

Prayer Items

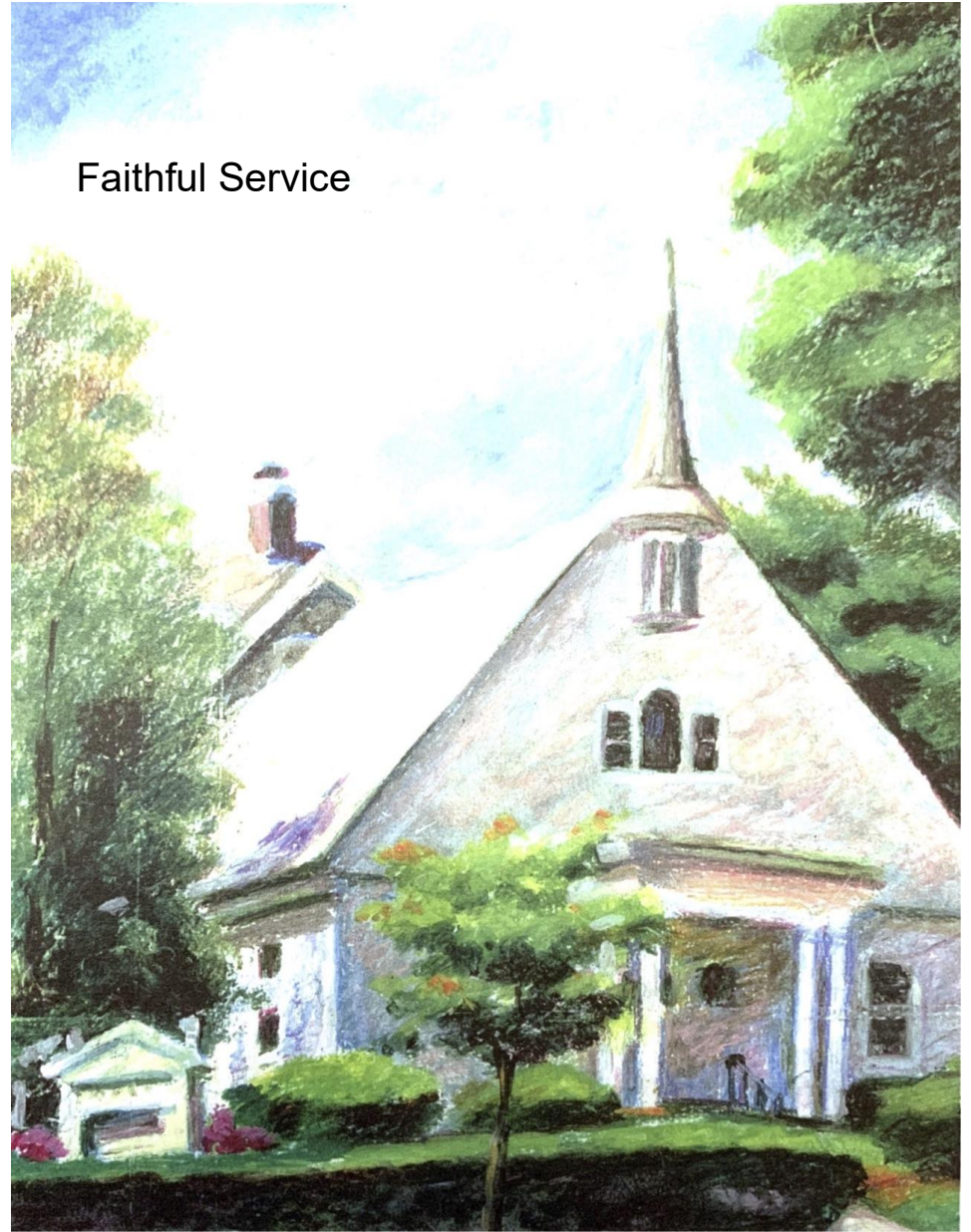
1. Pray for God's mercy and help for people throughout the world who are suffering on account of conflicts between nations.
2. Please pray for God's love to be known to more and more people, and for His blessings to be upon those who love Him. Even though there may be hardships, God will surely grant us grace! His love and faithfulness will endure forever.
3. Pray for the many people affected by the war(s) in the Middle East , as well as between Russia and Ukraine. Pray for God's mercy on those who suffer so intensely from war.
4. Pray for the tension and conflicts here in our country. Pray for God's mercy, peace and justice to be shown.
5. Please pray for our Pastoral Search Committee as it continues the search for a candidate for an Associate Pastor who will focus largely on the Youth in our church. God grant them refreshing, encouragement, creativity and help in their task.
6. 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.
7. 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!
8. 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.
9. 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!
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 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.

