**jireh church** Sunday Worship <sup>55 Vanderburg Road, Marlboro, NJ 07746</sup> www.iirehchurch.org (732) 431-2828

March 10. 2024 at 9:30AM Celebrating 36 Years of Ministry

**ORDER OF WORSHIP** 

Call to Worship

Songs for Worship

## Rev. Ben Lin

Praise His Name (Psalm 148) Marc Willerton, Nathan Stiff Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery Matt Papa All Sufficient Merit Bethany Barnard, Bryan Fowler

Pastoral Prayer

Tithes and Offerings

Song of Preparation

Scripture

The Last Become First is Good Even for the First

Song of Response

Benediction

I Want to Know You James Proctor, Jonny Robinson

Galatians 4:21-31

Rev. Ben Lin

There is One Gospel Jonny Robinson, Rich Thompson

WORSHIP TEAM	March 10, 2024	March 17, 2024
Call to Worship / Prayer	Ben Lin	Mike Yong
Scripture	Jessica Chin	Nancy Chu
Praise Team	Kate Shum	Jordan Juan
Sound	Gabriel Ng	David Boris
Streaming / Video	Gabriel Ng	Kate Shum
Ushers	Mike Yong	William Lee
	Eva Yong	Wendy Chan

# Gospel. Joy. Mission.

2024 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. 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. **Good Friday worship is Friday, March 29, 2024 at 8PM.** We invite the church family to join together in remembering the great sacrifice of our Lord Jesus for our salvation.
- A new quarter in Adult Sunday School just began. We meet at 11:15am. It will be a book study on <u>The Christian Life: A Doctrinal Introduction</u> by Sinclair B. Ferguson. Everyone is encouraged to pick up a book. Books are available during class for \$12.25.
- 3. Children's Sunday School Teachers training will be on March 23rd from 10am to 2pm at church. We will be discussing growing zeal for the intentional, comprehensive discipleship of the next generation. We are also inviting all parents and brothers and sisters who are interested in the discipleship of the next generation. Please let Paul Ng or Pastor Edward know if you are interested in coming by March 17th.
- 4. Check out new library books! New books are available for borrowing. They are located on a silver shelf near the main entrance to the church. Scan the QR code posted on the wall for check-out instructions. If you have any questions, please reach out to Michael Yong, Secretary ECC.
- 5. Summer Splash! 2024 is Monday to Friday, July 22-26. Join a short term mission team to share the love of Jesus with children in Brooklyn, NY. Jireh is assembling a team with volunteers from rising 8th graders through adults. Summer Splash! is a ministry of Dorcas Ministries in Brooklyn, NY. For details and for applications, please contact team leader Nancy Liu at nancy.liu42@gmail.com or Mission ECC Drew Lau, at mission@jirehchurch.org.
- 6. Scholarships are available for theological education. In order to encourage brothers and sisters who are interested in pursuing theological education, the church will subsidize part-time training courses, certificate courses, and diplomas to strengthen the foundation of believers' faith. For details, please contact any of our pastoral staff or Christian Education ECC, Eric Chow.
- The Mandarin Pastor search committee has been formed. The members are: Ben Chen (Chair), Maggie Lee, Jason Niu, Jennie Su, Wenli Pan, Shawn Wang, Danny Chin, Agnes Chow, Nancy Chu, and Pastor Ben. Please keep in your prayers the search process.

### **Jireh Church in Prayer**

**Every Wednesday between 7-9PM** Check in at sites.google.com/jirehchurch.org/prayer/eng, where you can check in and also find a prayer guide. Pick a time from 7pm to 9pm on Wednesday and pray with the body of Christ.



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 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade)	Every Friday (7:30-9:30PM)	Pastor Edward Yee Edward.Yee@jirehchurch.org (917) 379-1775
Children's Fellowship (K – 5 <sup>th</sup> 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**

Mission	Andrew Lau, '24	(732) 567-5756	mission@jirehchurch.org
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Worship English/Senior Pastor	Wai Ng, '27 Rev. Ben Lin	(732) 334-8460 (732) 431-2828	worship@jirehchurch.org Ben.Lin@jirehchurch.org
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#### LAST WEEK at JIREH

Offerings	Last Week	Month Goal	Month To Date	Attendance	
Offerings				Worship, English	51
Mission				Worship, Chinese	109/11
Thanksgiving				Worship, Children	6
Mercy Fund				Wednesday Prayer	30
Seminarian Fund				Adult Sunday School	11
Totals				Children Sunday School	9
				MS Sunday School	8
				HS Sunday School	9
				MS Youth Group	9
				HS Youth Group	10
				Children's Fellowship	9

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

"The Last Become First is Good Even For the First" Galatians 4:21-31, Rev. Ben Lin

"Rejoice, O barren one who does not bear; break forth and cry aloud, you who are not in labor! For the children of the desolate one will be more than those of the one who has a husband."--Galatians 4:27 (ESV)