

## 2024/8/11 家庭崇拜程序

### 1. 家庭崇拜的格式(給有比較小的孩子的家庭)

- 唱詩：兒童主日學的詩歌，並唱 ”Jesus Loves Me”
- 開始的禱告(可以請小朋友來禱告)
- 爸爸或媽媽講故事  
(父母可以事先上真理堂網站察看本主日講道大綱或聆聽信息)
- 請小朋友分享：他們聽完故事學到甚麼？
- 爸爸或媽媽加強故事的重要真理
- 再唱一次 ”Jesus Loves Me”
- 全家每一個人輪流禱告

### 2. 各自在家敬拜的內容

- 唱詩：口唱心和第 #103 與第 119 (詩歌如附件)
- 開始的禱告
- 讀經：約拿書 1:17-2:10
- 請上真理堂的網站聆聽 2024 年 8 月 11 日 (本主日) 的主日證道.
- 請花一點時間默想，並作回應的禱告。  
(青少年家庭在讀經之後，請仍根據所讀的經文，討論其中所啟示的重要真理，並分享個人的回應，然後輪流做回應的禱告)
- 唱詩：口唱心和第 #200 (詩歌如附件)

## 為美國禱告

1. 請為執政掌權的各級官員禱告，他們需要做很多重大決策。求神使他們能行公義、好憐憫，來幫助窮苦的百姓。
2. 請為最高法院大法官禱告。最高法院裁決一些很有爭議性的法案。請為大法官的安全代禱，求神保守。也求神使所有的大法官都能來按公義與公平來判案，並維護憲法。
3. 求神眷顧社會上的貧窮人與受各種不義或不公平對待或受欺壓的人，彰顯神的公義與憐憫，供應他們的需要，為他們申冤，並有福音傳給他們。
4. 請為被美國接納的阿富汗、烏克蘭及中南美洲難民的各方面需要代禱。由於烏克蘭的戰爭，以及美南邊界的開放，使遠超過歷年人數的難民來到美國。求神施恩幫助他們安頓與適應，並有福音傳給他們。
5. 請為教會的悔改禱告。不僅是受世俗化、個人主義、享樂主義、後現代思潮的同化，加上疫情與打疫苗的問題，更加暴露出教會的問題之嚴重性。
6. 為美國社會各方面的敗壞—包括變性及性別代名詞所帶來的混亂等等—呼求神介入，施行審判，使人認識自己的罪，得聽福音而悔改轉向神。
7. 請為美國 2024 年的總統及參眾兩院的大選禱告。希望這次選出的總統及國會議員可以在公義和道德上持守正直。

8. 請為在菲律賓的 Dr. Phyllis 感恩，她的脊椎骨開刀很成功(詳見附件)。請繼續為她的完全康復代禱，使她能在那個穆斯林村莊繼續服事神。

**Hi Prayer partners,**

I'm sitting here in my hospital bed the day after surgery, with a small bandage on my neck... feeling pretty achy yet, but rejoicing!

When I went into surgery, of course, these docs knew too much about all the potential complications of the surgery: including loss of voice, difficulty swallowing, and for me potential difficulty breathing, (they even reserved an ICU room out of caution!! Yikes!) or getting a more fuzzy brain than I already am at my age... and even paralysis if things go south... all things that I could choose to either fret about or give to the Lord, over the last months... (To be honest, I choose #2 "most of the time"... hehehe!)

Well when I opened my eyes in the recovery room, though pretty achy, I:

- first, I wiggled my toes, fingers, arms, and legs ✓
- next took a nice deep breath -- thankful for no tube in ICU ✓
- next swallowed a bit of spit, and asked with a real voice for and enjoyed a successful drink of water ✓
- Then, I reminded myself where I was and the circumstances clearly ✓
- Then asked for my sweet watcher Pinky to come and rub my sore back, and waved out the window to Jeje with a smile
- THEN WORSHIPPED quietly my Lord!

After another successful trip to the CR (comfort room) today, I just ordered out for lunch for me and my watchers! Thank you all for your prayers and sweet notes of encouragement! There is even a possibility I could go home this afternoon! -- always more comfortable to recover at home! (The hospital conditions is a story for another day ... hehehe!)

BUT that's enough about this old lady: May I ask you to ...

... thank Him and ask to bless those who stayed with me through this time, Jeje, Pinky, Pammy, and "Lillian" (in between classes)

... add for prayer, too my Michigan church pastor, Pastor Tom as he had surgery about the same time as me, Wednesday in the US, for a much more serious issue, a possible return of a cancer he's been fighting in the mighty strength of the Lord. His surgery too was reportedly successful... pray for his recovery and for wisdom from the doctors regarding the results.

.... pray for my neighbor, Laura, whom I ultrasounded and shared the Gospel with, last Monday, as she's a widow my age with a probable neck tumor, for provision for evaluation and possible surgery.

Before going into my surgery, and this morning we were all able to worship in singing. Please join us!

Phyllis

**P.S. 弟兄姊妹的奉獻可以寄到下列地址：**

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