

# 約宣道會

New Covenant Alliance Church

## 浸禮主日 **Baptism Service**

二零一四年十二月十四日上午十一時 December 14, 2014 11AM



We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

Romans 6:4

# 且起蘇。助人居

『來跟從我,我要叫你們得人如得魚。』(馬太福音四:+九下)

"Follow Me and I will make you fishers of men." Matthew 4:19b

## 浸禮主日 Baptism Service

崇拜宣召 Call to Worship

天使歌唱(生命聖詩99) Angels We Have Heard on High

敬拜祈禱 **Opening Prayer** 

詩歌讚美 Praise

我們渴望的耶穌 Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus (生命聖詩 104) 我要永遠頌主祢大愛 I Could Sing of Your Love Forever

詩班獻頌 Choir

Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)

得救見證 Testimonies 梁子祈 Samuel Leung, 曾婉婷 Christine Tsang 張潤玲 Gloria Cheung, 董曉薇 Tansy Dong

經文頌讀 Scripture Reading Luke 19:11-27

路加福音 19章 11-27節

信息訓勉 Message 總要忠心

Faithful Till the End

受浸新葡 Baptism

回應詩歌 Song of Response

Christ is Enough

奉獻回應 Offering

三一頌讚 Doxology

祝福差遣 Benediction

散會詩歌 Closing Hymn

基督柱石 Cornerstone

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題目 Topic :總要忠心	Faithful Till the End
經文 Scripture : 路加福音 19 章 11-27 節	Luke 19:11-27
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## 對中文堂感恩及代禱事項對

#### 思想金句

太 — 22-23

這一切的事成就是要應驗主藉先知所說的 話,說:「必有童女懷孕生子;人要稱他 的名為以馬內利。」以馬內利翻出來就是 「神與我們同在」。



#### 感恩、代求

#### 12月14日聖誕浸禮感恩

為四位今天受浸的弟兄姊妹感謝神(梁子祈 Samuel Leung, 曾婉婷 Christine Tsang, 張潤玲 Gloria Cheung 和董曉薇 Tansy Dong)。 求主祝福他們繼續在靈命上不斷成長,主恩滿溢。

#### 義務牧者~ 翟林展麗傳道

感謝主帶領翟林展麗傳道在 2014 年 12 月份開始成為本會的 義務牧者,願神親自祝福她及其家人,並在她的事奉上蒙神 的祝福及引導。

#### 聘牧委員會

求主帶領各聘牧委員同心尋求明白神的旨意,賜下智慧揀選神為教會預備的牧者。

#### 12月24日聖誕慶祝聚會

求神帶領各樣預備工作;當晚的節目內容,信息分享及邀請 親友,求神祝福這聚會。

#### 宣教士 Ace 和 Cecilia Cheung ~ 尼日爾(Nigar)

#### 請代禱:

-請與 Ace 及 Cecilia Cheung 一起為 Tuareg 的信徒祈禱。在那裹有 833,000 的 Tuareg 但只有少過 100 位信徒。請祈求信徒們知道神及祂的愛常與他們同在,讓他們的生命每天都經歷神的同在。祈求他們的心能夠深受感動,將來能在屬靈上帶領自己的人民。

## 4中文堂家事分享4



歡迎第一次參加聚會的您,盼望您可以繼續參加我 Come! 們的聚會。會後有午膳,請留步享用。

- 教會感恩祈禱分享會將於除夕12月31日(星期三)晚上八時正 \*1. 舉行。歡迎弟兄姊妹預留時間出席,一起數算神恩。
- \*2. 恭賀今天受浸肢體, 英文堂:梁子祈 Samuel Leung 和曾婉婷 Christine Tsang;中文堂:張潤玲 Gloria Cheung和董曉薇 Tansy Dong。 張潤玲 Gloria Cheung 申請成為會友。
- \*3. 宣教基金直至11月23日共籌得\$81,158.00,本年目標為 **\$96,000**,請繼續在經濟上多多支持。明年目標為**\$100,500**,弟 兄姊妹請將 2015 年盲教基金認獻咭放入奉獻袋中或 Tim Kwok 的信箱內。今日最後一天為宣道會全國使女事工收取特別奉 獻,請在奉獻信封註明 Alliance Women 或 宣道會全國使女事工。
- \*4. 請各團契及部門於 12月 21日前提交 2015年財務預算給 黄建宏長老。
- 5. 加利利團契將於12月20日(星期六)晚上舉行聖誕慶祝晚會, 晚會於 5 時 15 分開始,並附設晚膳,收費成人 \$12,兒童 6-12 歲 \$6,6歲以下免費,歡迎團友及新朋友參加。查詢詳情請與 Shirley Louie 姊妹或 Patrick Tang 弟兄聯絡。

