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The Chief Abbot Yuishin Ito, delivering his message at the commemorative service

伊藤唯眞浄土門主猊下によるご垂示（記念法要にて）

Scenes from our Religious Activities Mar 2012- Apr 2013

We wish you good health under the heat of summer. We apologize for this late issue of our newsletter since its last edition. The year 2012 was a special year since we observed the 800th Memorial Anniversary Service officiated by the Chief Abbot Yuishin Ito from Chion-in, Kyoto Japan, the Head Temple of Jodo Shu. Owing to the support from our congregation, this commemorate service was observed successfully on June 23, 2012. It became a solemn occasion for our temple to praise Honen Shonin, the founding master of Jodo Shu, with about 300 worshippers from overseas and our local community. In order to welcome worshippers from Japan and around the world, our Fujinkai and

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temple supporters worked very hard with help and guidance from the former overseas priests who kindly stayed in Los Angeles for several days before this service. We wish to thank you for your cooperation and donations to host this service (Please refer to P. 7 for acknowledgement). We would like to ask for your continued support to our religious activities.

Namu Amida Butsu Kodo Tanaka

June 23, 2012: The 800th Memorial Anniversary Service of Honen Shonin (1133-1212)

The Chief Abbot Ito visited Keiro Retirement Home



The Chief Abbot Yuishin Ito and Archbishop Ryoji Toyooka visited Keiro Retirement Home in Boyle Heights. The Chief Abbot Ito delivered his sermon and exchanged greetings with 60 residents of the facilities.



Special Sermon on Buddhism by Rev. Ryokei Arimoto & Gagaku Performance by Chinzei Gakuso

Since Goju Soden Special Retreat in winter 2010, the voice of Nembutsu from our congregation became louder at our regular services and the conversation about Nembustu also became popular among the congregation such as: “Is it allowed to recite Nembutsu when taking a shower?” “I recite Nembutsu while driving.” The English-subtitled DVD, which is a compilation of Rev. Arimoto’s sermons at the Goju Soden retreat, was well received by both our local community and those who live in



European countries. In addition, we often received a question from our congregation, “Is it possible for us to listen to Rev. Arimoto’s sermon ever again in Los Angeles?” This was how Rev. Arimoto’s sermon became possible again in Los Angeles at this commemorative service. Despite that it was early in the morning, the main hall was filled with the audience who were gathered to listen to a 2-hour sermon from Rev. Arimoto. Among them there was a lady who had heard Rev. Arimoto’s sermon before in Japan and travelled a long distance from Philadelphia.

Following Rev. Arimoto’s sermon, Chinzei Gakuso from Fukuoka, Japan, dedicated their Gagaku/Bugaku performance to pay tribute to Honen Shonin. The audience was enchanted

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at the Gagaku music that echoed for an hour and the graceful moves of the dancer with a mask.

The Commemorative Service & Lecture by Dr. Glenn T. Webb

When the commemorative service started with “Tsukikage, the song of Jodo Shu,” the hall became alive and actually seemed to shake when the congregation joined the chorus of this song and the recitation of Nembutsu. Especially in this service, 40 local children received the special blessing from the Chief Abbot Ito and all people were delighted at the heart-warming sight of children who nervously, but joyously made a bow to the officiant.



At the commemorative lecture, Dr. Webb spoke about how Nembutsu, the teaching and practice introduced by Honen Shonin, contributed greatly to the humble and kind personality of Japanese people and concluded the event with his wish that Nembutsu may also contribute to the peace in our neighborhood, society and around the world.



The Dinner-Bufferet Cruise from Long Beach Pier



Welcome aboard! The boat set sail from the Long Beach Pier and the commemorative party was held on the water. About 250 passengers celebrated together on the sea cruise for this solemn occasion to pay tribute to Honen Shonin. Everyone enjoyed exchanging greetings, dancing and singing to the music played by the Mariachi orchestra.



“Namu Amida Butsu” Introduction to Honen’s Pure Land Buddhism, 2-Disc DVD



Recently the entire event of the 800th Memorial Anniversary Service has been compiled to a 2-Disc DVD set with 20-page booklet and become available (Please see P. 12). Disc 1 presents the 2-hour sermon delivered by Rev. Arimoto in both Japanese and English (English subtitle and voice-over available). Disc 2 features the Gagaku performance, the commemorative service and the lecture by Dr. Webb (Japanese subtitle available). This DVD is a visual and audible reference for those who wish to learn about the teaching and practice of reciting “Namu Amida Butsu.” We hope as many people as possible will become familiar with Nembutsu through this DVD. The copies are available at the temple office for a suggested donation of \$35 per copy.

November 2012: Shichigosan



November is the popular season for the “Shichigosan” (Special blessing for children at the age of 3, 5 and 7). This special blessing was held in November 2012 combined with the Juya service and 7 children received the ritual to pray for healthy development of their body and mind. It was wonderful to see children participating in our regular services. Except “Shichigosan,” the ritual of blessing for children is held at request all year around for children of all ages.

January 2013: Special Ritual for Health/Prosperity of Family

Combined with Gyoki Service at the beginning of this year, a special ritual wishing for the health/prosperity of family throughout this year was performed and 12 families received this ritual. This ritual is also available any time during a year at your request.

