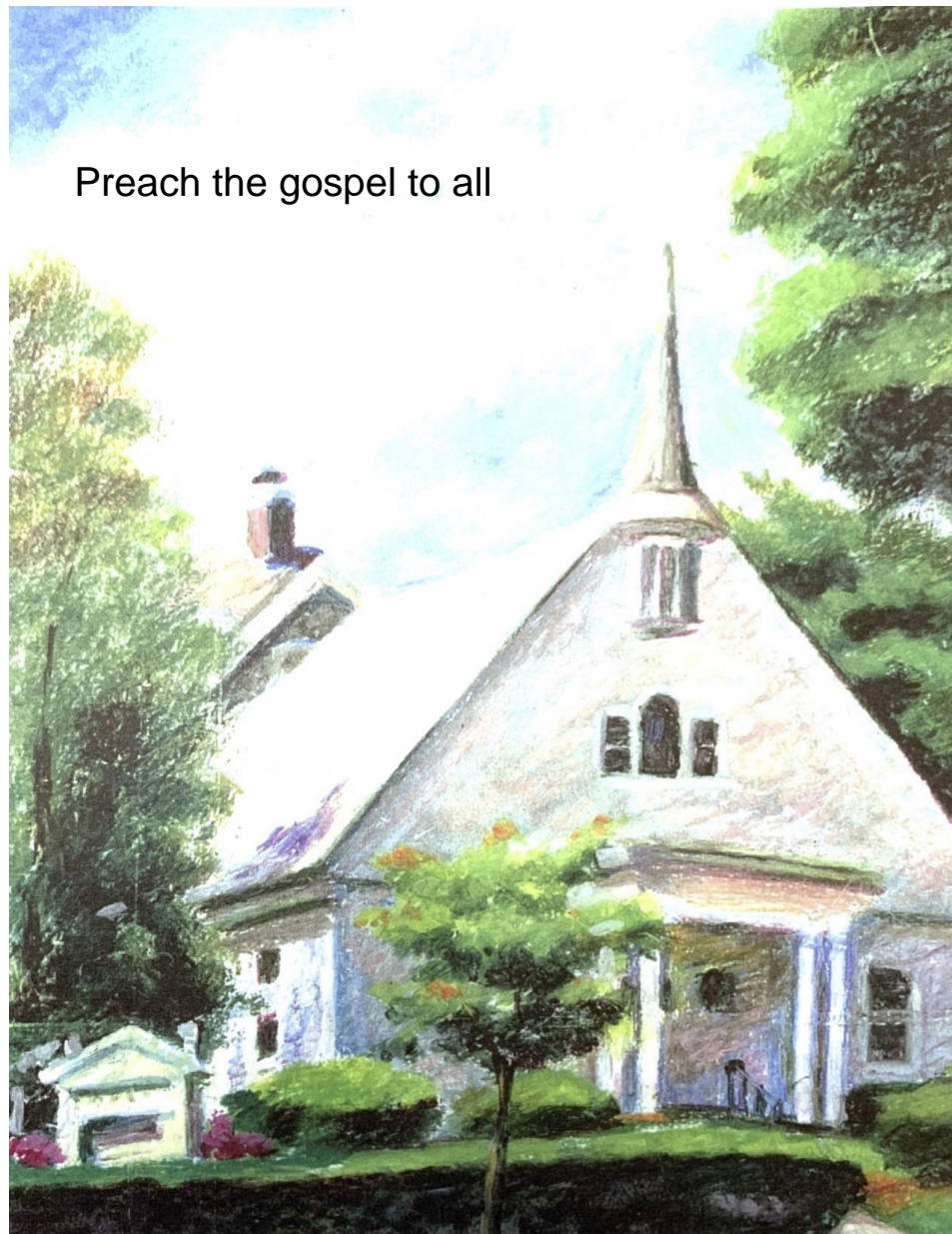


Prayer Items

1. Please pray for our church's participation in the Asian-American Heritage Celebration on Saturday, June 3. Pray for the weather, the preparations, for helpers, and most of all that we will connect well with the many people who will attend the festival.
2. Please pray for the preparation of our annual church picnic, for the weather, the messages to be shared by guest speakers, the food and the fellowship time.
3. Please pray for the upcoming Vacation Bible Camp (VBC) from Aug 1 - 5. Please intercede for the planning coworkers. May God send them all the help they need. May God prepare the hearts of all those who'd be attending so that they will encounter Christ.
4. 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.
5. Please pray for members of our church community who are struggling with illness and pain. Pray also for those who are attending to family and loved ones who sick. God's strength, mercy and healing!
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. 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.
10. 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

11:30 AM

Chinese Alliance Church of Westchester English Worship Service

May 28th, 2023, 11:30 a.m

Ezekiel 36:26-28

²⁶ I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh.²⁷ And I will put my Spirit in you and move you to follow my decrees and be careful to keep my laws.²⁸ Then you will live in the land I gave your ancestors; you will be my people, and I will be your God.

➤ GATHERING TOGETHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

- ❖ Call to Worship (Ezekiel 36:26-28)
- ❖ Praise and Worship in Song
- ❖ Pastoral Prayer
- ❖ Greeting One Another

➤ HEARING AND CELEBRATING GOD'S WORD

- ❖ Message - **When the Spirit Comes** (Pastor Alan)
- ❖ Scripture Reading (Acts 2:1-41)

➤ RESPONDING WITH THANKSGIVING

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

➤ BEING SENT TO LOVE AND SERVE

- ❖ Community Life
- ❖ Benediction

Theme verse for May, 2023

Psalm 143:5

I remember the days of long ago; I meditate on all your works and consider what your hands have done.

Announcements

1. We welcome everyone to worship God with us this morning. May peace be with you and your family.
2. This weekend is the Memorial Day long weekend holiday. May the brothers, sisters and families who travel and visit relatives go safely and enjoy the weekend.
3. This year's 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. The 2023 Asian Cultural Festival will be held on Saturday, 6/3, from 12:00 noon to 6:00 pm, at the Kensico Dam Square in Westchester County. Brothers and sisters are welcome to invite family, friends, and neighbors to join us. The church will have booths, special events and displays.
5. Our Annual Report Meeting will be held on Sunday 6/11 at 3:00PM (via Zoom). Prior to the meeting we will distribute the 2022 Annual Report for members' review. We look forward to a time of reviewing what God did in our midst last year, and anticipating what he has in store!
6. Save the date! Our annual picnic will be on Saturday 6/17 at the Holmes Retreat Center. Invite your family and friends for wonderful opportunity for fellowship and encouragement.
7. This year's New York Summer Conference will be held at St. Elizabeth University in New Jersey from July 1st to 4th in Morristown, NJ. The theme of the conference: Call and Mission in the post-epidemic era. The school does not provide dormitories this year, so students are responsible for their own accommodations. There are many hotels near the school to choose from. The registration fee is US\$100 (including meals) regardless of adult or child. Please register online. Brothers and sisters are welcome to sign up for this annual special gathering. Brothers and sisters who participated, please inform Brother Peter Khoo or Pastor Lee.
8. Youth who are in Junior High or High School are warmly welcome to our 10:00AM Youth Sunday School! After brief gathering and fellowship times, we enjoy an interesting Bible-themed lesson. Please come and join us as we have fun, learn, and grow together!
9. The Friday night English Bible Study continues its study in the book of Proverbs. All are welcome! The group meets in person, and also has online access. Please contact Jim Anderson or Pastor Alan for details.
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: 1st Wed at 8pm, 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: janewc@gmail.com

English Bible Study Fellowship The Friday Night English Bible Study Fellowship will begin studying the book of Proverbs. 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