

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Welcome!** We are so glad that you are here to worship the Lord together!

**Memory Verse:** Acts 20:24 But I do not account my life of any value nor as precious to myself, if only I may finish my course and the ministry that I received from the Lord Jesus, to testify to the gospel of the grace of God.

**Life Preparation Groups:** Today we will have a special mission Sunday workshop led by Subhash Matthew from ISI. Youth and Adults please meet at 11:30 am in the fellowship hall.

**Children Ministry:** 11:30 am in person and via Zoom

**Mark the date:**

- 10.23 - FDU Int'l Students Hiking Outing 9 am
- 10.30 – Men's Fellowship 9:30 am
- 10.30 - Ridgefield Park Street Fair Outreach

**Operation Christmas Child:** The annual shoebox gifting event has begun. Packing a shoebox is something you can do with your family. Preprinted shoeboxes are available for pickup at Candi Sorondo's home in Ridgefield Park. Please see details on the church's website (<https://www.ocmgrace.org>). Samaritan's Purse is also offering an option to build and donate a shoebox online. Please visit their website for details (<https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/buildonline/>). Your generosity will delight the heart of a child and provide a tangible way to share the Gospel!

**Church Anniversary/Baptism Service:** November 14. Please see Pastor John for information regarding baptism classes.

**2022 Deacon Board Nominations:** The board of deacons is beginning the process for nominating deacons for the coming year. At the end of this year, Christopher Lee will finish his four-year term on the board. We are therefore praying for at least two and up to four new board members to be nominated and installed. Please prayerfully consider members of our church who will fit the Biblical requirements for deacons (to be sent out this week by email). The term for deacons is four years. Suggestions for candidates can be made to Pastor John, Minister Chan, or the board members (Ken Kam, Antony Yanuady, Chris Lee) for consideration until 10/10. Thank you for your prayers.

**Online Conference** "CMC Global 2021: Faithful & Fruitful" will be held on Dec. 28-29, 2021. It aims to equip the faithful to become even more fruitful to fulfill the Great Commission. Special discount is offered (only till Oct 18, 2021) when group tickets are purchased from the same church (\$99 for a pack of 10 tickets). Please contact Minister Chan for registration details.

### SUNDAY SCHEDULE

WORSHIP	9:30 AM
LIFE PREP GROUPS	11:30AM
CHILDREN MINISTRY	2:00 PM

### WEEKDAY PRAYER TIME

DAILY TUES-FRI	12:00 PM
WEDNESDAY WITH BIBLE STUDY	8:00 PM
SEE CHURCH WEBSITE FOR THE ZOOM MTG TIMES AND LINKS	

Daily Bible Reading:

<https://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/daily.php?year=B>

## WE WANT TO HELP

IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF ANY KIND OF ASSISTANCE

CALL OR WRITE PASTOR JOHN or MINISTER KAN

### CONTACT INFORMATION

OCM Website [www.ocmgracechurch.org](http://www.ocmgracechurch.org)  
[www.ocmgrace.org](http://www.ocmgrace.org)

Please find us on Facebook: OCM Grace Church

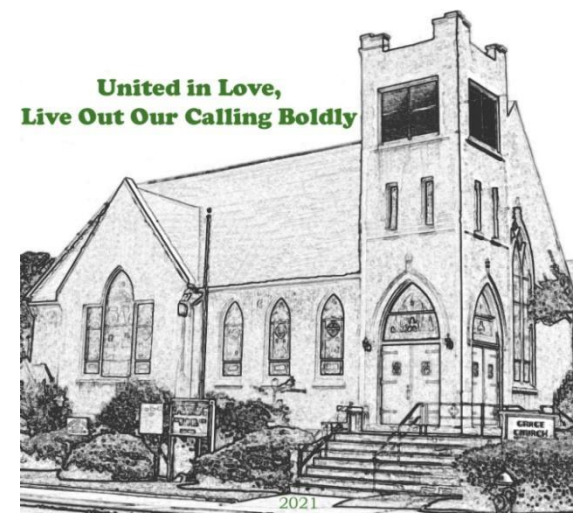
### PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor John Maxham (English Ministry) 908-510-8478  
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(Please email or call Pastor John for any prayer requests or personal consultation)

Minister Kan Chan (Chinese Ministry) 973-641-4245

## Oversea Chinese Mission Grace Church

October 10, 2021



John 17:23, Acts 20:24

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## OUR PRAYERS

Our Father in Heaven,  
We praise your most holy name.  
May our spirits this day be one with your Spirit,  
our hearts one with your heart  
to have compassion on those  
who have not yet heard the Gospel of Jesus Christ,  
and to be your witnesses.  
Thy will be done.  
Amen

Pray supplications, prayers, intercession for all people. For  
leaders in high positions. 1 Tim. 2:1-2

### Our church:

- God's timing for a youth director
- New deacon nomination

### Personal needs:

- Health and recovery: James Loy; Auntie Ruth and Uncle Lemuel; Coty's mother, and sister Ammy; Albert Lau; Helen Chung; Gordon Huie; Minister Silas Shu, Mrs. Shu; Grace Hine's son; Kit Wong's mom, and for Kaitlyn; Susan Chien's mom; Chris Lee's aunt; PJ's sister Nancy and brother-in-law Peter; Willie's mom; Christy Chau's father; Casey's father; Shu Lam's mother; Stephanie, Sally's sister's daughter-in-law
- Salvation: Mary Bruno's son Mario and daughter-in-law Yvonne.
- Special protection: Peter Mui.
- Covid-19: Those who are affected health-wise and financially; the distribution of the vaccines.

### The world:

- May the Lord help us to bring about justice, champion the oppressed, give the orphan his rights, plead the widow's cause (Isaiah 1:17)

Call to Worship Susan

Confession of Sin

Apostles Creed

Praise Antony

Children's Message Pastor John

Prayer for Children & Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Acts 1:4-8 Pat

Sermon Gordon Law

"Be a witness for the Lord"

Song of Response

Intercessory Prayer Marissa

Offering

Announcements

Benediction Pastor John

## CALL TO WORSHIP

### Isaiah 60:1-3

Arise, shine, for your light has come,  
and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you.  
For behold, darkness shall cover the earth,  
and thick darkness the peoples;  
but the LORD will arise upon you,  
and his glory will be seen upon you.  
And nations shall come to your light,  
and kings to the brightness of your rising.

## APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried. He descended into hell; on the third day, He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence, He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.