March 2013: Special Ritual for Success in Scholastic Performance

Combining with Spring Higan Service, a special ritual for scholastic



performance for students was performed in favor of the spring break. Four students tied the hands with Amida Buddha by a string and received this ritual.

April 2013: LA Buddhist Church Federation’s Hanamatsuri Service & Lecture by Dr. Lori R. Meeks



We served as the chair temple for LABCF’s Hanamatsuri this year. On April 7th, more than 200 people from our local community attended this service and celebrated the birth of Sakyamuni

Buddha, the founding master of Buddhism together at our Jodo Shu temple. We wish to thank you for your cooperation to welcome priests and worshippers from the 7 affiliated temples. This event featured the Hanamatsuri service officiated by all priests of LABCF, Gagaku performance by Kinnara Gagaku, the award ceremony of children’s art contest and the commemorative lecture titled “Buddhism and Women” by Dr. Lori R. Meeks, Associate Professor, University of Southern California. Our temple was colorfully decorated with flowers donated from the Flower market and more than 200 colorful artworks from children that covered all corners of the walls in the main hall.



April 2013: Buddhist Service at the Manzanar Pilgrimage



Our temple also served as the chair temple for LABC's annual service at the Manzanar Pilgrimage held on April 27th. Many people including our temple supporters were gathered at the cemetery and offered incense at the service.

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2012~2013 寺院活動報告

真夏の陽射しの厳しい季節になりました。檀信徒の皆様におかれましては、どうぞお身体ご自愛いただき、お念仏と共に健やかな日々を送られますよう祈念いたします。

まず、本ニュースレターでの活動報告が遅れお詫び申し上げます。昨 2012 年は 6 月に『宗祖法然上人 800 年大遠忌法要』を執り行い、当院にとって大変忙しい一年でありました。お陰さまで昨年 6 月 23 日、京都の総本山知恩院様より伊藤唯眞浄土門主猊下(じょうどもんすげいか)・豊岡宗務総長を導師・脇導師にお迎えし、無事この大法要を勤めることができました。

当日は日本からの 130 名の浄土宗教師・檀信徒の皆様を含み約 300 名の参詣の方々と共に『念仏の元祖・浄土宗の宗祖』である法然上人を讃え念仏を称えました。法要に臨んで、事前にロサンゼルスにお越し下さりご指導をいただいた元開教使はじめ多くの浄土宗教師の皆様、またそのご指導に基づき準備・実行に協力下さった当院婦人会並びに檀信徒各位に改めて感謝申し上げます。また、大遠忌法要にあたり喜捨いただきました皆様に御礼申し上げます(7 ページ芳名録ご参照)。

今後とも当院の宗教活動に益々のご協力をお願い申し上げます。

南無阿弥陀仏

田中考道

宗祖法然上人 800 年大遠忌法要 伊藤門主猊下敬老ホームを慰問

大遠忌法要前日、伊藤門主猊下・豊岡宗務総長がボイルハイツの敬老ホームを訪問されました。伊藤猊下より法話、並びに記念の色紙が贈呈され、約 60 名の方々との交流のひと時を過ごされました(2 ページ写真参照)。

仏教法話：有本亮啓師 雅楽・舞楽奉納：鎮西楽所

2010 年冬の『五重相伝』以来、檀信徒の方々より「毎日 100 遍の念仏を称えるように努めています」「通勤の運転中に念仏しています」「シャワーを浴びる時にお念仏を称えてもよいでしょうか」のなど、お念仏に関する話題が増え、その後の法要でも、回を重ねるごとに木魚念仏の音が大きくなっています。五重相伝の法話を記録作成した DVD(英訳付)も好評で、米国に住む日本人とアメリカ人、さらにオランダ・ドイツなどヨーロッパの方々からのお求めもあります。加えて「有本先生の話をもっと伺うことはできないでしょうか」という問い合わせを数多く承り、この度の大遠忌法要において、再びロサンゼルスにて有本亮啓先生の法話を頂戴することができました。

当日は早朝にもかかわらず、檀信徒はじめ多くの地域の方々で満堂となり、2 時間の法話が行われました(2 ページ写真参照)。中にはフィラデルフィアからお出でになった方、「実家の菩提寺が浄土宗で、今回初めてロスに浄土宗の寺があることを知り、法話を聞かれました」というアメリカ在住の方もありました。聴衆は共に微笑み、時には涙して真剣に有本先生の法話に耳を傾けていました。

昼食を挟んで、福岡『鎮西楽所』の皆様による 1 時間の雅楽・舞楽奉納が行われました。まことに素晴らしい演奏で、各界からお褒めの言葉を頂戴し、その音色と舞は

宗教・人種を超えて集まった全員を魅了したようです。

大遠忌法要とウェブ博士の記念講演

宗歌『つきかげ』の斉唱で大遠忌法要が始まりました。参詣者全員の声が『つきかげ』と念仏に重なった時は、正に本堂を揺り動かすようでした。法要では、伊藤門主猊下より当院檀信徒子女や地域の子どもの達約 40 名に健康・成長祈願の儀式が行われました。厳かな笙の音の響く中、神妙な様子で儀式を受ける子ども達の姿を参詣者皆が笑顔で見守る温かいひと時となりました(3 ページ写真参照)。

