

WELCOME

TO OUR ENGLISH SERVICE - July 11, 2021

CHURCH THEME: BEING THE CHURCH, AGAINST ALL ODDS

ONLINE SUNDAY SERVICE

Call to Worship

Catherine Tsang

Praise and Thanksgiving

Leah Chan (L) and Enoch Chan

Scripture Reading

Philippians 1:3-30

Sermon

Rev Brem Frentz

"Faithful Gospel Partnership in a Broken and Suffering World"

> Song of Response Tithes and Offering

Church Announcements

Mission Sharing

Victor and Danielle Lai

Doxology and Benediction

(Worship Video Tech: Rahel Vinson)

A FEW THINGS TO KNOW

WELCOME TO OUR SERVICE

We welcome and thank you for joining our Online Sunday Service. We thank Rev Brem Frentze, the Vice President - Venture, of Christian and Missionary Alliance (C&MA), for sharing the Lord's message today.

Please check our church website and congregational email for church events and updates.

NCAC RE-OPENING ROADMAP

With key public health indicators and province wide vaccination rate continuing to improve, Ontario is easing restrictions on in-person gathering. Elders Board is planning for reopening in September when our AV team and worship team are ready for hybrid worship services, when more capacity is allowed and more congregants are vaccinated, enabling safe reopening and providing of both in person and online worship services. We will invite and help our ministry teams and volunteers to get ready in July and August. As the Delta virus variant remains a continuing threat, causing uncertainty ahead, we urge for your continuing prayers.

Online Attendance and Offering – Last Sunday

88 (57 realtime, 31 recording) I English Service
381 (124 realtime, 257 recording) I Cantonese Service
14 / 8 I Children Online Worship (Kids/Helpers)
2 Teens / 2 Adults (FOG - Followers of God)
(June 28- July 4, Chinese and English)
\$14,610.00 | Total Offerings

General Fund \$9,380.00; Missions \$4,780.00; Thanksgiving: \$100.00; Building Repair: \$350.00

EM SUNDAY SCHOOL @ 11AM

Join us again for the second session on 'The Apostle's Creed." Charlotte Pang will lead the sessions.

Since April, the nomination committee has identified and given 22 invitations to prospective candidates, including 7 sisters and 15 brothers or 10 from English congregation and 12 from Chinese congregation. As of today 2 sisters are willing to be nominated and 4 brothers and 1 sister are still considering. Please continue to pray for the nomination process.

NCAC ANNUAL MISSION CONFERENCE MONTH

Theme is "NCAC: Our DNA".

July 2021 is our Mission Emphasis month. Four Mission Sunday Messages – July 4, 11, 18, 25 plus IW Stories & Mission Sharing will be available in NCAC Sunday services. Rev. Dr. Dave Hearn, Rev. Brem Frentz, Rev. Curtis Peters as well as Rev. Dr. James Hudson Taylor IV will be the speakers.

For children, there are 4 mission messages for Elementary and for Kindergarten, including songs and mission stories. IWs from different regions have been invited to share stories witnessing the wonderful hands of God in all corners of the world. Please pray for the work and new initiatives of the JMC.

Let's be challenged as His Church to fulfill the Great Commission given to each one of us.

MISSION FUND 2021 - MID YEAR UPDATE

Praise the Lord! By the end of June 2021, we have raised \$51,955 for 2021 NCAC Mission Fund, achieving 41% of our annual fundraising target \$127,400.

With the surplus we carried from the previous years, we are able to send out 50% of this year support earlier this month to C&MA Global Advance Fund and other organizations and international workers supported on our Mission Budget.

Please continue to pray for the international workers and their ministry around the world. Join our Wednesday prayer meetings in July to pray for and also pray with our missionaries in zoom prayer meetings

COVID UPDATES

The Ontario government announced on July 9, 2021 that the province will move to Step 3 on Friday, July 16 at 12.01am based on the province wide vaccination rate and continuing improvements in key public health and health system.

Let's continue to adhere to the provincial safety measures to minimize transmission of the virus and prevent surge in cases. Please visit COVID -19 websites for important information and updates:

COVID-19covid 19 (coronavirus) in Ontario: https://covid-19.ontario.ca/

Reopening Ontario Guidelines (OPEN for 2 and 3): https://www.ontario.ca/page/reopening-ontario#roadmap-step-2

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.

PEOPLE TO CONNECT WITH

SMALL GROUP (SG) LEADERS

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

ENGLISH MINISTRY TEAM (EMT)

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 Jon Moe, Children and Youth Ministry Director

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