

Prayer Items

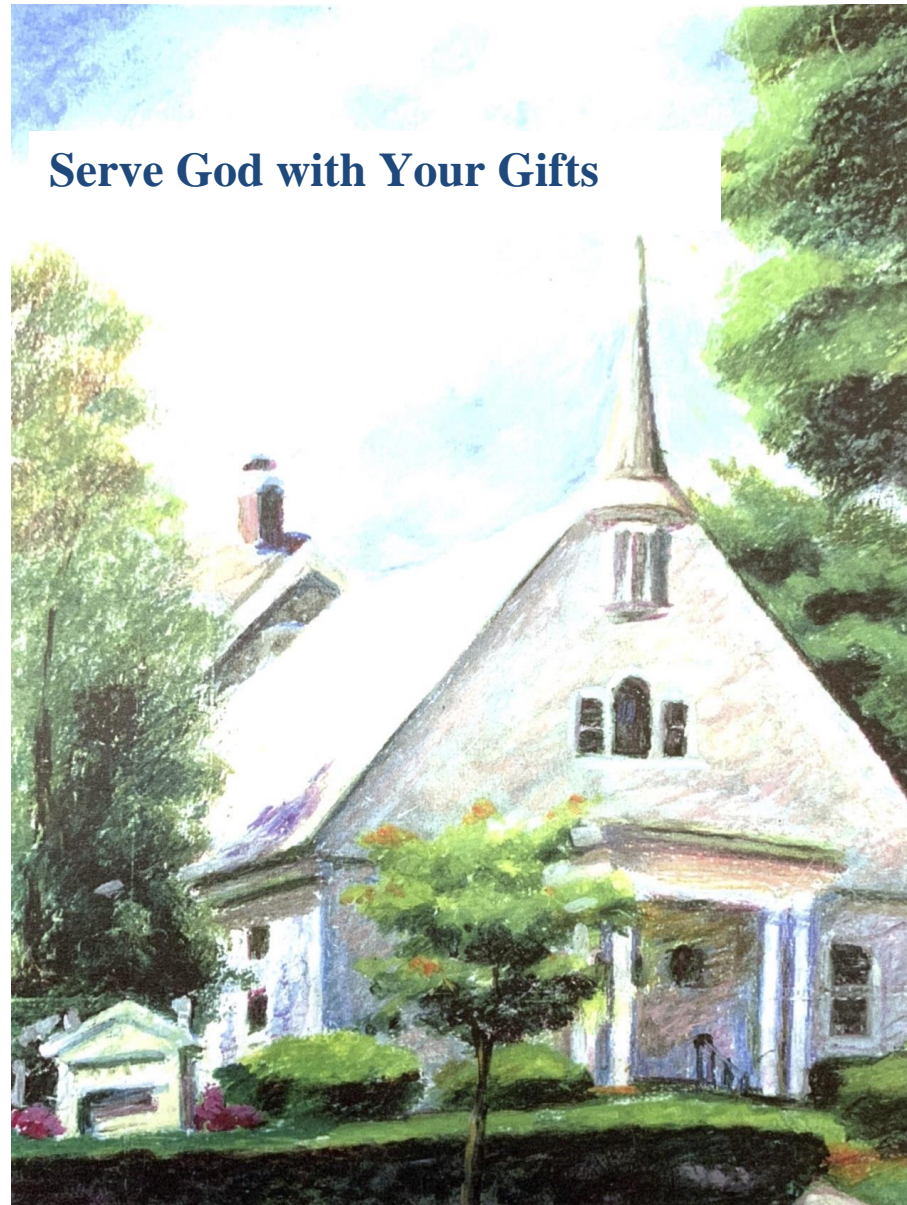
1. Please continue to pray for wisdom for our leaders and safety for our attendees as we begin the gradual "reopening" of our in-person church services.
2. Please pray that God will prepare our hearts to attend the Chinese Revival Meeting (May 22-23). May God renew our heart, our soul so that we will experience more of His leading, be ready to serve Him more & be brave to tell others about Him more!
3. 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.
4. 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.
5. 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.
6. 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.
7. 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.
8. 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.
9. 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.

Today's Scripture Reading:

Luke 24:50-53 ESV

⁵⁰ And he led them out as far as Bethany, and lifting up his hands he blessed them.⁵¹ While he blessed them, he parted from them and was carried up into heaven.⁵² And they worshiped him and returned to Jerusalem with great joy,⁵³ and were continually in the temple blessing God.

⁵⁰ 耶穌領他們到伯大尼的對面，就舉手給他們祝福。⁵¹ 正祝福的時候，他就離開他們，被帶到天上去了。⁵² 他們就拜他，大大的歡喜，回耶路撒冷去，⁵³ 常在殿裡稱頌神。



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English Worship

11:30 AM

Chinese Alliance Church of Westchester

English Worship Service

May 16th, 2021, 11:30 a.m

Psalm 19:1,7,14

¹ The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hands.⁷ The law of the Lord is perfect, refreshing the soul. The statutes of the Lord are trustworthy, making wise the simple.¹⁴ May these words of my mouth and this meditation of my heart be pleasing in your sight, Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer.

➤ GATHERING TOGETHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

- ❖ Call to Worship (Psalm 19:1,7,14)
- ❖ Praise and Worship in Song
- ❖ Pastoral Prayer
- ❖ Greeting One Another

➤ HEARING AND CELEBRATING GOD'S WORD

- ❖ Message - **Ascending** (Pastor Alan)
- ❖ Scripture Reading (Luke 24:50-53)

➤ RESPONDING WITH THANKSGIVING

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

➤ BEING SENT TO LOVE AND SERVE

- ❖ Community Life
- ❖ Benediction

Theme verse for May, 2021

Joshua 1:8

Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful.

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. 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!
5. 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.
6. 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.

Church Prayer, Fellowship & Sunday School

Weekly church prayer: every Wed at 8pm via Zoom. Contact pastoralan@cacw.org for details.

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)