ペーパーダイン大学名誉教授・佛教大学 LA 校学術顧問のグレン・T・ウェブ博士による記念講演で、ウェブ博士の「法然上人のお念仏は、日本人が伝統的に有する謙虚さと優しさの基盤となっており、これからの世界の平和に貢献するものです」との言葉で記念法要が締めくくられました。

ディナー・パフェ・祝宴クルーズ

夕刻のロングビーチ埠頭を出発、記念法要の祝宴は船上パーティでした。約 250 名の参加者は船上で交流し、マリアッチの歌に合わせて共に歌い、踊り、記念法要が無事行われたことを祝いました(3 ページ写真参照)。

なむあみだぶつ—仏教へのいざない (浄土宗の法話と法要)DVD2 枚組発行

この度当院では、『宗祖法然上人 800 年大遠忌法要』の様子を DVD2 枚(20 ページの冊子付)にまとめた映像作品を作成しました。ディスク 1 は有本亮啓先生の 2 時間の法話全編(英語字幕・英語吹き替え有り)、ディスク 2 は雅楽・舞楽奉納、記念法要、ウェブ博士の記念講演(日本語字幕あり)を収録しています。本作品は映像・音声を通じて浄土宗の念仏の教え・念仏行を紹介する貴重な資料です。当院では、ぜひ数多くの方々に見聴いただき、法然上人の念仏の教えに、また「なむあみだぶつ」と称える念仏実践に親しんでいただきたいと願っています。1 部(2 枚組)35 ドルのご寄付にてお分けします。ご希望の方は寺務所までお問い合わせ下さい(3 ページ写真参照)。

2012 年 11 月：七五三子ども祈願

11 月は七五三の季節。昨年は十夜法要に併せ七五三子ども祈願を行い、7 名の少年少女が心身の健康・成長を願う儀式を受けました。寺院の法要に子ども達が参加する姿は嬉しいものです。七五三以外でも、当院では年間を通じ、ご希望に応じてお子様の年齢に関わらず健康祈願を行っています。

2013 年 1 月：家内(家族)安全祈願

1 月の御忌法要では年頭にあたり、一年の無事安全を願い家内(家族)安全祈願を勤め 12 家族の方々が儀式を受けました。この家内安全や厄除け等の祈願法要もご希望に応じ、年間を通して行っています。

2013 年 3 月：学業成就祈願

3 月の春彼岸法要に併せ、4 名の児童・学生の学業成就祈願を行いました。子ども達は本尊阿弥陀仏像と結ばれた智慧の糸を手に念仏を称え、厳かに儀式を受けました。

2013 年 4 月：LA仏教連合会『花まつり』

今年のロサンゼルス仏教連合会の『花まつり』は当院の担当で 4 月 7 日に行われました。当日は 200 名を超える方々が当院を参詣し、共にお釈迦さまのお誕生を祝いました。各宗寺院の先生・メンバーの方々が当院にお迎えするのに種々ご協力下さった皆様に御礼申し上げます。『花まつり』では仏連先生方による法要、キンナラ雅楽の舞楽奉納、子どもアートコンテスト表彰式、USC 准教授ローリー・ミークス博士の講演『仏教と女性』が行われました。

2013 年 4 月：マンザナーでの慰霊法要

当院は本年、ロサンゼルス仏教連合会のマンザナーでの慰霊法要の担当寺院でもありました。当院檀信徒数名を含む大勢の方々がバスでマンザナーを訪れ、慰霊塔前での仏連主催の仏教法要で合掌・焼香、巡礼に参加されました。

Condolences

- Mrs. Misao Tanaka March 17, 2012
- Mrs. Rumi Yokote September 21, 2012
- Mrs. Asako Kawamura October 3, 2012
- Ms. Aiko Shimabukuro December 24, 2012
- Mrs. Sadame Nakamoto March 19, 2013
- Mr. Susumu Ted Miyakawa May 9, 2013

Memorial Svc for Your Loved Ones

Observing family memorial services for your loved one is important (see P. 12)

- *Try not to be late for the date of passing.
- *Prepare flowers/ fruit/sweets for the altar.
- *Services can be observed either at the temple or your home altar.
- *Residents out-of-state can also request prayers/services.
- *Wear the juzu (nenju: prayer beads) and wa-gesa (Buddhist collar) at the service. If you do not have one, contact the office.
- *If a loved one is very ill or your family is in crisis such as bereavement, please call the office immediately (213-346-9666).

...Namu Amida Butsu, Namu Amida Bu Ten Recitations by No One But You

The following is a sample of how you follow through the ten recitations (Junen). Let us try in our daily lives.

Repeat "Namu Ami Dabu" four (4) times.

- ① NAMU AMI DABU
- ② NAMU AMI DABU
- ③ NAMU AMI DABU
- ④ NAMU AMI DABU (breath)

Repeat another four (4) times.

- ⑤ NAMU AMI DABU
- ⑥ NAMU AMI DABU
- ⑦ NAMU AMI DABU
- ⑧ NAMU AMI DABU (breath)

Recite "Namu Amida Butsu" at the ninth (9) time and conclude the tenth slowly with a bow ("Na-Mu Amida-Bu").

