

*Your name will no longer be Jacob, but Israel;*

*Because you have fought with God*

*and with men and have won.*

*So remain in me.*

*Genesis 32:28, John 15:4~7*

## Tsuchiura Megumi Church



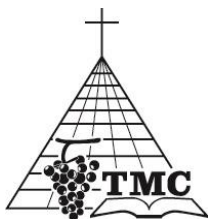
July 16, 2023

### MANA Day:

Congregation Praise	"Flowers too"
The Lord's Prayer	
Special Praise	by MANA Children
MANA Support Offering	
Responding Praise	Hymnal 656 (Revised 714)
Message: "The Calling"	
Ephesians 4:1-3	by Ptr. Hong
Responding Praise	Hymnal 581 (Revised 617)
Doxology & Benediction	"2023 Theme Song"

*(Please feel free to offer by putting in the collection box or by using offering cards)*

★ *Please keep your cellphones in silent mode during the service.*



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## Notice Board for Today's Schedule:

*Please remember to maintain Social Distance when eating at church.*

13:00 Mori-no-Gakuen Administrative Meeting (Carmel 2)

13:30 CS Teachers' Meeting (Jerusalem)

15:00 FCS Meeting (On-Line)

17:45 Open Service by Ptr. Jyonhyon Che

### This Week's Schedule:

17<sup>th</sup>(Mon) Megumi Open Golf

18<sup>th</sup>(Tue)~22<sup>nd</sup>(Sat) Early Morning

Prayer Meeting (5:50 Pisgah)

18<sup>th</sup>(Tue) Listening to the Bible Class,

Kirakira Club

19<sup>th</sup>(Wed) **Wednesday Service**

10:30-12:00 & 19:30-21:00 at Worship Hall

"Arrogance of Israel"

Hosea 7:1-16 by Ptr. Ishida

20<sup>th</sup>(Thu) Pre-MANA

21<sup>st</sup>(Fri) MANA & Mori-no-Gakuen

End of Term

22<sup>nd</sup>(Sat) Pear Garden (9:00 Parking),

Elementary Camp (~23<sup>rd</sup> Toba, Church),

BF Youth Study (10:00 Hermon 3),

BQ Youth Study (18:00 Hermon 3)

### Next Sunday's Schedule July 23

Message: Ptr. Hong

10:45 Parent & Child Class Teachers'  
Meeting (Nazareth)

12:45 Open Service Planners' Meeting  
(Bethlehem)

12:50 Choir Practice (Worship Hall)

13:00 Mustard Seed Administrative  
Meeting (Bethsaida)

13:30 MANA Administrative Meeting (Jerusalem),  
Service Planners' Meeting (Head Pastor's Office),  
2<sup>nd</sup> Mission Department Meeting (On-Line),

18:00 Open Service by Ptr. Kumon

## Announcements:

**Kirakira Club** : On July 18(Tue), we will start from 10:00 at Bethsaida. Morning will be service by Ptr. Seino; and afternoon will be by Mr. Maturua in the worship hall with "Reminded in the summer?" Applications due **TODAY!** to Ms. Yanase &/ Ms. Asami.

**Kenya-Koinonia Bazar**: Today will be Kenya Day. The bazar will be held under the tent in the morning, and at the worship hall entrance early evening. There will be colorful handmade items by the Kenyan women like apron, pouch, and bags. The profit will be donated to Koinonia Center.

**Worship Service Dept.**: from today, there will be Udon available for lunch.

**Seeking Lunch Chefs for Church Lunch:** to present Udon for lunch, we need volunteer members to help out in the kitchen: few to cook and prepare food and at least 20 to clean afterwards. Current members are 15 to prepare and 8 to clean up. If you can help out, please fill out the applications and hand it into the light blue box at the reception.

**Church Bus Announcement:** Since church lunch has restarted, there will be 13:30 bus.

JULY: there will be bus for both after 3<sup>rd</sup> service and after lunch.

AUGUST: there will be only after lunch.

For questions, please notify service reception or Ptr. Ishida.

**Ethnic Clothes:** July and August will be world peace month. Today is Kenya, 23<sup>rd</sup> Brazil, 30<sup>th</sup> Laos, 8/6<sup>th</sup> India & Nepal, 13<sup>th</sup> Japan, and 20<sup>th</sup> Indonesia. Please join us to wearing ethnic clothes.

**Summer offering :** Remembering and counting God's blessing for us, let us prepare for the latter half of the year with our offering as a show of our faith. The goal is ¥5,000,000.

# 2023 Up Coming Events



## ~World Peace Month~

16 (Sun) MANA Day/Sunday Service, MANA Support Offering, CS Teachers' Meeting, Mori-no-Gakuen Administrative Meeting, FCS Meeting, Open Service

18 (Tue) Listening to the Bible Class, Kirakira Club

19 (Wed) Wednesday Service

20 (Thu) Pre-MANA

21 (Fri) MANA End of Term, Mori-no-Gakuen End of Term

22 (Sat)~23 (Sun) Elementary Children's Camp

23 (Sun) Sunday Service, Mustard Seed Administrative Meeting, Sunday Service Planners' Meeting, Open Service Planners' Meeting, MANA Administrative Meeting, Parent & Child Class Teachers' Meeting, 2nd Mission Div. Meeting, Open Service

25 (Tue) Tsukuba Area Prayer Meeting

25 (Tue) ~ 27 (Thu) Mori-no-Gakuen Peace Studay Trip to Hiroshima

25 (Tue) ~ 30 (Sun) Matsubarako Bible Camp

26 (Wed) Wednesday Service

30 (Sun) Sunday Service, Open Service



## ~World Peace Month~

6 (Sun) Sunday Service, World Mission Prayer Meeting, Digital Contents Club, Kirakira Service Administrative Meeting, TEENS Teachers' Meeting, Follow-Up Meeting, Open Service

8 (Tue) Listening to the Bible Class

9 (Wed) Wednesday Service

12 (Sat) Monthly Deacons' Meeting

## *The Lord's Prayer:*

*Our Father who is in heaven, hallowed be Your Name. Your Kingdom come. Your will be done in earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day, our daily bread; and forgive us our debts as we forgave our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from all evil. For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.*

### **Prayer Requests for Mongolia:**

1. To be provided with child sponsors for 32 new students.
2. To be able to create strong relationship with troubled new Jr. High students
3. To be provided with heir of Ptr & Ms. Ichihashi who currently runs the school system and KOINONIA Center with the Vision "Nevertheless, say Yes to Life".

## **Notices to the Members of TMC:**

**Thank you for your understanding, prayer, and co-operation regarding COVID. Currently, the limited attendance safety precaution has been lifted.**

**We will continue to fight the spread of the virus with safety.**

**Wearing masks will be your own decision. However, we ask for continued co-operation to sanitize your hands both entering and leaving the hall.**

**Social distancing and other precautions to stay safe will be encouraged at all times.**

**Please check TMC Homepage for updated notices on a daily bases.**

### **For the First-Timers to our church: *Welcome to Tsuchiura Megumi Church!***

Wherever you are from, we are glad that you came to visit our church. Our church is trying to meet the spiritual need of not only Japanese people but also of people from all over the world. We want to share our faith in Jesus Christ as our Savior and grow together as Christians.

Our church does not collect the offerings during the service to prevent collecting money from people who do not yet understand the full meaning of the offering to God. If you wish to do the offering, an envelope is available near the reception counter.

We hope you will enjoy our worship service and the wonderful Christian fellowship.