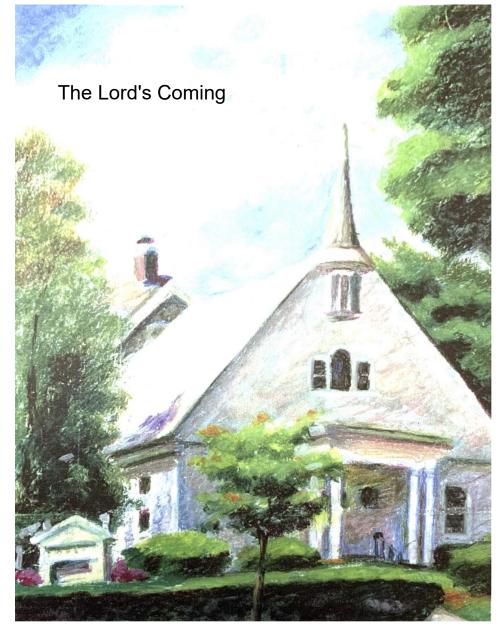
Prayer Items

- Pastor Lee and Joyce Shimu spoke at the East Region Pastors' Meeting of US Chinese Churches Association (CCA) in Flushing on Monday, September 8th. They were invited to share their short-term mission work in the Middle East. Praise God that they had a safe trip and great sharing.
- Beginning in September, the various fellowships of the church will begin meeting. Please pray for good gathering of each fellowship, for mutual love, and for the Lord's grace to be with them!
- Please continue to pray for those who have decided to accept Jesus Christ at the East Coast Gospel Camp (at Harvey Cedars)! Thank the Lord for opening their hearts and accepting Jesus Christ as their Savior. May all the glory be to God!
- 4. Please pray for sons and daughters of families among us who are struggling in various ways. Pray for God's help, strength, and wisdom--both for these precious young people and also for their parents as they discern how best to come alongside their children.
- Please pray for college students returning to school--that God will give them peace and joy as they transition back onto their campuses, and that the will be encouraged in their relationship with Jesus during the semester.
- 6. Our church's 2025 annual theme is "The Lord's Coming" (Titus 2:13). Please pray that God will renew our hope in Christ alone!
- Please pray for those among us who are struggling with illness and physical challenges -- including those whose allergies this time of year make each day challenging.
- 8. Please continue to pray for our search for an Associate Pastor (who will focus largely on the Youth ministry). Pray especially for the Pastoral Search Committee and its work, as they "reboot" the search process.
- Please pray that brothers and sisters will invite new friends to church to attend Sunday worship.and bring others to hear the gospel so that they might come to know the truth, and experience rebirth and salvation. Please pray for the salvation of new friends!
- 10. Please pray for the church's fellowships. Some groups, such as the Sisters' Fellowship and Rock Fellowship, have daily Bible reading. Through reading the Bible together, may brothers and sisters be led to draw closer to God and become more involved in caring ministries. Also, pray for the evangelism efforts of the groups, asking God to bring new friends to each group. During this joyful season, may we invite more people to join in fellowship activities.
- 11. Please pray that brothers and sisters will have the desire to study God's Word, and that they will not only have regular devotional time, but also intimate time with God. Pray also that the Lord would equip and encourage them, so that they might use their gifts to serve God, to benefit others and to glorify our King!
- 12. 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.
- 13. Please pray for all the various missionaries and missions endeavors we support, including the UConn outreach, Pastor Rebecca Mao and COCM in England/Europe, and Pastor Ed Stuart and his work with SALT (Support and Leadership Training). Please pray especially for Pastor Achara -- not only for her

ministry with the Pakping Church and Christian School in Khaolak, Thailand -- but also for her health.





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Chinese Alliance Church of Westchester English Worship Service

September 14th, 2025, 11:30 a.m

Psalm 95:1-2

¹ Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord; let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.² Let us come before him with thanksgiving and extol him with music and song.

> GATHERING TOGETHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

- Call to Worship (Psalm 95:1-2)
- Praise and Worship in Song
- Pastoral Prayer
- Greeting One Another

> HEARING AND CELEBRATING GOD'S WORD

- Message How to Love With An Impossible Love (Part 1) (Pastor Alan)
- ❖ Scripture Reading 1 Peter 1:22-2:3

RESPONDING WITH THANKSGIVING

- Song of Response
- Prayer for Tithes and Offerings

> BEING SENT TO LOVE AND SERVE

- Community Life
- Benediction

Theme verse for September, 2025

1 Peter 3:15

But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect,

Announcements

- 1. We are so glad that you have joined us for today's worship. God's blessing on you and your family!
- 2. Thank you for your participation in the Nominating Committee Vote via Election Buddy. We are pleased to announce that both 杨峰 Feng Yang and 邱武傑 Peter Khoo have been confirmed by the vote and will serve on the Nominating Committee. The committee will start immediately to work on nominations to fill the outgoing Governing Board roles. Additionally, as always, official members of CACW may nominate potential candidates for particular roles on the 2026 Board. If you are an official member, keep your eye on your email inbox for instructions on how to submit a potential candidate.
- 3. Senior fellowship September 19th, 5:00-7:30 PM, in the church basement. Welcome those aged 70+ and invite friends to join us for a family-gathering meal.
- 4. Pastor Lee and Joyce Shimu, along with over 20 brothers and sisters, will participate in the "Paul's Journey and Revelation" tour of Turkey from 9/27 to 10/10. The itinerary will retrace the steps of Paul, visiting the early church and the seven churches mentioned in Revelation. May everyone witness God's mighty works and experience spiritual growth and renewal.
- 5. The new season of the Chinese Adult Sunday School is studying the Old Testament book of Daniel, led by Pastor Lee. The class will be held every Sunday at 11:40 AM, following the Chinese worship service, in the Fellowship Hall downstairs. The class schedule will be posted on the bulletin board at the entrance. We warmly welcome all brothers and sisters to join us in studying God's Word and growing in our knowledge and relationship with Him.
- 6. Lunch will be provided today after the Chinese and English worship. Everyone is welcome to stay and enjoy a time of food and fellowship!
- 7. Everyone is welcome to join a fellowship group, to live a godly life, study the Bible together and live out the teachings of the Bible!
- The English Bible Study meets on Friday evenings at 7:45PM. All are welcome to join for our new study in the Book of Mark. We gather in the basement of the church, and are also available online for those who cannot attend in person. For more information contact Jim Anderson.
- 9. You are welcome to invite your visiting friends to attend the church's Sunday worship and other related activities. May God bless you and your family with joy and peace!
- 10. Encourage brothers and sisters to participate in a Bible reading plan -- especially as we launch this new year! Read the Bible daily, pray, recite the scriptures continuously, and keep the word of God in their hearts, so that it will become a daily strength.
- 11. 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 8:30pm for English (except first Wed of the month when it starts at 8pm). Online information on prayer meetings can be obtained from the pastor.
- 12. We sincerely invite brothers and sisters to serve in various ways to support our Sunday gatherings. The 20'25 signup sheet is posted in the lobby. Please sign up to become a greeter at Chinese Services, for altar flowers, or for lunch helpers.
- 13. Pastor Lee will share the Word of God in the Chinese service next Sunday, Sep 21. Pastor Julia Ri will preach in the English service.

Church Prayer, Fellowship & Sunday School

Church Prayer Meeting 1st Wed at 8pm combined with Chinese congregation, all other Weds at 8:30pm via Zoom. There's great power in Corporate prayers and it's easy to join! Contact Pastor Alan for Zoom details.

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

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

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