- ⑨ NAMU AMI DABUTSU
- ⑩ NA-MU AMIDA- BU- (bow)

お悔やみ

- 田中 操様
- 横手 留美様
- 河村 朝子様
- 島袋サジ愛子様
- 中本 定女様
- 宮川 テッド 進様

ご命日は法事を勤めましょう

毎年の故人の命日を「祥月命日(しょうつきめいにち)」といい、数年おきに「年回忌(ねんかいき)」があります(12 ページ年回表参照)。ご先祖の命日には法事をお勤め下さい(下記ご留意下さい)。

- 命日に遅れないように。
- お花・お供物を用意する。
- 寺院/ご自宅にてお勤めできます。
- 遠方で参詣できない場合は寺院で法事を勤め、お塔婆をお送りします。
- 数珠と輪袈裟を忘れずに。お持ちでない方は寺務所まで。
- ご家族が危篤あるいはご不幸の際にはすぐに連絡を(213-346-9666)。

「…なむあみだぶつ、なむあみだぶ」あなたが称えるお十念

十念とは手を合わせ、心を込めて「南無阿弥陀仏」を十遍称えることです。日々の生活の中で忘れずお称え下さい。

胸の前で合掌し「なむあみだぶ」と 4 遍称えます。

- ① なむあみだぶ
- ② なむあみだぶ
- ③ なむあみだぶ
- ④ なむあみだぶ(息)
- ⑤ なむあみだぶ
- ⑥ なむあみだぶ
- ⑦ なむあみだぶ
- ⑧ なむあみだぶ(息)

息を継ぎ、再び 4 遍「なむあみだぶ」と称えます。息を継ぎ、9 遍目のみ「なむあみだぶつ」と称え、最後ゆっくり「な-む あみだ-ぶ-」と称え礼をします。

- ⑨ なむあみだぶつ
- ⑩ な-む あみだ-ぶ- (礼)

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Ikuji, Mr. Kimio
Inoue, Mr. & Mrs. Hiroshi
Inoue, Mrs. Sayoko
Ishii, Mr. & Mrs. Nobuo
Itabashi, Dr. Hideo H.
Kawahara, Mrs. Setsuko
Kawakami, Mr. Thomas
Kishi-Lew, Mrs. Susan
Kitajima, Mrs. Mae Y.
Koyanagi, Ms. Katherine
Kudo, Mr. & Mrs. Koji
Miyakawa, Mr. Manabu
Miyakawa, Ms. Lori A.
Murphy, Mr. Patrick (Okamuras)
Naruko, Mrs. Yoshiko
Niji, Mrs. Aiko
Nishinaka, Mrs. Hatsue
Niwa, Mr. & Mrs. Yoshio
Ogawa, Mrs. Aileen T.
Okamoto, Mr. & Mrs. Eugene
Ota, Mr. & Mrs. Seiichi
Rikimaru, Mrs. Hiroko
Sakaguchi, Mrs. Otake T.
Shimizu, Mrs. Dawn
Shirtcliff, Mrs. Yukie
Takahashi, Mr. & Mrs. Motoi
Takaki, Mrs. Etsuko
Tanabe, Mrs. Shizuko
Tanabe, Mrs. Kay Chiyoko
Tanabe, Mr. & Mrs. Mark
Tanaka, Mrs. Hisayo
Tanaka, Mrs. Irene Reiko

Tashiro, Mrs. Vivian
Tomita, Mrs. Nakako
Tsuji, Mrs. Fusako
Uyemura, Ms. Harue & Ms. Akie
Yokoyama, Ms. Yoshiko

2012 Autumn Higan Service (秋彼岸)

Arichi, Mr. & Mrs. Toshihiro
Doiuchi, Ms. Nancy
Furukubo, Mr. Toru
Hayashi, Mr. Masanao
Horiuchi, Mrs. Yoko
Igawa, Mrs. Asako
Ikemura, Mrs. Fujino
Ikuji, Mr. Kimio
Inoue, Mr. & Mrs. Hiroshi
Inoue, Mrs. Sayoko
Ishii, Mr. & Mrs. Nobuo
Katsumata, Mr. Fumio
Kawahara, Mrs. Setsuko
Koyanagi, Ms. Katherine
Miyakawa, Mr. Manabu
Miyazaki, Mr. & Mrs. Mack
Murphy, Mr. Patrick (Okamuras)
Niji, Mrs. Aiko
Nishinaka, Mrs. Hatsue
Noda, Mr. & Mrs. Alan
Ogawa, Mrs. Aileen T.
Ohashi, Mr. & Mrs. Masayuki
Okamoto, Mr. & Mrs. Eugene
Ota, Mr. & Mrs. Seiichi
Rikimaru, Mrs. Hiroko
Russell, Ms. Eleanor
Sakaguchi, Mrs. Otake T.
Shirtcliff, Mrs. Yukie
Takagaki, Mrs. Mine
Takagi, Mr. Akira
Takahashi, Mr. & Mrs. Motoi
Takaki, Mrs. Etsuko
Tanabe, Mrs. Kay Chiyoko
Tanabe, Mr. & Mrs. Mark
Tanabe, Mrs. Shizuko
Tanaka, Mr. & Mrs. George
Tanaka, Mrs. Hisayo

