NEW COVENANT ALLIANCE CHURCH

COMMIT TO CHRIST PROCLAIM HIS GOSPEL BUILD HIS CHURCH

A CHURCH THAT GOES INTO THE COMMUNITY HELPING PEOPLE ENTER THE KINGDOM OF GOD



AN ENCOURAGEMENT FOR YOU

Read: Acts 16: 10

After Paul had seen the vision, we got ready at once to leave for Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to preach the gospel to them.

Reflection:

- On his way to Ephesus, Paul listened to God's call and stopped in Macedonia first. Paul's example helps us see that even in situations stemming from a good heart, God can call us to do something else first or to something else entirely. - How has God changed your plans recently? Has it been hard to let go of what you had been waiting for? - What can you learn from Paul's eagerness to spread the

Gospel and his ability to follow God's calling? Praise and Prayer:

- Pray for a humble and faithful heart. Many investments, plans, trips, and jobs have been affected due to the global pandemic. Although it may be difficult to lose these things, pray that God's glory will shine through and that we can find peace in Him.

- Pray for an eagerness to grow closer to God. On some days, it can be difficult to find motivation but pray that we can make the most of the time at home.

- Pray that we can be an encouragement to those around us who may be more affected by what is going on. Pray that we will have a caring and empathetic heart.

A FEW THINGS TO KNOW

Small-Group will continue as usual through the social media platform. Please contact your group leaders for further information.

Children Online worship : Saturdays 1:30-2:30PM. Please contact Elaine or Peggy.

Special Zoom prayer meeting with other Chinese Alliance churches across Canada in response to COVID-19. April 26 (Sunday) 7pm English. You are

invited to participate. Zoom link :

https://zoom.us/j/91185565288?pwd=YVk2RFgvMIMvN k1XczNOcStxVW4vdz09

NCAC Worship Streaming Live On-line

During COVID-19 pandemic period, our worship services will move to on-line. We can participate church Sunday worship by visiting church website www.ncac.ca or through YouTube platform. Worship time remains to be 9:30 AM (English) and 11:15 AM (Chinese). Church building is closed temporary. All church group activities, programs, communication and meetings will be through Zoom, social media and congregational email. For inquiry, support, or prayer please contact Pastors, Elders, group leaders, or leave message with church office (416-288-1770) or church email info@ncac.ca

A FEW THINGS TO KNOW

E-Offerings Auto deposit and eConfirmation

Thank you brothers and sisters for your continued donation to our church during these difficult times. If you choose to donate through Interac E-transfer, you will receive email confirmation from the bank of our church after your donation is successfully transferred. In addition, you will also receive email confirmation from NCAC church finance department after they completed the auditing step. If you have not receive email confirmation from our church finance please contact Ricky Leung as soon as possible.

Our new electronic transfer of offering is now on Auto deposit. There is no need for security question and answer. Please see instruction below (Different banks may have different ways or settings for e-transfer. The following gives you a general idea.):

- 1. Logon to the online banking of your bank
- 2. Navigate to the Interac e-Transfer section.
- 3. Create or add a new contact or recipient name (e.g. NCAC)
- 4. Then enter our church e-offering email address: donate@ncac.ca
- 5. Enter the following information in the "Message" section:
- a. Name of donor and/or offering number of donor
- b. Address of donor (necessary for a new donor)

c. Allocation of the offering amount (if not specified, the total amount will go to the General Fund). Example: General - \$ 200, Building Repair - \$100; Mission - \$100, Love Fund – 100, others (please specify)

You can also send your offerings in cheque by mail to church address 1490 Birchmount Rd. Scarborough, ON M1P 2E3, to the attention of the Finance department. If by mail, please send a cheque and not cash.

