

WELCOME

ENGLISH SUNDAY SERVICE November 21, 2021

CHURCH THEME: BEING THE CHURCH, AGAINST ALL ODDS

VERSE FOR THE WEEK – Psalm 95:1-2

"Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord; let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation. Let us come before him with thanksgiving and extol him with music and song."

ONLINE SUNDAY SERVICE

Call to Worship Praise and Worship Scripture Reading

Philippians 4:11-19

Sermon

"The Secret of Being Content"

Song of Response
Tithes and Offering
Church Announcements
Doxology
Benediction

A FEW THINGS TO KNOW

WELCOME TO OUR ONLINE SERVICE

Praise God for another opportunity to worship Him as Lord and Saviour of our lives.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ON 'DECALOGUE' @ 11 AM

Today, we continue our study series on the Ten Commandments also known as "Decalogue". Irene Moe will conduct today's session via zoom.

EM CORPORATE PRAYER – DECEMBER 1ST @ 8PM

Let's come together to thank God for His abiding presence and to intercede for our nation, church, and specially for our In-Person services and ongoing ministry.

Please join us through Zoom:

ON VACATION

Rev Vinson will be on vacation leave from November 14 to November 21, 2021. Please contact EMT for ministry matters.

Today's Service

Brian Wong | Service leader Jasmine Vinson (L), Catherine Tsang & Rahel Vinson | Worship Jon Moe,& Rahel Vinson | Tech

Rev Dr Vinson Samuel | Speaker

VIRTUAL CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION -DECEMBER 18 @ 7.30AM Let's praise God for His goodness and celebrate His birth. We will have our online Christmas celebration on Dec 18 at 7:30 p.m. We also encourage you and your friends to join the celebration. Stay tune for more detail.

EM OUTREACH - Collection for Queen and Bathurst Community

In this Christmas season, EMT would like to collect winter clothing, toys and non-perishable food as well as monetary support for the Queen and Bathurst community through Toronto Alliance Church. We encourage you to share this with your non-Christian friends so that they can be part of this event as well. We will also help prepare sandwiches or hygiene packages on Saturday, December 4 and 11. For details of the sandwiches and hygiene items, please contact EMT members.

You can drop off winter clothes, toys and non-perishable items at Church every Sunday from 9:15 to 11:30 a.m. or contact EMT members Charlotte Pang @ 647-979-4487, Enoch Chan @ 647-880-0744, Michael Huynh @ 416-727-2881 and David Tong @ 416-616-5741 to arrange drop off.

Criteria of the items:

- 1. Toys and clothing must be new or in good condition.
- 2. These are the preferred non-perishable food items: Tuna, instant noodles, canned ravioli, beans in tomato sauce or syrup, mixed vegetables, corn, chicken noodle soup, chunky stews, fruit cups, juice boxes, and chocolate and vanilla pudding.
- 3. "Monetary support will be used for food and supplies purchase for TAC. Please note "love fund (TAC)" on the offering if you are giving monetary donations.

NEXT IN-PERSON SUNDAY SERVICE- NOV. 28 @ 9.30 AM

To join our next In-Person Sunday service, please book through the link when the booking is available:

https://english-worship-at-ncac-registration.eventbrite.ca/

All our In-Person Sunday Services will be live-streamed.

NCAC RE-OPENED FOR IN-PERSON SERVICE

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

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

In-Person Services for November:

English – November 28 Cantonese – November 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.

REFUGEE UPDATE

- 1. Sirwan and his family: Thank God for His protection and faithfulness. They arrived in Toronto on November 17. Please pray that they will adapt well here in Toronto. Mariwan, Sirwan's brother, has prepared all the daily necessities for the family. All they need is two working mobile phones and laptops. Please contact David Tong, Elton Cheong, James Lam or Michael Huyuh if you have spare phones and laptops to donate.
- 2. Abdullah and his family: The application process started on August 20. Thank God that the family received the application number on October 28 so that they can continue to stay in Turkey and don't have to be sent back to Iraq. He is amazing and He listens and answers our prayer.

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.

Attendance and Offering – Last Week

(36 onsite, 20 live online, 12 recording) I English Service
 342 (108 live online, 234 recording) I Chinese Service
 14 children & 7 leaders I Children Service

Chinese and English Service Giving (Nov 8-14) \$ 5,145.00 | Total Offerings General Fund \$ 3,795.00; Missions \$1,250.00; Building Repair Fund \$50.00; Thanksgiving \$0.00; Love Fund \$50.00

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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