Tomita, Mrs. Nakako
Uyemura, Ms. Harue & Ms. Akie
Yahiro, Mrs. Akemi
Yamada, Mr. Kenzo
Yokoyama, Ms. Yoshiko

2012 Juya Service(十夜法要)

Doiuchi, Ms. Nancy
Hayashi, Mr. Masanao
Ikemura, Mrs. Fujino
Ikuji, Mr. Kimio
Inoue, Mr. & Mrs. Hiroshi
Koyanagi, Ms. Katherine
Murphy, Mr. Patrick (Okamuras)
Nishinaka, Mrs. Hatsue
Okamoto, Mr. Eugene Y.
Rikimaru, Mrs. Hiroko
Shirtcliff, Mrs. Yukie
Takaki, Mrs. Etsuko
Tanaka, Mr. & Mrs. George
Tanaka, Mrs. Hisayo
Uyemura, Ms. Harue/Ms. Akie
Yahiro, Mrs. Akemi

Shichigosan Blessing for Children(七五三)

Furukubo, Mr. & Mrs. Toru
Heiberg, Mrs. Lisa
Hoshina, Mrs. Akemi
Kaye Family, The
Takahashi, Mr. & Mrs. Motoi
Ueno, Mr. Hiroki

2012 Funeral/Burial Service(葬儀等)

Fujii, Mrs. Iris I.
Yokote, Mr. Yoshihiro
Kawamura, Mr. Ryo

2012 Anniversary Memorial Service(年回等)

49th Day Yokote, Mr. Yoshihiro
Kawamura, Mr. Roy
1 Year Ige, Ms. Francene
Kimura, Mrs. Naoko
Muramoto, Mr. Masaharu
Muramoto Family, The

1 Year Igawa, Ms. Jean
Igawa, Mr. Ann
Shirtcliff, Mrs. Yukie
Miyakawa, Ms. Lori
7th Takagaki, Ms. Mine
13th Yahiro, Mrs. Akemi
17th Ikemura, Mrs. Fujino
Tanabe, Mr. & Mrs. Mark

2012 Monthly Memorial Service(祥月)

Jul Yahiro, Mrs. Akemi
Horiuchi, Mrs. Yoko
Aug Horiuchi, Mrs. Yoko
Sep Horiuchi, Mrs. Yoko
Oct Kawahara, Mrs. Setsuko
Horiuchi, Mrs. Yoko
Nov Itakura, Mrs. Betty
Dec Horiuchi, Mrs. Yoko

2012 Other Service/Prayer(法要/祈願)

Mar Hanzawa, Mr. & Mrs. Jun
Apr Munehiro, Ms. Keiko
May Fiel Yoshimura Family, The
Jul Okabe, Ms. Tomoko
Takami, Ms. Miki
Sekiyoshi, Mrs. Matsue
Sep Ting, Ms. Shu Ping
Ikemiya, Mrs. Emi
Suyama, Ms, Eri
Oct Takarada, Mrs. Yuko
Shimada, Mr. & Mrs. Kazuhito
Nov Kitagawa-Sellers, Mrs. Cara

2012 Other Donations(寄付)

Mar Ikuji, Mr. Kimio
Heiberg, Mrs. Lisa
Reynolds, Mr. John H.
May Kawakami, Mr. Thomas
Russell, Ms. Eleanor
Hattori, Ms. Michiko
Ishii, Mr. & Mrs. Nobuo
Jul Hattori, Ms. Michiko
Ross, Mr. Daniel
Tanaka, Mr. & Mrs. George

Jul Sekiyoshi, Mrs. Matsue
Tazaki, Ms. Toshiko
Yamada, Mr. Kenzo
Aug Tanaka, Mrs. Hisayo
Sep Nakano, Mrs. Margaret
Uyemura, Ms. Harue/Ms. Akie
Ikuji, Mr. Kimio
Billman, Mrs. Katsuko T.
Oct Carballeira, Mr. Nicolas
Nov Honda-Datta, Mrs. Yoko
Conrad, Mr. Marcel
Carpenter, Mr. Geoffrey
Dec Johnson, Mr. Paul
Jorgenson, Mr. James P.
Suehiro, Mr. Robert
Carballeira, Mr. Nicolas
Lathi, Mr. Ronald

2012 Year-end Clean Up(年末大掃除)

Blae, Ms. Yoko
Horiuchi, Mrs. Yoko
Ikemura, Mrs. Fujino
Inoue, Mr. & Mrs. Hiroshi
Inoue, Mrs. Sayoko
Miyazaki, Mr. & Mrs. Mack
Russell, Ms. Eleanor
Sato, Mrs. Irene Reiko
Suma, Mrs. Keiko
Tanabe, Mrs. Shizuko
Tazaki, Ms. Toshiko

2012 New Year's Eve Svc(除夜念仏会)

Euler, Ms. Joanne
Miyake, Ms. Atsuko
Hayashi, Mr. Masanao
Ikuji, Mr. Kimio
Inoue, Mrs. Sayoko
Tazaki, Ms. Toshiko
Ueda, Mrs. Yoshiko

