

*Yet I will rejoice in the Lord,
I will be joyful in God my Savior.
My Lord, My God, My Strength.
Habakkuk 3:17-19*

Tsuchiura Megumi Church

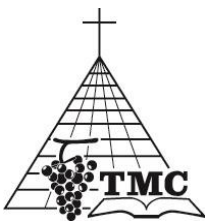


March 10, 2024

Congregation Praise	E Hymn 253
The Lord's Prayer	
Testimony	by Kariya
Message: "Service to Build Up the Body"	
Ephesians 4:12	by Ptr. Hong
Responding Praise	E Hymn 229
Doxology & Benediction	"2024 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.

11:30 MEGUMI Editorial Meeting (Zlon)

12:50 Choir Meeting (Worship Hall)

13:30 TMC Annual Assembly Meeting Reception start

14:00 **Annual TMC Assembly Meeting** (Worship Hall)

18:00 **Open Service** by Ptr. Yoon

This Week's Schedule:

11th(Mon) Iwate Lausanne Leaders' Meeting (-14th Ptr. Kanda & Ptr. Che)

12th(Tue)~16th(Sat) Early Morning Prayer Meeting (5:50 Pisgah)

12th(Tue) Listening to the Bible Class (14:20 Head Pastor's Office)

13th(Wed) **Wednesday Service**

10:30-12:00 at Worship Hall & 19:30-21:00 at Pisgah
"Fasting to Joy"

Hebrew 11:1-3 by Ptr. Ishida

14th(Thu) Pre-MANA

15th(Fri) Tsuchiura Prayer Meeting

16th(Sat) Farming 2nd Garden (9:00 Parking Lot),
BF Youth Study (10:00 Hermon 3), BQ Youth Study (18:00 Hermon 3), Post and New Deacons' Meeting (18:00 1F Hall)

Next Sunday's Schedule March 17

Message: Ptr. Hon

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

13:30 CS Teachers' Meeting (Jerusalem)

16:30 Welfare Meeting (On-Line)

15:30 FCS Meeting (On-Line)

18:00 **Open Service** by Ptr. Yoon

Announcements:

Ptr. Nozomu Koyama's Internship: From today to the 17th, Ptr. N. Koyama (Yachiyo Bible Church) will be observing our church for his Sabatical visitation. Please enjoy the fellowship.

Today's Church Bus: church bus will be deployed after 3rd service and after Assembly Meeting

Church Service Application Form: with the new fiscal year, new list of church services are in need of volunteers. Let us put to use the talents trusted to us, to carry the chores of being the family of God, and to build the kingdom of God together.

Please check where you wish to volunteer and hand it in the box at the reception by March 17th(Sun).

Urgent Recruitment: From April, there will be few special needs children enrolling to MANA. However, with the current situation, there will be shortage in staffs. If there is anyone who can help out, please notify the MANA principal/director Miyazaki at manaaijen@church-tmc.jp

Farewell Time: during announcement in services in March, there will be moment of farewells. We wish to send out with prayer. If you are moving out of Tsuchiura& Tsukuba area for a new start, please notify the church staffs.

Ruth's Mini-Bazar: will be selling cookies after 2nd and 3rd service. The profit will be sent to Noto Peninsula Earthquake Relief Fund.

Baptism Preparation Class: Next ceremony will be held on June 30th(Sun). Class will start From April 21st(Sun) in Head Pastor's Office. If interested, please notify the church staffs.

Passion Week Early Morning Prayer Meeting: Will be held on 26th(Tue) ~ 30th(Sat) 6:00-6:30 in Worship Hall. Please join us!

2024 **Up Coming Events** MARCH ~Passion Week & Easter Month~

- 17 (Sun) Sunday Service, Mori-no-Gakuen Administrative Meeting,
CS Teachers' Meeting, FCS Meeting, Welfare Meeting, Open Service
19 (Tue) Tsukuba Prayer Meeting,
20 (Wed) Wednesday Service, MANA Graduation & End of Fiscal Year,
Mori-no-Gakuen Graduation & End of Fiscal Year
21 (Thu) Kasumigaura Prayer Meeting, Mori-no-Gakuen Administrative Meeting,
24 (Sun) Passion Week Holy Communion Service, Offering,
Sunday Service Planners' Meeting, Mustard Seed Administrative Meeting,
MANA Administrative Meeting, Open Service Planners' Meeting,
2nd Mission Div. Meeting, Open Service
26 (Tue) Kirakira Club
26 (Tue) ~ 30 (Sat) Passion Week Early Prayer Meeting
27 (Wed) Wednesday Service

2024 TMC Assembly Meeting

March 10, 2024(Sun) 14:00- 16:00 at Worship Hall

All church members are required to attend. If you are unable to, please hand in your proxy. Observations are allowed for non-members. Please read the assembly booklet and hand in your votes for the new deacons before the meeting. The discussions will be on the following topics.

2023 Reports of events, treasury, and other announcements.

2024 Goals of Church administrative policies, concerning business/projects/plans of events, treasury blue print, and changes in personnel.

Changes in Church terms; Changes of church property values and announcement of newly voted deacons.

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.

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.

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.

Apostle's Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Creator of Heaven and Earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried, descended to Hell; on the third day He rose again from the Dead, ascended in to Heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, hence He shall come to judge the Quick and the Dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the Communion of Saints, the Forgiveness of Sins, the Resurrection of the body, and the Life Everlasting. Amen.