

jireh church

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Sunday Worship

September 14, 2025 at 9:30 a.m.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Call to Worship

Songs for Worship

Rev. Ben Lin

Open the Eyes
Paul BaLoche

Jesus Messiah
Chris Tomlin

10,000 Reasons
Matt Redman

Pastoral Prayer

Tithes and Offerings

Song of Preparation

Abide
Aaron Williams

Scripture

Series: 1 Corinthians: The Gospel in a Messy World

1 Corinthians 9:1-27
Red edge: NT322; White: 1881

Earthly Surrender for Eternal Glory

Rev. Ben Lin

Song of Response

Here I Am to Worship
Tim Hughes

Benediction

WORSHIP TEAM	September 14, 2025	September 21, 2025
Call to Worship / Prayer	Ben Lin	Eric Lin
Scripture	Ben Lin	Caroline Wong
Praise Team	Eric Lin	Jordan Juan
Sound	Gabriel Ng	TBD
Streaming / Video	Mike Yong	Mike Yong
Ushers	Linda Wong Kevin Wong	Jessica Chin Emily Tsui

Gospel. Joy. Mission.

2025 Theme Psalm 67:4

What's Happening at Jireh Church

We welcome you to Jireh Church. If you are a visitor, please fill out the contact card in the pew and return it to an usher or to one of the pastors. Join us in the Fellowship Hall after worship to visit with one another. Use the form to let us know how we can pray for you.

1. **Today is OCMA Sunday.** Please use the insert to keep our sister churches in prayer.
2. **Marlboro Day rain date is today**, from 12pm to 5pm. Go to the Marlboro Recreation Center and meet our neighbors. Stop by Jireh Church's booth!
3. **There is no adult Sunday School** this morning. We will conclude "Give Me Jesus" next Sunday. Beginning October 13, we will begin a new quarter studying Worldwide Christianity, a survey of what unites the Church around the world, and unique challenges faced by the church in different regions.
4. **Movie Outreach!** On Saturday, September 27, at 2 pm, we will show a film Pattern of Evidence: Exodus. Did the exodus happen as described in the Bible? Does it matter? This film documents his journey and the extraordinary evidence discovered. Please join us on September 27. You may sign up on Jireh's website.
5. **There will be a Special Coffee Hour on Sunday, September 28, at 11 a.m.** Adults college and above are encouraged to remain for fellowship and sharing over a little extra special refreshment.
6. **ECC Nominations are now being accepted.** Nomination ballots are included in this bulletin. If you did not receive a ballot or would like more information, please contact our Secretary ECC, Michael Yong. Nominations may be submitted to our Secretary ECC or one of the pastors. Ballots must be received by October 5, 2025 at 2PM in order to be valid. Before nominating anyone, please review the qualifications for candidates found on the ballot. This year, we are nominating three ECCs: Fellowship, Secretary, class of 2029. Mission, class of 2028.
7. **Children Fellowship** for children Pre K -- 5th grade meet every Friday. Join us for songs, Bible lessons, crafts, games and snacks. Go to the church website to register your child. Contact Annie Chin if you have questions. Pray for learning, growing, and building a relationship with God and with other children.
8. **The Men's Group is back!** Come to the Men's Gathering Monday, Sept 15 at 7:30 pm for grub and manly talk. We welcome guest speaker, Angel Torres, who is a recent graduate of the New Brunswick Theological Seminary. All men are welcome regardless of where you are in your faith journey, so bring your buddies! RSVP with Kevin Wong @Kevinywong@yahoo.com, or text 908-392-2035.
9. **Devotional Resources:** Jireh's home page now has a daily devotional section filled with useful tools. It contains the daily devotional and verse, bible reading plan, and additional resources courtesy of the Truth For Life ministry.

Jireh Church in Prayer Every Wednesday between 7-9PM

Check in at www.jirehchurch.org, go to "More", and select "Prayer" to check in and also find a prayer guide. Pick a time from 7pm to 9pm on Wednesday and pray with the body of Christ.

Life Together

God called a people to be his own. All who are in Christ belong to the body of Christ. Please connect with a group to grow in your Christian walk, and to live out the Christian life in community. Choose from one of the fellowship groups below which best fit your life situation.

COMMUNITY GROUPS & FELLOWSHIPS	LOCATION and TIME	FACILITATOR
Community Group	Every two weeks. Sign up for email notifications.	Jeff and Kimberly Lee jeffrey.s.lee@gmail.com (732) 991-0315
College and Graduate Students		Pastor Edward Yee Edward.Yee@jirehchurch.org (917) 379-1775
Youth Fellowship (6 th – 12 th Grade)	Every Friday (7:30-9:30PM)	Pastor Edward Yee Edward.Yee@jirehchurch.org (917) 379-1775
Children's Fellowship (K – 5 th Grade)	Every Friday (7:30-8:30PM) Register at jirehchurch.org	Annie Chin aplchin7@hotmail.com
Grace Light (Empty nesters)	Every second Saturday morning at 10AM.	Helen Pityinger StevePity@comcast.net
EXECUTIVE CO-WORKERS COMMITTEE (ECC) and Pastoral Staff		

Fellowship	Jason Niu, '25	(917) 373-1537	fellowship@jirehchurch.org
Secretary	Michael Yong, '25	(917) 439-1870	secretary@jirehchurch.org
General Affairs	Edmund Chu, '26	(848) 248-1762	generalaffair@jirehchurch.org
Christian Education	Eric Chow, '27	(732) 501-5240	christianed@jirehchurch.org
Worship	Wai Ng, '27	(732) 334-8460	worship@jirehchurch.org
Treasurer	Hui Zhao, '28	(732) 312-5278	treasury@jirehchurch.org
Mission	Vacant, '28	Contact any ECC	mission@jirehchurch.org
English/Senior Pastor	Rev. Ben Lin	(732) 431-2828	Ben.Lin@jirehchurch.org
Chinese Pastor	Rev. Chu Sum Wong	(732) 431-2800	Sum.Wong@jirehchurch.org
English Pastor	Rev. Edward Yee	(917) 379-1775	Edward.Yee@jirehchurch.org
Pastor Emeritus	Rev. Samuel Chiang		
Pastor Emeritus	Rev. Jerry Moy		

LAST WEEK at JIREH

Offerings	Last Sunday	Month Goal	Month Total	Attendance
Offering				Worship, English 50/3
Mission				Worship, Chinese 80/4
Thanksgiving				Worship, Children 6
Mercy Fund				Prayer, Wednesday 18
Seminarian Fund				Sunday School Adult --
Other (VBS 2025				Sunday School Children 11
Thailand Missions)				Sunday School MS 3
Totals				Sunday School HS 5
				Youth Group MS 5
				Youth Group HS 11
				Children's Fellowship --

Sermon Notes

Taking notes may help you stay engaged throughout the worship.
Sermon videos are available at www.jirehchurch.org

“Earthly Surrender for Eternal Glory”

1 Corinthians 9:1-27 (ESV), Rev. Ben Lin

“For though I am free from all, I have made myself a servant to all, that I might win more of them. (1 Corinthians 9:19, ESV)”