

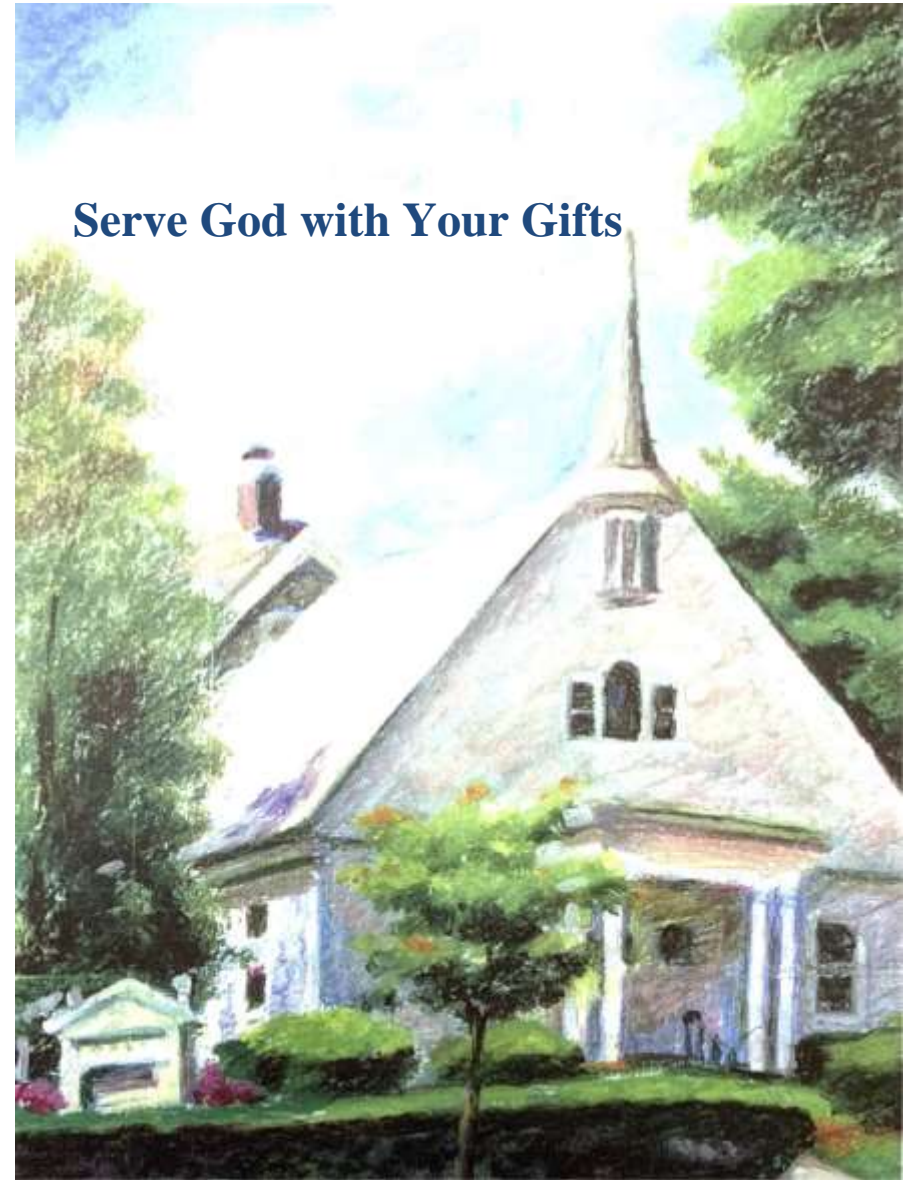
Prayer Items

1. We praise God for Pastor Lee's steady recovery. Please continue to pray for stable blood pressure and that he will continue to recover and regain his strength. Pray also for Shimu Joyce as she comes alongside Pastor Lee in his recovery.
2. 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.
3. 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.
4. 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.
5. Please continue to pray for the UConn ministry. Pray especially for Larry and Shellie Liu as they step up to lead this ministry, and for all who serve. Join us in asking God for his blessing so that more students will come to follow Jesus. Pray also for the various impacts the pandemic might have on this ministry.
6. 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.
7. 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.
8. Please pray for Pastor Achara and her work with the Khaolak Christian School for children. Pastor Achara has just travelled back to Thailand; please pray for health, safety, strength, and God's favor on her ministry there.

