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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

Palm Sunday Worship MARCH. 24TH, 2024 10:00AM

Call to Worship

Praise and Worship

Congregational Prayer

Elder Kok-Eam Khor

Scripture Reading Mark 9:14-29

Mrs. Cindy Chan

Message Jesus Who Sets Us Free

Rev. David Rim

Offering

Response

Benediction

Announcements

Clara Yu

Audio: Dan Tam

Video/Stream: David Sy Usher / Greeter: Andrew Sy

Announcements

Condolence

It is with sadness that we report sister Hun Fong Lew, H. Wah Lew's wife passed away last Saturday. She is now in the presence of our Lord. May God comfort brother H. Wah Lew and the family. Please keep them in your prayers.

Good Friday Evening Service

We will be holding our Good Friday Service at **8:00 pm on March 29**th (Friday). 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. Worship Service Hybrid Youtube Link:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMltR0wCkUGQw3kH_iFfIBQ/

Easter Sunday (3/31) Combined Service & Baptism

- A welcome breakfast will be held in the dining hall at 9:15 -10:00 AM for new members and everyone is welcome.
- Combined service begins at **10:30AM on March 31**st **2024**. Easter baptism and membership transfer will be held during the service.
- English and Chinese Adult Sunday Schools on that day will be canceled.
 Children Worship and Sunday School will keep still.
- Easter Sunday lunch will be free which is offering by Brother Jiaqi Liu and his wife Xiaoyan.

Ushering Department Announcement

Usher Dept. will hold the Audio and Youtube video operation training class @ 1:30-3:00 pm on three Sunday afternoons (4/7, 4/14, & 4/21). Please join us to be a co-worker of our ushering team.

SAVE THE DATE CHANGE the Annual Summer Retreat

Due to a Messiah University scheduling conflict, our Summer Retreat has been scheduled one week earlier to <u>July 12th-14th</u>. Please keep the date in your calendar as well as your prayer list.

Fun Life Children's Summer Camp 2024 (June 24-28, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm)

Fun Life Summer Camp is for children from grades 1 to 5. Camp activities include hiking, water games, sports, devotionals, arts & crafts, music & dance, games, etc. Children will learn to love nature, enjoy the summer days together and appreciate God's wonderful creation. The cost is \$100, and registration ends on May 31. For questions and more information, please contact Children's Director Grace Wei (gracewei@cccgw.org) or Education Deacon Sharon Tam (education@cccgw.org).

<u>Registration Information:</u> Registration is open from January 01 to May 31.

Link: https://forms.gle/SqbTKkiYFzBfeu527



QR Code:

2024 Church Directories

2024 Church Directories 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.

Maintenance Department Announcement

Maintenance department is seeking volunteers for repair work at church. If anyone is interested, please contact the maintenance deacon, Shao C. Yang.

Caring Department Announcement

To help those in need in the community, the Caring Department is preparing to donate a batch of food and supplies to the Manna Food Center by the end of March. Brothers and sisters from the church are welcome to actively participate. Canned foods are preferred (expired after 10/1/2024) (please put it in the box under the stairs of the chapel), and donations will be delivered to the Charity Fund.

Missionary of the Month – Nancy Gieschen & Chinese and International scholars, researchers and students in the Atlanta area (Please find the details in the insert page).

Short Term Mission Trip to Honduras

Honduras Mission Trip is a one-week mission trip focusing on poverty alleviation, children ministry, Indian tribe ministry, prison ministry and soccer ministry. Brothers and sisters can share gospel and show God's love through caring, giving and serving. This year, the trip to Honduras is scheduled for Jun. 21-28. If you are interested in participating, please contact Pastor Zhao for details. Please keep this in your prayers as well.

EM Weekly Prayer Meeting with New Link

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.

Get Free Tickets to The Museum of the Bible: Please Contact Alice Yang (ywalice7716@gmail.com) for details.

