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Welcome

手音哥织

~世界因祢美麗~

(國高大學/兒童/幼幼)



禱告祝福 Blessing Prayer

神愛世人,甚至將他的獨生子賜給他們,叫一切信他的,不至滅亡,反得永生。 For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. 約翰福音 John 3:16

為每個人禱告並彼此祝福

感謝神藉著祂的兒子-耶穌所帶來的愛與希望, 祝福今天來這裡的每一個人, 都能夠知道耶穌誕生所帶來的好消息, 感受到神的愛,心裡充滿溫暖與平安。

Pray for each person and bless one another.

We thank God for the love and hope brought to us through His Son, Jesus. We pray that everyone gathered here today may know the good news that the birth of Jesus signifies, feel God's love, and be filled with warmth and peace in their hearts.

喜迎聖誕

Call to Worship

(國際生)

詩歌歌唱

Worship

(聯合敬拜團)

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I used to believe that faith was only for people who were emotionally weak. To be honest, I really disliked religion.

In my mind, religion was just a group of people with rigid thinking, who loved to lecture others, and somehow everything always seemed to come back to money.

So if you are sitting here today with some reservations, some doubts, or even some resistance in your heart, I would like you to know this first: I understand, because I used to feel exactly the same way.

When I was twenty-nine years old, I hit a low point in my life.

It wasn't caused by one major event. Rather, it was the result of many choices I had made over the years. The choices once I thought were smart at the time, but looking back, realized had actually led me in the wrong direction.

On the surface, I looked fine. But inside, I was exhausted, confused, and deeply unwilling to admit that I needed help.

That was when I began attending a small group at 4C church and encountered this faith I once had disliked so much.

But I want to be honest—I wasn't there to seek for answers. I went there to challenge them.

I kept asking questions, trying to prove that what the Bible said was wrong, that it simply couldn't work in the real world.

I told myself, "I've seen plenty of ups and downs in life. I can handle things on my own."

But ironically, in the end, I realized that I was the one who was lost.

Not to another person, but to the truth in the Bible that I didn't want to admit.

Little by little, it showed me what really mattered in my life—not achievements, not winning or losing, but whether I was treating the people I cared about well, and whether I was living in healthy, honest relationships.

Still, even then, I didn't decide to believe in God. I only thought, "The Bible is a very wise book."

Then one day, at my lowest and quietest moment, God spoke to me personally.

He didn't scold me.
He didn't tell me to fix myself immediately.
He simply said one sentence:
"My grace is sufficient for you."

In that moment, I suddenly understood that all my striving in life wasn't about pursuing something—it was about proving something.

Proving that I was good enough, strong enough, worthy of being affirmed.

But God said to me, "You don't need to prove anything anymore."

And that was why I decided to be baptized.

But I want to be clear about one thing—being baptized did not suddenly make me well-behaved.

One time, I told the pastor's wife and told her I wanted to get a tattoo. She gently reminded me that in the Old Testament, slaves were marked with tattoos, and that the Bible says our bodies are temples of the Lord. She asked me to think carefully about it.

The next day, I still went and got the tattoo. Very rebellious.

Before I started dating my wife, she wasn't a Christian either. Also very rebellious.

But one thing I am very sure of is this: God did not leave me because of my rebellion.

So if you are sitting here today feeling that your life is full of problems, stuck situations, and confusion you don't even know how to put into words, I want you to know this—church is not a place you enter only after all your problems are solved.

This is a place where you can bring your questions and be slowly, patiently loved.

Faith is not for people who are emotionally weak. It is for people who are willing to admit, "I am tired of carrying everything on my own."

Christmas is not just about celebrating a religious holiday. It is a reminder that when we could not reach God, God chose to come to us.

If you are willing, today could be the beginning of not having to carry everything by yourself anymore.



路加福音 Luke 2:8-17

2:8 在伯利恆之野地裏有牧羊的人,夜間按着更次看守羊群。 2:9 有主的使者站在他們旁邊,主的榮光四面照着他們;牧羊的 人就甚懼怕。2:10 那天使對他們說:「不要懼怕!我報給你們 大喜的信息,是關乎萬民的;2:11因今天在大衛的城裏,為你 們生了救主,就是主基督。2:12 你們要看見一個嬰孩,包着 布,臥在(馬)槽裏,那就是記號了。」8 And in the same region there were shepherds out in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. 9 And an angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were filled with fear. 10 And the angel said to them, Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. 11 For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. 12 And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger.

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2:13 忽然, 有一大隊天兵同那天使讚美神說: 2:14 在至高之處 榮耀歸與神!在地上平安歸與他所喜悅的人!2:15 眾天使離開 他們,升天去了。牧羊的人彼此說:「我們往伯利恆去,看看 所成的事,就是主所指示我們的。」2:16 他們急忙去了,就尋 見馬利亞和約瑟,又有那嬰孩臥在(馬)槽裏;2:17 既然看見, 就把天使論這孩子的話傳開了。13 And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, 14 Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom He is pleased!15 When the angels went away from them into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, Let us go over to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has made known to us. 16 And they went with haste and found Mary and Joseph, and the baby lying in a manger. 17 And when they saw it, they made known the saying that had been told them concerning this child.







第一次來嗎?FIRST TIME HERE? 期待更多認識你,歡迎填寫新家人表單→



我用主的愛真誠來愛你(x2)
With the love of God, I love you genuinely(x2)
因我見你裡面有王的榮美
Because in you, I see the glory of God
我用主的愛真誠來愛你
With the love of God, I love you genuinely

邀請大家去認識 1 位叫不出名字的 弟兄姊妹 或 朋友請樓上的弟兄姊妹下樓來,大家一起來歡迎新朋友

Congregational singing

(普世歡騰) (一同齊聲宣揚)

愛宴場地安排 Seating Arrangement

家庭牧區

長青/家庭清心/中大

信望愛室

社青牧區

叮噹猶獅 哈猶獅 社青猶 新心望



教職員室

學生牧區

嘻嘻 博個小家 幸福小家



水池週邊

國際生

Ichthus

教職員室

愛宴服事 Luncheon service

餐點就位 11:30

善後清理 12:40

長青 Ichthus

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社青猶獅

新個望家



聖誕變宴

Christmas Love Feast