## 4中文堂家事分享4

\*6. 12 月 24 日晚的平安夜聖誕晚會,內容包括詩歌獻唱,見証分享,魔術表演等。附設兒童節目及托兒服務。晚餐於六時正開始,晚會開始時間為七時半,成人收费 5 元,六至十二歲 3 元,六歲以下及新朋友免費。傳道部在聖誕節鼓勵弟兄姊妹為未信主親友的得救同心代禱,請於報名時登記新朋友的名字,以便教會為他們代禱。散會後請在大堂外與 Toby 或 Ricky 弟兄報名。

\*7. 請各部門負責人需於 2月1日(唯一限期) 前提交 2014 年度年報報告及活動照片給教會幹事雷笑薇姊妹,撰寫年報乃部門負責人的責任,懇請弟兄姊妹作忠心的僕人,按時提交報告。若閣下動筆需時,請盡早開始。

\*8. 12 月 28 日的午膳服務將暫停供應,1月4日回復正常,敬請留意。

\*新加或更新的家事分享

## **♣** English Congregation - Announcements **♣**

#### **Prayer Meeting**

Please join us at the next prayer meeting on Wednesday, December 17, 2014 at 8pm at NCAC; led by Vincent Yeung.

#### \*Congratulations!

Samuel Leung and Christine Tsang of the English congregation;

Gloria Cheung and Tansy Dong of the Chinese congregation will be baptized today! And welcome Gloria Cheung as a new member of NCAC.

## **№** English Congregation - Announcements **№**

#### \*NO Lunch Service

Please note there will be no lunch service on Dec. 28th but will resume on Jan. 4th.

#### \*Mission Fund

As of November 23, we have received \$81,158. in offering toward the Mission Fund. Our goal is to raise \$96,000 by the end of this year. Please continue to support our mission ministries financially. The budget for 2015 is \$100,500. Please return the 2015 Pledge card in offering bags or David Tong's mailbox. Special offering for Alliance Women ministry is open *until today*. Please specify "Alliance Women" on the offering envelope.

#### \*2015 Budget

To all ministry department leaders – please submit your 2015 departmental budgets to *David Wong before December 21, 2014*.

#### \*Annual Report

To all ministry department leaders - please send your 2014 annual report submissions, including relevant photographs, to *Shirley Louie* (shirley.louie@ncac.ca) *no later than February 1, 2015.* 

This is a *final deadline* with no extensions.

\*New or updated announcements

# **∀** Changing the World Through Praise and Prayer **∀**

#### Reflection

And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth

Philippians 2:8-10

#### Prayer Items — Focus on Being Thankful

- Thank God for the Christmas season, for sending his son to give us hope and redemption, and pray that it will compel us to share this with others
- Thank God for the blessings he has provided us with for the past year, both individually and as a church
- Thank God for the work you have done in the lives of those getting baptized today, and that they will live fruitful and Godly lives

### **Testimonies**

#### **Samuel Leung**

I grew up in a Christian family, so I was surrounded by God and the church environment from the start. I was raised in a Christian home, went through the motions of "being Christian," doing things that I was supposed to do. I didn't know God, I only knew of Him.

I found myself constantly searching for purpose and meaning in myself. I was actively competing in academics and athletics, trying to find myself in these things. I became fixated on my image towards others. I became consumed with what people thought of me and was living for the acceptance of my peers, of the world.

I grew up attending church and going to VBS after moving to NCAC. I would go to VBS to have fun with and make friends. At that time, going home from VBS, I felt alone and afraid. Putting up a façade, I constantly hid my loneliness, not trying to involve anyone else. I felt God draw me to Himself. Growing up in a Christian home, I knew what to do. I knew that only He could rescue me from my loneliness. I knew that he could save me if I let him. After the gospel speaker's message that same year at VBS, I confessed that I was a sinner and that I was trying to find life in other people and myself. I acknowledged that He sent his only son, Jesus Christ, to die on the cross so that I could be saved from my sin and have eternal life. I committed to living for God instead of the world.

