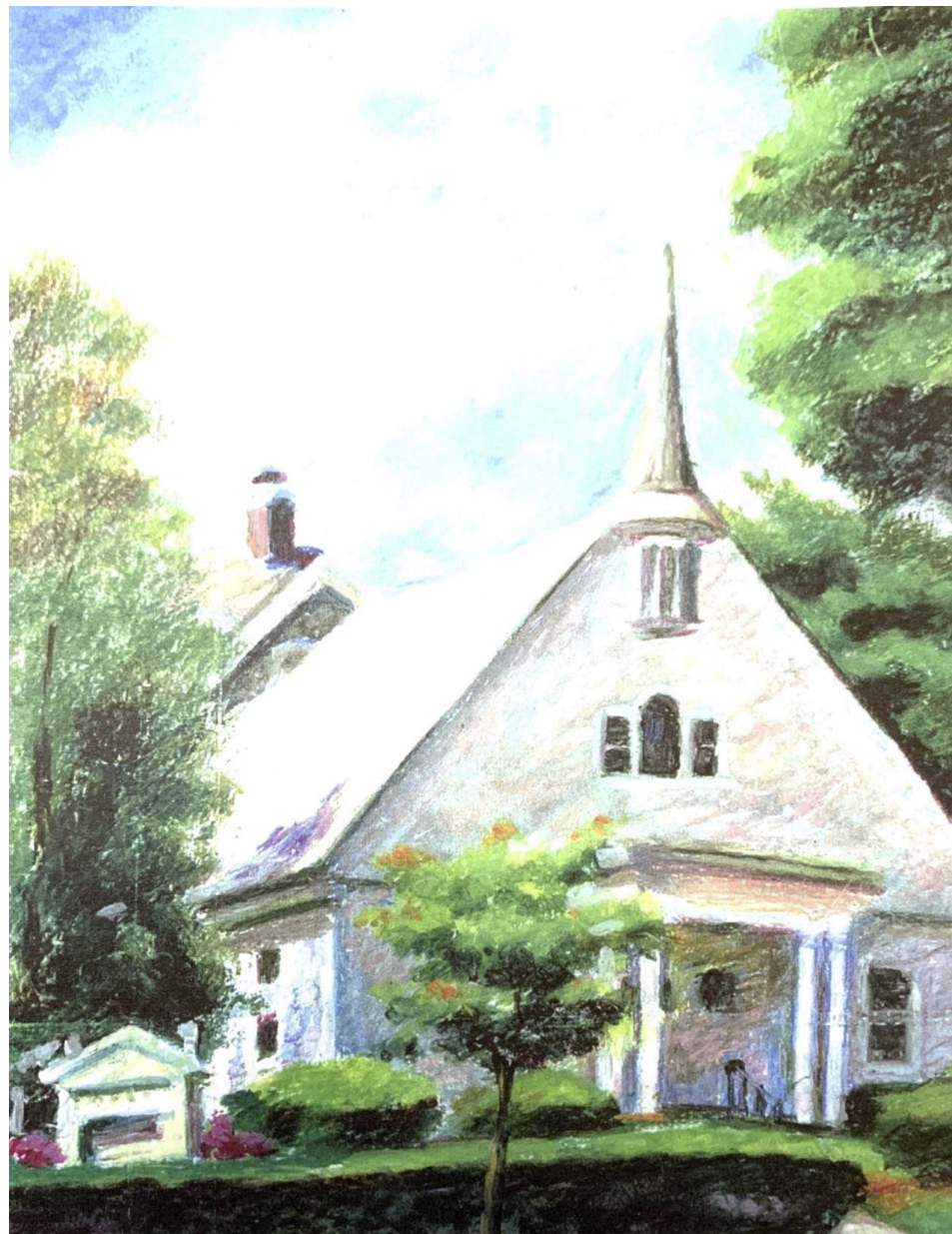


## Prayer Items

1. Pray that God will continue to enliven our hearts and our church through the work of his Holy Spirit, and that not only we--but many others--will come to know Jesus in a fuller and deeper way!
2. We praise God for the failure of the assassination attempt against former President Trump. Please pray for the peace of God to counteract ungodly divisiveness, hostility and divisiveness in our country's political proceedings.
3. Pray for God's mercy regarding conflict and violence throughout the world--including, of course, the conflict between Israel and Hamas -- for those held hostage, for families in anguish, for political leaders, and for peace.
4. Pray for our pastoral search, now that we have "rebranded" the position as "Associate Pastor." Pray we will find just the right candidate: someone with passion and skill for youth ministry, as well as the ability to serve our church and its outreach in a variety of ways.
5. Please pray for our pastors, Governing Board and all coworkers as we move into the Summer months. Pray for a fresh ear to hear God's leading, courage and readiness for change, and unity as we work together to serve God. May his loving, Kingdom purposes be at the center of all we do!
6. May God bless us and our church abundantly in the New Year that more people will come to the church, more brothers and sisters will experience spiritual renewal, more people will engage in church ministries, more missionary work will be done, and God's Word will prosper and spread even more.
7. 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 them safe and healthy, and help them adjust to the demands of school surrounded by God's grace.
8. Please pray for our Youth Group as it transitions into its Summer schedule. Pray that the hearts of our young people might grow in faith, and that leaders will be refreshed in their energy and creativity.
9. 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.
10. 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!
11. 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.
12. 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 Bob and Molly and their family, 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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English Worship

11:30 AM

# Chinese Alliance Church of Westchester

## English Worship Service

July 21st, 2024, 11:30 a.m

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Psalm 9:1-2

<sup>1</sup> I will give thanks to you, Lord, with all my heart; I will tell of all your wonderful deeds.<sup>2</sup> I will be glad and rejoice in you; I will sing the praises of your name, O Most High.

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### ➤ GATHERING TOGETHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

- ❖ Call to Worship (Psalm 9:1-2)
- ❖ Praise and Worship in Song
- ❖ Pastoral Prayer
- ❖ Greeting One Another

### ➤ HEARING AND CELEBRATING GOD'S WORD

- ❖ Message - **The End of God's Mercy** (Pastor Alan)
- ❖ Scripture Reading (Matthew 7:13-14, 21-17)

### ➤ 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 July, 2024

Galatians 6:2

Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ.

## Announcements

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1. We welcome everyone to worship God with us this morning. May peace be with you and your family.
