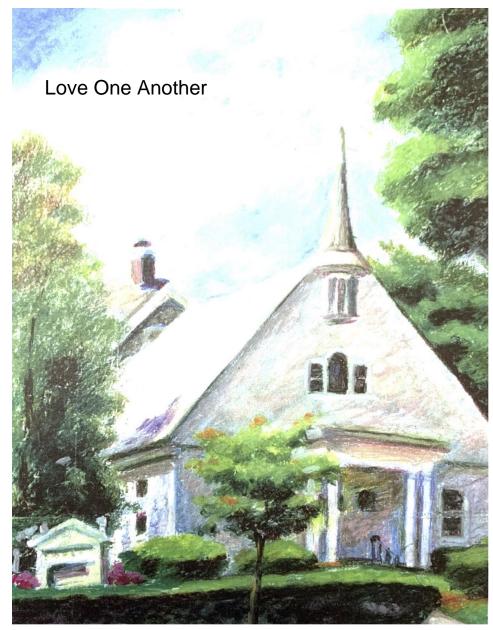
Prayer Items

- Praise God for Shimu Joyce's safe return from her missions trip. Pray for her as she transitions back into life here, as well as into our time zone. Pray that God will bless the good work she's done, and to help her as she shares with us the experiences the Lord has led her through.
- 2. Today is Pastor Pablo's last official day as Youth Pastor at our church. Please pray for Pablo, Kim and Leilani as they head into a time of refreshing and discernment about what the Lord has in store for them next.
- 3. Please continue to pray for God's grace and peace in the midst of the conflict between Russia and Ukraine. Pray especially in this time of crisis for those grieving the loss of loved ones and families who are displaced or separated. Pray also for the many missionary churches in Ukraine.
- 4. Please pray for the brothers and sisters to return to the church. At present, many companies, shopping malls, and schools have opened, and the church welcomes everyone to return to worship together. If brothers and sisters feel unwell, they can participate in online worship at home.
- 5. Pray for children and youth in the church who are in college, high school, middle school, elementary school, and nursery. Pray that God will keep these children safe in and out of school, and keep them safe from Omicron and Delta viruses for these children and parents.
- Please pray for the 2022 Mandarin Adult Sunday School. The Sunday school class "Acts - The Preaching of the Gospel" have been finished on 6/19. Please pray for the preparation of the next Sunday School's class.
- 7. Please pray for each fellowship group so that new people can join. Pray also for the group leaders of the fellowship, asking God to give them wisdom and strength to lead these groups and make them a source of love, fellowship and spreading the gospel. The fellowship also invites many gospel friends to participate through evangelistic meetings.
- 8. Please pray that God will bless the work of Ms. Horng and her team among the Muslim community. Also pray that God will protect the brothers and sisters of CACW to pray and participate in the gospel work of local Muslims, and to support Ms. Hong's work. Recognizing that our mission is to spread the gospel throughout the world, the Muslim community is an important target of the gospel.
- We praise God for his might work in Uconn ministry and please continue to pray so that God will work to open the hearts of the students to know Jesus, and holy Spirit to move them to believe the true only God.
- 10. 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.
- 11. 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.





Chinese Alliance Church of Westchester

English Worship Service

July 31st, 2022, 11:30 a.m

Call to worship

The Lord reigns; let the peoples tremble! He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake! ² The Lord is great in Zion; he is exalted over all the peoples. ³ Let them praise your great and awesome name! Holy is he!

> GATHERING TOGETHER IN GOD's PRESENCE

- Call to Worship Psalm 99:1-3
- Praise and Worship in Song
- Pastoral Prayer
- Greeting One Another

> HEARING AND CELEBRATING GOD'S WORD

- Message (Re)Discovering Treasure (P Alan)
- Scripture Reading (Matthew 13:44-45)

> RESPONDING WITH THANKSGIVING

- Song of Response
- Prayer for Tithes and Offerings

> BEING SENT TO LOVE AND SERVE

- Community Life
- Benediction

Theme verse for July, 2022

Proverbs 27:17 As iron sharpens iron, so one person sharpens another.

Announcements

- 1. We welcome everyone to worship God with us this morning. May peace be with you and your family.
- 2. Pastor Pablo's last day with our church is today (Sunday 7/31). For anyone who may like to make a financial love offering to him, we encourage you to reach out to him directly.
- 3. Shimu Joyce returned to New York safely from the mission workshop in the middle of the night on 7/28. Thank you brothers and sisters for your concern and prayers. We thank God for his guidance and protection along the way. Shimu Joyce will self-isolate this Sunday and participate in online Sunday worship.
- 4. Mission: Deep Sea Vacation Bible Camp (VBC) is starting next Tuesday, 8/2-8/6 (Tue-Fri:7pm-9pm, Sat.: 9:30am-1:30pm with a free BBQ lunch). You can still register online at www.cacw.org/VBC2022. Masks will be optional; however, they are strongly encouraged for indoor activities. Please also pray for this awesome program!
- 5. Brothers and Sisters are encouraged to bring their family members, friends, and neighbors to church during the summer to participate in physical Sunday services. Come and worship God together. May God receive all the glory, and may the brothers, sisters and friends be filled with heavenly blessings and peace.
- 6. We continue to monitor the COVID situation with your health and safety in mind. The wearing of face masks in our services is now optional. If you should discover that you are COVID positive within 2 weeks of having attended any of our church gatherings, we ask you to please inform one of our pastors or Board members immediately. (We are glad to keep your name confidential, but want to take appropriate measures on our end.) Please stay home if you show the slightest of symptoms.
- 7. Prayer Gathering: 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.

Fellowship & Sunday School

English Adult Sunday School Please join us every Sun at 10am in person or via Zoom. Contact: <u>janewc@gmail.com</u>

English Bible Study Fellowship The Friday Night English Bible Study is doing a ten session study based on John 3:16. Join us and re-discover this verse often called the "mini-gospel." Friday @7:45pm in person at church or via Zoom. Contact cacwbiblestudy@gmail.com