ANNOUNCEMENTS

November 26, 2023

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- We are livestreaming worship on Facebook and YouTube.

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- Our pianist **Feng Kang** will give a recital at MSU's Cook Recital Hall on Tuesday, November 28, at 6:00 pm. The public is welcome to attend.
- The annual **Hanging of the Greens** to prepare the church for Advent and Christmas will be Saturday, Dec. 2, beginning at 9:00 am. We would welcome your help for this festive event. Refreshments will be provided.
- Please submit any remaining **pledge cards** for 2024 ASAP. Thank you!
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