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**Welcome to Prosperity Church Service!**

**We warmly welcome you to the Prosperity Church Worship Service. We are honored to share this morning service with you as we worship God's risen Son. May you know the love of God and feel His presence, for you are special to the Lord, and to us. We pray that God will touch your life during the service, and that you will know** **His peace.**

**Wednesday Night Bible Study**

***Gentle and Lowly***

**Wednesday, February 23, 7:00 PM.**

**We will be studying chapters 22 to 23.**

**Books are available in the narthex.**

**We will meet in the sanctuary.**

**Here is a link to our Bible Study on Zoom**

Call in Wednesday, February 23. The number is (**408) 638-0968**.  Once you place your call you will be asked to enter the meeting ID#. The ID# is 220 654 4063**.** After entering the ID# you will be asked to enter a participant ID, just skip this step by pressing the # button.

You can also join this meeting using your computer to join **Zoom** Meeting – via an Electronic Device (computer)

The link is [**https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2206544063**](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2206544063)**.** The ID is 220 654 4063.

**Online Worship Service**

**Prosperity’s online Worship Service** is available, and is on our **Facebook Page - Prosperity Presbyterian Church** at 10 AM. To view the service through our website check out <https://www.prosperitypca.com/worship-services>  or listen to the sermon audio at ***“?????*”** [**Prosperity PCA**](https://www.prosperitypca.com/from-the-pulpit)**.**

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**Pray for our Missionaries**

**Update from Joe and Ann Lyle**

**Happy Chinese New Year!**

February 1st was the beginning of the Year of the Tiger. This year, we missed the fireworks (like 4th of July) and gathering with Taiwanese friends over a meal (like Thanksgiving), but we did not miss the cold rainy weather that often settles in for weeks at a time.

**Christ’s College News**

**God uses Christ’s College Students to reach Taiwan**

The college has three Gospel Associations that reach out to different areas in Taiwan. Several times a year, these students go out in evangelistic teams. During their winter break, at least a third of our students head out for a week of ministry. This year, one group went to an island they had not visited before which has very few Christians. Students report that these trips not only have an impact on the people they visit, but also on their own lives as well.

**New College President**

February 1, Dr. Homer Wu began as the new president of Christ’s College. He comes from National Taichung University and is a member of the Taiwan Presbyterian Church. Please pray for him. There is a sharp learning curve moving from a large national university to a small private Christian college. The needs of Christ’s College are great, but our God is greater. **Pray** that Dr. Wu makes this transition well and that God works in him and through him at Christ’s College.

**Prayer for Christ’s College**

1. Pray for our students that are home for the month long Chinese New Year/Winter Break. Pray that our students who come from non-Christian families would show the love of Christ to those around them.

2. Pray for our teachers and others as they continue to find creative ways to connect and minister to our online students

3. For new missionaries to say “Yes” to God’s call to minister at Christ’s College. If anyone with a master’s degree is interested in teaching for a year, please let us know.

***It was 31 years ago, February 8, 1991, that we arrived in Taiwan. We would never have guessed that we would have been there that many years.***

***“You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you that you would go and bear fruit and that your fruit would remain.”***

**Joe and Ann**

**Church Calendar**

**February 20, Sun. Worship Service**

**February 20, Sun. Sunday School 9:00 AM**

**February 22, Tue. Trail Life 7:00 PM**

**February 23, Wed. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 PM**

**March 3, Thur. American Heritage Girls 6:30 PM**

**Church Families for Prayer**

**Sunday, Feb. 20 Olivia Clark**

**Monday, Feb. 21 Carol Comer**

**Tuesday, Feb. 22 Janice Connell**

**Wednesday, Feb. 23 Carolyn Davis**

**Thursday, Feb. 24 Isabelle Dontsop and Family**

**Friday, Feb. 25 Brian and Irina Dove Family**

**Saturday, Feb. 26 Earl and Polly Dove**

“Please continue in prayer for Brenda Myers (Polly Dove’s sister).  Brenda is still in the ICU and thankfully all her vitals are good. However she is in a lot of pain and remains heavily sedated.  She suffered a lot of trauma receiving CPR.  God used it to save her life.  Yet the pain right now is very intense.  Ask that the LORD would use this pain in her life to good ends. Seek healing and comfort on her behalf. And lift up Sherri (daughter) and Polly as they attend to her needs... they both could use some rest.  Pastor Bruce

**Trail Life, meets each Tuesday at 7:00 PM in the Gym. Open to boys ages 5-17. For information see Pastor Bruce. The next meeting is February 22.**

**The American Heritage Girls** meet the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Thursdays of each month at 7:00 PM in the GYM.

**Sunday School**

**Everyone is invited to Sunday School at 9:00 AM.**

**Adults have a class in the book of Hebrews, *“Jesus is Better”* taught by** **Pastor Bruce. This class meets in the sanctuary.**

**Children’s Class, ages 3-6. Meets in the nursery and is taught by Megan Gregory. We are learning about *How God Made all Things.***

**Children’s Class, age 7-12. Meets in the Library and is taught by Carol Comer. The lessons are in I Corinthians.**

**Youth Class, ages 13-17. Meets in Room #1 and is taught by Mark Gregory. The lessons are “*Treasuring God’s Word*.”**