

Prayer Items

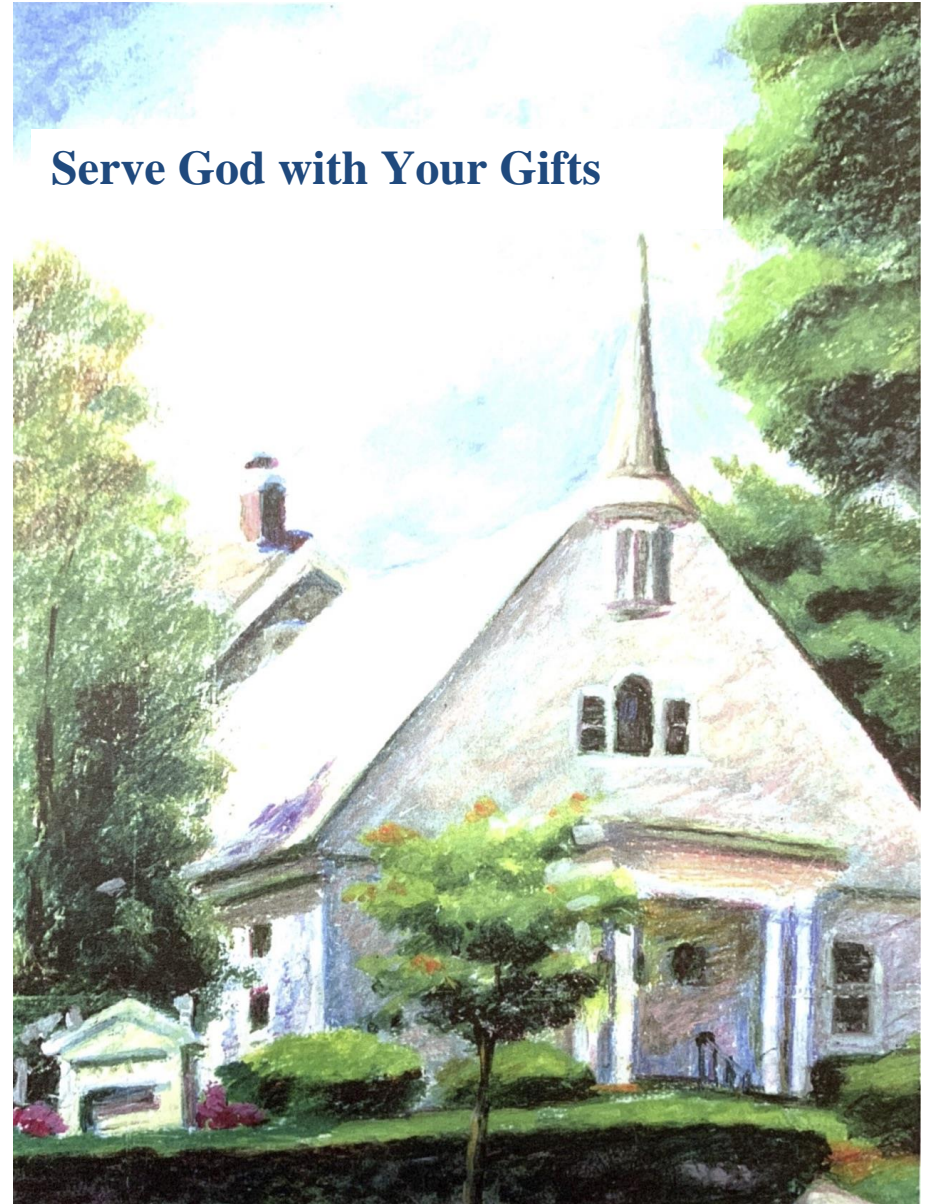
1. Please continue to pray for wisdom for our leaders and safety for our attendees as we begin the gradual "reopening" of our in-person church services.
2. Please pray that God will prepare our hearts to attend the Chinese Revival Meeting (May 22-23). May God renew our heart, our soul so that we will experience more of His leading, be ready to serve Him more & be brave to tell others about Him more!
3. Pray for our dear brothers Yang Feng, Leslie Shih and Jonathan Lai - their fathers have recently passed away. Please pray for peace, comfort and strength for the families--and for these brothers as they support & console their overseas families.
4. Please continue praying for Board coworkers and their families, for wisdom, strength, confidence and love to serve Him courageously in the midst of the pandemic. Pray also for the unity and support of their families.
5. Please pray for all of our church's Life Groups, Bible Studies and ministries. Pray for wisdom, strength and creativity as we begin this New Year, still affected by the pandemic.
6. Please pray for the Care Ministry of our church! During the 2021 epidemic, there are many opportunities for brothers and sisters to show more care for newcomers and also for those who have not been regularly joining in fellowship. Pray that we'll grow in care for one another, be inspired to love, and that we'll encourage one another toward living out the life of Christ.
7. Please continue to pray for the UConn ministry so that more students will come to follow Jesus. Pray for the various impacts the pandemic might have on this ministry.
8. Please pray for those who are currently looking for jobs and those who are feeling the pressure of financial challenges. Pray that these brothers and sisters will come before God to seek His comfort and wisdom.
9. Please pray for all the various missionaries and missions endeavors we support, including the UConn outreach, Pastor Achara and her work with the Thai School in Khaolak, Pastor Rebecca Mao and COCM in England/Europe, Dann and Tammy Johnson with Envision in Atlanta, and Bob and Molly and their family.
10. Please pray especially for Pastor Achara's Christian School project in Khaolak, Thailand. Despite remarkable progress, the governmental authorities seem unusually resistant to authorizing a timely opening. Pray for God's good and perfect will to be done in connection with this important Kingdom endeavor.