2013 New Year(新年/修正会)

Datzker, Mr. Cameron H.
 Fukada, Ms. Noriko
 Hanatani, Mr. & Mrs. Katsumi
 Kawakami, Mr. Thomas
 Kudo, Mr. & Mrs. Koji
 Morie, Mr. Kazuya
 Noda, Mr. & Mrs. Alan
 Okamoto, Mr. Eugene Y.
 Okamoto, Mr. & Mrs. Masao
 Rikimaru, Mrs. Hiroko
 Takagaki, Mrs. Mine
 Tanaka, Rev. & Mrs. Kenneth
 Tanaka, Mrs. Hisayo
 Tanioka, Mr. & Mrs. Dennis

2013 Gyoki Service(御忌法要)

Doiuchi, Ms. Nancy
 Furukubo, Mr. Toru
 Hayashi, Mr. Masanao
 Honda-Datta, Mrs. Yoko
 Ikemura, Mrs. Fujino
 Ikuji, Mr. Kimio
 Inoue, Mr. & Mrs. Hiroshi
 Inoue, Mrs. Sayoko
 Iriye, Mr. & Mrs. Glenn M.
 Ishii, Mr. & Mrs. Nobuo
 Kawahara, Mrs. Setsuko
 Koyanagi, Ms. Katherine
 Nishinaka, Mrs. Hatsue
 Ohashi, Mr. & Mrs. Masayuki
 Okamoto, Mr. & Mrs. Masao
 Rikimaru, Mrs. Hiroko
 Shirtcliff, Mr. & Mrs. Gary
 Takagi, Mr. Akira
 Takaki, Mrs. Etsuko
 Tanaka, Mrs. Hisayo
 Uyemura, Ms. Harue/Ms. Akie
 Wataguchi, Mrs. Kayoko
 Yasuda, Mr. Tetsuya

2013 Spring Higan Service(春彼岸)

Atone, Mrs. Lori
 Doiuchi, Ms. Nancy

Furukubo, Mr. Toru
 Hatanaka, Mrs. Amy Murako
 Horiuchi, Mrs. Yoko
 Ikemura, Mrs. Fujino
 Ikuji, Mr. Kimio
 Inoue, Mrs. Sayoko
 Ishii, Mr. & Mrs. Nobuo
 Kawahara, Mrs. Setsuko
 Kitajima, Mrs. Mae Y.
 Koyanagi, Ms. Katherine
 Miyakawa, Mr. Manabu
 Miyazaki, Mr. & Mrs. Mack
 Niji, Mrs. Aiko
 Nishinaka, Mrs. Hatsue
 Ogawa, Mrs. Aileen T.
 Okamoto, Mr. & Mrs. Eugene
 Ota, Mr. & Mrs. Seiichi
 Rikimaru, Mrs. Hiroko
 Shirtcliff, Mrs. Yukie
 Takaki, Mrs. Etsuko
 Tanabe, Mr. & Mrs. Mark
 Tanabe, Mrs. Shizuko
 Tanaka, Mr. & Mrs. George
 Tanaka, Mrs. Hisayo
 Tomita, Mrs. Nakako
 Uyemura, Ms. Harue/Ms. Akie
 Yahiro, Mrs. Akemi
 Yokoyama, Ms. Yoshiko

2013 Funeral/Burial Service(葬儀等)

Shimabukuro, Mr. Ken
 Tanimine, Mrs. Eiko
 Miyakawa, Ms. Lori

2013 Anniversary Memorial Service(年回等)

1 Year Murphy, Mr. Patrick (Okamuras)
 Itabashi, Dr. Hideo
 3rd Tomita, Mrs. Nakako
 Sumi, Mrs. Elsie K.
 Ige, Ms. Francene
 50th Yoshimura, Mrs. Sachiko

2013 Monthly Memorial Service(祥月)

Jul Niji, Mrs. Aiko
 Yoshimura, Mrs. Sachiko
 Feb Horiuchi, Mrs. Yoko
 Ikemura, Mrs. Fujino
 Apr Horiuchi, Mrs. Yoko
 Jun Chiba, Mr. & Mrs. Takashi

2013 Other Service/Prayer(法要/祈願)

Jan Foster, Mr. & Mrs. Gordon
 Tanioka, Mr. & Mrs. Dennis
 Feb Yamakawa, Mr. & Mrs. Kohei
 Apr Sodeyama, Mr. & Mrs. Yoshio
 Shimada, Mr. & Mrs. Kazuhito

2013 Other Donations(寄付)

Jan Fayngor, Mr. Arkady
 Tanaka, Mrs. Hisayo
 Feb Duskin, Ms. Alicia
 Okamoto, Mr. Eugene
 Funches, Mr. James
 Mar Ranek, Ms. Ruth
 Souza Family, The
 Osada, Ms. Keiko
 Ikuji, Mr. Fumio
 Apr Ranek, Ms. Ruth
 Yamada, Mr. Kenzo
 Neider, Mr. Mark
 Jun Kawakami, Mr. Thomas
 Solomon, Mrs. Maki

2013 Fujinkai Membership(婦人会)

Blae, Ms. Yoko
 Goi, Mr. & Mrs. Shigeharu
 Horiuchi, Mrs. Yoko
 Ikemura, Mrs. Fujino
 Inoue, Mrs. Yoshiko
 Inoue, Mrs. Sayoko
 Ishii, Mrs. Emiko
 Kawahara, Mrs. Setsuko
 Morikawa, Mrs. Haruko
 Ogawa, Mrs. Aileen T.
 Ohashi, Mr. Masayuki
 Ota, Mrs. Amy E.

