



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



August 20, 2023

Congregation Praise

Hymnal 176

The Lord's Prayer

Message: **"Should I not Punish?"**

Jeremiah 5:1~31

by Ptr. Kumon

Responding Praise

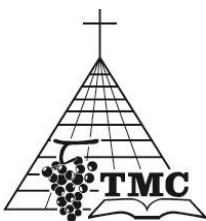
Hymn 189

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.

12:45 Open Service Planners' Meeting (Bethlehem)

13:00 Mustard Seed Administrative Meeting (Bethsaida)

13:30 Service Planners' Meeting (Head Pastor's Office), Megumi Festival Committee (Cana)

15:00 MANA Administrative Meeting (Jerusalem), Welfare Dept. Meeting (On-Line)

16:30 FCS Meeting (On-Line)

18:00 Open Service by Ptr. Yoon

This Week's Schedule:

21st(Mon)~22nd(Tue) Jouban Mission Area

Pastors & Family Retreat

22nd(Tue)~26th(Sat) Early Morning

Prayer Meeting (5:50 Pisgah)

23rd(Wed) **Wednesday Service**

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

"Fellowship Offering"

Leviticus 3:1-17 by Ptr. Che

24th(Thu)~25th(Fri) Staff Evaluation

Meeting

26th(Sat) BF Youth Study (10:00 Hermon 3),

BQ Youth Study (18:00 Hermon 3)

Next Sunday's Schedule August 27

Supporting the Disabled Service:

Message: Ptr. Hong

Welfare support offering

17:00 **Megumi Festival**

by Ptr. Kanda

Announcements:

Megumi Festival Both Tickets: Festival is scheduled on the 27th(Sun)!!

Today & next Sunday, 12:00~13:00 at the 1F Hall, the tickets will be sold.

The last minute sales will be available from 16:40 at the reception of the festival.

Parking at Festival: Please park from the far corners and spaces to save place for the guests.

Construction of temporary facility for renovation of Zion: Currently under construction.

From September to December, temporary facility will be used. On August 26(Sat) 8:00-12:00,

we are seeking volunteers to move materials from Zion to the temporary facility.

For more information, please contact TMC staffs &/ Kirakira Service staffs.

Parking for the Disabled on Sunday: Due to the temporary facility, the current parking place will not be available until January of 2024. We ask you to use spaces near the Pisgah.

Please park close to the shrubs for spacing.

Volunteers for 2nd Service' s On-Line broadcasting and PPT: Need two new members. If interested, please notify Mr. Furukawa of Service Dept. and Mr. Kitagawa of 2nd Mission Dept.

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~

- 20 (Sun) Sunday Service, MANA Administrative Meeting, Sunday Service Planners' Meeting, Open Service Planners' Meeting, Mustard Seed Administrative Meeting, 2nd Mission Div. Meeting, FCS Meeting, Welfare Div. Meeting, Open Service
- 21 (Mon) - 22 (Tue) Jouban Mission Area Pastoral & Family Retreat
- 23 (Wed) Wednesday Service
- 24 (Thu) - 25 (Fri) Annual Staff Evaluation Meeting
- 27 (Sun) Welfare & Care for the Disabled Service, Welfare Offering, MEGUMI Festival
- 30 (Wed) Wednesday Service



~Commemorating Foundation of the Church Facility Month~

- 1(Fri) MANA Start of New Term, Mori-no-Gakuen Start of New Term
- 3 (Sun) Sunday Service, Kirakira Service Administrative Meeting, Digital Contents Club, Mori-no-Gakuen Parental Meeting, TEENS Teachers' Meeting, World Mission Prayer Meeting, Open Service
- 6 (Wed) Wednesday Service
- 7 (Thu) Pre-MANA
- 9 (Sat) Monthly Deacons' Meeting
- 10 (Sun) 37th Anniversary of Constructing the Church Service, Monthly MEGUMI Editorial Meeting, Mori-no-Gakuen Administrative Meeting, Age Group Meeting, CS Open class & Get-together, Open Service
- 11 (Mon)-15 (Fri) Mori-no-Gakuen Open School
- 12 (Tue) Listening to the Bible Class
- 13 (Wed) Wednesday Service
- 14 (Thu) Pre-MANA
- 16 (Sat) Monthly Elders' 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 Indonesia:

1. For the bond between Dukuh Church and TMC to be stronger.
2. For Pastor Sudomo & his family. (Pastor Sudomo was baptized at 12th grade, went to Theology school with financial support from TMC, became the pastor of Dukuh church, and has been serving for 42 years. Please remember Pastor Sudomo & his family whom the church has supported.)

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.