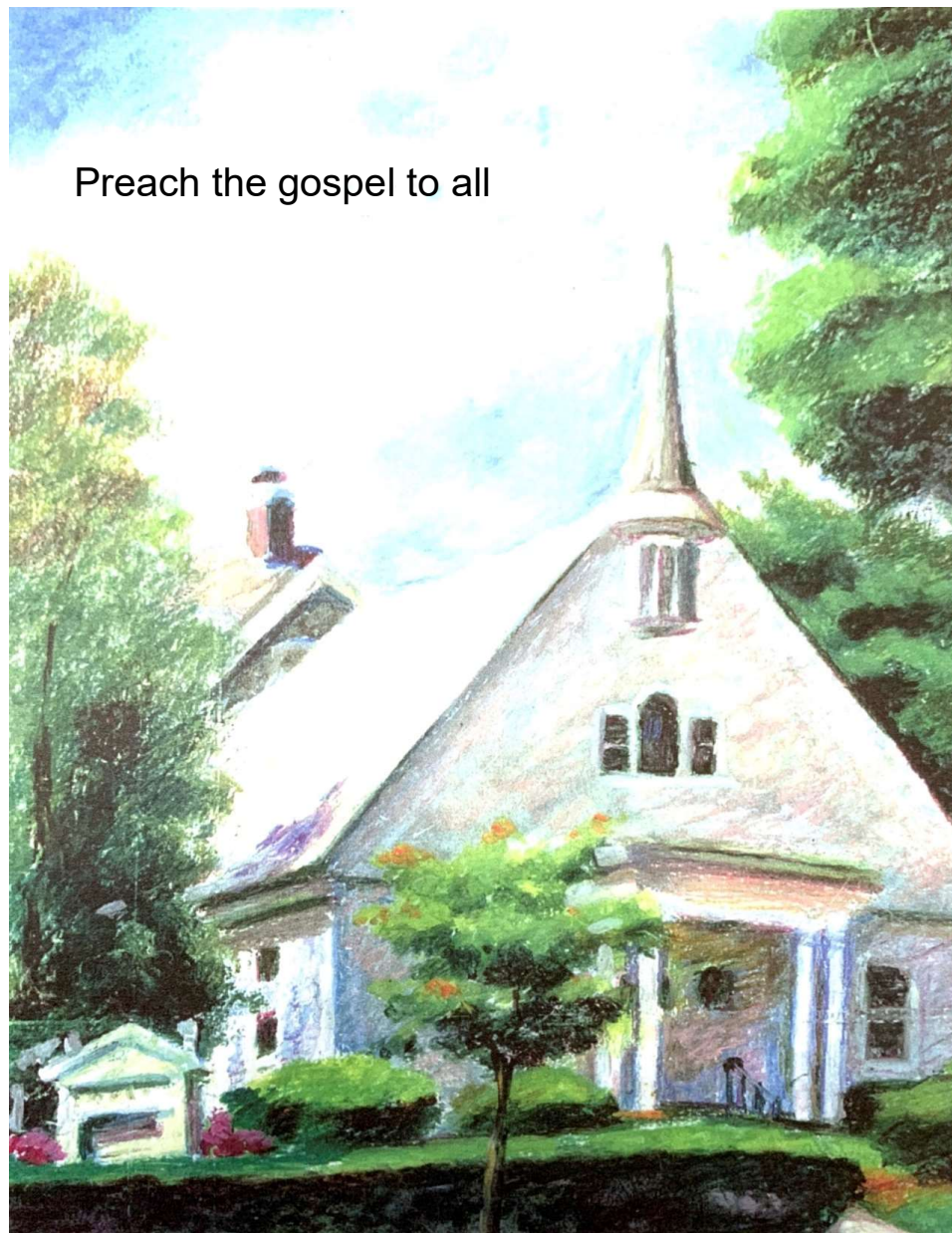


## Prayer Items

1. We continue to praise God for our recent Vacation Bible Camp. Please keep the children who attended, along with their parents, in prayer. May God indeed shine the light of Jesus in each heart!
2. Please pray that many friends and neighbors around you will come to the church to know God during the summer, and they will be able to receive the blessings bestowed by God. Dear the brothers and sisters, please actively invite them and receive joy and fulfillment from God.
3. Please continue to pray for the students, faculty and staff affected by the shutdown of Alliance University. Pray for God to lead, guide and encourage each one of them, and to provide for all their needs.
4. Please pray for families who will be traveling and vacationing this Summer -- pray for safety, refreshment, and also for the ability to stay well connected to the Lord and aware of his presence and his goodness!
5. Please continue to pray for our Youth Minister search -- that God will lead exactly the right candidate to our church, at just the right time.
6. Come and attend the church-wide Wednesday night prayer meeting. God listens to people's prayers and, through the intercession of the saints, bestows grace upon the church and those in need. You are welcome to join the prayer meeting together and receive blessings through grace." Ask your pastor for Zoom connect info.
7. Please pray that brothers and sisters will have the desire to study God's words, that they not only have regular devotional time but also intimate time with God, that they'd be able to use their gifts to serve God, to benefit others and to glorify our King!
8. 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.
9. Pray especially for students who are going to start their summer break in the coming days -- pray for God's help and peace, and have a good rest.
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 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).

Preach the gospel to all



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English Worship

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11:30 AM

# Chinese Alliance Church of Westchester

## English Worship Service

August 13th, 2023, 11:30 a.m

Psalm 66:1-4

1 Shout for joy to God, all the earth! 2 Sing the glory of his name; make his praise glorious. 3 Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! So great is your power that your enemies cringe before you. 4 All the earth bows down to you; they sing praise to you, they sing the praises of your name."

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### ➤ GATHERING TOGETHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

- ❖ Call to Worship (Psalm 66:1-4)
- ❖ Praise and Worship in Song
- ❖ Pastoral Prayer
- ❖ Greeting One Another

### ➤ HEARING AND CELEBRATING GOD'S WORD

- ❖ Responsive Reading ()
- ❖ Message - **Do Not Be Anxious** (Keith Loo)
- ❖ Scripture Reading (Mark 6:24-34)