Today's Scripture Reading: Matthew 21:1-11 (NRSV). ESV

¹⁶Rejoice always, ¹⁷pray without ceasing, ¹⁸give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

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Faithful Service



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English Worship

11:30 AM

**Chinese Alliance Church of Westchester
English Worship Service**

March 29th, 2026, 11:30 a.m

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➤ **GATHERING TOGETHER IN GOD’S PRESENCE**

- ❖ Call to Worship ()
- ❖ Praise and Worship in Song
- ❖ Pastoral Prayer
- ❖ Greeting One Another

➤ **HEARING AND CELEBRATING GOD’S WORD**

- ❖ Message - **Why We Need a King** (Calvin Chan)
- ❖ Scripture Reading (Matthew 21:1-11 (NRSV).)

➤ **RESPONDING WITH THANKSGIVING**

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

➤ **BEING SENT TO LOVE AND SERVE**

- ❖ Community Life
- ❖ Benediction

Theme verse for March, 2026

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

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Announcements

1. We are so glad that you have joined us for today's worship Service. God's blessing on you and your family.
2. Everyone is warmly welcome to join our Wednesday evening prayer meetings via Zoom. The prayers of the saints are powerful, pleasing to God, and effective. The Chinese group meets at 8:00PM, and the English starts at 8:30PM (except the first week of each month, when the two groups begin by briefly meeting together at 8pm). Online information on prayer meetings can be obtained from the pastor.
3. We warmly invite brothers and sisters to participate in serving. For the English congregation, please speak to Pastor Alan or another leader. For the Chinese congregation, the sign-up sheet for first-half-of-the-year Sunday volunteer service is posted in the lobby. Please consider signing up to serve the Chinese congregation as a greeter, with altar flowers, or in lunch service (preparing tea and rice, distributing lunch, and cleaning up).
4. The Easter Egg Hunt for kids from Nursery through 5th grade will take place right after the Combined Easter Sunday Service on 4/5. Children and parents will first meet outside the church for instructions and then collect the eggs. You can bring your own basket, but the church will provide special cellophane bags for the children. We will also have a special program for children on that Sunday.
5. Many of us enjoyed a wonderful, enriching time--and good food!--at last night's special "A Place at the Table" event with Dr. Bryan Widbin. We're thankful not only for Dr. Widbin's ministry, but also to the helpers who made the event possible!
6. Please plan on attending our special Holy Week events! We'll gather on Good Friday (4/3) at 7:45pm to walk through the tender, beautiful story of Jesus' journey to the cross on our behalf. Through Scripture and song we'll open our hearts to God's great love for us. Then we'll regather at 10:00AM for a combined Chinese/English Easter Sunday service. You won't want to miss these deeply important times of worship!
7. There is a Chinese Sunday school today on the book of Ecclesiastes; all brothers and sisters are welcome to attend.
8. The 2026 annual theme is "Faithful Service" (1 Timothy 1:12). May the church, through this theme, serve together in unity and faithfulness as we wait for the Lord's return!
9. Praise the Lord! Three people have confirmed joining the Middle East STM trip (9/22-10/3 "schedule change"), and six people have confirmed joining the Thailand STM strip (4/4-4/14). CACW members are welcome to join these trips. Registration is closed. Please pray for these two trips and pray for the brothers and sisters going. The estimated cost is \$2300 per person for the Middle East STM trip , and \$2000 per person for the Thailand STM trip. The cost will be shared by CACW, team members, and special fund raising. If you feel led in prayer, please consider donating to support these two STM trips. Please note "STM 2026" when making a donation.
10. 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!

11. The English Bible Study meets Friday evenings at 7:45PM. All are welcome to join as we study the Book of Ecclesiastes. We gather in the basement of the church, and also online for those who cannot attend in person. For more information contact Jim Anderson.
12. Encourage brothers and sisters to participate in a yearly Bible reading plan. 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.

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