

Prayer Items

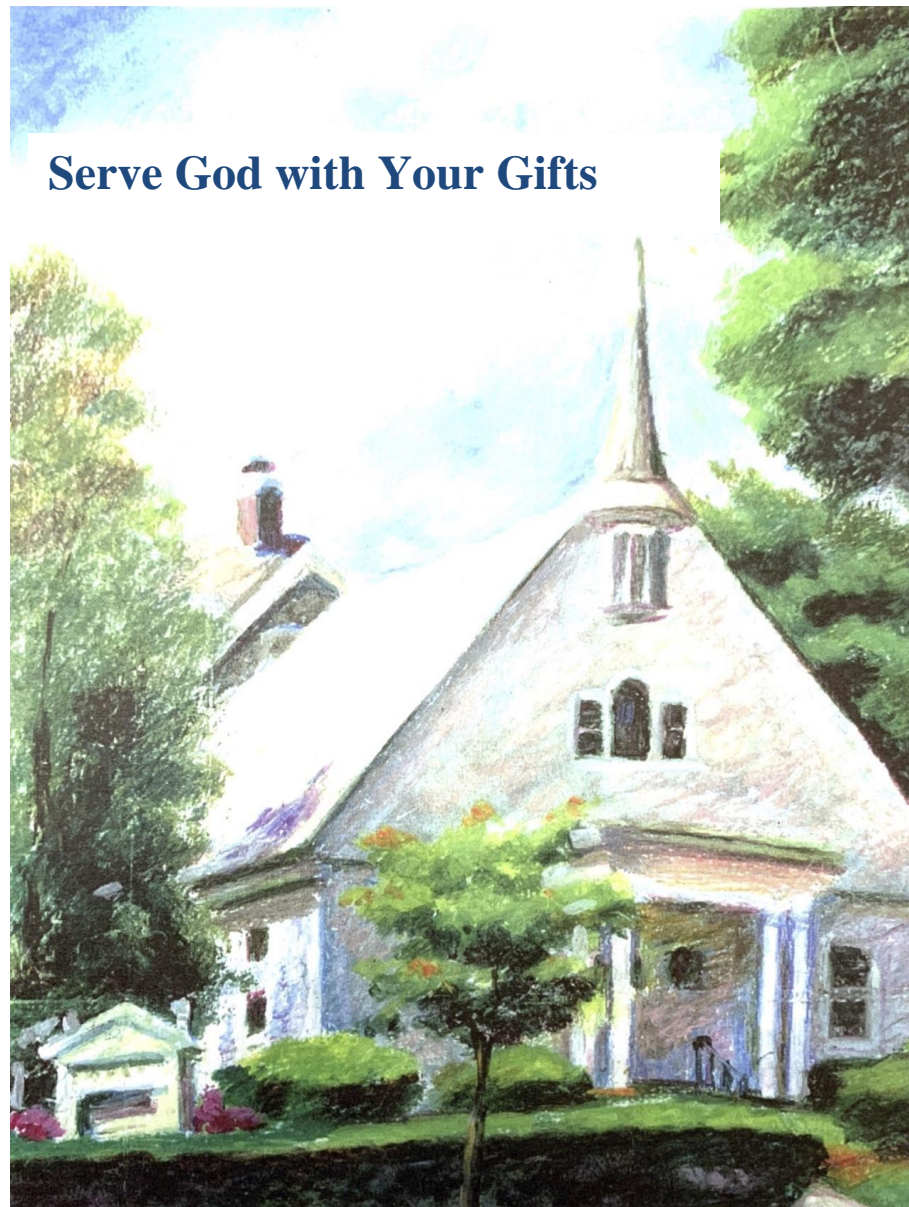
1. Please join us in praying thankfully to God for his faithfulness and provision throughout 2020 -- a very unique and challenging year. Pray that in the coming year the Lord will continue to encourage us to know him better, love him more, and put His love more fully into action.
2. Please continue praying for Board coworkers and their families, for wisdom, strength, confidence & love to serve Him courageously in the midst of the pandemic. Pray also for unity & support of their families.
3. Please pray for the church's online worship and the ministry of welcoming new friends! Pray that the church's Sunday message will build up the faith of those who listen, and that the Lord will add to our number those who have tasted his salvation. Pray also that newcomers (and everyone) may become better integrated into the life of our church and the truth of the gospel.
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 the 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. Let's please continue to pray earnestly for front-line workers (medical and otherwise)—both those who are part of our church family, and others. Pray for protection, strength, energy, comfort and a sure sense of God's presence and care.
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.