### ➤ RESPONDING WITH THANKSGIVING

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

### ➤ BEING SENT TO LOVE AND SERVE

- ❖ Community Life
- ❖ Benediction

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### Theme verse for August, 2023

James 1:22

Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says.

## Announcements

1. We welcome everyone to worship God with us this morning. May peace be with you and your family.
2. We are so glad to have you join us for today's worship... May God bless you and your family.
3. During the summer (July-August), we welcome you to invite your family, friends, and visiting friends to participate in the church's Sunday worship and fellowship activities.
4. This year's Gospel Camp at Harvey Cedars will be held on September 1 - 4. The theme is "Gift of True Love" and the key speaker include Brothehr Mark Yu and Elder Peter Liu. We have invited friends from UConn and Gospel Class to attend. Please invite friends to attend and pray for them. Please email Brother Hong Guo at guo\_hong@hotmail.com to register. There is no English session this year. Recommended registration fee is \$240 per Christian and free for gospel friends, with food and board included. Special offers to support a gospel friend are welcome.
5. Brothers and sisters are welcome to join the Wednesday prayer meeting. The prayers of the saints are powerful, pleasing to God, and effective. All are welcome to attend, starting at 8pm. Online information on prayer meetings can be obtained from the pastor.
6. The English Bible Study (Fridays at 7:45pm) has begun working through a new video series: "The Deeply Formed Llife" by Rich Villodas. Please contact Pastor Alan for information.
7. CACW will not offer lunch in July and August. We will resume the lunch program after the Labor Day weekend. If any fellowship group would like to bring their own food during the summer months, please let Peggy Chen know in advance, she will help you to move forward. Thank you.
8. After the Chinese worship service this Sunday, from 11:45 AM to 12:45 PM, there will be a workshop on "Marriage Enrichment for Couples," which will take place in the fellowship hall downstairs. We have extended a special invitation to colleagues from the Church of Joyful Melodies to lead this workshop, and everyone is welcome to stay and participate. Lunch will be provided. Additionally, please pay attention to the "Marriage Enrichment Retreat" course organized by the International Family Renewal Association. For more information, visit <https://www.cffc.org>.
9. Joyce Shimu will share the Word of God in the Chinese service next Sunday, Aug 20. Stephen Li will preach in the English service.

## Fellowship & Sunday School

**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 a study in the book of Proverbs. Join us in person at church or via zoom at 7:45pm. 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](mailto:ruthwchan@gmail.com)