

NEW LIFE

English Worship Service

Chinese Christian Church of Greater Washington, DC
7716 Piney Branch Road, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910
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MARCH 5th, 2023 10:00AM

Call to Worship

Praise and Worship

Congregational Prayer

Charles Yang

Scripture Reading

Romans 3:21-27

Hati DeJesus

Message

“The Grounds of the Gospel: The Cross”

Rev. David Rim

Holy Communion

Offering* / Response

Benediction

Announcements

Sang Ip

Audio: Daniel Chen

Video/Stream: David Sy

Usher / Greeter: Sang Ip

***New Ways to Receive Offerings**

You may mail in your offering (checks only, no cash please) to our church address at 7716 Piney Branch Road, Silver Spring, MD 20910. Please combine your weekly offering into a once a month donation, if possible. Our church has also just set up an online giving platform, by clicking this link: <https://tithe.ly/give?c=1305144>. You can also give an offering by using your credit card or by electronic check.

Announcements

Announcement for Making Church 65th Anniversary Photo Album

We will be making a 65th Anniversary Celebration photo album. Please sign up on a **Sunday between March 5 to March 19 from 11am – 2pm**. The photo taken place is in the choir room of the first floor of the Sanctuary building starts from this Sunday (3/5). Each family will receive a FREE Anniversary album in November. In order to off-set the production cost, you may purchase your electronic photo files at \$10 each.

2023 Church Directory Book

2023 Church Directory Books are ready to be picked up at the Sanctuary entrance this Sunday. One per family. You can also contact Alice (aliceyang@cccgw.org) for a PDF version of the Church Directory Book.

Day Light Saving Time on next Sunday (3/12/2023)

Please remember to set your clocks one hour ahead on 3/12 (next Sunday).

Gift of Translation (GOT) Team to Host its 2nd Training Session

Gift of Translation (GOT) team hosted its first online training session on March 1. Seven brothers and sisters participated in this training session. The GOT team plans to host its 2nd training session at 8pm on March 14. If you are interested, please contact and register with Sister Yin Yin at yinyinpr@gmail.com.

Flower Arrangement Team Announcement

Please SAVE THE DATE! **March 26th at 1:30PM church sanctuary first floor**. In celebration of our 65th church anniversary, our Flower Arrangement ministry team, who have served for 52 years (since the founding of the church building), will be hosting a meeting filled with fun trivia and games about our flower arrangement church history, will explain why we do flower arrangement and the tools we use. We will provide hands-on flower arrangement training (all materials provided). A sign-up sheet will be placed in the church lobby for those who like to attend the training session. This is so that our flower arrangement team will know the number of people attending in order to buy flowers and materials for the training. Men and

women are welcome since flower arrangement is not isolated to just women only. Contact flowerarrgteam@cccgw.org if you have any questions.

Good Friday Evening Service

We will be holding our Good Friday Service at church at 8:00 pm on April 7th (Friday). We will have a hybrid worship on Youtube for the service. This time will be dedicated to remembering what Christ has done for us on the cross. Please keep it on your prayer list as well as the calendar.

Easter Sunday Combined Service & Baptism

Will be held on April 9th (Sunday) at church. Please join us and keep it in your prayers. If you are ready to be baptized, please fill out a baptismal application form and give it to Rev. David Rim. A series of four baptismal classes will be given before the Baptism.

Church Library Help Needed

We will open our church library located on the second floor of the Education Building from 10:00 am – 3:00 pm every Sunday. And we will need some help to maintain and manage the library every Sunday during lunch and early afternoon. We will need three co-workers. (One person per month, three people in a quarter's shift). If you are willing to help, please contact our deacon: Qiaoya Lin (obsecretary@cccgw.org) or sister Xie Lin (linxie202210@gmail.com).

Announcement for Happiness Group

English Ministries will be starting an evangelistic outreach group this March 11th. GEM (Groups Exploring Meaning) hopes to help those who want to know more about Christianity. We ask our members who know of any potential individuals who might want to join, to approach them and invite them to these gatherings and please let us know as well. Pray with us and for us that God will use us through this particular strategy to make himself known. Please find more details on the insert page.

