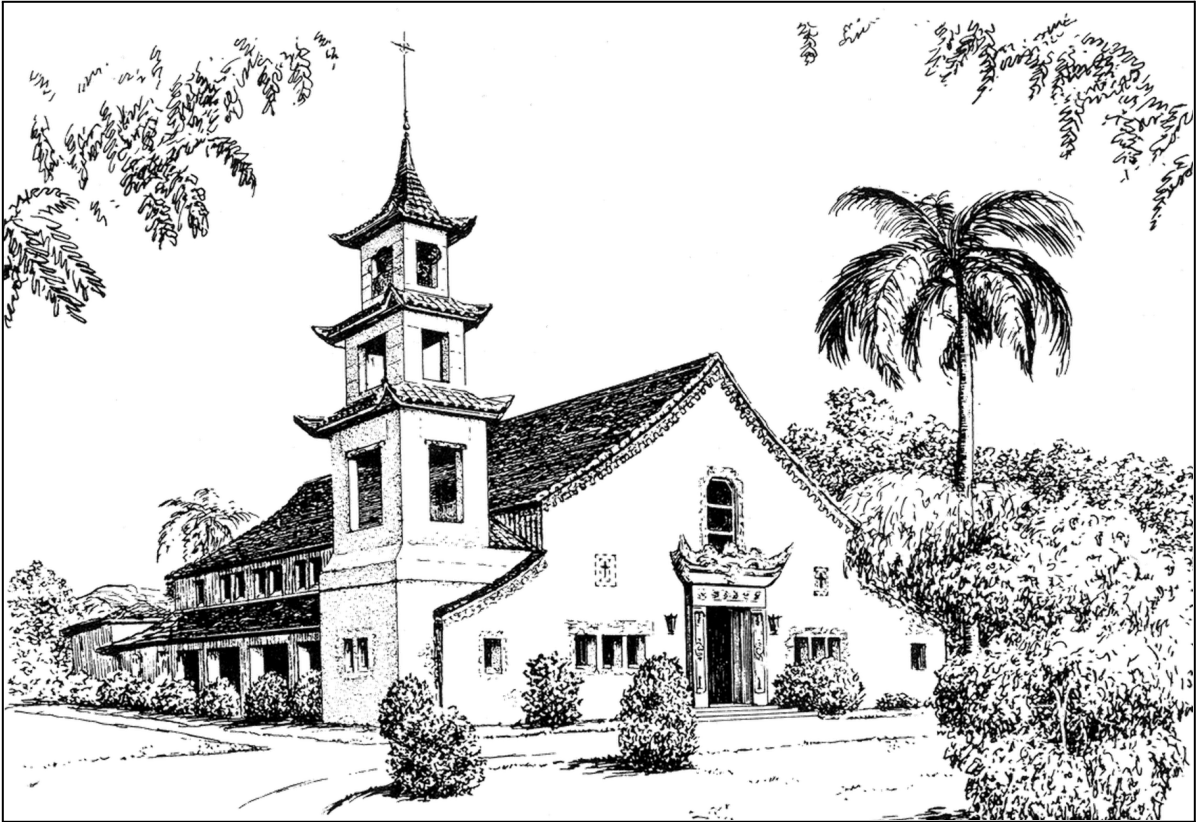


THE FIRST CHINESE CHURCH OF CHRIST IN HAWAII

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LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

May 3, 2026

1054 South King Street, Honolulu, Hawai'i 96814

WORSHIP SERVICE

May 3, 2026 – 10:30 AM

PRELUDE

Prayer

Karl Bachman, Organist
Leon Boellmann (1862-1897)

WELCOME

David Huang

Aloha! Welcome to the gathering of The First Chinese Church of Christ in Hawai'i! If you're visiting with us today, we're so glad you're here. Please take a moment to fill out a Visitor's Card in the pew in front of you and drop it in the koa bowl at the front or during the offering. We would love to get to know you!

CALL TO WORSHIP

David Huang

Our Call to Worship today comes from Psalm 105:1–4 (ESV):

- 1** Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!
- 2** Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wondrous works!
- 3** Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice!
- 4** Seek the Lord and his strength; seek his presence continually!

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

PRAYER OF ADORATION

David Huang

Lord, we give thanks to You and call upon Your name. We gather to make known Your deeds and to sing Your praises. Our hearts rejoice

because we seek You, the living God. As we worship, we seek Your strength and Your presence. Reveal Your wondrous works to us today.

In Jesus' name we pray, Amen. Please stand.

