ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome! We are so happy you are here!

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

Summer schedule:

- Please note in July and August, we will be meeting for worship in the fellowship hall beginning at 10 am. Zoom will be available but there will be no PowerPoint. We will use the bulletin and hymnals/song texts on handouts which will also be sent via email before each Sunday.
- There will be no Adult/Youth Life Prep groups.
- Children Ministry: July 24, 31; Aug 7, 14, 21, 28

Mark the date:

- 7.17 Jesus in the Park Van Saun Park, Paramus, 2:30 pm – 4 pm
- 7.30, 8.6 Jesus in the Park Veterans Park, Ridgefield Park, 2:30 pm – 4 pm

OCM Grace Church 30th Anniversary November 5,6

- Please reserve the date and come join our celebrations at Noodle Wong Restaurant - 770 US-46, Parsippany, NJ 07054 on Saturday Nov 5, 2022, from 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm. Dinner is \$35 and \$15 (children 12 and below). More details to follow.
- Brother Larry Lee has graciously offered to take individuals/family photos on the following Sundays after Chinese Worship:
 - 7/31/22, 8/7/22, 8/14/22 from 12 to 2:30pm. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board next to the kitchen.

Please note: Grace Church has an electric organ and accessories wanted to dispose of or give away to individuals or organizations. The condition of this organ is not known, and may not be functional. Future owner is responsible for all moving expenses. Those who wish to take it please contact Ken Kam of the EB Team. (via email: kenkamav@gmail.com) The deadline for this giveaway is July 20, 2022. It is a first come first serve basis. The organ will need to be moved away from Grace Church no later than 7-27-2022 or the church will consider giving up this opportunity.

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHEDULE

WORSHIP 10:00AM

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=C

WE WANT TO HELP

IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF ANY KIND OF ASSISTANCE CALL OR WRITE PASTOR JOHN OF MINISTER KAN

CONTACT INFORMATION

OCM Website <u>www.ocmgracechurch.org</u> www.ocmgrace.org

Please find us on Facebook: OCM Grace Church

PASTORAL STAFF

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

Oversea Chinese Mission Grace Church

July 17, 2022



2 Chronicles 7:14; Matthew 3:2, 6:33

90 Mt Vernon Street, Ridgefield Park, NJ 07660

OUR PRAYERS

Almighty God, who for our redemption gave your only begotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection delivered us from the power of our enemy: Grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

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

Praise: For the sureness of knowing that God is in our midst. He is our Savior, and He rejoices over us, loves us, and exults over us with singing!

Our church:

- a youth director
- New deacons

Personal needs:

- Health and recovery: James Loy; Auntie Ruth and Uncle Lemuel; Coty's sister Amy; Albert Lau; Gordon Huie; Mrs. Shu; Kit Wong's mom, and for Kaitlyn; PJ's sister Nancy; Willie's mom; Mary Bruno's daughter Lisa and sister Patricia, Auntie Phong; Candi
- <u>Salvation</u>: Mary Bruno's son Mario and daughter-in-law Yvonne; missionary friend Sarah
- Special protection: Peter Mui.
- <u>Covid-19</u>: Those who are affected health-wise and financially; the health care providers; distribution of the vaccines; wise and safe reopening on all levels.

The world:

- Mercy and Justice for the poor, oppressed, and under-privileged. (Isaiah 1:17)
- For the Ukraine-Russia war; the political situation Burkina Faso; other areas of the world that suffer from unrest and oppression.
- For an end to hate crimes against Asians.

Our Nation:

- For those mourning the loss of loved ones in shootings; most recent in Highland Park
- For unity in fighting violence and hatred with love and compassion
- For peace and unity in the United States of America

Prelude Alexander Call to Worship Pastor John Confession of Sin **Apostles Creed** Praise Chu and Patsy Children's Message Pastor John Memory Verse Romans 15:13 Kaitlyn Scripture Psalm 30 Betty Sermon Series Sermon Pastor John "Joy in All Circumstances" 1. Surprised by Joy Song of Response Holy Communion Pastor John Intercessory Prayer Pastor John Offering Pastor John Announcements Closing Prayer Pastor John

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 47:1 Clap your hands, all you nations; shout to God with cries of joy.

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.

	Amen!	Amen!
Confession of Sin:	Confession of Sin:	Confession of Sin:
Merciful God We confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed by what we have done and by what we have left undone.	Merciful God We confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed by what we have done and by what we have left undone.	Merciful God We confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed by what we have done and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved You with our whole heart and mind and strength We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves	We have not loved You with our whole heart and mind and strength We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves	We have not loved You with our whole heart and mind and strength We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves
In Your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name	In Your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name	In Your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name
The Lord's Prayer	The Lord's Prayer	The Lord's Prayer
Our Father in heaven Hallowed be Your name	Our Father in heaven Hallowed be Your name	Our Father in heaven Hallowed be Your name
Your kingdom come Your will be done On earth as in heav'n	Your kingdom come Your will be done On earth as in heav'n	Your kingdom come Your will be done On earth as in heav'n
Give us today our daily bread Forgive us our sins As we forgive those who sin against us	Give us today our daily bread Forgive us our sins As we forgive those who sin against us	Give us today our daily bread Forgive us our sins As we forgive those who sin against us
Save us from the time of trial And deliver us from evil	Save us from the time of trial And deliver us from evil	Save us from the time of trial And deliver us from evil
For the kingdom, the power And the glory are Yours	For the kingdom, the power And the glory are Yours	For the kingdom, the power And the glory are Yours
Now and forever	Now and forever	Now and forever

