Order a Commemorative Brick or Bench Plaque Today!

Support the 100th Anniversary Preservation Project

Buddhist Church of Florin 1919-2019



Sample 8"x 8" Brick:

Mark and Mari Matsui

Meg, Matt, and Molly

In Memory of Parents

Mas and Michi Matsui

Sample Brass Bench Plaques:



- Help us build a brick memorial walkway and commemorative benches welcoming all to the church.
- Honor your family ties to this important historic site.
- Preserve the Buddhist Church of Florin as a vibrant community center for the future.

An inviting brick pathway and memorial benches at the church entrance, part of a vital preservation project, takes shape for the Buddhist Church of Florin (BCF) 100th anniversary in 2019. We seek to raise $250,000 by February 2018. Distinctive commemorative 8" x 8" bricks with wisteria crest are $2,500 and bench plaques are $5,000. Donations are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

Contact Ron Okimura for further information: (916) 202-4589 or rokimura@comcast.net

"Honoring Our Past, Celebrating our Future"

Sponsored by the BCF 100 Year Anniversary Committee

Please see website for 4 page project packet: http://florinbuddhist.org/

BUDDHIST CHURCH OF FLORIN

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August 10, 2017

Support the 100th Anniversary Church Preservation Project: Order a Commemorative Brick or Bench Plaque Today!

Dear Members and Friends:

Would you like to preserve the Buddhist Church of Florin as a vibrant community center for the future, honor your family's connection, and build a welcoming walkway for the upcoming 100th anniversary? Please consider purchasing a memorial brick or bench plaque today to make this important project a reality.

In "Honoring Our Past, Celebrating Our Future" we seek to raise $250,000 by February, 2018 to renovate the aged temple, kitchen, and multi-purpose room in advance of the September 21-22, 2019 anniversary. Please order a personalized brick for $2,500 or a brass bench plaque for $5,000 donation using the attached order form.

In 1919, Japanese-American farmers from the communities of Florin, Mayhew, and Elk Grove founded the Buddhist Church of Florin. Following their forced relocation in World War II, many of these farmers - our parents, grandparents, and great grandparents, returned to rebuild their lives around the temple.

Today, nearly 100 years later, the Buddhist Church of Florin remains the heart of our community, hosting religious, social and cultural events, monthly low-cost lunches for seniors, as well as youth athletics.

By purchasing a memorial brick and/or bench plaque you support this vital project and ensure that you and your loved-ones are remembered at our historic temple.

Sincerely,

Eric Fujii and Judie Miyao, 100th Year Anniversary Committee Co-Chairpersons

Committee Members (partial list):
Ron Okimura, George Miyao, Walter and Kathy Menda, Andy Noguchi, Greg Menda, Lois Kashiwase, Ben Kusaka, Kathie Kishaba, Jan Takeuchi, Margie Sunahara, Kenny Teranishi, Norma Nakata, Donna Shimozaki, Elizabeth Fujii, Gary Okamoto, Ken and Peggy Okabayashi, Judy Yuki, Elizabeth Fujii, Holly Yee, Lloyd Okimura, Gordon Kunisaki, Tyson Fong, George Bennig, Cindy and Kenny Kakutani, Sharon Ito, Kris Miller, Myrna Hitomi, Judy Shimizu, Lois Tanaka, Jennifer Kubo, Denise Okamoto Fong, Karen Cairel, Twila Tomita, and Reverend Yuki Sugahara

ORDER FORM

Become a permanent part of the 100th Anniversary celebration of the Buddhist church of Florin as we continue "Honoring Our Past, Celebrating Our Future. Your pledge or donation will help fund the renovation of our temple , multipurpose rooms and grounds.

Don't delay! The brick pavers and bench plaques will be available for purchase until March 31, 2018.

____ I wish to pledge or donate $_____payable by March 31, 2018

____ I wish to pledge or donate $2500.00-$4999 to order a brick paver. $_____. See previous page for example.

Please print carefully! Clearly write the text that will be engraved on the brick paver. Messages maybe up to 4 lines and 23 characters per line (punctuation and spaces count as a character).

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Please make checks payable to: Buddhist Church of Florin,

Mail to: Buddhist Church of Florin, 100th Anniversary Project, P.O. Box 292006, Sacramento, CA 95829

Name_____

Address_____

City_____ State_____Zip Code_____

Phone Number_____email address_____

ORDER FORM FOR BENCH PLAQUE

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_____ I WISH TO PLEDGE OR DONATE $5000.00 TO ORDER A BENCH PLAQUE. PAYABLE BY MARCH 31, 2018. Three lines maximum, 36 characters maximum per line (punctuation and spaces count as characters). Please use upper and lower case letters

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LINE THREE

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PLEASE MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: BUDDHIST CHURCH OF FLORIN

PLEASE SEND CHECK AND ORDER FORM TO: BUDDHIST CHURCH OF FLORIN, 100TH ANNIVERSARY PROJECT, P.O. BOX 292006, SACRAMENTO, CA 95829.

NAME:_____

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CITY_____STATE_____ZIP CODE_____

PHONE NUMBER:_____EMAIL ADDRESS_____



Buddhist Church of Florin
100th Year Anniversary
1919 - 2019

Honoring Our Past, Celebrating Our Future

Buddhist Church of Florin
Centennial Plaque
for each bench



Grandparents Toko and Yoko Matsui
Parents Sammy and Yami Matsui
Son and wife James and Sandra Matsui

Personalize Plaque