

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome everyone to OCM Grace Church! We are happy that you are here to worship the Lord together! May the Lord bless you richly with His steadfast love and joy!

Memory Verse – Psalm 34:8

Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!

TODAY:

Today through Sept 1 we will meet for worship in the fellowship hall.

- **Children's Ministry:** 10:00 am

Lesson today: "Bad News for Pharaoh – Pharaoh's Dream"

- **Life Prep Classes:**

The Adult and Youth Life Prep groups are on summer break.

Mark the Date:

- 8.3 – 8.11 – Pastor John vacation
- 8.18 – Monthly Sunday Evening Communion Gathering: 7 pm
- 8.21 – New Bridge Volunteering
- 8.25 – Fellowship Lunch 1 pm followed by Summer Concert at 2 pm performed by Grace Church members and friends of Grace Church. Please attend and enjoy fellowship with one another.

Chinese Pastoral Search update: Minister Sandy Xie has been invited to come on Sunday, August 18 to preach and lead Sunday school in Mandarin and Cantonese as a candidate for the position of interim pastor. An informal pot luck lunch will follow the Chinese service. Please continue to pray.

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)

Attendance for 8/4: 31

<u>SUNDAY SCHEDULE</u>	
PRAYER	9:30 AM
WORSHIP	10:00 AM
<u>WEEKDAY PRAYER TIME</u>	
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>

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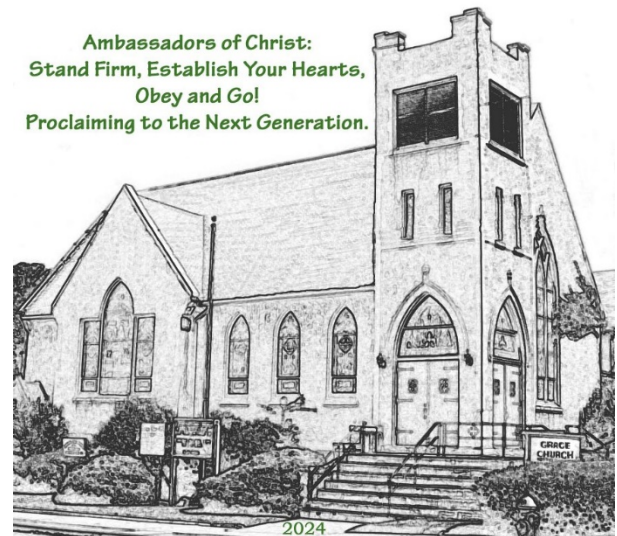
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2 Corinthians 5:20a; 1 Corinthians 15:58;
James 5:8; Psalm 145:4

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OUR PRAYERS

Truly, Lord, you are worthy of praise. You answer the prayers of those who seek you, and deliver them from their fears. O taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are those who take refuge in him. In Jesus' Name, *Amen*

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

Our church:

- Chinese Congregation Pastoral Search

Personal needs:

- Health and recovery: Harumi; Coty's sister Amy; Gordon Huie; Mrs. Shu; PJ's sister Nancy; Peter Konopka; Albert Wong; Albert Lau; James Loy; Candi; Kaling's mother; Celine's father; Willie Mark; Helen Chung
- 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.
- Pray for persecuted Christians everywhere
- Pray for mercy and peace in the Middle East

Our Nation:

- Just and righteous government
- Provision for the poor and needy
- Spiritual revival and turning to Christ
- An end to violence

Call to Worship		Susan
Confession of Sin		
Apostles Creed		
Praise		Darren & Maris
Prayer for Illumination		Rev. Bob Engel
Scripture	Hebrews 10:35-39	Susan
Sermon:		Rev. Bob Engel
Apostolic Missions Platform: Endure		
Song of Response		
Intercessory Prayer		Yacer
Offering		Susan
Announcements		Susan
Benediction		Rev. Bob Engel

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 34:1-3

I will bless the Lord at all times;
his praise shall continually be in my mouth.
² My soul makes its boast in the Lord;
let the humble hear and be glad.
³ Oh, magnify the Lord with me,
and let us exalt his name together!

SERMON NOTES