Fellowship & Sunday School

English Adult Sunday School has started video series "Drive Thru History - Acts/Revelation" every Sun 10:00am. All are welcomed! Contact: Teshun Chan (teshun@gmail.com)

English Bible Study Fellowship is doing a video study of "Get out of your head - stopping the spiral of toxic thoughts" by Jennie Allen, via Zoom every Fri at 7:45pm. Contact: Jim Anderson (jimanderson2357@yahoo.com)

Saturday Youth Fellowship: Junior & Senior High - Every Sat at 5:30pm. Contact: Pastor Pablo (pastorpablo@cacw.org)



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English Worship

11:30 AM

Chinese Alliance Church of Westchester

English Worship Service

January 10th, 2021, 11:30 a.m

Isaiah 60:1, 19

⁶⁰ "Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord rises upon you.¹⁹ The sun will no more be your light by day, nor will the brightness of the moon shine on you, for the Lord will be your everlasting light, and your God will be your glory.

➤ GATHERING TOGETHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

- ❖ Call to Worship (Isaiah 60:1, 19)
- ❖ Praise and Worship in Song
- ❖ Pastoral Prayer
- ❖ Greeting One Another

➤ HEARING AND CELEBRATING GOD'S WORD

- ❖ Message - **A Matter of Life and Death** (Dr Bryan Widbin)
- ❖ Scripture Reading (John 11:1-44)

➤ RESPONDING WITH THANKSGIVING

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

➤ BEING SENT TO LOVE AND SERVE

- ❖ Community Life
- ❖ Benediction

Theme verse for January, 2021

Hebrews 10:25

not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

Announcements

1. We welcome everyone to worship God with us online this morning. May peace be with you and your family.
2. We thank Dr Widbin for sharing God's words with us today. May God continue to bless him and his ministry.
3. Our annual church theme for 2021 is "Serve God with Your Gifts" (1 Peter 4:10). Let's encourage one another to serve God and one another, faithfully and with enthusiasm!
4. The installation of next year's Governing Board coworkers will take place today (1/10/2021) in each separate Sunday service. After that, there will be a Zoom meeting at 12:45pm, and let's pray for and bless these coworkers as a community. May their service to bring blessing to His people and glory to God!
5. In addition, we will formally install Pastor Lee and his wife Joyce as Chinese pastor and shi-mu on 1/17/2021. Rev Kelvin Walker, superintendent of our C&MA (Metro) District, will conduct the installation ceremony in a **combined service**. Please pray and plan on joining both events online.
6. The English Bible Study fellowship just began a new video study on Jan 8th: "Get out of your head - stopping the spiral of toxic thoughts" - a Biblical guide (based on book of Philippians) to help us submit our minds to Christ. Please come & give it a try! Fri 7:45pm. Contact JimAnderson2357@yahoo.com
7. A send-off will be held on Jan 24, 2021, 2:00 pm, for Brother JJ and Sister Shuefeng, who are called to serve the Lord in Pittsburgh. We are so grateful for their faithful service at CACW for last twenty years. The invitation letter with zoom link has been sent to you per email. If you didn't receive the invitation, please contact Feng Yang and Leslie for more info.
8. New Chinese Sunday School classes will start on January 24. "Overview of New Testament" will be taught by Pastor Lee, Brother Stephen Li, Brother Ivan Chiang and Sister Jing He, and will be held on Zoom every Sunday afternoon at 1:00 pm - 2:15 pm. In addition, Cantonese class and Gospel Seeker class will continue at 11:30 am on Sunday and 7:30 pm on Sunday respectively.
9. Our weekly prayer gatherings continue on Wednesday nights at 8PM, now via Zoom. It's a powerful thing when people join their hearts in prayer. We warmly encourage brothers and sisters to participate in these weekly prayer meetings. Please contact one of our pastors for Zoom connect information.
10. The 2021 Chinese New Year Gospel Rally will be held on Saturday, 2/13. Details are being planned. Save the date so that you can attend this evangelistic meeting. Please start praying for gospel friends and ask the Holy Spirit to lead them to the evangelistic meeting. This year's speaker is Pastor Huang Zijia, who is well known among Chinese churches. Please pray for the speaker and the preparation of the message.