A few key people to connect with

Enoch Chan & Marcus Tong | Downtown Small Group Christine Wong & Leah Chan | Downtown Small Group Keith Lau & Catherine Chan | Uptown Small Group

> Rev. Dr. Vinson Samuel | English Pastor Rev. Simon Sit | Senior Pastor

Michael Huynh | English Elder Charlotte Pang, David Tong & Victoria Tung | English Ministry Leaders

> Today's Service David Tong | Service Leader Online Service | Greeter & Usher Jon Moe | Music Leader Jon Moe | Tech Rev. Dr. Vinson Samuel | Speaker

Attendance & Offering

86 | Easter Sunday Service (Live Stream Viewers:39, Recording Viewers:47) - | Zoom Prayer Meeting 10/2 | Children Online Worship (Kids/Helpers) \$11,577.00 | Total Offering (April 6 – April 12 English & Chinese e-Transfer)

God, Our Dwelling Place Psalm 91: 1 – 9

Sunday Service

Praise & Worship Call to Worship & Welcome Praise & Worship Pastoral Prayer Scripture Reading Message Song of Response & Offering Doxology & Benediction Announcements

Some things that stood out to me

Some questions that I'm left asking

*Please leave space for latecomers by sitting forward and towards the middle aisle

*If you are a parent with a young baby, we welcome you to use the worship room to partake in service



Support Community COVID19: NCAC has formed a support community team to help out the needs of communities in this pandemic crisis. Members of this team include Roberta Lau, Ben Lee, Michael Huynh and David Tong. So far, 750 disposal masks were donated to Mon Sheong Long Term Care and Participation House. We encourage brothers and sisters to support community and participate in the following projects. 1. Home Made masks: To make 200 reusable masks for individuals and charitable organizations who need them. We need to collect new fabric or flat bed sheet to make masks. If you have the sewing skill or fabric, please contact Roberta Lau. 2. Support Carefirst Seniors and Community Services Association (www.carefirstontario.ca) for their following needs: (a) Food bank- drop off non-perishable to their two locations per attached flyer or contact Ben Lee (Toronto), David Tong (Markham) and Michael Huvnh (Northeast Markham) to arrange pick up; (b) Lunch delivery: need drivers to deliver hot meal to seniors from Monday to Friday between 11 am - 1 p.m. Please contact David Tong or Ben Lee if you are available. (c) Financial support: donate to "Carefirst Convid-19 Relief Fund" in supporting seniors. You can make offering to our NCAC Love fund and specify for "Carefirst" or donate directly to, https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/5034 and choose "Carefirst Covid-19 Relief Fund'. Donation before April 30 will be matched by Gore Mutual Foundation.

For most up to date information on the 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Please refer to the Ontario's Ministry of Health's website: https://www.ontario.ca/page/2019-novel-coronavirus If you are feeling unwell, a self-assessment tool is available on the website. If you experience any symptoms, contact Telehealth Ontario at 1-866-797-0000 or your primary care provider by telephone.

Good Friday Service English: 55 (Live Stream Viewers: 32, Recording Viewers: 23)

April 6 – April 12 English & Chinese E-Transfer Offering Total

General Fund	\$6,602.00
Thanksgiving	20.00
Mission	3,755.00
Building Repair Fund	300.00
Love	,,900.00
Others	0.00
Total	\$11,577.00

Praise /Prayer for April 19, 2020

Reaction to Co-vid 19 Projection: Pray for the public's mental & emotional well being in responding to the Co-vid 19 projection. Pray that they will redirect their fear to turn to the Lord & trust in God's goodness & faithfulness.

CHMT Worship: Praise the Lord that we can continue to study God's word & worship Him through alternate ways (e.g. Zoom) Pray for children's attention & leader's wisdom & creativity in preparing the lesson.

VBS/Church Retreat: Pray for God's guidance & His plan for VBS (July 6-24) & church retreat (Aug 1 -3) in this unprecedented times.

Pastors/church leaders: Pray for their health & wellbeing as they offer insight and wisdom to the congregations, may the Lord give them opportunities to be voices of reason, clarity and grace.

First-responders: They are tasked with triaging, testing, and treating increasing numbers of people. Pray for God to give them patience, wisdom and a gentle spirit as they work to navigate fears and offer effective treatment.

Support community: Pray that NCAC would be people of compassion who intentionally reach out to others in our neighborhoods & community.