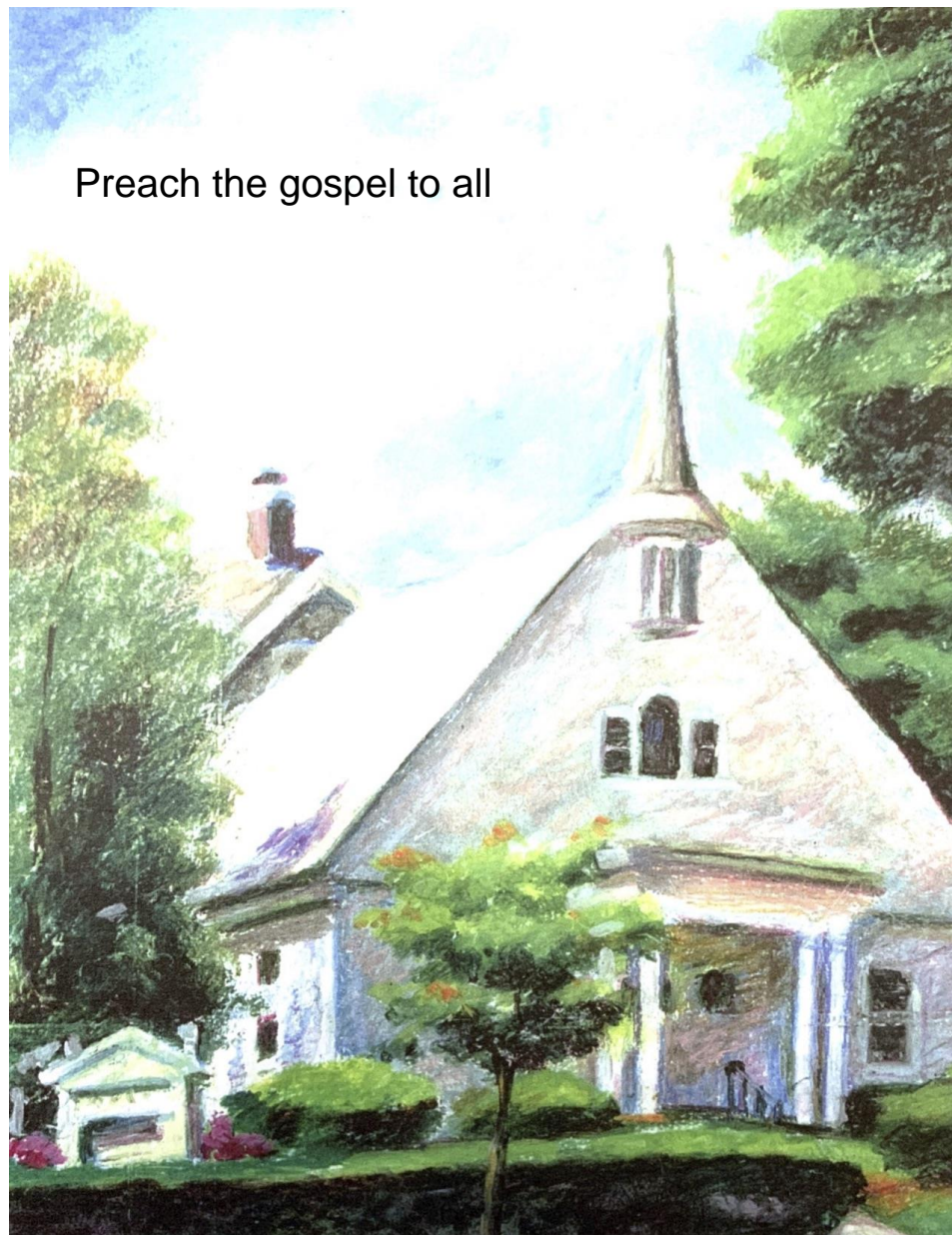


Prayer Items

1. Happy New Year! Please pray that God will renew our church family, and help us to encourage families, friends and neighbors who don't come often to visit our church. May God grow us together more and more into the image of Christ
2. Praise God that Pastor Pablo and Kim have welcomed their new son, Judah, into the world! Pray for Kim's recovery, and for health for mother and baby. Pray also for Leilani as she adjusts to her role as a big sister.
3. Please pray for our pastors, Governing Board, and various leaders -- for wisdom and discernment in 2023, along with all the gifts needed to lead our church faithfully and well.
4. Joyce Shimu left for Taiwan on Jan 3 to care for her elderly mother who is now home from the hospital. Joyce's family has arranged 24 hour care for their mom. Her mom is getting weaker & can only move her body using the electric bed. Please pray that she will be able to drink & eat enough pureed food everyday. Please pray for healing on her body. Pray also that she will have clarity of mind to be baptized in the name of Jesus. Please pray for God to keep Joyce healthy.
5. Please pray for our Youth Ministry -- both for the search team seeking our next Youth Minister, and also for the youth and leaders right now. Pray for wisdom, joy and strength for the group as they grow closer to one another and to Jesus.
6. 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.
7. Please pray for the team who will be leading the restart of our JAM ("Jesus And Me") program for young kids on Friday afternoons. Pray also that the students who attend (and their families) will come to grow closer to the Lord through this ministry.
8. Please continue to pray for our food pantry. We're thankful that this ministry is continuing successful, and especially grateful for new workers and helpers. Please pray as we continue to prayerfully plan the best ways to move forward with this means of showing Jesus' love to our local Port Chester community. Pray for wisdom, creativity, and strength for leaders and helpers.
9. Pray for children and youth of all ages in the church. 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.
10. 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.
11. 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.
12. 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, and Bob and Molly and their family, and Pastor Ed Stuart and his work with SALT (Support and Leadership Training).

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English Worship Service

January 8th, 2023, 11:30 a.m

Isaiah 43:18-19

¹⁸ "Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past.¹⁹ See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland.

➤ GATHERING TOGETHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

- ❖ Call to Worship (Isaiah 43:18-19)
- ❖ Praise and Worship in Song
- ❖ Pastoral Prayer
- ❖ Greeting One Another

➤ HEARING AND CELEBRATING GOD'S WORD

- ❖ Message - **God's Will Be Done in this Chaotic World**
(Dr. Theophilus)
- ❖ Scripture Reading (Eph 5:15-17, Rom 12:1-2)

➤ RESPONDING WITH THANKSGIVING

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

➤ BEING SENT TO LOVE AND SERVE

- ❖ Community Life
- ❖ Benediction

Theme verse for January, 2023

