

## Clifton, NJ Family Church E-News: PSWM Rally Info Available

Crescentia DeGoede

November 15, 2019



### Sunday Service

WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN THIS WEEK'S  
**SUNDAY SERVICES**

8AM AND 10AM



SERMON TITLE: SEEING WITH EYES OF TRUE LOVE

SPEAKER: REV. CRESCENTIA DEGOEDE

JOIN US FOR FELLOWSHIP AFTERWARDS

### Sunday Service Schedule

#### 8am and 10am Service

November 10<sup>th</sup> to December 29<sup>th</sup>

8am has been adjusted to accommodate  
volunteers visiting churches throughout the rest  
of the day. Sunday School will still be provided  
during 10am



## NOMINATIONS FOR NEW COUNCIL MEMBERS 2019

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Applications forms can be dropped off at the church or emailed to the (council Email) email address.

The Pastor and the Council will review the nominations. Names of candidates will be announced on Sunday, November 24th in the church bulletin and in the church E-news.

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### Clifton Family Church Council Meeting Notes

[Read Council Notes Here](#)

We Invite you to  
**Daily Clifton Family Church Rally  
Condition**  
Every Day at 7am

PURPOSE: UNITE IN HEART AND SPIRIT TO SUPPORT THE PEACE STARTS WITH ME RALLY WITH TRUE MOTHER ON DEC. 28TH.

ON SATURDAYS, WE WILL MEET AT THE PRUDENTIAL CENTER TO PRAY AS PART OF THE CONDITION AT 7AM. EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO JOIN!

**MEETING PLACE: CHAMPIONSHIP PLAZA**  
232 MARKET STREET, NEWARK NJ 07011

#### Zoom Meeting Details

[Join Zoom Meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 781 820 439  
Password: 744801

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Dial by your location  
+1 646 558 8656 US (New York)  
+1 669 900 6833 US (San Jose)

Meeting ID: 781 820 439  
Find your local number: [zoom.us/j/781820439](https://zoom.us/j/781820439)

**Announcements**



## Peace Starts With Me Rally

Featuring True Mother | Prudential Center, Newark New Jersey

We invite you, your families and guests to attend a special event taking place at the Prudential Center in Newark, New Jersey on Sunday, December 28th! Come see the Mother of Peace with special guest speakers, performances and more! **For more information, please [click here](#).**

You can pick up more vouchers and outreach role card in the Fellowship Hall. If you are considering in working for outreach, please make sure to report to your coordinator. **If you need more flyers and postcards, you can download them for free [here](#).**

Contact: Naokimi Ushiroda - [nushiroda@unification.org](mailto:nushiroda@unification.org)



### ACLCL Prayer Breakfast

Saturday November 16th, 2019

8:30am - 11am | \$10



Bishop Rene Ballenas  
General Superintendents  
ACE International

St. Mark AME Church  
587 Springdale Ave,  
East Orange, NJ 07017

Sponsored by the ACLC of NJ:  
Contact: Dr. Greg Agulan  
908-472-1825  
[acagulan@aol.com](mailto:acagulan@aol.com)



### ACLCL Prayer Breakfast

Saturday November 23rd, 2019

8:30am - 11am | \$10

**Guest Speaker:**

Apostle Glenda Phillips-Lee Yuk  
International Gospel Helpers  
Church, NYC

Hosted by: Emilijun Rapada  
Elizabeth Family Church  
60 Prince St. Elizabeth NJ 07206

For More information:  
Miller Williams: 908-324-8420  
Sara Franklin: 862-368-0721



LET'S CELEBRATE AND GIVE THANKS!

## THANKSGIVING POTLUCK FEAST

Bring a Side Dish of Your Choice!  
(we'll provide the Turkey!)

Thursday November 28, 2019 6 PM  
Clifton Family Church

## Tribal Messiah Blessing Ceremony

**Saturday December 7 | 2pm - 5pm**

2pm: Reception and Guidelines

3pm - 5pm: Blessing Ceremony

Candidate: \$20/couple | \$30/family

**Contact: Atsushi Takino**  
(201-355-9905 | [takino7@optonline.net](mailto:takino7@optonline.net))

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED

## BALLROOM DANCING

*For Couples | Stress Free Date Night  
Dance the Night Away!*

**EVERY 2ND AND 4TH WEDNESDAY  
NOVEMBER 13TH AND 27TH  
7 PM - 10 PM.**

**CLIFTON CHURCH | FELLOWSHIP HALL**

*Come enjoy an evening of ballroom dancing with your sweetheart! If you've always wanted to learn but never had the chance, or if you just want to brush up on your skills, this is the perfect time. Refreshments will be provided as well. Hosted by Mathews Bello and Hitoka Sato*



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Registration Deadline: Friday, Dec. 20th at 11:59 PM

Cost: Each participant costs \$200. On the registration form, you will be asked to either send a check or pay through Venmo.

