

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome everyone to OCM Grace Church! We are happy that you are here to worship the Lord together! May the Lord bless you richly with His steadfast love and joy!

Memory Verse – 1 John 3:1

See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him.

TODAY:

- **Children's Ministry:**

Lesson today: Elijah on Mount Carmel

- **Life Prep Classes:**

Youth: True Love Lesson 1, Pastor John's office

Youth Adults: Meet at Bergen House

Adult: Grace In A Tree Stump, Meet at Fellowship Hall

Mark the Date:

02.12 – Good News Club restarts/Roosevelt School

02.14-16 – Youth Winter Conference 2026

02.15 – Chinese New Year Lunch

02.15 – New Bridge Volunteering

02.21 – Youth Fellowship

02.22 – Bishop Singletary preaches

02.22 – Baptism Class Begins – see PJ for info

Scripture Memorization Goal for 2026: 1 John 4:7-21 We have formed teams to help encourage one another in memorizing this scripture as one Body. If you are not yet in a group, and would like to be, see PJ.

Youth Winter Conference Feb 14-16: Please pray for the Holy Spirit to bless the speaker, advisers, and youth.

Offering: Please make your offering via Zelle: ocmgracetreasury@outlook.com or by check made payable to OCM Grace Church – send to church address, Attn: Treasury (specify for missions or general fund in memo)

Attendance for 2/1: 49

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

PRAYER 9:00 AM

WORSHIP 9:30 AM

WEEKDAY PRAYER TIME

DAILY TUES-FRI 12:00 PM

WEDNESDAY WITH BIBLE STUDY 8:00 PM

SEE CHURCH WEBSITE FOR THE ZOOM MTG TIMES AND LINKS

OCM Grace Church

February 8, 2026

Keep Your Lamps Burning!



"Stay dressed for action and keep your lamps burning, and be like men who are waiting for their master to come home from the wedding feast, so that they may open the door to him at once when he comes and knocks. Blessed are those servants whom the master finds awake when he comes. Truly, I say to you, he will dress himself for service and have them recline at table, and he will come and serve them. Luke 12:35-37"

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Call to Worship

Alex

2 Samuel 22:26-29

²⁶ “With the merciful you show yourself merciful;
with the blameless man you show yourself blameless;
²⁷ with the purified you deal purely,
and with the crooked you make yourself seem tortuous.
²⁸ You save a humble people,
but your eyes are on the haughty to bring them down.
²⁹ For you are my lamp, O Lord,
and my God lightens my darkness.

Confession of Sins

Apostles Creed

Praise

Seb

Blessing for the Children

Prayer for Illumination

Pastor John

Scripture

Jonah 1:1-17

Chris

Sermon

Pastor John

Seeking, Finding, & Healing the Heart of the Problem

Song of Response

Holy Communion

Intercessory Prayer

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Offering

Alex

Announcements

Alex

Benediction

Pastor John

Silent Prayer

OUR PRAYERS

O God of light, your searching Spirit reveals and illumines your presence in creation. Shine your radiant holiness into our lives, that we may offer our hands and hearts to your work: to heal and shelter, to feed and clothe, to break every yoke and silence evil tongues. *Amen*

Pray supplications, prayers, intercession for all people.
For leaders in high positions. 1 Tim. 2:1-2

Our Church:

- For God's Spirit of love to abound with a readiness to serve.
- Deacon Nominations: Please pray for the Lord to call new deacons to serve.

Praise:

- God sees the trouble of the afflicted; He considers their grief and takes it in hand. (Psalm 10:14)

Personal needs:

- Health and recovery: Celine's father; Coty's sister Amy; PJ's sister Nancy; Peter Konopka; James Loy; Kaling's mother; Willie's wife Lyndell; Kwong's mother; Albert; Marco's dad, Brother Kin Fat Chan (Fat Goh); Susie; Lillian
- Peace and strength: Yacer
- Special protection: Peter Mui; Mary Bruno

Missions:

- Pray for our missionaries: Donna Baptiste, Calvin Chan; Kenny/Cindy Chau; Daniel/Karla Grenz; Paul and Dorothy Lacy; Gordon Law; Linda Schramm; Jerry Schmoyer; Esther T.

Our World:

- For peace; For the Gospel to reach every nation

Our Nation:

- For God's Spirit to bring reason, calm and peace
- Spiritual revival and turning to Christ
- For an end of hatred, for God's love to grow
- For justice and peace