

# | SERVICE |

#### WORSHIP IN PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP Gerry Thompson

WORSHIP SONGS & PRAYER Moses Lam and others

(Pianist: Steven Meakim)

#### WORSHIP IN CONFESSION

MEDITATIVE PRAYER Congregation

PRAYER Gerry Thompson

SCRIPTURE READING (Revelation 2:1-7)

Gerry Thompson

### **WORSHIP IN HEARING GOD'S WORD**

MESSAGE – **Encountering God in Revelation 2** Dr. Emanuel

(Revelation 2:1-7)

#### WORSHIP IN OFFERING AND CARE

RESPONSIVE SONG Congregation

PRAYER OF BLESSINGS FOR OFFERING Gerry Thompson

WELCOMING and ANNOUNCEMENTS Gerry Thompson

### **GLORY TO GOD**

DOXOLOGY Congregation

BENEDICTION Dr. Emanuel

# | THIS WEEK'S COWORKERS |

USHER: Lauren and Kenny Chan; AUDIO/PC: Dustin Vanstee; VIDEO: Andrew Tsang; LUNCH: Gao Qin, Wen Han, Judy Johnson, Xiaoyun Sun, Guoying Fan; BULLETIN: Ken Yao; CLEANING: Group 3 (Ming Ng)

## | ANNOUNCEMENT |

- 1. We thank God for Elder Phillip Su & Dr. Emanuel to share God's word with us today. Next Sunday's speakers: Brother Michael Chen (CM), Dr. David Emanuel (EM).
- 2. There will be a deacon meeting on 10/15, Monday at 7:30 pm at ministry house. The deacon meetings is open to congregation and would like to invite coworkers to observe. If you have any suggestions for church ministry, please let deacons know. Please pray for the deacons.
- 3. Annual church foliage hiking will be scheduled at 1:30 5:00 PM, Saturday Oct. 20. We will meet at the parking lot of Gold's Gym. Please mark your calendar and invite friends to join us. For details, please contact Ruzhu (845-337-7238 or rchen269@gmail.com).
- 4. We are grateful to the youth group and co-workers for organizing the Harvest Festival in the past years. In light of the low attendance last year and the lack of co-workers this year, the preparatory committee has decided not to host the harvest festival this year.
- 5. The Chinese Christian Herald Crusade, 2018 Marriage Retreat will be held in Whiting, New Jersey from 11/30-12/2. Its purpose is to promote mutual understanding, strengthen relationships, and build good marriages. There will be children programs. The deadline to register is 10/20. Please browse and download the registration form from: http://olivetree.cchc.org/fr2018/.
- 6. Starting in October, Brother Daniel Hu will teach Church History in the Chinese Sunday School for 3 months. Everyone who can understand Mandarin is welcome to attend.
- 7. New Life Group will serve at Dutchess Homeless Shelter Thursday, 11/08.
- 8. We thank God for the opportunity to remember and testify about God's care and guidance for this church in the past 50 years on 9/9. If you did not receive a copy of the testimony or the canvas bag, please let Brother Chising know. It will be one copy and one bag per family. Frist come, first serve.
- 9. CM Choir practice is from 12:50pm to 1:30pm.

## | PRAYER REQUESTS |

- 1. Pray for people affected by the hurricane in Floriday and the Indonesian Earthquake and Tsunami. May God show mercy in the disaster area. Bring them healing and peace.
- 2. Pray for the Sudijono's relocation to Singapore. We pray for a smooth transition. May God protect them and give them guidance in the new environment. Allow them to continue to serve you.
- 3. Pray for the freedom of worshiping our Lord around the world, especially in China. Pray that God assures their freedom and comfort to worship without any restriction.

- 4. Pray for the brothers and sisters who are going through job change and financial difficulties. We ask you to take away the worries and fear because You alone are the cornerstone, the proof of the abundance.
- 5. We praise God for blessing our church with faithfulness for the last 50 years. May this milestone of MHCCC be a witness of His grace and mercy to all our members and friends.
- 6. Pray for those who are physically weak, especially Sister Yan Yu, Dr. John Ng, Pastor Hsia, Sister Maya Chu's mother, Sister Yu Yan, Brother Sam Chan., May the LORD help them recover and continue to live for Jesus Christ.
- 7. Pray for all ministries and functions among our church. May the Lord lead them and bless them with energy and holiness, so the Lord's name will be glorified.
- 8. Pray for all the Cell groups and their fellowship meetings, particularly the Campus Fellowship at SUNY NEW PALTZ. Pray that the Lord will encourage more coworkers to serve the students there and lead more to accept Jesus Christ as their savior.

### | FINANCIAL REPORT |

Last Month Offering-\$ 20,845.15

Last Sunday Offering - \$ 4,197.00, Lunch Offering - \$ 225

Month-to-date Offering - \$4,197.00

Monthly Budget - \$24,000.00

Attendance: CM: 48, EM: 56, Childrens (incl coworkers): 11

# | NEXT WEEK'S COWORKERS |

PRESIDER: Greg Johnson; SINGSPIRATION: Moses Lam and team, pianist-Steven Meakim; USHER: Jyhfen Lam and Moses Lam; AUDIO/PC: Dustin Vanstee; VIDEO: Andrew Tsang; LUNCH: Debbie Lai, Sujen Chen, Qin Sun, Melody Sze, Mei Jung; BULLETIN: Kenneth Yao; CLEANING: Group 4 (Ken Chan)

## | WEEKLY FELLOWSHIP MEETINGS |

- † LIGHTHOUSE Monthy 7:30pm at MHCCC. Ken Chan (kelechan@gmail).
- † **NEW LIFE** Friday weekly 7:40pm John Sudijono (johnsudijono@hotmail).
- † FULL HOUSE (Young Professionals) Friday monthly 6:30pm Andrew Tsang (atsang77@gmail).
- † FI5H YOUTH GROUP Friday weekly 7:30pm MHCCC. Judy/Greg Johnson (pterandon@gmail.com)
- † PRAYER MEETING Thursday 7:30pm at MHCCC. Gerry Thompson (gt1997@hotmail)
- † PRAYER MEETING Sunday 8:30 9:30 am at MHCCC.
- † Adult Choir Sunday 1:00pm at MHCCC
- † Children Choir (age 4 8th grade) Sunday from 12:45 to 1:15pm at MHCCC