

WELCOME

TO OUR THANKSGIVING SERVICE October 10, 2021

CHURCH THEME: BEING THE CHURCH, AGAINST ALL ODDS

VERSE FOR THE WEEK - Philippians 4: 6

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your request to God."

ONLINE SUNDAY SERVICE

Call to Worship
Praise and Thanksgiving
Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 1:18 - 2:5

Sermon

"The Wisdom & Power of God"

Song of Response
Tithes and Offering
Church Announcements
Doxology
Benediction

A FEW THINGS TO KNOW

WELCOME TO OUR ONLINE THANKSGIVING SERVICE

We welcome and thank you for joining our Sunday Service. We welcome and thank Rev David Li, Pastor of Toronto Simpson Chinese Alliance Church for ministering to us today.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

Thanksgiving is a wonderful time to give thanks to God for His goodness and to be near those that we love. May you and your entire family receive the choicest of God's blessings.

SUNDAY SCHOOL AFTER SERVICE AT 11AM

We will begin another Old Testament study series "God's Story Through the Old Testament Times". These sessions will be conducted by Michael and Anki Huynh.

Today's Service

Brian Wong | Service leader Leah Chan(L) and Enoch Chan | Worship Team Jon Moe, Matt Leung, Sam Leung, Gabriel Huynh & Rahel Vinson | Tech Jon Moe | Service Video Editor Rev David Li | Speaker

NEXT IN-PERSON SUNDAY SERVICE- OCT. 17 @ 9.30 AM

To join our next In-Person Sunday service, please book through the link provided:

Booking for in-person Sunday service: https://english-worship-at-ncac-registration.eventbrite.ca/ (Bookings open from Monday 9 am to Saturday 6pm)

All our In-Person Sunday Services will be live-streamed simultaneously for those who are unable to join in person.

ADULT BAPTISM / MEMBERSHIP - DECEMBER 12, 2021

If you are interested to be baptised or want to be part of NCAC through membership, please contact Rev Vinson or Elder Michael Huynh. Baptism and Membership Classes will begin soon.

SMALL GROUP @ NCAC

We have Small groups that that meets together regularly to discuss scripture, good conversation, and grow...together! If you are interested or have questions about these groups please contact one of the Small Groups leaders.

ELDERS ELECTED FOR 2022 & 2023

At the Special Membership Meeting held on September 26, the following persons were elected as 'Elder" to the Board for the years 2022 and 2023:

- Elaine Kong
- Louisa Lau
- Michael Huynh

We thank God for their willingness to serve the Lord in this capacity. Please continue to pray, encourage and support their leadership roles.

NCAC RE-OPENED FOR IN-PERSON SERVICE

Ontario is currently in Stage 3 of reopening the economy due to 4th wave of pandemics. Measures under Stage 3 do not limit the number of people attending religious gatherings indoors, but to maintain a 2 meters (6 feet) social distance, and participants must wear facial masks.

With social distancing, the capacity of in-person worship, in addition to the serving teams on duty, there will be 26 to 50 seats (single seating plus groups of the same family) Due to limited seating, in advance, online registration and online COVID self-screening are needed for those who like to attend in-person Sunday worship. Those who register for in-person Sunday worship can also attend the in-person Sunday school on the same Sunday.

<u>In-Person Services for October and November:</u> English – October – 3, 17 & 31 / November 14 & 28 Cantonese – October 10 & 24 / November 7 & 21

As children do not have vaccines available to them for protection, there is no children or nursery program offered at this time. Masks must be worn when inside the church building.

If you are unable to register, you can continue to participate in online worship and online Sunday school. Please continue to pray for protection for all of us and for the In-person Services.

COVID UPDATES

As the pandemic is not over, let's continue to adhere to the provincial safety measures to minimize transmission of the virus and prevent surge in cases. Kindly visit COVID -19 websites for important information and updates:

Reopening Ontario Guidelines (STEP 3):
 https://www.ontario.ca/page/reopening-ontario
 COVID-19 public health measures and advice
 https://covid-19.ontario.ca/public-health-measures

Our C&MA District urges local churches to trust God's timing in all of this and to honour our government and health officials for their hard work. All the ministries of NCAC will continue to be online till further notice. Thank you for your prayers and support.

Online Attendance and Offering – Last Sunday

63 (37 Onsite, 19 online, 7 recording) | English Service
391 (114 Online, 277 recording) | Cantonese Service
17 kids & 8 adults/leaders (Children Worship)

(Sept 27 - Oct 3, Chinese and English Service) \$12,150.00 | Total Offerings General Fund \$8,400.00; Thanksgiving \$350.00 Missions \$2,460.00; Building Repair Repair \$850.00 Love Fund \$90.00

People to Connect with SMALL GROUP (SG) LEADERS

Enoch Chan, Downtown Christine Wong & Leah Chan, Downtown Keith Lau & Catherine Tsang, Uptown Michael and Anki Huynh, Northeast James Lam, 1 Corinthians 13

English Ministry Team

Charlotte Pang, David Tong, Enoch Chan Michael Huynh, Elder Rev Dr Vinson Samuel, English Pastor

CHURCH MINISTRY STAFF

Rev Simon Sit, Senior Pastor Rev Dr Vinson Samuel, English Pastor Mr Jon Moe, Children and Youth Ministry Director

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