

WELCOME

TO OUR COMMUNION SERVICE
October 2, 2022



CHURCH THEME: REVIVE & RENEW

EM VISION (GLOW): Gather, Love, Offer, Witness

VERSE FOR REFLECTION – Luke 12: 6-7

“6 Are not five sparrows sold for two pennies? Yet not one of them is forgotten by God. 7 Indeed, the very hairs of your head are all numbered. Don't be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows.

Order of Service

Call to Worship
Praise and Worship
Pastoral Prayer
Scripture Reading
Isaiah 61:1-3
Sermon
Beauty to Ashes
Holy Communion
Song of Response
Tithes and Offering
Church Announcements
Doxology & Benediction

A FEW THINGS TO KNOW

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Thank you for joining the church family today. We extend our thanks to Albert and Elaine Lu for sharing the Lord's word. Albert and Elaine are serving as International workers in Taiwan.

Do join us for light refreshments after every worship service. It's an opportunity to meet new people and catch up with each other.

MONTHLY CORPORATE PRAYER @ 11 AM. TODAY

Albert and Elaine Lu will be sharing their joys and ministry needs today. Please join us as we gather to hear what God is doing in Taiwan and to support them in prayers.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ON SPIRITUAL GIFTS

Sunday school will resume next Sunday onwards on an interesting subject. Do you know your God-driven S.H.A.P.E? How do you find the ministry God has intended for you? Come and find these sessions conducted by Anki and Michael Huynh.

Today's Service

David Tong | Service Leader
Jasmine Vinson (L), Leah Chan, Rahel Vinson &
Ricky Hong | Worship Team
Henry Sugimoto & Bonnie Li | Greeters
Samuel Leung, Matthew Leung & Gabriel Huynh | Tech
Albert and Elaine Lu | Speaker

SANDWICH RUN AND FOOD BANK WITH TAC

NCAC is preparing sandwiches for needy in Downtown Toronto on Oct 15 at 9:30am in the church kitchen. We will also be collecting items for the food bank. Please contact Charlotte for more details or leave items in the church foyer for pickup.

NCAC CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Sunday in-person children and toddler programs have begun. Children in person worship, every Sunday starts at 9:30am and children's worship online is returning for a limited time run. The CHMT is also looking for help for our Sunday programs. If you are interested in helping in this growing ministry or looking to have your child attend our various programs, please contact Jon Moe for more details.

INTERESTED IN BAPTISM OR CHURCH MEMBERSHIP!

Baptism and church membership is an opportunity to understand the Christian faith and the nature of church membership before becoming a church member. Baptism/Membership classes will begin in November. If you are interested or want to know more, please contact Rev Vinson or Elder Michael.

BOARD OF ELDERS VACANT POSITION

After Senior Pastor retires and starting in October, the role and duties of the Board's Chair will be covered by Elaine Kong, the vice chair of the Board. The Board will embrace the suggestion and permission granted by the District Superintendent, to leave the vacant position open until the next election of Elder(s) in the membership meeting. Please remember our Elders in your prayers.

ONLINE BOOKING APPLICATION

We are pleased to inform you that the online booking application has been completed. All department leads and small group leaders can use this application to book and reserve church meeting rooms and classrooms for ministry work. Please contact Peggy for any technical issues and Samantha for administrative matters.

PASTORAL SEARCH COMMITTEE

The committee has had a fourth monthly meeting. The search for suitable prospects continues. Invitation to apply has been placed on different websites, including Alliance districts and two seminaries. The committee has also reached out to pastors and leaders for referrals. Please pray for patience and God's guidance.

COVID INFORMATION & RESOURCES

Visit the links for important information and updates:

Public Health Measures and Advice:
<https://covid-19.ontario.ca/public-health-measures>

COVID-19: What to do if you have been exposed:
<https://covid-19.ontario.ca/exposed>

IN PERSON SUNDAY SERVICES

We have resumed our weekly in-person Sunday worship services and Sunday school while continuing with our online worship platform.

As Covid restriction on capacity limit is lifted by Ontario government, and almost all of our congregations have received full vaccination, restriction on worship services capacity and requirement of pre-registration is lifted. Attendees can adjust their level of social distancing according to personal health needs.

Small groups, fellowships and committees can book church facilities for meetings via the booking links.

The use of food in church facility starting is permitted following Ontario health protocol guidelines. Wearing is required when preparing or distributing food, except when eating.

Attendees are kindly requested to do a Covid symptoms self-screening before coming to church.

Please pray for the gradual restoration of all of our in-person activities.

Attendance and Offering – Last Sunday

402 (118 onsite, 43 online, 241 recording) | Joint Service
5 Teens, 2 Adults | FOG Fellowship
6 Kids, 2 Leaders | Children Worship
7 Kids, 3 Leaders | Online Children Worship

Chinese and English Service Giving (Sep 19 – Sep 25)

\$2,051.00 | Total Offerings

General Fund \$1,501.00; Thanksgiving 0.00;

Missions \$400.00; Building Repair \$150.00;

Love Fund 0.00; Others 0.00

People to Connect with SMALL GROUP (SG) LEADERS

Enoch Chan, Downtown

Christine Wong & Leah Chan, Downtown

Keith Lau, Uptown

Michael and Anki Huynh, Northeast

1 Corinthians 13

English Ministry Team

Charlotte Pang & 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

Ms Samantha Li, Administrative Coordinator

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