

THE WEEKLY RAG

*For the United Ministries
of the Presbyterian Church in Chinatown and Donaldina Cameron House*

March 7, 2021

Virtual Teatime Following Worship

Join us for a time of virtual fellowship!
During the season of Lent, discussions will be led by:

Scott Barlow - 3/07/2021

Norman Fong - 3/14/2021

Greg Chan - 3/21/2021

Bruce Der-McLeod - 3/28/2021

Go to Saturday's email from info@pccsf.org
to access the zoom link.

Women's Fellowship Gathering

Monday, March 15, 2021 - 6:45pm

Linda Lee will lead us in Lesson 3 "Women's Lament", from the Horizons Bible study. In scripture and tradition women have carried much of the burden of lament for society. If you do not have the study guide, read Jeremiah 9:17-21 and Matthew 2:16-18. If you've kept the Zoom link, we'll be using same link as last month. If not, you'll receive an email closer to time with link.

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Today's Hymns and Scripture Passages

Opening

God of Grace and God of Glory
Hymn 307 in Glory to God

Meditation

Sanctuary

performed by

PCC Ukulele Band and Singers

Closing

**The Church of Christ
in Every Age**

Hymn 320 in Glory to God

1 Corinthians 1:18-25

John 2:13-22

Mondays, 9:30am

SCHOOL OF DISCIPLESHIP.

Saturdays, 10am-2pm

FOOD PANTRY @ PCC

UPCOMING EVENTS

3/14 Session Meeting

3/15 Women's Fellowship

3/16 Commission Meeting

3/28 Palm Sunday

Board of Deacons

Pastor Don's office hours: Sunday-Thursdays, 9am-5pm

To meet with Pastor Don via zoom or in person, please make an appointment. Due to the nature of church work and many meetings, an appointment will assure you have his full attention. If your schedule requires evening or night time contact, please arrange with Pastor Don. Other days off will be on most federal holidays. Here are some suggestions for reaching him:

Email: Routine communication (read more below)

Telephone: (415) 392-1500 Call during regular office hours

Text: Short, important messages; Send during regular office hours; Include him in group texts sparingly

For routine emails, if they are sent 'after hours', expect a reply the next day, or if on Friday or Saturday, replies will come on the next 'working' day. For pastoral emergencies, Pastor Don is available at all times.

Prayers of Joys and Concern

Please remember in your prayers:

Rachel Wong had a good report for her recent visit with her doctor. Her tumor has shrunk, and she continues to do well at home, enjoying the company of sister, Fannie.

Healing prayers for **Harry Chuck** who just had stem cells injected into his knees. Let's pray that his body produces new cartilage and other new tissue to restore mobility and flexibility. This warrior has had more discomfort lately and is trying to stave off a knee replacement.

Rev. Joanna Jew Dunn has accepted a new call to Bethany Presbyterian Church in Portland, Oregon, to be their Pastor/Head of Staff. She will begin this new call in April. She is currently the Associate Pastor at University Presbyterian Church in Rochester Hills, Michigan.

Members of our PCC family who live in Texas who are dealing with recovery from weather challenges and shortage of supplies like clean water and food: **Alex and Max Hum** in Dallas, **Jeannette Wei** and **Jim Caldwell** in San Antonio, **Terry Chan's cousin Karen** and her family in San Antonio.

John and Tereza Wichman as Tereza recovers from her February 18th surgery.

Barbara Chan whose cancer has returned affecting her spine, requiring more chemo and radiation. She is one of the mask makers with other PCC family and a friend of Dave Chan.

Carolyn Chan and David Chan's Auntie Letty has fallen a couple of times this month. Her family is hoping to get her into a skilled nursing facility in the next few weeks for physical therapy.

Mike Masek was diagnosed with a rare cancer on his spine. No long-term prognosis yet. Starting chemo and radiation. He is one of Dave Chan's ski friends.

Chelsea Wong Ong's mother-in-law, **Gloria**, was diagnosed with cancer. Gloria will undergo surgery in early March and then radiation. Chelsea is the daughter of Kimball & Vivien.

Karina Lee Howe, who continues to be treated for cancer.

Louis Chinn, husband of **Debbie Wong Chinn**, who is making urgent plans to return to Germany for the only treatment left available for his cancer. Debbie grew up in the CH club program with Wayne Eng, Diane Go and Jackie Jew.

Carolyn Chan and David Chan's Aunt Mabel (Clarence's youngest sibling) died on Sunday, Feb 14, from a brain aneurysm. She is survived by children and grandchildren, plus members of Clarence's extended family.

Julie Jung, sister-in-law of **Loreen Seid Jung**, died on March 3. Prayers for Julie's family, including brother, Vincent (Loreen's husband), and children Kendall and Kennedy.

For all the **Single Room Occupancy (SRO) residents**, whose communal living environments put them at higher risk for the COVID virus. And for many SRO residents who are suffering from the isolation and loss of their supportive connections and programs, who struggle with their sobriety, their sanity, and having enough income to make rent.

And for all people who are feeling depressed and anxious due to the pandemic and missing so many of the things they loved doing and people they loved interacting with regularly.

The English Worshiping Congregation's **Mission Study Team** and their important work.
