

*"Better a dry crust where there is peace and love  
Than a house full of feasting with strife...  
Look, They will become one in my hand..."  
Proverb 17:1, Proverb 15:17, Ezekiel 37:19*

## Tsuchiura Megumi Church



March 22, 2026

Congregation Praise

Hymn 453

The Lord's Prayer

Testimony

by Ann Iinuma

Message: **"Setting Out, Aiming for the Heavenly Homeland**

Genesis 12:1-9

by Ptr. Chon

Responding Praise

Hymnal 638 (Revised 688)

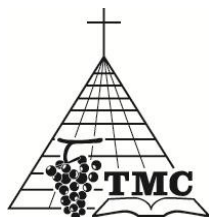
Ordination Ceremony of New Pastor(2<sup>nd</sup>)

Inauguration Ceremony of New TMC Staff(2<sup>nd</sup>)

Doxology & Benediction

"2026 Theme Song "

*(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.*

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

12:30-13:00 Megumi Udon

12:50 Choir Practice (Worship Hall)

13:30 MANA Administrative Meeting (Jerusalem), Open Service Planners' Meeting (Nazareth),  
Internet Club (On-Line), Mustard Seed Administrative Meeting (Bethsaida)

13:45 Sunday Service Planners' Meeting (Head Pastor's Office)

16:00 Crisis Management Meeting (Hermon 3)

18:00 Open Service by Ptr. Kumon

### This Week's Schedule:

24<sup>th</sup>(Tue)~ 28<sup>th</sup>(Sat) Early Morning  
Prayer Meeting (5:50 Pisgah)

24<sup>th</sup>(Tue) Kirakira Club (10:00 Worship Hall),  
Mori-no-Gakuen Special Lecture  
(15:00 1F Hall)

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

10:30-12:00 Worship Hall & 19:30-21:00 Pisgah  
"Invisible Footsteps,  
Lord's Endless Works"  
Ruth 4:13 by Ptr. Chon

20<sup>th</sup>(Fri) Tsuchiura Area Meeting (Uchidal)

21<sup>st</sup>(Sat) BF Youth Study (10:00 Hermon 3),  
BQ Youth Study (18:00 Hermon 3)

### Next Sunday's Schedule March 29

**Palm Sunday:**

Message: Ptr. Hong  
Gratitude Offering

14:00 Spring Enlarged

Church Leaders' Meeting

(1F Hall)

18:00 Open Service by Ptr. Kumon

## Announcements:

**Holy Communion Ceremony:** is scheduled Next Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup>.

As before, the bread and wine will be handed out with the Communion Kit. Please notify the staff if you will be attending the ceremony On-Line and needs the Communion Kit.  
If it is difficult to come to church, feel free to notify us by phone or e-mail.

**Church Service Application Form:** There are many needs of variety of workers to support TMC church. Let us apply the talents gifted to us, to share the chores as the family of God, and to build the kingdom of God together. Due **TODAY** to the box at the reception.

**Ordination Ceremony:** Pastor Ichida has been ordained on March 18<sup>th</sup>(Wed), Making him an official Rev. in Doumei Denomination. Please continue to pray for his works.

**Kirakira Club (for 65 and older):** March 24<sup>th</sup>(Tue) 10:00 at Worship Hall.  
We welcome Pastor Chung & his wife who will be working at mission in Australia.

**Cleaning after Udon on March 29<sup>th</sup>:** the 2<sup>nd</sup> community service will be for Tsukuba area (Azuma, Onosaki, Matsushiro, Matsunoki, Sengen, Kurakake, Takezono, HigashiArai, Ninomiya, etc.).  
If you can volunteer, come join us! (13:00 cleaning starts, 13:30 short fellowship).  
For more information, Mr. Ishigami (Social Welfare), Mr. E. Nakamura (General Affairs), and/or Ptr. Ishida (Welfare Officer)

**Baptism Preparation Class:** Next Ceremony will be on July 5<sup>th</sup>(Sun). First Class is scheduled on April 19<sup>th</sup>(Sun) 13:45~ in Head Pastor's Office. Please notify the church staffs if interested.

## 2026 Up Coming Events

### MARCH ~Passion Week Month~

22 (Sun) Sunday Service, Sunday Service Planners' Meeting, Crisis Management Meeting, 2nd Misson Dept Meeting, Mustard Seed Administrative Meeting, MANA Administrative Meeting, Open Service Planners' Meeting, Open Service

24 (Tue) Kirakira Club, Mori-no-Gakuen Special Lecture (15:30~)

25 (Wed) Wednesday Service

27 (Fri) Tsuchiura Area Meeting

29 (Sun) Passion Week/Palm Sunday Service, Holy Communion Ceremony, Spring Enlarged TMC Leaders' Meeting, Open Service

31 (Tue) ~ 4 (Sat) Passion Week Prayer Meeting



### APRIL ~Easter Month~

1 (Wed) Wednesday Service

3 (Fri) MANA Entrance Ceremony

5 (Sun) Easter Sunday Service, Blessing of New 1st Graders, gratitude offering, Inauguration Ceremony of CS Teachers, Open Service

Age Group Meeting, TEENS Teachers' Meeting,

8 (Wed) Wednesday Service

9 (Thu) Mori-no-Gakuen Entrance Ceremony

11 (Sat) Monthly Elders' Meeting

12 (Sun) 72th Anniversary Foundation Service, Monthly MEGUMI Editorial Meeting, Mori-no-Gakuen Parental Meeting, World Mission Prayer Meeting, Digital Contents Club, Kirakira Service Administrative Meeting, Open Service

## 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 Timer 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.

## Spring Enlarged Church Leaders' Meeting

**March 29(Sun) 14:00- at 1F Hall**

**All Elders, Deacons, Section Leaders, Division Leaders,  
Age Group Leaders (at least one), 4 Business Reps. &  
KOINONIA club members are required to attend!!**

**The mandatory members will be notified on 22nd(Sun).**