2. During the summer, you are welcome to invite your family, neighbors, and visiting friends to attend the church's Sunday worship and other related activities. May God bless you and your family with joy and peace!
3. This year our church's VBC (Vacation Bible Camp) will be held from 7/30-8/3. Brothers and sisters are welcome to bring their children (3-12) to participate, and also to encourage neighbors and friends to register their kids. This year's theme is "Scuba Diving into friendship with God." There will be lots of fun activities and explorations.
4. "2024 Married Couple Camp" will be held from 08/31 to 09/02 in Edison, New Jersey. We cordially invite everyone to participate.
5. For the safety and security of everyone who attends our church services and events, we have upgraded CACW's security system. Please be aware that cameras are directed towards the parking lot and other exterior areas of our property, and that recordings are being made. (We're thankful to Thomas Chin and others who helped set up this new and improved system!)
6. In order to enable activities for our Vacation Bible Camp, a temporary power cable has been run from the parsonage to the "garage" (the building across the parking lot from the parsonage). If you use our parking lot, please take care to avoid stepping on or driving over the PVC tubing through which the cable runs. Thanks very much for your cooperation!
7. Northeast Gospel Camp will be held 8/30 - 9/2 at Harvey Cedar, New Jersey. There is no English main session, but there are English group discussions. Please pray for this and invite Chinese speaking gospel friends to attend. Contribution to help gospel friends to attend free is welcome, if you feel touched.
8. VBC is around the corner! We need your hands and feet to be God's hands and feet to them. Please come and help decorate and to be part of the outreach to community! Dates are Sunday July 21st 2-5pm, Friday July 26th TBD, Saturday July 27th TBD. Please email liannekhoo@yahoo.com or text 203-621-4342 if you are available to come help.
9. Announcement: Free Luncheon and VBS Decoration Support: To support our Vacation Bible School (VBS) and the decoration crew, today's luncheon will feature free pizza, soda, and salad. Please join us for a time of great fellowship and to lend a hand in preparing for VBS.
10. Our church Food Pantry ministry is looking for volunteers to assist in picking up food from Ridgeway Alliance Church on the first and third Friday of each month at 11am. Please contact Charles Wang or Thomas Chin.
11. Thank You for your participation in the election process to nominate "Feng Tao (Clara Feng) and Ruth Chan to the Nominating Committee. We are pleased to inform you that both have been confirmed.
12. 2024 church financials ( January through May) have been posted on the bulletin board in the copy room. May income was \$26.4K and expense \$26.1 resulting in a small surplus of \$398. YTD May income was \$162.3K and expense \$130.4K, resulting in a surplus of \$31.9K. The overall expense was still very light but it is typical for this time of the year. In addition, year-to-date Great Commission Fund collection amounted to \$4,970K. May the Lord bless cheerful givers.
13. 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.