

Prayers for Our ECC Community

PRaises AND PRAYERS

CHURCH BOARD

- Praise God for His gracious presence and leading during our May 9 Church Board meeting. We give thanks for the unity of the Spirit He cultivated among our leaders, for their faithful presence, and for the heart of engagement that shaped every discussion. We praise God for the willingness of board members to listen deeply, speak with humility, and discern together what would honor Christ and bless His church. As the board now turns toward implementing the decisions made, we pray that the Lord Himself would guide every next step—granting clarity, wisdom, and steadfast obedience so that all plans may align with His purposes and bear fruit for His glory.
- Pray for the Lord’s continued grace over the entire church board as they serve in this season. Ask God to anchor every vision, every plan, and every decision under the leadership of Jesus Christ—our foundation and our Great Shepherd. Pray that He strengthens these leaders when the work feels heavy, renews their spirits when the days feel long, guards their unity, deepens their humility, and fills them with a joy that comes from serving in His presence. May their shepherding leadership reflect the gentleness, wisdom, and character of Christ, and may their service be sustained by His unfailing grace.
- Pray for the discernment process now beginning across all eight congregations as pastors, elders, and leaders reach out to deacon and deaconess nominees for the 2027-2029 term. Give thanks for those who have been identified and invited to consider this calling. Pray that each nominee would seek the Lord with an open and willing heart, listening for His voice and discerning His lead-

ing. Ask God to grant clarity, peace, and courage as they consider whether to step forward as official candidates, trusting that He equips those He calls and uses every act of obedience for the building up of His church.

PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES

Devendra and Koko Rai are a part of the Commission to Every Nation. They are involved in setting up Bible School on Wheels (BSOW) and multiplying churches in NE India and other parts of Asia. They wrote about their friends who had a brief stopover in Bangkok and were being deported and needed to pass ministry equipment to them. Their family was not in town at the time, but thanks to God's connections, he was able to send someone to pick up the equipment. Meanwhile, a pastor in Thailand started a Burmese worship service in his apartment after landlords refused to rent to them. One of their children, Karen, delivered her first child, their third grandchild. Back in Bangkok, their church is next to a major university, allowing them to reach Mainland Chinese students. May their advertisements bring many students to be curious about God.

PRAY FOR THE WORLD

- Please pray for the upcoming US-China summit. May the Lord bless the negotiations and help all parties to reach compromise for the good of the world.
- Please pray for God to preserve and strengthen the churches in Egypt. Once the majority, the minority Egyptian Christians face persecution on a daily basis but continue to persevere. May the Lord continue to help them be salt and light and be a reminder of the Christian heritage in the country.

Evangelical Chinese Church of Seattle – Edmonds English

Worship Service | 5/17/2026, 11:15 AM

Call to Worship
Worship through Praise
Congregational Prayer & the Lord's Prayer
Worship through the Word

Minister Chris Hui
“The Power to Commission”
Matthew 28:16-20

Worship in Response
Doxology & Benediction
Welcome and Announcements

Offering is a part of our worship to God.
Online Offering: <https://eccseattle.org/en/give/>

SERVANT TEAM	TODAY	NEXT WEEK
SPEAKER	Minster Chris Hui	Pastor Solomon Liu
MODERATOR	Minister Ryan Summers	Manfoon Chu
WORSHIP	Ryan's Team	Joyful Noise
A/V TECH	George Chiu Dave Woodbury Jack Peng	George Chiu Dean Matsen Vanthy Ouk
USHER	Davy Ouk	Vanessa Woodbury
DOOR ROTATION	Fengcai Yuan	

Sermon Notes

“The Power to Commission”

Matthew 28:16-20

2026 Spring Cleaning

5/30 (Sat) | 9:30 AM-12:30 PM | EDS Campus



Please reserve this time to join our annual effort and co-labor with brothers and sisters to refresh our spiritual home.

Lunch will be provided!

Mongolia STM Testimony Sharing

5/31 (Sun) | 1-2 PM | EDS English worship hall

Sister Rosalie Wu (SEA-E) will share how she witnessed the Lord at work through the Mongolia Short-Term Missions Trip. Come be encouraged, challenged, and inspired as we reflect on God’s faithfulness, and consider how He may be calling you as well.

Announcements

Lunch Service

EDS will be offering lunch on May 31st after the worship service.
Each meal is \$7 and will be served from 12:45 PM to 1:15 PM.
Please reserve your lunch before 5/28.
Reservation link: <https://bit.ly/eds-lunch>



YF Camp 2026 Registration (Deadline: 6/7)

6/19-21 (Fri-Sun) | Camp Casey Conference Center, Whidbey Island, WA
We welcome middle schoolers and current 5th graders.
Cost: \$150
Registration link: <https://tinyurl.com/ypnk8ntt>
Theme: "Rooted"
Contact: Minister Ryan Summers (ryansummers@eccseattle.org)

Chronicles of Redemption

5/30 (Sat) | 6:00 PM | Damascus International Fellowship, Seattle
Our KiNDRED church DIF will be performing a powerful stage play called "Chronicles of Redemption." Please come and watch a play that will depict true stories of faith and the redeeming power of Christ that saves lives.

Northern Thailand Short-Term Missions Trip

5/31 (Sun) | 1 PM | Redmond Cantonese Worship Hall
Zoom Meeting ID: 875 9280 2922 | Passcode: 123321
The short-term missions team is planning to serve in Chiang Rai from October 18-31 this year to participate in evangelistic ministry among the Akha and Dai ethnic groups. Join us for an informational and recruiting meeting for team members. Brothers and sisters unable to attend in person can participate online.
Inquiries: Pastor Yeung (homanyeung@eccseattle.org) or Minister Wendy (wendychoy@eccseattle.org)



Cambodia Short-Term Missions Trip

5/31 (Sun) | 7:30 PM | EDS Room #117
Zoom Meeting ID: 828 1947 1601 | Passcode: 123321
The short-term missions team is planning to serve in Phnom Penh, Cambodia, from November 1-14 this year to serve schools and women's shelters with "Fullness in Christ Fellowship." Join us for an informational and recruiting meeting for team members. Brothers and sisters unable to attend in person can participate online.
Dinner will be served at 6:30 PM. Please register with Pastor Yeung by 5/30.
Inquiries: Pastor Yeung (homanyeung@eccseattle.org) or Minister Wendy (wendychoy@eccseattle.org)



2026 Taiwan Missions @ Bethany - Invite or forward to your friends and family in Taiwan!

The Taiwan Short-Term Missions Team will be hosting a High School "**Leadership Character Camp**" and an Elementary School VBS this July at Bethany Children & Family Foundation in Taipei. Online registration is now open! Brothers and sisters are invited to support this ministry in prayer and to encourage friends, family, and churches in Taiwan to sign up.

Let us join together in prayer for the next generation of children and youth in Taiwan's churches, so that their faith may be passed on and their spiritual lives continue to grow.