Ephesians 3:10

His intent was that now, through the church, the manifold wisdom of God should be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly realms,

Announcements

1. We are so glad to have you with us for our 2023 worship. May God bless you and your family today and throughout the coming year!
2. We welcome Dr Theophilus and Mrs Theophilus back to CACW! Dr Theophilus will preach at both Chinese and English services today. Dr Theophilus was one of our church's founding pastors and served together with Mrs Theophilus at CACW for many years. We thank them for their hard and great work. May God keep them and establish the works of their hands, may they continue to glorify His name and benefit others.
3. The new year theme for CACW is "Preach the gospel to all" (Mk 16:15). Please pray that brothers and sisters will work hard together to follow Jesus' great commission to spread the gospel diligently.
4. We will install the 2023 governing board members next Sun Jan 15 at each of the two services. We invite brothers and sisters to join us in person and together pray for and bless the board members.
5. As we begin the New Year, brothers and sisters are encouraged to invite friends to church to worship God and to learn more about new life in Jesus.
6. We will resume lunch service today (Jan 8). We invite you to join us and fellowship over lunch. Dr Theophilus and Mrs Theophilus will stay as well.
7. This year's Lunar New Year Gospel event will be held on Feb 25 (Sat) at 7pm. Speaker Pastor Peng Chaoyang from Ambassador for Christ will present "The River of Living Water". Please pray for the preparation of this event and begin inviting gospel friends in your circles to join us. There will be a pot luck dinner at 5:30pm. We will also hold 4 Sat morning prayer calls beginning Jan 28. Zoom details will be circulated via emails.
8. Call for brothers and sisters to come and serve the Lord in 2023. Please sign up at the lobby for altar flowers dedication, greeters of Chinese Sunday Services, or Lunch kitchen service.
9. Alliance Bible School (ABS) of Central and South America uses Chinese and Spanish to train pastors, church planters, missionaries in the Central and South America. ABS is headed by our founding pastor Rev Theophilus. ABS urgently needs \$50k to repair the roof and other parts. In addition, facility maintenance, Spanish study program and scholarships needs another \$50k. Please contribute as the Lord leads you.
10. Pastoral Talk: Pastor Lee can meet with brothers and sisters and pray for personal spiritual life, work and life on Wednesdays from 10:30 to 12:00 am. Brothers and sisters are welcome to make an appointment and chat with the pastor.

Church Prayer, Fellowship & Sunday School

Church Prayer Meeting: every Wed at 8pm via Zoom. There's great power in Corporate prayers and it's easy to join! Contact your pastor for Zoom details.

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

English Bible Study Fellowship The Friday Night English Bible Study Fellowship will begin studying the book of Titus. Join us in person at church or via zoom at 7:45pm every Friday. Contact cacwbiblestudy@gmail.com

Saturday Youth Fellowship: Junior or Senior High school students. Every Sat at 7pm at church. Contact: sister Ruth @ ruthwchan@gmail.com