Since knowing God personally, He showed me that "being Christian" isn't just about doing good deeds. He made it clear that I didn't have to earn my salvation or His love (Ephesians 2:8-9). He has given me fulfillment, purpose, and joy more than I could've ever achieved by myself. I know I'm still not perfect, I still mess up, but God loves me despite my flaws and imperfections. When the things I was pursuing before continually let me down, He has always been there to comfort me. God loved me at my lowest and He rescued me from myself and eternal separation from Him.

## **Testimonies**

#### **Christine Tsang**

Growing up in a Christian home, I have always known who God is, but the concept of having a personal relationship with Him was foreign to me. I knew there was more to Christianity, but never felt the need to look into it.

In grade 10, something had happened to my family which allowed me to witness the undeterring faith my mom had in God. Despite the situation she was in, she remained hopeful, and I could not understand how peaceful she was in God. This was the first time I felt motivated to get to know God better, but because of my surroundings apart from family, I found it very difficult to do so. As some of you may know, I lived in Hong Kong and Beijing before coming to Canada. It was a privilege to have experienced living in Asia, however during my time there, having Christian friends or anything close to a Christian community was also non-existent for me.

When I moved to Canada for university, that was when I found the chance to take my faith more seriously. When I moved here, I had moved by myself and knew no one besides some relatives. I thought it would be easy to adjust, but I was wrong. In my first year, I decided to plug myself in a fellowship and actively tried to make Christian friends. To most people, it may have seemed like making friends was easy for me, but to be honest, because I thought no one could understand my background, there was no one I felt I could truly connect with. In fact, for the longest time I believed I could only have close friends that were non-Christian and had studied in an international school like me.

Over my four years of university, I gradually realized that God had to be watching me every step of the way. In times when I felt like no one could understand me, it was strange because I could certainly say I never felt lonely. Instead, I had somehow learned to turn to God first and found joy and strength that I had never experienced before. In addition, He also started placing several Christian friends in my life that I gradually felt completely comfortable with.

## **Testimonies**

God's timing was perfect in providing people and opportunities in my life. Not only was He always there for me, but He also showed His ability to bring people together, despite their different backgrounds. Over time, the growth that came from persistently seeking him and having accountability became clearer to me. I started understanding what it meant to be a Christian and developing a personal relationship with God.

To this day, I still have many things to learn, but I know that God is good. Even though I may not understand the circumstances He puts me through and may never have the answers, I can find comfort in knowing I am precious in His eyes and that He always has a plan for me. I am definitely not perfect and there are still times when I still doubt God, however I can confidently say that I believe Jesus Christ is my saviour, and I will continue dedicating my life to Him.

## 貿見證集貿

#### 張潤玲姊妹

我 小時候就讀基督教學校,所以週日會返主日學,對神有所認識,直至一次親人離世,死亡在我面前突然發生,使我難於接受這個悲痛的事實。心中常常不斷自問,神在那裡?為什麼我們最需要你的時候,你卻不在?神為什麼有這樣的計劃?祂的目的是什麼呢?這個疑問在我心中揮之不去,我便漸漸地與神疏離,偏離了神的道路。

姐姐和姐夫是基督徒,他們邀請我返教會,而且我外甥和外甥女常常問我:『姨姨,你為什麼不信耶穌?』因而令我產生再一次認識神的想法,所以我便返教會參加主日學,重新認識神並開始學習祈禱。在一次崇拜上,牧師的講道讓我重新從另一個角度去思想過去所有的事情,原來我的心一直有神的存在,雖然我和神疏遠了很多年,祂仍然保守著我和我的家人,祂從來沒有離棄我,祂只是用了這件事來考驗我對祂的信心,而我卻失敗了,那一刻我認清我所犯的罪,覺得應向神認錯,回到神的懷抱,所以,我決志信主,願意一生跟從祂。

信主後,我感到內心真正的平安和心靈上的滿足,人和事都不再執著,思想亦不會像以前那麼負面,每次都以神的想法去看待一切的事情,感謝主賜給我機會,重新認識主,經歷祂的愛和教導,使我更加認識自己,常常銘記和感謝神的恩典,作一個堅定的基督徒。

