## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome! We are so joyful you are here!

**Memory Verse**: Romans 8:19 – For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the sons of God."

## TODAY:

10 am: Children's Worship – Gospel Project 11:30 am:

- Children's Sunday School: Bible Heroes Adventure
- Youth MS: "Taboo: The Power of Saying No"
- HS/Adults: Seeking Allah, Finding Jesus

#### Mark the Date

- 11/20- Thanksgiving Sunday;
   New Bridge Care Center Volunteer
- 11.27- 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent: Rev Donna Baptiste preaches

#### Volunteers Needed:

- 1. Help with preparing the bulletin, making copies, sending weekly worship announcement
- 2. Help with worship assignment scheduling
- 3. Help with Children Ministry, Nursery.
- 4. New Bridge Care Center see PJ for information
- 5. CEF Good News Club Ridgefield Park see PJ

See PJ, Li-Chan for items 1 and 2, and Esther for item 3

**2023 Executive Board Nominations**: The Executive Board of Grace Church is please to present Erin Miu and Alfred Lee as candidates to serve on the Executive Board beginning in 2023. Please address any questions or concerns to the Executive Board by Dec. 4th before the Executive Board final confirmation vote.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Worship

9:30 AM

973-641-4245

**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

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

OCM Website www.ocmgrace.org
Please find us on Facebook: OCM Grace Church

## **PASTORAL STAFF**

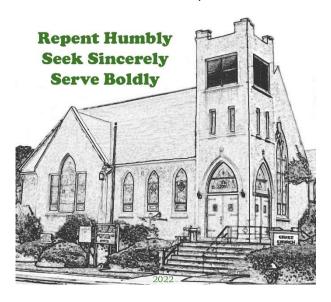
Pastor John Maxham (English Ministry) 908-510-8478 <u>johnsmaxham@gmail.com</u> (Please email or call Pastor John for any prayer requests or

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Minister Kan Chan (Chinese Ministry)

Oversea Chinese Mission Grace Church

November 13, 2022



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

#### **OUR PRAYERS**

O God,
in Christ you give us hope
for a new heaven and a new earth.
Grant us wisdom to interpret the signs of our times,
courage to stand in the time of trial,
and faith to witness to your truth and love.
Amen.

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

## 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 <u>Salvation</u>: Mary Bruno's son Mario and daughterin-law Yvonne; missionary friend Sarah
- Special protection: Peter Mui.
- Covid Healing

#### 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.
- Natural disaster in Pakistan; Puerto Rico, Dominican Republic Taiwan

#### Our Nation:

- Fire destruction of homes and families in California
- Victims of the Hurricane in Florida
- Wisdom for the upcoming General Election
- For spiritual revival and turning to Christ

### Schools/Students:

- For Ridgefield Park Board of Ed to allow CEF Good News Club to meet at Roosevelt School
- For safety and blessing of Christ's love on all students, teachers and administrations

Call to Worship Alfred

Confession of Sin

**Apostles Creed** 

Praise Antony

Memory Verse

Children's Message Pastor John

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Isaiah 65:17-25 Pat

Sermon: Pastor John

"The Inexorable Coming of God's New Creation"

Song of Response

Holy Communion

Intercessory Prayer Yacer

Offering

Announcements

Closing Prayer Pastor John

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Psalm 98:4-9

<sup>4</sup> Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth; break forth into joyous song and sing praises!
 <sup>5</sup> Sing praises to the LORD with the lyre, with the lyre and the sound of melody!
 <sup>6</sup> With trumpets and the sound of the horn make a joyful noise before the King, the LORD!
 <sup>7</sup> Let the sea roar, and all that fills it; the world and those who dwell in it!
 <sup>8</sup> Let the rivers clap their hands; let the hills sing for joy together
 <sup>9</sup> before the LORD, for he comes to judge the earth.
 He will judge the world with righteousness, and the peoples with equity.

## **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

Amen!