

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Welcome!** We are so joyful you are here!

**Memory Verse:** Philippians 4:4 Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!

**Summer schedule:**

- **Hooray! Children Ministry meets today.**  
Gospel Project: Joshua Challenged the People  
CM will continue July 31, Aug 14, 21, 28

**Mark the date:**

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

### OCM Grace Church 30th Anniversary Nov 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.**

### 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 or MINISTER KAN**

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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

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Please find us on Facebook: OCM Grace Church

### PASTORAL STAFF

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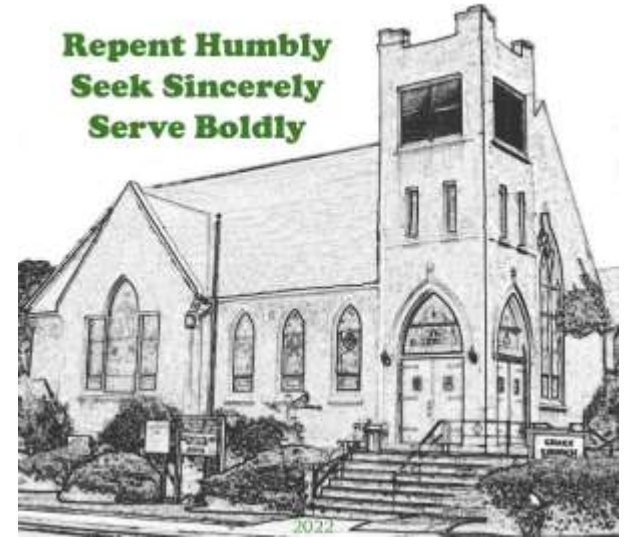
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## Oversea Chinese Mission Grace Church

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July 24, 2022

**Repent Humbly  
Seek Sincerely  
Serve Boldly**



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

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90 Mt Vernon Street, Ridgefield Park, NJ 07660

## OUR PRAYERS

Our Heavenly Father, Help us to have hearts which love and long for our brothers and sisters in Christ like Paul did for the church in Philippi. Help us to be of the same mind. Help us to rejoice always; to be gentle, trusting in you prayerfully. Help us to think about what is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable, excellent and praiseworthy.

In Jesus' Name, 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!
- For Jesus in the Park and the many children who heard the Gospel the first two weeks.

### Our church:

- a youth director
- New deacons

### Personal needs:

- Health and recovery: James Loy; Auntie Ruth and Uncle Lemuel; Coty's sister Amy; Gordon Huie; Mrs. Shu; PJ's sister Nancy; Mary Bruno's daughter Lisa and sister Patricia, Peter Konopka; Candi
- 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 health care providers; distribution of the vaccines; wise and safe re-opening 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 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		Alfred
Confession of Sin		
Apostles Creed		
Praise		Li-Chan
Children's Message		Pastor John
Memory Verse	Philippians 4:4	Kaitlyn
Scripture	Philippians 4:1-13	Pat
Sermon	Sermon Series "Joy in All Circumstances" 2. Agents of Jesus' Joy	Pastor John
Song of Response		
Intercessory Prayer		Yacer
Offering		Alfred
Announcements		
Closing Prayer		Pastor John

## CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 84:11-12

For the LORD God is a sun and shield;  
the LORD bestows favor and honor;  
no good thing does he withhold  
from those whose walk is blameless.

LORD Almighty,  
blessed is the one who trusts in you.

## 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.

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.

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

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven  
Hallowed be Your name

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

Save us from the time of trial  
And deliver us from evil

For the kingdom, the power  
And the glory are Yours

Now and forever

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