

# WELCOME

## TO OUR ENGLISH SUNDAY SERVICE

March 19, 2023



**CHURCH THEME: TRUST GOD, LIVE IN UNITY,  
SERVE FAITHFULLY**

**EM MISSION : Know Christ and Make Christ Known**

**Verse for Reflection/Memory - Witnessing**

"For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile." Romans 1:16

### Order of Service

**Call to Worship**  
**Praise and Worship**  
**Pastoral Prayer**  
**Scripture Reading**  
Acts 1:8  
Luke 10:1-3  
**Sermon**  
*Lambs Among Wolves*  
**Song of Response**  
**Tithes and Offering**  
**Church Announcements**  
**Doxology & Benediction**

### A FEW THINGS TO KNOW

#### WELCOME TO OUR ENGLISH SUNDAY SERVICE

Thank you for joining our English Sunday Service. We thank Dr. Miriam Charter for sharing the Word today. Do join us for light refreshments after every worship service. It's an opportunity to meet new people and catch up with each other.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR MARCH

Do you know that the gospel of Mark was considered the first gospel and a primary source for both Matthew and Mark? Come and discover this interesting study conducted by Michael Huynh.

#### AGM - MARCH 26, 2023, AT 1PM.

Board of Elders is pleased to announce that 2023 Annual Membership Meeting will take place on March 26, 2023 immediately after the Chinese Worship Service at 1PM. All members are asked to attend this important meeting for the church. The membership package has been sent out.

#### Today's Service

Leah Chan | Service Leader  
Jasmine Vinson(L), Rahel Vinson, Jon Moe and  
Ricky Hong | Worship  
James Chow and Paul M | Greeters  
Samuel Leung, Matthew Leung & Gabriel Huynh | Tech  
Dr. Miriam Charter | Speaker

## **ON VACATION**

Rev Vinson will be on leave from March 20-24. For any EM matter, please contact EMT.

## **SAVE THE DATE SATURDAY APRIL 15**

You are invited to join the CHMT for an informative and interactive half day onsite training by Margaret Boersma, an experienced Consultant and Trainer on the Parent Social-Emotional Learning Series. This invitation is open to all parents/VBS parents/ community neighbors/family & friends. More information to follow.

## **TURKEY/SYRIA RELIEF FUND**

Praise the Lord for His faithfulness and the congregants' generosity and love, we have raised \$8,350 as of Feb. 26, Pray that the fund will be put to good use, and that the recovery is on the way.

## **2022 TAX RECEIPTS**

2022 Tax Receipts have all been sent out either by postage or email. If you have any related question, please contact Louisa Lau at [louisaluilau@gmail.com](mailto:louisaluilau@gmail.com).

## **2023 EM MISSION: KNOW CHRIST AND MAKE CHRIST KNOWN**

This year, EMT desires to focus on: Being A Caring Community; Connect into Small Groups and Develop Ministry Leaders. Be part of our plans and mission!

## **EM SMALL GROUPS**

Being part of a small group is truly beneficial for the Christian life and experience. Be part of our church community by joining our Small group.

Contact the Small Group leaders and see details in the church bulletin.

## **PASTORAL SEARCH COMMITTEE**

The committee has had the eighth monthly meeting. The search for suitable prospects continues. The committee has received some applications for this pastoral position. Please continue praying.

# CHURCH FINANCIAL REPORT FOR JANUARY 2023

	INCOME FOR Jan	EXPENSE FOR Jan	NET INCOME FOR Jan	NET INCOME FOR THE YEAR	BALANCE AS OF Jan 31, 2023
GENERAL	20,794	(24,332)	(3,538)	(3,538)	116,174
BUILDING	-	-	-	-	502,904
REPAIR	800	-	800	800	290,792
LOVE	200	-	200	200	29,250
MISSION	9,834	-	9,834	9,834	18,089
S/T MISSION	120	-	120	120	4,476
COMMUNITY	-	545	545	545	20,753

## MASK-FRIENDLY ANNOUNCEMENT WEF JAN 15, 2023

We continue to monitor our health and safety measures based on the Provincial health guidelines. In line with these health and safety measures, we are providing the following guidance regarding the use of face coverings to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

We are adopting a mask-friendly approach.

Masks are no longer required in common areas including the Sanctuary and all public accessible rooms and hallways. You may be requested to wear a mask if there are COVID-related concerns. Please have a mask available at all times and be prepared to put it on when requested to do so.

If you wish to wear a mask in places like common areas listed above where masks are not required, you are encouraged and supported in your decision to do so.

All Worshipers can adjust their level of social distancing according to personal health needs when sitting in the sanctuary.

NCAC continues to monitor the pandemic and make changes to its COVID-19 processes and policies as needed and appropriate and in accordance to the Provincial guidelines.

This change takes effect as of Jan.15. 2023

**Attendance and Offering – Last Sunday**

**57** (42 onsite, 8 online, 7 recording) | English Service  
**239** (79 onsite, 21 online, 139 recording) | Cantonese Service  
6 Teens, 1 Adults | FOG Fellowship  
6 Kids, 1 Adult | Children Worship

Chinese and English Service Giving (Mar 6 – Mar 12)

**\$6,946.00** | Total Offerings

General Fund \$4,246.00; Thanksgiving \$100.00;

Missions \$2,250.00; Building Repair \$250.00;

Love Fund 0.00; Others \$100.00

**People to Connect with  
SMALL GROUP (SG) LEADERS**

Jasmine Vinson & Samuel Leung, Downtown

Keith Lau & Susanna Tong, Uptown

Michael and Anki Huynh, Northeast

Rev Vinson & Florence C Mo, Agape

**English Ministry Team**

Charlotte Pang & Enoch Chan

Michael Huynh, Elder

Rev Dr Vinson Samuel, English Pastor

**CHURCH MINISTRY STAFF**

Rev Dr Vinson Samuel, English Pastor

Mr Jon Moe, Children and Youth Ministry Director

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