More details are on the registration form: [Click Here](#)

Please note that this includes the December 28th Rally with True Mother.  
You do not need to buy a separate ticket.

Scholarships are Provided!

For any information, please contact Yasutaka Ozawa  
([yozawa95@gmail.com](mailto:yozawa95@gmail.com))



Weekly and Monthly Program

**Heavenly Tribal Messiah Monthly Meeting:** Anyone Interested in Getting Involved with Tribal Messiah | Magnolia Room | Dec. 1 | 12:30pm to 2:00pm  
**Contact: Atsushi Takino - 201-355-9905; [takino7@optonline.net](mailto:takino7@optonline.net)**

**GO Program:** 7th Grade to 12th Grade | Saturdays | 5pm to 9pm  
**Contact: Yoshio Ishikawa - [godstownj@gmail.com](mailto:godstownj@gmail.com)**

**Sunday School:** Pre-K to 7th Grade and Treasures of Heaven  
Sundays | 11am Service | [Register Here](#)  
**Contact: Soin Alexander - [sundayschool78demott@gmail.com](mailto:sundayschool78demott@gmail.com)**

**YUM:** 18 to 35 years old | 1st and 3rd Wednesdays Every month | 7:30pm to 9pm  
Nov. 20th will be at KEA | **Contact: Joe Leonard - 201-467-1915; [jpl14495@yahoo.com](mailto:jpl14495@yahoo.com)**

**DP Adult Sunday School:** All Ages who wants to Get Spiritual Norishment  
Conference Room | Every Sunday | 9:00am  
**Contact: Mr. Steve Sprague - 973-517-9693; [ssprague888@yahoo.com](mailto:ssprague888@yahoo.com)**



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#### Art Teacher Wanted

New Hope School is looking for an art teacher for three afternoons a week starting immediately.

Please contact Dr. Beebe at 973-768-7594 if you are interested.



#### House for Rent

\$1500  
2nd Floor  
2-Bedroom with Living Room, kitchen, 1 bathroom, 1 parking space

Available 1st week of October

Contact: Che Consoro (347-357-4383)



#### Very Good Condition Washing and Dryer Machine for Sale

A washing and a drying machine for sale. Asking between \$250 & \$300 for both: price is negotiable!

Sylvain Millaire, [sylvain4peace@gmail.com](mailto:sylvain4peace@gmail.com), Phone # : 551-587-3256, send me a text message 4 quick answer.



## HELP WANTED - SCHOOL BUSH DRIVER

Starting Wage: \$21/hr. More for experienced drivers.

No experience necessary! We offer Paid CDL Training!

\$1,000 Sign-On Bonus for fully credentialed drivers with CDL, P and S endorsement.

If you are interested, please contact Hildegard  
201-600-7491

[Hildegard\\_gudmundsen@msn.com](mailto:Hildegard_gudmundsen@msn.com)



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Family Federation for World Peace and Unification of Clifton  
973-916-0329 | [contact.d3@unification.org](mailto:contact.d3@unification.org) | [familyfed.org](http://familyfed.org)  
78 De Mott Ave, Clifton, NJ 07011





## **NOMINATIONS FOR NEW COUNCIL MEMBERS 2019**

Four council members will be ending their terms in December including Choongnam Onoe, Christine Libon, Zachary Beebe, and Josephine Gimay. The council will begin accepting nominations for new council members from Sunday, November 10th until Saturday, November 23rd. Listed below are the duties, and eligibility requirements of council members.

