later date.)
- 10 am **Worship Service** (in person and on Facebook)
<https://www.facebook.com/ElimChurchMpls/live>
- 11:15 am-Noon **No Adult or Children's Connections, and No Membership Class today because of Covid** (Classes are postponed and will be held at a later date.)

EVENTS THIS WEEK

- Mon-Fri:** 12 noon Noon Online Prayer Meeting
URL: <https://meet.google.com/ast-cxmh-ykk>
Phone: +1 401-684-3085 PIN: 724 649 481#
- Tues:** 10 am Women's Tuesday Study on the Names of Christ at the online link above
7-8 pm *Freedom in Christ* w/Jay Cope (Third Tuesday of the month)
<https://zoom.us/j/98924511537?pwd=U3R2RHlwK3BoWHhpaTNXVk94eDE0QT09>
Meeting ID: 989 2451 1537 Passcode: 112233
Phone: +1 312-626-6799 Passcode: 112233#
- Wed:** 6-7 pm *Re-Covering in God* Bible Study
6:30-8 pm Youth Group meeting
- Fri:** 8-9:30 am Men's Bible Study online
- Sat:** 8-11 am Hope Avenue Ministry
- Sun:** 11:15 am **Quarterly Business Meeting**

Save the date (check the events page for information that may be available):

~~ Sat, 2/5, 8-11 am

Hope Avenue Ministry with Kidz Klozet and
The Unlimited

UPCOMING EVENTS and NEWS

The Gathering, Connection classes, and the Membership Class at Elim are postponed. Start update is to be determined. Watch the bulletin for further updates.

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Hope Avenue Twin Cities: We welcome men to the shelter on a daily basis and will have an open house later this winter. While we still have tangible need of 2 computers, towels, single bedding, and wall clocks... *Our greatest need is prayer! God bless you, Elim, for the many ways you support us!*

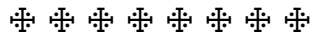
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Mask Mandate [1/6/22] Elim Church is participating in the Mayors' city-wide mask mandate for all attendees in our gatherings. Sunday connections have been postponed to a later date. Please join us in person on Sunday and wear a mask (unless there is a medical reason not to).

Thanks for your understanding! We will get through this together!



Pastor Paul and Pastor Becky on behalf of the Leadership Team.

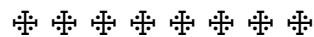


A note from our Leadership Team:

Thank you for your steady giving to Elim Church.

It has been an inspiring expression of
thankfulness and praise to God.

Please continue as God leads you
as our expenses have risen.



Prayerful Pause

Elim has invested in the study of the Lord's name.
What have you learned that has deepened your faith?

Practice using the name of God when you pray:

"Lord Jesus, I call on you as the Alpha and Omega as I adore
and worship you today. May you pour out your Holy Spirit upon me
and help me to live and serve you today and always!"

SERMON NOTES

“The Names of Christ: *The Alpha and Omega*”

Pastor Paul Stephen Olson, MDiv

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“*God’s perfect alphabet art Thou...*” - C.R. Rolls

Jesus is:

Alpha (love, ruler)

Beta (king, kingdom)

Gamma (knowledge)

Delta (teacher)

Epsilon (gathered community)

Zeta (zeal)

Eta (ethos, my God)

Theta (God, wonder, foundation)

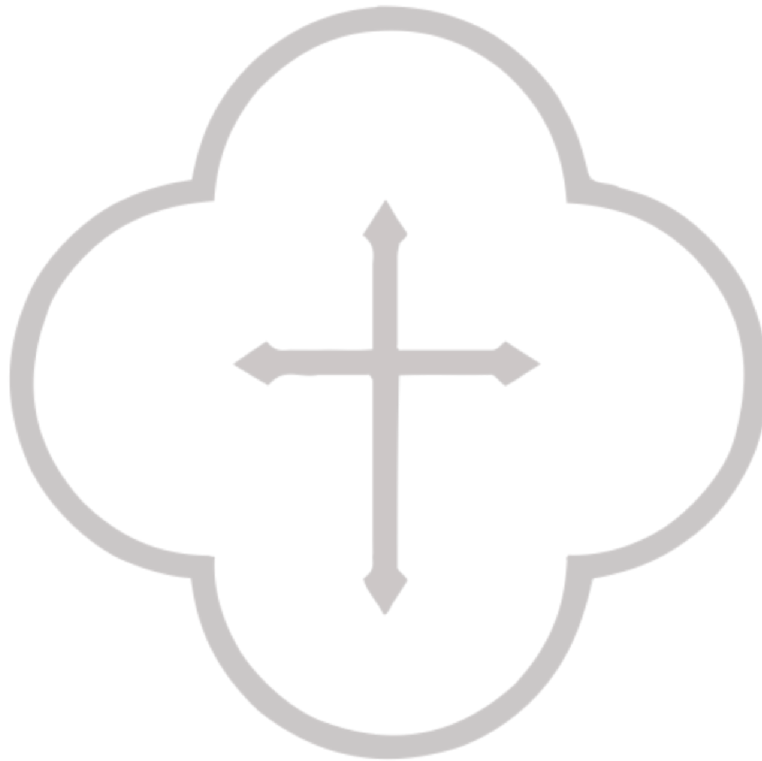
Iota (Jesus Christ Son of God Savior)

Kappa (koinonia fellowship at home)

Lambda (servant, word)

Mu	(discipler, joy giver)
Nu	(cloud rider)
Xi	(the foreigner, guest in our midst)
Omicron	(home, builder)
Pi	(counselor, prophet)
Ro	(Rabbi, word of testimony)
Sigma	(Sabbath rest, Savior)
Tau	(humble carpenter, example, completeness)
Upsilon	(surpassing power and character)
Phi	(love and affection, holy kiss)
Chi	(grace, messiah)
Psi	(exposer of lies, object of praise)
Omega	(shout of salvation, good use)

Next Week: *Names of Christ: "Jesus—Son of Man"* Matthew 18:11



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