SONGS OF PRAISE

Praise Team

*Are You Washed In the Blood
Spirit Song*

PASTORAL PRAYER (You may be seated.)

Pastor Jiale Sun

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Congregation

HYMN

Karl Bachman, Organist

Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus (#477, Red Hymnal)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

David Huang

You may be seated. Let's take a moment to go over our weekly announcements.

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

David Huang

Let us worship God through the giving of our tithes and offerings. Ushers, you may come forward. On the first Sunday of each month, we collect a Love Offering—a special fund that supports members of our church family or those connected to us who may be going through a difficult season, whether that's financial hardship, illness, or another need. If you'd like to contribute to the Love Offering, designate an amount in the center of your envelope and write "Love".

ONLINE GIVING

If you would like to give online, scan the QR code or visit
<https://www.firstchinese.org/go/>.



SONG OF THANKSGIVING

Praise Team

Glory Glory Lord

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

David Huang

Let us bow our heads.

Lord of all, we offer these gifts not out of obligation, but out of gratitude. You are the source of our life and our strength. Take these offerings and use them to build Your Kingdom here in Hawai'i and beyond. In the name of Jesus, our Savior, Amen.

We pray in Jesus' name, Amen. Please stand for the Doxology.

DOXOLOGY

Karl Bachman, Organist

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

ALOHA TIME

David Huang

Let's take a moment to greet those around us, welcome someone new or reconnect with someone familiar.

SERMON

Pastor Jiale Sun

“Enter the Kingdom of God Empty-Handed”
Mark 10:13-16 (ESV)

Page 1006 in your pew Bible

RESPONSE HYMN

Karl Bachman, Organist

I Love to Tell the Story (#297, Red Hymnal)

THE LORD'S SUPPER

Pastor Jiale Sun

COMMUNION SONG

Praise Team

With All I Am

CLOSING PRAYER

Pastor Jiale Sun

BENEDICTION

Pastor Jiale Sun

POSTLUDE

Chaconne

Karl Bachman, Organist
Louis Couperin (1626-1661)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Altar Flowers**

Mahalo for this week's altar flowers from Liang Hong He and from Kit Sakurai in loving memory of Stephen Sakurai.

- **Love Feast**

Join us today after Worship in the gym for our monthly Love Feast. Everyone is invited!

- **Forever Young Ministry**

Seniors (55 & better) have been invited to join a group of 60 others, led by Stanford Yuen, on a specially arranged tour of the USS Arizona, Historical Pearl Harbor Sites, the Museum and Battleship, on TUESDAY, May 19, 2026; be at FCCC by 1:00 PM. Admission is free! We are limited to 20 seats. Sign up, on the Ewa Lanai, by Sunday, May 10. If you have questions, please see Art Wong.

- **Sunday Bible Study**

Join Kahu Daryl Hee's Bible Study class every Sunday from 9:00–10:00 AM in the MPR. The study is called "Facing Your Giants." We are learning about the life of David by exploring 1 Samuel.

- **Archery**

Join On Target for Christ for a free archery event on May 9 from 10AM-2PM at the playground. All are welcome.

- **Graduation Sunday**

Kindly submit names of graduates to be listed at the May 31st Graduation Sunday English Worship Service to <office@firstchinese.org> by May 24th. You may include the name of the school, plans, and names of parents/grandparents. You can also optionally email photos to yvonne@firstchinese.org.

- **In Memorium**

Harvey Young went to be with the Lord on April 19, 2026. He is survived by Ginny Young, Dara (Garett Ichimura), Lori (Kevin Timmons) and Ivan (Kim née Takashima) and five grandchildren. Services will be held on Monday, June 8, 2026 at Hawaiian Memorial Park Chapel, 45-425 Kamehameha Hwy, Kaneohe, HI 96744. Visitation at 9:00 AM, Service at 10:00 AM. The newspaper obituary will be published on Sunday, May 31.

NOTES

Pastor Jiale Sun

Chinese Pastor

What I learned today:

STUDYING THE BIBLE TOGETHER

Tuesday

9:00–10:00 AM.....Midweek Morning Bible Study (Master's Hall, MPR)

Friday (except the last Friday of the month)

6:45 PM.....Dinner (w/ Mandarin congregation)

7:30-8:30 PM.....Midweek Evening Bible Study (Rm 303)

Sunday

9:00–10:00 AM.....Children & Youth Sunday School (Founder's Hall)

9:00–10:00 AM.....Adult Sunday School (Master's Hall, MPR)

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