Solicitation for the 2013 Temple Support Dues 護持会費納入のお願い

Acknowledgement by June, 2013 納入ご芳名

Temple Support Dues (\$200) is a donation the temple asks ANNUALLY for all members/supporters who observe religious services at our temple. It is an essential fund for the temple management during a year. Please refer to the following listings and if you inadvertently did not complete the TSD 2012 or in previous years, we would sincerely appreciate your contributions to fill our temple's vital fund. Your understanding is most appreciated. 護持会費(\$200)は檀信徒・メンバー各家に毎年お納めいただく浄財で、一年間寺院を運営するのに不可欠な財源です。下記ご参照の上、今年度分並びに過年度分未納・分納の方は納入にご協力お願い申し上げます。

2012 Temple Support Dues

Pipes, Mrs. Yaeko
Rikimaru, Mrs. Hiroko
Takagaki, Mrs. Mine
Takaki, Mrs. Etsuko
Tanabe, Mrs. Shizuko
Tanabe, Mrs. Mihoko
Tomita, Mrs. Nakako
Tsuji, Mrs. Fusako
Yasuda, Mrs. Eiko
Yoshimura, Mrs. Sachiko

Arichi, Mr. & Mrs. Toshihiro
Blae, Mr. Ira/Ms. Yoko
Doiuchi, Ms. Nancy
Goi, Mr. & Mrs. Shigeharu
Gutierrez, Mrs. Emi
Hamachi, Mr. & Mrs. Ted
Hatanaka, Mrs. Murako Amy
Horiuchi, Mrs. Yoko
Ikemura, Mrs. Fujino
Ikuji, Mr. Kimio
Inoue, Mr. & Mrs. Hiroshi
Inoue, Mr. & Mrs. Kazumasa
Ishii, Mr. & Mrs. Nobuo
Kawahara, Mrs. Setsuko
Kishimoto, Mrs. Teru
Kitajima, Mrs. Mae Y.
Kondo, Mr. & Mrs. Kazumi
Kono, Mr. Kenji
Koyanagi, Ms. Christine
Koyanagi, Ms. Katherine
Kudo, Mr. & Mrs. Koji
Kuniyuki, Mr. & Mrs. Ronald T.
Kuwata, Mr. Akira
Lee, Mrs. Irene
Miyakawa, Mr. Manabu
Miyazaki, Mr. & Mrs. Mack
Morikawa, Mrs. Haruko
Murphy, Mrs. Chiyoko (Okamuras)
Nakamoto, Mrs. Sadame
Niji, Mrs. Aiko
Niwa, Mr. & Mrs. Yoshio
Ogawa, Mrs. Aileen T.

2013 Temple Support Dues

Ohashi, Mr. & Mrs. Masayuki
Okamoto, Mr. & Mrs. Eugene
Okamoto, Mr. & Mrs. Masao
Osakada, Mr. & Mrs. Masao
Ota, Mr. & Mrs. Seiichi
Pipes, Mrs. Yaeko (1/4)
Rikimaru, Mrs. Hiroko
Russell, Ms. Eleanor M.
Sakaguchi, Mrs. Otake T.
Sameshima, Mr. Masakazu
Sato, Ms. Masako
Shirtcliff, Mr. & Mrs. Gary
Sumi, Mrs. Elsie K.
Tadakawa, Mr. & Mrs. Chester
Takagaki, Mrs. Mine
Takaki, Mrs. Etsuko
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Tanabe, Mr. & Mrs. Mark
Tanaka, Mrs. Hisayo
Tanaka, Mr. & Mrs. Geoge
Tanioka, Mr. & Mrs. Dennis
Tomita, Mrs. Nakako
Tsuji, Mrs. Fusako
Uyemura, Mr. Tad
Yahiro, Mrs. Akemi
Yamamoto, Mr. & Mrs. Osamu
Yasuda, Mrs. Eiko
Yoshimura, Mrs. Sachiko

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Arichi, Mr. & Mrs. Toshihiro
Blae, Mr. Ira/Ms. Yoko
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Gutierrez, Mrs. Emi
Hananani, Mr. & Mrs. Katsumi
Hatanaka, Mrs. Murako Amy
Horiuchi, Mrs. Yoko
Ikemura, Mrs. Fujino
Ikuji, Mr. Kimio
Inoue, Mr. & Mrs. Hiroshi
Inoue, Mr. & Mrs. Kazumasa
Ishii, Mr. & Mrs. Nobuo
Kawahara, Mrs. Setsuko
Kitajima, Mrs. Mae Y.
Kondo, Mr. & Mrs. Kazumi
Kono, Mr. Kenji
Koyanagi, Ms. Christine
Koyanagi, Ms. Katherine
Kuwata, Mr. Akira (3/4)
Makino, Mrs. Yuko
Misumi, Ms. Etsuko
Miyakawa, Mr. Manabu
Miyazaki, Mr. & Mrs. Mack
Morikawa, Mrs. Haruko
Niji, Mrs. Aiko
Niwa, Mr. & Mrs. Yoshio
Ogawa, Mrs. Aileen T.
Ohashi, Mr. & Mrs. Masayuki
Okamoto, Mr. Eugene (1/2)
Okamoto, Mr. & Mrs. Masao
Osaka, Mr. Toshii