Fellowship & Sunday School

English Adult Sunday School has started video series "Drive Thru History - Ends of the World" every Sun 10:00am via Zoom. All are welcomed! Contact: Te Chan (teshun@gmail.com)

English Bible Study Fellowship is studying the book of Revelation via Zoom every Fri at 7:45pm. Contact: cacwbiblestudy@yahoo.com

Saturday Youth Fellowship: Junior & Senior High - Every Sat at 5pm. Contact: Pastor Pablo (pastorpablo@cacw.org)



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English Worship

11:30 AM

Chinese Alliance Church of Westchester English Worship Service

April 25th, 2021, 11:30 a.m

Psalm 67:1 - 4

¹ May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face shine on us—² so that your ways may be known on earth, your salvation among all nations.³ May the peoples praise you, God; may all the peoples praise you.⁴ May the nations be glad and sing for joy, for you rule the peoples with equity and guide the nations of the earth.

➤ GATHERING TOGETHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

- ❖ Call to Worship (Psalm 67:1 - 4)
- ❖ Praise and Worship in Song
- ❖ Pastoral Prayer
- ❖ Greeting One Another

➤ HEARING AND CELEBRATING GOD'S WORD

- ❖ Message - **Jesus of the Scars** (Pastor Alan)
- ❖ Scripture Reading (John 20:20)

➤ RESPONDING WITH THANKSGIVING

- ❖ Song of Response
- ❖ Prayer for Tithes and Offerings

➤ BEING SENT TO LOVE AND SERVE

- ❖ Community Life
- ❖ Benediction

Theme verse for April, 2021

John 6:44

"No one can come to me unless the Father who sent me draws them, and I will raise them up at the last day.

Announcements

1. We welcome everyone to worship God with us this morning. May peace be with you and your family.
2. We have begun welcoming back limited numbers of worshippers. We have health-conscious protocols in place, including social distancing, use of masks, and liberal use of sanitizer. Seating will be limited, and in order to attend you'll need to register online in advance. An email with details has been sent out to our members and CACW family.
3. CACW denounces acts of injustice and unprovoked aggression--including the recent wave of anti-Asian violence in our country. For emergency and anti-discrimination resources, please visit <https://www.cacw.org/responding-to-anti-asian-violence/>
4. "CACW—Reflections on the 2020 Pandemic": In the past year, our church was physically "lockdown." Most all of our activities were conducted online. We believe that throughout this challenging year, God was at work in faithful and miraculous ways. We've experienced this as individuals, and also among our families and neighbors. We've seen God at work in our relationships, both with Him and with others. We've even seen God's blessing on the work of evangelism. While the past year is fresh in our minds, let's capture some of these important memories. It is our hope that collecting our pandemic experiences (of both joy and lament) will be a kind of thanksgiving to God for His protection and provision. Please send your writing (limit to 1500 words) and pictures to Sister Pei (pei_yeh@yahoo.com) by 4/30/2021.
5. Good news! We'll hold our annual church picnic at Holmes Retreat Center on the morning and afternoon of Saturday June 26. More details coming--but please save the date!
6. Career Transition Support Group: A forum for prayer, resource sharing, and skill development for church members and friends who are actively or passively looking for jobs. Meets virtually every Thursday at 7pm. Please register at <https://bit.ly/3x2E8sK> or contact brother Leslie (shihleslie@gmail.com) for details.
7. English Adult Sunday School has started a Zoom video series "Drive Thru History - Ends of the World" every Sun 10:00am. We invite you to join us & learn about the history of how Christianity spread around the world! Contact: teshun@gmail.com
8. The English Bible Study fellowship is studying the book of Revelation soon via Zoom. All are welcome as we meet Friday evenings via Zoom at 7:45pm. Contact cacwbiblestudy@yahoo.com for details.
9. Prayer Gathering: Our weekly prayer gatherings continue on Wednesday nights at 8PM, now via Zoom. Please contact one of our pastors for Zoom connect information.
10. Seeking Volunteers: We are seeking volunteers to help with our church food pantry. This ministry helps provide food to 60 local families in need. Most needed are volunteers who can help pick-up food at Ridgeway Church in White Plains during the week and bring to our church. If you can help please contact Pastor Pablo.