**August 6, 2023**

**Welcome!** *We are so glad you joined us today.*

 *We pray that you will be blessed!*

Speaker: Pastor Mongens

Message: (1) The Marks of Fellowship: No Condemnation

Text: Romans 7-8

*7:24 Oh, what a miserable person I am! Who will free me from this life that is dominated by sin and death? 25 Thank God! The answer is in Jesus Christ our Lord. So you see how it is: In my mind I really want to obey God’s law, but because of my sinful nature I am a slave to sin.*

*8:1 So now there is no condemnation for those who belong to Christ Jesus. 2 And because you belong to him, the power of the life-giving Spirit has freed you from the power of sin that leads to death.*

Announcements:

1. Special intercessory prayer for our brother Philip and sister Shirley after our service today;
2. One more Children’s Ministry training next Sunday August 13 from 1:30-4:30pm; (lunch will be provided). Please contact Edeliza;
3. Church Membership: We will be holding membership classes. If you are not yet a member, please contact Pastor Mongens;
4. Community Outreach: You are invited to join the Chapel dedication at the Arcadia Living on 8/26/2023 Saturday 5:30-6:30pm (601 Sunset Bl. Arcadia, CA 91007). We need volunteers to host many activities includes worship, games, snacks and gifts distributions. Volunteer contacts COC for more details;
5. Please remember our church plant GCDC as they now have formed both Cantonese and Mandarin adult fellowships. May the Lord continue to bless their outreach efforts;
6. Adult Sunday school @ 10:30 am, study the book of REVELATION;
7. Our prayer meeting is on Zoom! Please join Wednesdays (8-9:30 pm) to pray for the world, our missionaries, our country and our needs:

Meeting ID: 865 2394 9892 Passcode: PRAY

1. Please pray for:
* Philip; Shirley, Lilibeth’s dad; Lynn (knee)



**First Evangelical Church Association**

*A joint & integrative ministry of spirituality, missions, social concern and Church Planting*

 ***FECA Theme for 2023: “Rekindling the Passion for Outreach”***

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1. **FECA participation of 2023 WV Global 6K for Water**

This year, 230 participants from four FECA member churches joined World Vision’s Global 6K for Water fundraising efforts. We raised $23,879.00 to help 477+ people to receive support. In 2023, World Vision is helping 42 regions and countries with its Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene (WASH) Program. So far, there are over 1.1 million people gained access to clean drinking water, about 930 thousand people gained access to improved household sanitation, and over 1.1 million people gained access to handwashing facilities. The movement goes on.

**2. “Let the Love Fill the Whole World” Sharing Night**

Date: 9/2/2023 Saturday 7:30 pm-9:30 pm

Location： FEC San Gabriel Valley (3658 Walnut Grove Ave, Rosemead)

Speaker: Dr. Bill Wilson

Dr. Bill Wilson is the founder of Metro World Child (MWC). Since Bill was abandoned by his mother when he was 12, he developed a burden for children living in impoverished areas. In 1980, he founded MWC and started US’ largest children’s church and Sunday school in the city of Brooklyn, NY. Bill earned his medical doctorate degrees from universities in England and France, but his most concern is the welfare and spiritual growth of children. Since the outbreak of the Ukraine war, he went to the frontline to rescue children and women. Bill’s testimony touches many, and his children’s ministry is all over the world where he spreads the love of Jesus.

We encourage brothers and sisters to attend this wonderful sharing night.

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| **Last Sunday's Worship In-Person Attendance and Offering** |
|  | ***Glendale*** | ***SGV*** | ***Diamond Bar*** | ***ACC*** | ***Arcadia*** |
| ***SGV*** | ***HOA*** | ***Arcadia*** | ***GCDC*** |
| ***Mandarin*** | 98 | 184 | 47 | 79 | -- | 27 | 15 |
| ***Cantonese*** | 18 | 104 | -- | 88 | -- | 103 | -- |
| ***English*** | 121 | 77 | -- | -- | 110 | 41 | -- |
| ***Youth*** | w/English | w/English | 6 | w/ACC | -- | 14 | -- |
|  **Total: 1,132** |
|  | ***Glendale******SGV*** | ***SGV*** | ***Diamond Bar*** | ***ACC*** | ***Arcadia*** |
| ***General Fund*** | 10,390.36 | 24,054.00 | 7,820.25 | 5,393.38 | 8,555.00 |
| ***FECA Mission Fund*** | 327.00 |  -- | 50.00 |  -- | 200.00 |
| ***Others*** | 625.00 | 3,102.00 | 4,100.00 | 10.05 | 800.00 |
| ***06/23 Sur./Def.*** | 12,282  | 23,749  | (23,028) | (16,378) | 4,047  |
| ***01-06/23 Sur./Def.*** | (31,181) | 55,102  | (80,143) | 36,462  | (21,580) |