EM Weekly Prayer Meeting

For all those who are interested in spending time in prayer with fellow church members, come and join our Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting at 8PM online. For more information, contact Elder Stan.

Prayer List

1. We ask your prayers for [all the church events](#) scheduled for this year.



2. Pray for the physically weak: Brother Sherman Wong, Brother Min Fu Tsan and Sister Linda Tsan, Brother H. Wah Lew, Sister Yun-Chih Liu.

2023 Bible Reading Schedule

3/5	Sun	Numbers	23-25
3/6	Mon	Numbers	26-27
3/7	Tue	Numbers	28-30
3/8	Wed	Numbers	31-32
3/9	Thu	Numbers	33-34
3/10	Fri	Numbers	35-36
3/11	Sat	Deuteronomy	1-2

Last Sunday 2/26/2023 Worship Service Attendance

English Service: 69	online: 11; onsite: 58 in person
Chinese Service: 106	online: 25; onsite: 81 in person
English Sunday School: 31	Chinese Sunday School: 41
Children Worship: 6	Children Sunday School: 13
Middle & High School Students Sunday School: 9	

Offering for Last Sunday 2/26/2023

General Fund	\$ 5,045	Mission Fund	\$ 2,532	Chinese School	\$ 150
Charity Fund	\$ 350*	Total	\$ 8,077		

* of which \$ 350 for Turkey and Syria Earthquake.

Total donation for Turkey is \$2,250.

Sunday Services on Youtube Channel

Click this link to join us on Sunday:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC-45Fm-OBwQMd4Te0mEg_sg

Sunday School Arrangement (Jan. - Feb. 2023)

English Sunday-School (In Person)

Time: 11:30 AM-12:30 PM Every Sunday

Classroom: Church Education Building Room 201A/B

Topic: Philippians

Teacher: Elder Kok-Eam Khor and Joel DeJesus

Middle School/High School Sunday-School (In Person)

Time: 11:30 AM-12:30 PM Every Sunday

Classroom: Church Education Building Room 203

Topic: The Book of John

Teacher: Dan Tam

Adult Chinese Sunday-School Class A & Class B (Hybrid Set)

Time: 10:00-11:00 AM Every Sunday

Classroom: Church Education Building Room 201 (Class A) / 202 (Class B)

Class A Teachers: Shu-peng Ho, Mark Lin, Xingfu Chen, Sixun Yang

Class A Topic: The Heidelberg Catechism

Class B Teachers: Pastor Zhao, Guozhang Yu, Zhiyong Mike Zhang, Kun Zhang

Class B Topic: Basic Theology

Children's Worship (In-Person and Zoom Meeting)

Time: 10:00-11:00 AM Every Sunday

Classroom: Church Education Building Room B5

Teacher: Kuang Wei, Grace Wei

Pre-School & Kindergarten-2nd Grade Sunday-School (In Person)

Time: 11:30 AM-12:30 PM Every Sunday

Classroom: Church Education Building Room B2

Topic: Answers Bible Curriculum from Answers in Genesis

Teachers: Xuanwen Wang, Grace Wei

3rd-5th Grade 3-5 Sunday-School (In-Person Only)

Time: 11:30 AM-12:30 PM Every Sunday

Classroom: Church Education Building Room B5

Topic: Answers Bible Curriculum from Answers in Genesis

Teacher: Shelia Lee

****Nursery and Toddler rooms are available during both English and Chinese service. Please contact Grace Wei or our Pastors for more information.**



Group Exploring Meaning (GEM)

Come and join our group as we go on a seven-week journey to investigate the relationship between Christianity and the meaning of life. Together, we will consider and reflect on what makes for a joyful life amidst the challenges that we all face.

Date	Topic
3/11/23	Longing for Meaning
3/18/23	Happiness and Meaning
3/25/23	Power of Meaning
4/1/23	Death and Meaning
4/8/23	(Easter Break) No meeting
4/15/23	Worldview and Meaning
4/22/23	Christianity and Meaning
4/29/23	Finding Meaning in Life

Saturday Evenings 8 to 9 pm ET on Zoom

Please RSVP to:

Pastor David Rim
(Email: davidtkrim316@gmail.com)

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