Osakada, Mr. & Mrs. Masao
Ota, Mr. & Mrs. Seiichi
Pipes, Mrs. Yaeko (1/4)
Rikimaru, Mrs. Hiroko
Russell, Ms. Eleanor M.
Sameshima, Mr. Masakazu
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Shirtcliff, Mr. & Mrs. Gary
Sumi, Mrs. Elsie K.
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Takagaki, Mrs. Mine
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Tanaka, Mr. & Mrs. Geoge
Tanimine, Mrs. Eiko
Tanioka, Mr. & Mrs. Dennis
Tashiro, Mrs. Vivian
Tomita, Mrs. Nakako
Tsuji, Mrs. Fusako
Ueda, Mr. & Mrs. Hiroyuki
Uyemura, Mr. Tad
Yahiro, Mrs. Akemi
Yamamoto, Mr. & Mrs. Osamu
Yasuda, Mrs. Eiko
Yoshimura, Mrs. Sachiko

SUMMER-WINTER 2013 TEMPLE SERVICE SCHEDULE

We ask for your participation to the following religious services. Schedule is subject to change. 下記法要にお参り下さい。日程は諸事情により変更があります。

SUN, JULY 7th, 10:30 a.m.

BON SEGAKI SERVICE (Annual Service for the Deceased)

盆・施餓鬼法要/水子供養

SUN, SEPTEMBER 22nd, 10:30 a.m.

AUTUMN HIGAN (Service for the Autumnal Equinox)

秋彼岸法要/水子供養

SUN, NOVEMBER 3rd, 10:30 a.m.

JUYA SERVICE (Service for the Special Nembutsu Period)

十夜法要/水子供養/浄焚供養



2-Disc DVD:

“NAMU AMIDA BUTSU”

Introduction to Honen's Pure Land Buddhism Jodo Shu Sermon and Service

Disc 1: Special Sermon on Buddhism

by Rev. Ryokei Arimoto

(Japanese Sermon, English Caption and Dubbing available)

- One's Expression Becomes Warm and Serene When the Palms are Put Together
- The Three Truths
- But in Reality...
- What is Nembutsu, Recitations of “Namu Amida Butsu?”
- Three Thoughts on Life and Death
- Three Main Reasons for Dedication of Merit

Disc 2: Gagaku Performance by Chinzei Gakuso

The 800th Memorial Anniversary Service

The Commemorative Lecture by Dr. Glenn Webb

(English Sermon, Japanese Caption available)

- Nembutsu and the Pure Land
- Ancestor Worship
- Kokoro: Heart-Mind

2013 Memorial Anniversaries (2013年 年回表)

Anniversaries 年回	Year of Passing 没年
One year (一周忌)	2012 平成 24 年
3rd (三回忌)	2011 平成 23 年
7th (七回忌)	2007 平成 19 年
13th (十三回忌)	2001 平成 13 年
17th (十七回忌)	1997 平成 9 年
23rd (二十三回忌)	1991 平成 3 年
25th (二十五回忌)	1989 昭和 64 年・平成元年
27th (二十七回忌)	1987 昭和 62 年
33rd (三十三回忌)	1981 昭和 56 年
37th (三十七回忌)	1977 昭和 52 年
43rd (四十三回忌)	1971 昭和 46 年
47th (四十七回忌)	1967 昭和 42 年
50th (五十回忌)	1964 昭和 39 年

DVD2 枚組 なむあみだぶつ - 仏教へのいざない 浄土宗の法話と法要

Disc 1 法話 (有本亮啓師)

○手を合わせるとうい顔になるなあ

○「悟り」…お釈迦さまの三つの教え：三法印

○実際の私達は… ○念仏 - 「なむあみだぶつ」とは？

○現代人の三つの死生観 ○念仏回向の三つの意義

Disc 2 雅楽奉納・法要・講演

講演 (グレン・T・ウェブ博士)

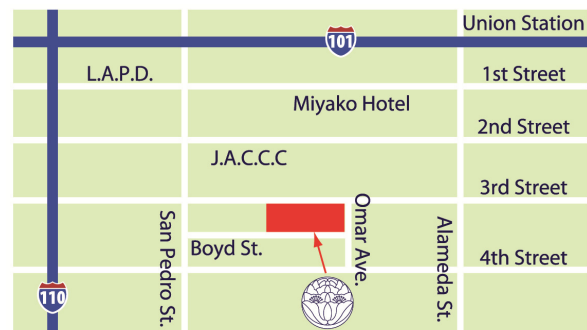
○念仏と浄土 ○先祖供養 ○心 (こころ) について

*Temple will be closed on the following holidays

(下記休日は閉館させていただきます):

Labor Day (Mon 9/2), Thanksgiving Day (Thu 11/28)

Christmas Day (Wed 12/25)



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