

按立長老簡介

李敏通長老出生於台灣，幼年隨父母旅居菲律賓，在靈惠基督學校就讀並在小學二年級信主，十五歲受洗。青少年時期積極參與基甸軍（The Gideons）事工，面向未信主青少年，領人歸主。青年時期因父親調派至智利而赴美完成高中，之後在賓州、威斯康辛及明州進修大學與研究所（主修計量經濟與 MBA 運籌學）。

成年早期專注於學業與事業，將近十五年偏重世俗成功。然而在明州工作時，他重回基督裡，加入 T4C 教會，積極參與青少年與成人主日學、團契小組、翻譯服事，並在伯大尼神學院進修道學神學課程。1998 年，與一群同工一同創立明州國語基督教會，並擔任首任執事會主席。

2002 年起蒙召進入銀行界領導職位，但仍持續服事 MMCC 兩年，並在德州休士頓近二十年積極參與教會與救世軍的事工，經常講道並積極致力於推動宣教。2024 年退休後，與妻子 Debbie 同心感動回到明州，並回到 MMCC 與弟兄姊妹同心建立教會，2025 年七月，蒙全體會友一致推選為教會首任長老。

The Ordinand

Elder George was born in Taiwan and spent part of his childhood in the Philippines, where he attended Grace Christian School. He came to faith in Christ in second grade and was baptized at the age of 15. During his teenage years, he was actively involved in the Gideons youth ministry, reaching out to unbelieving young people and leading them to Christ. Later, when his father was assigned to Chile, George came to the United States to complete high school, and then pursued higher education in Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, and Minnesota, studying Econometrics and earning an MBA in Operations Research. In his early adulthood, George focused primarily on academics and career, seeking worldly success for nearly fifteen years. While working in Minnesota, however, he rededicated his life to Christ, joined T4C Church, and actively served in youth and adult Sunday School, fellowship groups, and translation ministry, while also pursuing theological studies at Bethel Seminary. In 1998, together with fellow coworkers, he helped establish the Minnesota Mandarin Christian Church (MMCC) and served as its first Board Chairman. In 2002, George was called to a senior leadership position in the banking industry, yet he continued serving MMCC for two years. For nearly two decades while living in Houston, Texas, he remained deeply engaged in church ministry and with the Salvation Army, frequently preaching and actively promoting missions. After retiring in 2024, he and his wife Debbie were moved by the Lord to return to Minnesota and to serve again with MMCC brothers and sisters in building up the church. In July 2025, he was unanimously elected by the congregation to be the church's first Elder.

明州國語基督教會

長老按立禮拜

按立李敏通弟兄為長老

2025 年九月十四日主日

MINNESOTA MANDARIN CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Ordination Service

for the

Ordination of Elder George M Lee

September 14, 2025

1:00 PM

明州國語基督教會

長老按立禮拜

二千零二十五年九月十四日

受按立人：李敏通

按立委員會

劉星牧師, Crowder 牧師, Good 牧師, Hykes 長老, 蔡振忠弟兄,

翻譯：劉蓮芳姐妹 司會：劉浩姐妹

招待：盧麗君 陳惠明 姐妹

序 樂

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| 宣 召 | 馬太福音 28:18- 20 | 司 會 |
| 頌 讚 | 耶穌奇妙的救恩 | 眾 立 |
| 獻 禱 | | 司 會 |
| 使徒信經 | | 眾 立 |
| 奉獻禱告 | | 招 待 |
| 讀經 | 提後 4:1-2 彼前 5:2-4 | 會 眾 |
| 證道 | 至高無比的呼召-神家 教會的長老 | 李敏通長老 |
| 賀詞勉語 | | |

Crowder 牧師 (CPC 主任牧師)

Good 牧師 (CPC 牧師)

蔡振忠弟兄 (休城西南華人浸信會)

Hykes 長老 (CPC 長老)

劉星牧師 同心同行為主而活

我這小小明燈

回應詩歌
長老按立禮
按手祈禱
授 憑
祝 福
三一頌
主禱文
歡迎與報告

勉勵長老
勉勵長老
分 享
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勉勵會眾
眾 立
按立委員會
按立委員會
按立委員會
劉星牧師
眾 立
眾 立
司 會

(請大家留步享用歡迎慶祝茶點)

Minnesota Mandarin Christian Church

Elder Ordination Service

September 14, 2025

Ordinand: **George M Lee**

Ordination Council

Rev. Liu, Rev. Crowder, Rev. Good, Elder Hykes, Deacon David Choi

Translator: Sister Lianfang Liu Presider: Sister Hao Liu

Usher: Sister Lijun Sister Huiming Chen

PRELUDE

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| Call to Worship | Matthew 28:18-20 | Presider |
| Hymn | Wonderful Grace of Jesus | Congregation standing |
| Prayer | | Presider |
| The Apostles' Creed | | Congregation standing |
| Offertory Prayer | | Usher |
| Scripture Reading | 2 Timothy 4:1-2 ; 1 Peter 5:1-2 | Congregation |

Sermon Supreme Honor to be called as an Elder of God's Church

Elder George M Lee

Words of Encouragement

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| Rev. Crowder (Sr Pastor, CPC) – | Exhortation to the Elder |
| Rev. Good (Pastor, CPC) – | Exhortation to the Elder |
| Brother David Choi (SCBC) – | Sharing |
| Elder Dennis (Elder, CPC) – | Sharing |
| Rev. Xing Liu Walking Together, Living for Christ | |

Exhortation to the Congregation

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| Hymn | This Little Light of Mine | Congregation standing |
| Ordination Ceremony | | Ordination Council |
| Laying on of Hands & Prayer | | Ordination Council |
| Presentation of Certificate | | Ordination Council |
| Benediction | | Rev. Xing Liu |
| Doxology | | Congregation standing |
| Lord's Prayer | | Congregation standing |
| Welcome & Announcements | | Presider |

(Please remain for the fellowship reception following the service)