ANNOUNCEMENTS

Grace and Peace to you! We pray that the Lord will bless you with His Holy Spirit today as we worship together.

Memory Verse – **Ephesians 2:4-5** But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—by grace you have been saved

Mark the Date:

- 8.06 New Bridge Med Center Volunteering
- 8.13 Bishop Charles Singletary preaches (PJ vacation)
- 8.27 Pastor Austin Woo preaches (PJ preaches at Church of Living Grace)
- 9.1 9.4 OCM Church Family Summer Conference Retreat – Details coming soon

Summer Schedule: July 2 -Sept. 3:

Meet in the Fellowship Hall at 10 am for Worship. Children Ministry will meet. No adult/youth classes until Sept.

Youth Summer Series, Fridays July 28–Aug 18, 7-9 pm Come join us at church for good fellowship and grow in our love for God over the Summer Fridays! Middle and High School youth welcome! College youth welcome!

Summer Conference 2023

Date: September 1, 2023 to September 4, 2023 **Camp Site:** Iroquois Springs Camp and Retreat

Center (Rock Hill, NY)

Theme: OCM my home, I love, I care!

Speaker: Pastor Cristobal Tong (3Stone/New York

Chinese Alliance Church)

Volunteers Needed:

- Help with Children Ministry see Esther
- Bergen Cty Homeless Lunch Serving Sign up on the announcement bulletin board.
- Nursery: Although there is no immediate need for Nursery help at this time, we are praying in faith for what we hope for, and assurance about what we do not see (Heb. 11:1). Please see Esther if you would like to be on the team ready to serve.

Reminder to co-workers: please remember to submit payment requests with receipts in a timely manner to the treasury. Thank you!

Offering: Please make your offering via Zelle: ocmgracetreasury@outlook.com or by check made payable to OCM Grace Church – send to church address, Attn: Treasury (specify for missions or general fund in memo)

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Worship 9:30 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=A
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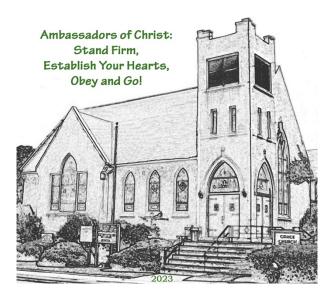
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July 30, 2023



2 Corinthians 5:20a; 1 Corinthians 15:58; James 5:8

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OUR PRAYERS

Dear Heavenly Father, Thank you for the words of hope in Ephesians "But God being rich in mercy...." Praise be to You O God for being rich in mercy because of your love for us. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

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

Our church:

- Growing in Christ better attendance to prayer meeting and Bible study
- Summer Short Term Mission team

Personal needs:

- Health and recovery: Harumi; Brother Fat Goh; James Loy; Uncle Lemuel; Coty's sister Amy; Gordon Huie; Mrs. Shu; PJ's sister Nancy; Mary Bruno's daughter Lisa and sister Patricia, Peter Konopka; Albert Wong, Toby Lai, Albert Lau
- <u>Salvation</u>: Mary Bruno's son Mario and daughterin-law Yvonne; missionary friend Sarah
- Special protection: Peter Mui.

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.
- God's mercy on those who lost loved ones to gun violence
- Pray for persecuted Christians everywhere

Our Nation:

- Just and righteous government
- Provision for the poor and needy
- Spiritual revival and turning to Christ
- An end to violence
- For states suffering from both severe heat and flood.

Schools/Student:

- For renewal of the Good News Club in Fall/Spring
- Graduates

Call to Worship Alex

Confession of Sin

Apostles Creed

Praise Chu/Patsy

Testimony Time

Children's Message

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Ephesians 2:1-10 Pat

Sermon: Pastor John Maxham

Sermon series:

Understanding Christian Worldview: #4

"Grace"

Song of Response

Intercessory Prayer Pastor John Maxham

Offering Alex

Announcements Alex

Benediction Pastor John Maxham

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 105:1-5

Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon his name;
make known his deeds among the peoples!

² Sing to him, sing praises to him;
tell of all his wondrous works!

³ Glory in his holy name;
let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice!

⁴ Seek the Lord and his strength;
seek his presence continually!

⁵ Remember the wondrous works that he has done,
his miracles, and the judgments he uttered

SERMON NOTES