

*Blessed is the man
who delights in the laws of the Lord,
meditates day and night;
he is like a tree planted by streams of water.
Psalms 1:1-4*

Tsuchiura Megumi Church

May 4, 2025



Congregation Praise

Hymnal 539

The Lord's Prayer

Message: **"What Does it Mean to be Filled with the Holy Spirit"**

Ephesians 5:17-21

by Ptr. Hong

Responding Praise

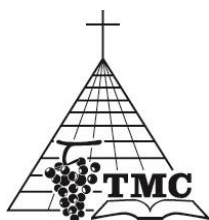
Hymnal 190 (Revised 145)

Doxology

"2025 Theme Song "

Benediction

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



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Notice Board for Today's Schedule:

Please remember to maintain Social Distance when eating at church.

12:30-13:00 Onigiri

12:50 Choir Practice (Worship Hall)

13:00 Digital Contents Club (On-Line)

13:30 World Mission Prayer Meeting (Hermon 3), Korean Bible Study Class (Hermon 2) ,
Kirakira Service Administrative Meeting (Day Rm.)

13:45 Baptism Preparation Class (Head Pastor's Office)

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

This Week's Schedule:

5th(Mon) Funeral for Ikuko Kobayashi
(13:00 Pishah)

7th(Wed)~ 10th(Sat) Early Morning
Prayer Meeting (5:50 Pishah)

7th(Wed) **Wednesday Service**
10:30-12:00 Worship Hall & 19:30-21:00 at Pishah
"Everything is in Lord's Hands"
Genesis 14:1-24 by Ptr. Chung

8th(Thu) Pre-MANA

10th(Sat) BF Youth Study (10:00 Hermon 3),
BQ Youth Study (18:00 Hermon 3),
Monthly Deacons' Meeting (19:00 On-Line)

Next Sunday's Schedule May 11

Message: Ptr. Ichihashi

11:30 MEGUMI Editorial Meeting (Zlon)

14:20 Kenya Koinonia Charity Concert 2025
(Worship Hall)

16:00 KOINONIA Club (Hermon 2)

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

Announcements:

Baptism Announcement: On April 27th(Sun). Mr. Kenji Tsutsui (Moses) and Youko (Naomi) received baptism while hospitalized.

Seeking Signatures for Refugee Recognition: Under the tent, there will be signing for Yadora to be recognized as refugee. **TODAY** is the last day to sign.
By Non-Japanese Christian Support section

MEGUMI Music Festival: Scheduled on June 8th, seeking applicants. For more information, please check the applications.

Kirakira Service New Chief: From April, Mr. Andou has been assigned as the new chief of the service. Please pray for the continued support of the service with the renewed start.

Service Attendance: Our church put emphasis on praising God together wherever we are. We wish to be notified of your attendance: if you attend by On-Line, please notify the church of your attendance via e-mail, telephone or by memo. If you do not notify, you will be marked absent.

For those attending in person, you will be marked attended by reception.

Thank you for your understanding.

2025 Up Coming Events



~Praying for the Youth Month~

- 4 (Sun) Sunday Service, TEENS Teachers' Meeting, World Mission Prayer Meeting, Digital Contents Club, Kirakira Service Administrative Meeting, Open Service
- 7 (Wed) Wednesday Service
- 8 (Thu) Pre-MANA
- 10 (Sat) Monthly Deacons' Meeting

- 11 (Sun) Sunday Service, Kenya Charity Concert, Open Service
- Monthly MEGUMI Editorial Meeting,
- 13 (Tue) Listening to the Bible Class
- 14 (Wed) Wednesday Service
- 15 (Thu) Pre-MANA, Fathers Network
- 16 (Fri) MANA Picnic (Dove & Donkey)
- 17 (Sat) Monthly Elders' Meeting, Fathers Network

- 18 (Sun) Holy Communion Service, Offering, Age Group Meetings, Welfare Meeting, CS Open Class, CS Teachers' Meeting, Mori-no-Gakuen Administrative Meeting, Megumi Service Administrative Meeting, FCS Club, Open Service
- 20 (Tue) Kirakira Club
- 21 (Wed) Wednesday Service
- 22 (Thu) Pre-MANA
- 22 (Thu)- 24 (Sat) Mori-no-Gakuen Study Camp
- 23 (Fri) Tsuchiura Prayer Meeting

- 25 (Sun) Sunday Service, Sunday Service Planners' Meeting, 2nd Misson Dept Meeting, Open Service Planners' Meeting, MANA Administrative Meeting, Mustard Seed Administrative Meeting, Megumi Festival Committee(2nd), Crisis Management Meeting, Open Service
- 27 (Tue) Tsukuba Prayer Meeting
- 28 (Wed) Wednesday Service
- 29 (Thu) Pre-MANA
- 31 (Sat) MANA Open School & Parental 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.

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.

This church has **English Bible Study Class** on Sundays from 11:30AM to 12:30PM. Please join us!

We provide first-timer visitors to our church with free lunch ticket (usually *udon*, a Japanese noodle dish) when you first came in the door at the reception counter. At 12:30, you can go down the stairs beside the entrance to the lower floor hall (1F hall) where lunch is served. Just exchange your ticket with the lunch tags as you follow the line.

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.

Mother's Day Spaghetti

Mother's Day's Lunch will be Gentlemen's Meat Sauce Spaghetti!

The price will be set at 300 yen and the amount will be the same.

There are no milk nor butter used in the meat sauce!

Left over meat sauce will be sold for 500 yen a bag-four serving amount.

These will only be sold by cash.



Kenya Koinonia Charity Concert 2025

On May 11th (Sun) 14:20~16:00 in Worship Hall

The concert will support the koinonia center.

Please check the pamphlet for more info.

Also, on that day, there will be a bazar of aprons, bags, pouches,
and other hand-made items by Kenyan women.

Please support us!