

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

Memory Verse: Romans 15:13 May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.

Life Preparation Groups: 11:30 – 12:30 pm

- **Adults:** Sermon open discussion
- **HS/MS Youth:** Lectionary/Worldview
- **Children Ministry:** Gospel Project lessons

Mark the date:

- 12.7 – Mission Prayer 7 pm via Zoom
- 12.12 – HS Youth Fellowship 1:30 pm – Philippians study led by Nicole
- 12.24 – Christmas Eve Candle light Service 7:30 pm
- 12.28-29 – Online Chinese Mission Conference 5-10 pm EST
- 12.31 – New Year's Eve Prayer 8 pm

Housing Authority of Bergen County Homeless Clothing Drive: We will continue the collection through Christmas. Please bring new coats, winter undergarments, thermal shirts and socks sizes XL through 3XL and place them in the box in the fellowship hall.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

WORSHIP	9:30 AM
LIFE PREP GROUPS	11:30 AM
CHILDREN MINISTRY	11:30 AM

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

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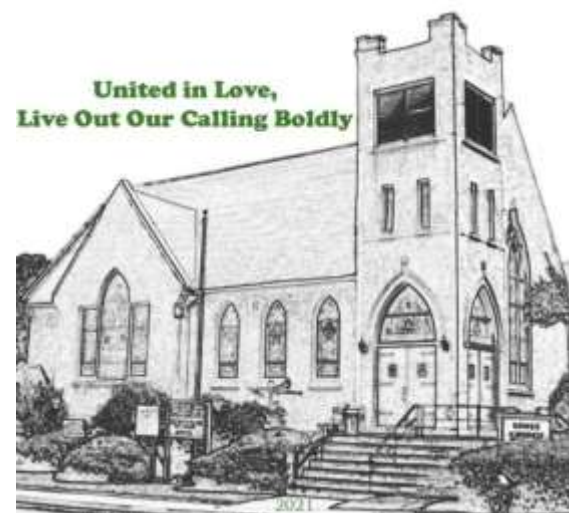
PASTORAL STAFF

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Oversea Chinese Mission Grace Church

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John 17:23, Acts 20:24

OUR PRAYERS

O God of all the prophets,
you herald the coming of the Son of Man
by wondrous signs in the heavens and on the earth.
Guard our hearts from despair so that we,
in the company of the faithful
and by the power of the Holy Spirit,
may be found ready to raise our heads
at the coming near of our redemption,
the day of Jesus Christ. Amen.

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

Praise: Praise God for abundance of His blessings to us;
praise God for Brianne and Chris and the MS youth
donating food to the needy and delivering; praise God for
the clothing donated and the food provided by our church
for the Homeless in Hackensack; Praise God for the many
gifts He has given us so that we can give to others! Praise
His Name!

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; Casey's father; Shu Lam's mother; Stephanie, Sally's sister's daughter-in-law; Brendan's father
- Salvation: Mary Bruno's son Mario and daughter-in-law Yvonne; missionary friend Sarah
- 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		Youth Praise Team
Advent Candle Lighting and Reading		Catrina/Samuel
The Candle of Hope	Jeremiah 33:14-16	
Prayer for Illumination		
Scripture	Luke 21:25-36	Susan
Sermon		Pastor John
	"The Kingdom of God is near"	
Song of Response		
Intercessory Prayer		Yacer
Offering		
Announcements		
Benediction		Pastor John

CALL TO WORSHIP

John 1:1-5

In the beginning was the Word,
and the Word was with God,
and the Word was God.
He was in the beginning with God.
All things were made through him,
and without him was not any
thing made that was made.
In him was life, and the life was the light of men.
The light shines in the darkness,
and the darkness has not overcome it.

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.