### **Duties of Council Members:**

- **Approve Clifton Church plans and budgets.**
- **Give quarterly financial reports and an annual report to the community.**
- **Approve paid Church staff and key personnel.**
- **Appoint or remove department leaders with Pastor's approval.**
- **Appoint standing or ad hoc committees as needed.**
- **Hear concerns of church members.**
- **When there is a need for a new Pastor, the Church Council will search for and recommend candidate to the President or his authorized representative for approval.**
- **Newly elected Council members will serve for a two-year term.**

### **Nominees Requirements:**

- Nominees may be self-nominated or nominated by another person (with the permission of the nominee.)**
- Members who are church employees and their spouses are not eligible to run for council, to avoid conflict of interest.**
- Nominees must be a \*member of Clifton Church**
- 24 years or older**
- Nominee has lived in the community for a minimum of 1 year.**

**\*Member** – A person who believes in True Parents, attends Sunday Worship service, tithes / donates or volunteers for (FFWPU) church activities, under True Mother's Leadership.





**APPLICATION FORM FOR NOMINATION TO THE CLIFTON FAMILY CHURCH COUNCIL**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**(Please print name and email address clearly)**

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

Please write a brief explanation of why you want to serve on the council (maximum 200 words) including any previous experience in working in a church ministry or community service.

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**With your permission, we would like to have a current photo of you which could be used if you are selected as a candidate to run in the council elections. The photo would be placed in the voter's guide which will be distributed to members during the council elections. [The photo can be emailed to: cliftonfamilychurchcouncil@googlegroups.com](mailto:cliftonfamilychurchcouncil@googlegroups.com).**

**[Applications forms can be dropped off at the church or emailed to the above email address.](#)**

The Pastor and the Council will review the nominations. Names of candidates will be announced on Sunday, November 24th in the church bulletin and in the church E-news.

November 3, 2019. Council Meeting

Attendees: 7 plus Pastor Crescentia

Absent: 1 (Zach - practical) plus 1 left before subsequent voting

Began: approx 1:35pm with recitation of the CIG Motto and Council Pledge.

Ended: 3:27 pm with prayer

One mentioned purpose of council (CLibon will get the hard copy of council responsibilities & requirements to Crescentia/new council)

- Council nominations & election explained and named those whose council term is ending. When would be good? Will council continue?

Pastor Crescentia stated she is happy to be here as Pastor, is 100% committed to the district and local community, though not happy with exactly how it happened.

Crescentia: I think it is good to have a Council as eyes and ears to represent the concerns of the community, as a kind of mediator between pastor and community; and as well, it is good to have more people involved in the financial management (not just pastor and bookkeeper). Also, it would help in managing the assets and considering sale (or not) of the current church facility. Council can help Pastor be aware of any new issues, also traditions. So, I'm not intending to disband the council.

I am a reasonable person who likes honest dialogue. Nothing needs to be hidden, I like things brought out in the open.

Right now is a good time for council nominations and elections to take place. I will be going on pregnancy leave for 12 weeks (Due date is March 26). Council and Assistant Pastor Naokimi will be crucial support during my absence. HDQ is paying the Asst Pastor salary. Also Naokimi is mobilization director. He is very well organized and effective and I have a good relationship w Naokimi. He also has great faith and has weathered many leadership transitions. He may attend council meetings as pastor's representative.

- Usually takes two weeks for council nominations. We will Start Nov 10 and on Nov 24 nominees will make their presentations.
- Voted unanimously to have next Council Meeting on Dec 8. Probably consistently on 2nd Sunday of month rather than first Sunday.

Atsuki will learn from Choongnam how to execute nominations and election (counting votes, etc).

Choongnam Needs to revise council manual before nomination procedure.

Crescentia suggested that the Council Manual gets updated re: process for appointment to pastor position. Manual Should state that council can inform/make suggestions to HDQ for potential pastor.

- Re: Open Council Meeting Date:

Council voted 5 to 1 in favor of postponing the next Open Council Meeting until 2020, even though this means that only 3 rather than 4 Open Council Mtgs were held in 2019.

- Practical: Need a person close church bldg every night
- Discussed Bldg Maintenance
- Council Voted Unanimously in favor of establishing a paid position for Bldg see below
- Council Voted to hire a temporary Bldg person (see below)while searching for a permanent person for this position

Crescentia: we need to hire a Temporary Building Maintenance Coordinator. Crescentia will write up job description/responsibilities.

She Suggests Andak Morris be hired temporarily. He has previous experience.

- Council Voted to hire Andak as “Temporary Building Maintenance Coordinator”
- Discussed situation of church building and that local members paid for our building, not paid for by HDQ.
- For Nov Dec the church ministry team voted to have services at 8 AM and 10 AM based on requests from mobilizers. Probably return to 9 AM and 11 AM in January.