Sign up for CCCGW Text Message

Please sign up for our church's text messaging to keep up-to-date with church events. **Text "cccgw" to 84576. Then follow the link to sign up.**

Prayer List

- 1. Pray for brother H. Wah Lew and Lew's family.
- 2. Pray for the Missionary of the Month (Insert page)
- 3. Pray for our church's upcoming events:

March 29 (Friday evening) Good Friday Evening Service March 31 (Sunday) Easter Sunday Combined Service & Baptism

4. Pray for the physically weak: Sherman Wong, Jackson Yang, Steve Shih.

Offering for Last Sunday 3/17/2024

General Fund	\$ 8,065.3	Missions Fund	\$ 3,053	Chinese School	\$ 500
Teens Group	\$ 500	Flower	\$ 55	Charity Fund	\$ 1,000
Total	\$ 13,173				

Last Sunday 3/17/2024 Worship Service Attendance

English Service: 64	online: 8; onsite: 56 in person	
Chinese Service: 97	online: 6; onsite: 91 in person	
English Sunday School: 40	Chinese Sunday School: 22	
Children Worship: 7	Children Sunday School: 16	
Middle & High School Students Sunday School: 10		

Sunday School Arrangement

English Sunday-School (In Person)

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

Classroom: 201A/B

Topic: What's Up at the Top?

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

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

Classroom: 203

Topic: The Book of **Mark** Teacher: Dan Tam

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

Time: 10:00-11:00 AM Every Sunday Classroom: 201 (Class A) / 202 (Class B)

Class A Teachers: Guozhang Yu, Zhiyong Mike Zhang, and Kun Zhang.

Class B Teachers: Pastor Zhao, Shu-peng Ho, Mark Lin.

Children's Worship

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

Classroom: Room 204

Teacher: Kuang Wei and Grace

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

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

Classroom: Room 204

Teachers: Kuang Wei and Ann Low

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

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

Classroom: Room 202

Teacher: Sheila Lee and Grace Wei

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

POC: Chris Chevalier Nancy Gieschen, U.S.

Chinese and International scholars, researchers and students in the Atlanta area

向亞特蘭大地區 的中國學者傳福 音







After decades as missionaries in Japan, Nancy and her husband, Paul, returned to the US and settled in

Atlanta, GA to "Reach, Teach and Train Internationals for His Kingdom's Work." The centerpiece of their ministry, based in Atlanta's First Alliance Church, was the Discovery Class begun in 2008. Nancy continues this ministry by co-teaching this class with others. She and her collaborators encourage new believers to receive baptism; teach them to grow through Bible study, worship, and service; match them with co-workers for one-on-one mentoring; and keep in touch with their contacts in subsequent years. Nancy was widowed on August 24, 2021. 在日本擔任傳教士數十年之後, Nancy 和她先生 Paul 在以亞特蘭大的 First Alliance 教會為基地開始"為他的国度寻找,教導和培訓國際學生學者"的 事工。該事工包括:(a)慕道課程和各種類的門徒訓練活動;(b)英語為第二語言 (ESL)課程。Nancy 和她先生 Paul 帶領許多國際學生學者信主, 其中許多來 自中國。他們積極鼓勵新信徒接受洗禮, 並教導他們通過學習聖經, 敬拜和 服侍使得靈命不斷成長。同工们組成一對一的門徒訓練小組, 接受過門徒訓 練的留學生歸國後仍与 Nancy 保持聯繫,交流他們的信仰經歷,並在數年後 拜訪他們。Paul 於 2021 年 8 月 24 日安息主懷, Nancy 一直繼續著她的事 工。

Personal

Daughter's health: Please pray for Nancy's health and strength as she is aging; pray for Nancy's daughter's overall health and healthcare; 請為 Nancy 和她女兒 Erin 的身心健康禱告。Nancy 年邁,請為她的健康和體力禱告。

Ministry

- **Discovery Class:** They have two Discovery classes in-person and online so that members who return to China or who cannot be physically present can still participate. Please pray for the unique challenges that arise from having two hybrid bible classes that need to stay interactive for internationals. 她們有兩個"探索"信仰班,同時線下線上進行,以供有些回中國的成員也可以加入學習。請為她們這兩個班能持續保持交流學習禱告。
- New Seekers: Please pray for the salvation of those attending the Discovery
 classes who are new to Christianity and have not yet had a spiritual encounter
 with Jesus. Pray also for those who are growing in faith and learning how to
 rely on the Holy Spirit.

請為參加"探索"信仰班,新接觸基督信仰還沒有經歷過神的慕道友們禱告。求神幫助他們能在信心上長進,也學會如何倚靠聖靈。

• New Lessons: They are finishing the Gospel of John in April. Please pray for the new lessons to follow that Nancy begun to work on. May the new lessons be very relevant to those who are now attending the classes.

她們即將在四月結束約翰福音的學習。求神帶領 Nancy 預備新的課程, 使得新的課程可以對參加學習的弟兄姐妹們有造就。