# WELCOME



# TO OUR ENGLISH SUNDAY SERVICE - Jan 14, 2024

CHURCH THEME: GROW IN GRACE,

HEART FOR HARVEST, TOGETHER WE SHINE

EM MISSION: Know Christ and Make Christ Known

# Verse for Reflection/Memory – Humility

"In the same way, you who are younger, submit yourselves to your elders. All of you, clothe yourselves with humility toward one another, because, 'God opposes the proud but shows favor to the humble.' Humble yourselves, therefore, under God's mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time."

1 Peter 5:5-6

# **Order of Service**

Call to Worship
Praise and Worship
Children Moments
Prayer
Scripture Reading
2 Timothy 2:1-7

Sermon

Encouragement To Be Faithful
Song of Response
Tithes and Offering
Church Announcements
Doxology & Benediction

#### A FEW THINGS TO KNOW

#### **WELCOME TO OUR SUNDAY SERVICE**

Thank you for joining our Sunday Service. We thank Rev. Simon Sit for sharing with us today. Do join us for snacks after our Sunday Service in the Fellowship Hall. It's a great opportunity to meet new people and catch up with each other.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL

- Praying and meditating through the Names of God What's In A Name? What does the name Jehovah Jireh or Jehovah Nissi mean to you? English Ministry Sunday school will be going through a new series, "Praying and meditating through the Names of God", starting on January 14. Come and join us as we spend time to learn about various Names of God to help us to know Him better. Facilitated by Michael Huynh and others.

#### ON VACATION

Rev Vinson will be on vacation from January 11-16, 2024. For EM matters, please contact EMT.

## Today's Service

David Tong | Service Leader Leah Chan (L), Enoch Chan, Charlotte Pang | Worship Henry Sugimoto & Susana Tong | Greeters Samuel Leung, Matthew Leung, Gabriel Huynh & Matthew Chan | Tech Rev Simon Sit | Speaker

#### **EM NEWS & UPDATES**

# 2024 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. Become part of our church community by joining our Small Group! To contact the Small Group leaders, see details on the last page of the church bulletin.

#### NCAC ANNUAL REPORT

As we come to the close of another year, we thank God for His faithfulness in our lives and church ministry. It's time for our 2023 ministry reports. We kindly request all ministry departments to submit their "Annual Report" in Chinese and English to Michael Huynh by January 28, 2024.

### 2024-2025 ELDERS AND POSITIONS

Elder Elaine Kong (Acting Chairman), Elder Keith Lau (Secretary), Elder Louisa Lau (Finance) and Elder Michael Huynh appreciate your prayer and welcome you to contact them if required.

#### **CHYMT TRAINING**

The training will take place on January 28th, 2024 from 1pm -3 pm in the recreation room. This training session will cover scheduling, teaching, Plan to Protect, and other things necessary to serve in the Children and Youth ministry. If you are currently serving, planning to serve in these areas, or wish to explore serving in this area, please get in touch with Jon Moe for more information and to sign up.

#### CHYMT AND PARENT CONNECTION LUNCH

On February 25th, 2023 the CHYMT invites all parents of kids involved with children and youth ministries to a pizza lunch with the CHYMT committee. We will break bread, enjoy each other's company, and go over our vision and plans for the children and youth ministries for the year. The event is free and please let Jon Moe know if you would like to attend.

#### **2024 FOG RETREAT**

The FOG retreat is back, and will take place from March 22nd-24th at the Scott Mission Camp in Collingwood. It will be a time of team building, worship and connecting with God over a weekend. It is open to those in Jr. and Sr. High. Registration forms and waivers coming soon!

### 2024 VBS Registration is Live!

Want to get your summer plans started early? Need to know when to take a vacation? The online registration is now open for NCAC's 2024 VBS! The camp will once again run for 4 weeks from July 8th to August 2nd, 2024. Camp is open to any child who is starting grades 1-8 in September 2024. Please contact Jon Moe if you have any questions or would like the registration link.

# 2024 VBS Registration Event

We will also be hosting a sign-up event for VBS on Feb 17th, 2024 from 10-2 pm. If you want help signing up your kids, or want to get a sneak peek at what to expect, come on out! There will be games, crafts and food. We hope to see you there!

### Attendance and Offering – Last Sunday

**42** onsite I English Service **164** (97 onsite, 21 online, 46 recording) I Cantonese

— | FOG Fellowship

6 Kids, 1 Adult | Children Worship

2 Kids, 1 Adult | Pre-school

Chinese and English Service Giving (Jan 1 – Jan 7) \$11,430.00 | Total Offerings General Fund \$7,855.00; Thanksgiving 0.00; Missions \$3,575.00; Building Repair \$0.00; Love Fund 0.00; Others 0.00

# People to Connect with SMALL GROUP (SG) LEADERS

Jasmine Vinson & Samuel Leung, Lighthouse Keith Lau & Susanna Tong, Uptown Rev Dr Vinson & Florence C Mo, Agape Matthew Leung & Rahel Vinson, CU Connect

# **English Ministry Team**

Charlotte Pang, Enoch Chan, Michael Huynh & Samuel Leung Keith Lau, Elder Rev Dr Vinson Samuel, English Pastor

#### **CHURCH MINISTRY STAFF**

Rev Dr Vinson Samuel, English Pastor Pastor Steven Wong, Chinese Pastor Mr Jon Moe, Children and Youth Ministry Director Ms Samantha Li, Administrative Coordinator

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