## 貿見證集貿

#### 董曉薇姊妹

出去。當年的我不相信世上有神,亦不知道什麼是 "末日的審判" 和永生之說,我只會用科學來解釋什麼是進化,什麼是死亡,我只知道人生苦短,人死了便一了百了,因此活下的我一定要活得精彩,玩得盡興。我好自我和自信,為人處事從不退讓半分,盡管職場的鬥爭中我不斷往目標進發,亦得到了我期盼的職位,但我並沒有因此而滿足和快樂,內心仍是空虛的。我選擇了婚姻從而退出職場,跟隨丈夫來到多倫多開始新的生活。只可惜實際私生活並不如意,2012年的我要面對陌生的環境,處理緊張的婆媳關係和亮起紅燈的婚姻生活,令我覺得身心疲憊,內心的痛苦無法宣洩,我的婚姻以失敗告終,同時也離棄了我的兒子,這是我近年來人生的第一個底谷,十分沮喪無助。

2013年四月,重拾好心情的我獨自回到多倫多生活,但是內心仍然空虛的,此時一位熱心的舊房友得知我的處境,便邀請我來到基約宣道會,讓我認識了神,我知道真神為了愛我,竟差了祂的獨生子耶穌降世為人,為救贖我的罪釘身在十字架上,他的愛和犧牲實在令我十分感動,因此我便決志相信耶穌,一心跟從祂。

信主後,我感謝主給我豐盛的每一天,我祈禱感恩,藉著聖靈的感動,讓我的內心有著真正的平安,喜樂和滿足。同時,我認清我曾經犯過的錯誤,藉著主的憐憫,我終於將我的兒子接回多倫多和我一起生活,讓我可以背起母親的責任,讓他得到更好的照顧,也可讓他可以認識神,蒙神的恩典,依從主的吩咐,去過一個有目的有意義的人生。

我希望你也可以和我一樣,找到人生真正的意義,滿足,平安和喜樂。

#### This Week's Service Workers 本主日崇拜聖工人員:

講員 Speaker: 聞偉雄牧師 Rev. Stan Man

崇拜組長 Worship Leader : Jon Moe

讀經 Scripture Reader : Jon Moe

李郭美媚 Katy Lee

翻譯 Interpreter: 聞廖慧明師母 Joanna Man

陳家樂 Chan Ka Lok

Jessica Kwok

司事 Usher/Greetings: 呂鳳貞 Polly Cheung

陳郭惠兒 Wendy Chan

Elton Cheong & Deanna Tsang

#### Next Week's Service Workers 下主日崇拜聖工人員:

	中文堂	English Congregation		
講員 Speaker :	廖錦鎏	Rev. Raymond Liu		
崇拜組長 Worship Leader:	劉呂少玲	Dave Wong		
司琴 Pianist:	黎卓瑛			
讀經 Scripture Reader:	梁振榮	Dave Wong		
影音 A/V :	莫煒彬、陳家樂	Samuel Leung and Jonathan Yeung		
司事 Ushers :	呂鳳貞、陳郭惠兒	Megan Tsui		
接待 Greeters :		Winnie Yeung		

上週人數 Last Week's Attendance:		上主日奉獻: Last Week's Offering	中文堂 Chinese	英文堂 English
中文堂崇拜 Chinese Worship	106	常費 General Fund	\$4,115.00	\$2,621.00
英文堂崇拜 English Worship	52	感恩 Thanksgiving	445.00	0.00
兒童崇拜 Children's Worship (Kids/Helpers)	19/6	宣教 Missions Fund	2,450.00	2,355.00
中文主日學 Chinese Sunday School	53	維修 Repair Fund	300.00	0.00
兒童主日學 Children's Sunday School Bible & Breakfast (Kids/Helpers)	18/6	其他 Other (Alliance Women)		
祈禱會 Prayer Meeting (中 Chinese)	24	合共 Total	950.00 \$8,260.00	1,140.00 \$6,116.00

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	迦勒	專	(中年	-)	每月第一個	星期六晚	色七時半	
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	加利	利團	(就業)		每月第二個星期五晚八時			
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Two ways we v for YOU to join		love 1	. Comn	iit to	a Small Gro	oup.		
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	A small group is not just another thing to do each week, no is it a social gathering. Rather, it is a community of people							
	who are committed to Jesus and to being vulnerable with							
each other. It is a band of people desiring to grow in their								
	faith, learning to love the Word and wanting to share their					nting to share their		
	faith with others. If this sounds like something you are					• •		
	interested in, we have three small groups: downtown,					s: downtown,		
midtown and uptown.								
	2. Join us for lunch.							
		Food was an important part of community building in the						
		Bible. People gathered together and celebrated and feasted.						
		Community is important to us. Therefore we love food!						
			Each small group will meet over coffee and snacks, and maybe even go out for lunch after Sunday Service. Join us					
			as we enjoy food and each other.					
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