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NEW LIFE

English Worship Service

Chinese Christian Church of Greater Washington, DC
7716 Piney Branch Road, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910
www.cccgw.org (301) 587-0033

Sunday Worship

APRIL 23, 2023 10:00AM

Call to Worship

Praise and Worship

Congregational Prayer

Mrs. Jee-Peng Khor

Scripture Reading

John 4:13-18

Desmond Lam

Message

"Confessing Our Idols"

Rev. David Rim

Offering* / Response

Benediction

Announcements

Jennie Woo

Audio: Chris Lai

Video/Stream: David Sy

Usher / Greeter: Andrew Sy

*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.

Our church online giving platform link: <https://tithe.ly/give?c=1305144>

You can give an offering by using your credit card or by electronic check.

Announcements

VBS Announcement

VBS will be in-person this year and will run from July 24-28 from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm. The theme for this year - "Twists & Turns" - following Jesus changes the game. From playing games, kids will play their way through VBS while learning that Jesus guides them through all the twists and turns of their lives. They'll find that even when they mess up it's never "game over." VBS will be open to all children who will be entering first grade through sixth grade in the Fall. For questions and more information, please contact Children's Director Grace Wei or Education Deacon Sharon Tam.

Sunday Lunch (4/23) Announcement

Alice Kok would provide free lunch today in honor Brother Allen and thank the support and love from CCCGW families.

Announcement of Making CCCGW 65th Anniversary Photo Album

1. Thank you to those who participated in the photo sessions. For those who would like to purchase photos, please stop by the first floor of the Sanctuary outside the choir room on April 23 or April 30 from 10:30am – 1:30pm. First come first serve. In order to off-set the production cost for our Anniversary Album, you may purchase your electronic photos at \$10 each.
2. If you are a church member but didn't have a chance to take the family photo at church, please send your picture to brother Al Chu through his email: alchu@mac.com. It can still be edited into the 65th Anniversary church album.
3. If you are a fellowship coordinator or a Happiness group leader, please send ministry photos to Al Chu: alchu@mac.com. The photos can be of a worship gathering, Bible Study, outreach activities...etc.
4. Also, you are welcome to write short congratulatory articles (less than a page, and the editors reserve the right of editing and selecting) to be printed in the Anniversary Album. Please submit your article to Elder Stanley Chan: StanChan@comcast.net.

Because the publication of the Album requires a lot of work, your cooperation, support and prayer are very much appreciated. May God be glorified.

Short-Term Mission trip to Honduras

The short-term mission trip to Honduras is arranged from 8/11-18, 2023. If you are willing to join us, please get the application form from the first floor of Sanctuary Building and turn in the completed application to Pastor Rim.

Announcement from Flower Team

Flower team ministry is looking to train our next generation of flower arrangement team coordinators. A flower arrangement team coordinator is a volunteer position filled by a CCCGW congregational member. Job tenure varies because there is no term length. The position is filled until the current coordinator can find a replacement or someone steps in as a volunteer to replace him/her. This is how this has been handled the last 52 years. We have scheduled 7 casual lunch chats this year (2023) for those interested in learning or possibly helping out as flower arrangement coordinator in 2024. Please bring your lunch and join us. This casual discussion allows you to ask questions and learn about the job. It is open during lunch to CCCGW members from 1-2pm at the church office conference room on these dates: April 30th, May 28th, June 18th, July 30th, Aug27th, Sept24th, Oct 22nd. Any questions please email flowerarrgteam@cccgw.org , thank you.

Sign up for CCCGW Text Message

Please sign up for our church's text messaging to keep up-to-date with church events. CCCGW will send a text message to notify you. Please follow the instructions below to sign up:

Text "cccgw" to this number: 84576. Then follow the link to sign up.

Correction on 2023 Church Directory Book

Page 4: "Church Major Events", the date of CCCGW 65th Anniversary Celebration should be **Aug. 26th (Saturday), 2023**. Please keep the correct date in your calendar.

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. Pray for Kok's family. May the Lord comfort the family.
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

4/23	Sun	1 Chronicles	1-2
4/24	Mon	Psalms	43-45, 49, 84-85, 87
4/25	Tue	1 Chronicles	3-5
4/26	Wed	Psalms	73, 77-78
4/27	Thu	1 Chronicles	6
4/28	Fri	Psalms	81, 88, 92-93
4/29	Sat	1 Chronicles	7-10

Last Sunday 4/16/2023 Worship Service Attendance

English Service: 75	online: 7; onsite: 68 in person
Chinese Service: 107	online: 23; onsite: 84 in person
English Sunday School: 40	Chinese Sunday School: 40
Children Worship: 7	Children Sunday School: 13
Middle & High School Students Sunday School: 11	

Offering for Last Sunday 4/16/2023

General Fund	\$ 10,239	Mission Fund	\$ 2,240	Total	\$ 12,479
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Sunday School Arrangement

English Sunday-School (In Person)

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

Classroom: Church Education Building Room 201A/B

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: Steve Lee

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, Classroom Updated)

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

Classroom: Church Education Building **Room 204**

Teacher: Kuang Wei, Grace Wei

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

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

Classroom: Church Education Building **Room 204**

Topic: Answers Bible Curriculum from Answers in Genesis

Teachers: Chen Chen, Xuanwen Wang

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

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

Classroom: Church Education Building **Room 202**

Topic: Answers Bible Curriculum from Answers in Genesis

Teacher: Kuang Wei, Grace Wei

****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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