Today's Scripture Reading:

Philippians 4:6-7 ESV

⁶do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. ⁷And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.
⁶ 應當一無罣慮，只要凡事藉著禱告、祈求，和感謝，將你們所要的告訴神。⁷ 神所賜、出人意外的平安必在基督耶穌裡保守你們的心懷意念。



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English Worship

11:30 AM

Chinese Alliance Church of Westchester English Worship Service

October 3rd, 2021, 11:30 a.m

Psalm 96:1-4

¹ Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth.² Sing to the Lord, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day.³ Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples.⁴ For great is the Lord and most worthy of praise; he is to be feared above all gods.

➤ GATHERING TOGETHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

- ❖ Call to Worship (Psalm 96:1-4)
- ❖ Praise and Worship in Song
- ❖ Pastoral Prayer
- ❖ Greeting One Another

➤ HEARING AND CELEBRATING GOD'S WORD

- ❖ Message - **Do Not Be Anxious!** (Pastor Alan)
- ❖ Scripture Reading (Philippians 4:6-7)

➤ RESPONDING WITH THANKSGIVING

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

➤ BEING SENT TO LOVE AND SERVE

- ❖ Community Life
- ❖ Benediction

Theme verse for October, 2021

Revelation 14:6

Then I saw another angel flying in midair, and he had the eternal gospel to proclaim to those who live on the earth—to every nation, tribe, language and people.

Announcements

1. We welcome everyone to worship God with us this morning. May peace be with you and your family.
2. CACW welcomes everyone, regardless of vaccination status, to attend our Sunday services in person. We are raising our attendance cap to 50%. Our other protocols remain in place, and pre-registration is still required. We will continue to livestream all services. Beyond that, we simply encourage everyone to make wise choices based on their health and vaccination status. Please pray with us as we seek to welcome more and more people to worship together in God's presence.
3. During our worship services today we will celebrate Communion. For those of you joining us online: If you are a baptized Christian and would like to participate, please prepare ahead of time a small amount of juice and bread. (Grape juice and bread or matzoh would be ideal.) We look forward to this special time together.
4. Sunday worship requires more manpower, mainly for the production of slides for worship, video production, and audio/lighting control. You don't need much foundation because our technical team will provide training. What we need is your dedication and commitment to serve the Lord. If you are willing, please contact Brother Te or Brother Feng. Thanks!
5. As you may be aware, our church suffered considerable water damage from the remnants of hurricane Ida on Sept 1. The basements of both the sanctuary and the parsonage were flooded. All the equipment in the parsonage basement was damaged and has been replaced. We are planning for more repair and additional work to improve the basement. So far, the equipment replacement has cost us \$14,000, and we expect to incur additional \$20,000 upwards to repair the basements. We do not have flood insurance. Our year-to-date giving is currently \$201 thousand (\$54 thousand below budget). We do have a \$326 thousand reserve of general fund in the bank, but it would be prudent not to draw too much upon this because it is our emergency fund. We are asking church members to contribute financially to this repair work. If you would like to give, please designate your contribution to "Building Maintenance".
6. The English Bible Study fellowship will begin a new 6-part study by RightNow Media called "Law and Grace" on Fri Oct 15. We would love to have you join us via Zoom at 7:45pm. Contact cacwbiblestudy@gmail.com for details.
7. Career Transition Support Group: A forum for prayer, resource sharing, and skill development for church members and friends who are actively or interested in looking for jobs. Please contact brother Leslie (shihleslie@gmail.com) for details.

Church Prayer, Fellowship & Sunday School

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

English Adult Sunday School has started a study on the books of 1, 2, 3 John every Sun 10:00am via Zoom & in person. All are welcomed! Contact: Jane Chan (janewc@gmail.com)

English Bible Study Fellowship will have a Final Review of the book of **Revelation** via Zoom this Fri at 7:45pm. Contact: cacwbiblestudy@yahoo.com

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