



# MISSIONS

## WELCOME

TO OUR ENGLISH SERVICE - July 25, 2021

### CHURCH THEME:

### BEING THE CHURCH, AGAINST ALL ODDS

#### ONLINE SUNDAY SERVICE

##### Call to Worship

Catherine Tsang

##### Praise and Thanksgiving

Enoch Chan (L) and Leah Chan

##### Scripture Reading

1 Samuel 17:10

##### Sermon

Rev Dr James Hudson Taylor IV

*"Give Me a Man"*

##### Mission Sharing

Derek and Bonnie Burnett

##### Song of Response

##### Tithes and Offering

##### Church Announcements

##### 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. Today, we thank Rev Dr James Hudson Taylor IV for ministering to us with God's word and concluding our Annual Mission Emphasis month.

Please do 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 building facility and support teams can get ready, 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

**79** (54 realtime, 25 recording) | English Service  
**304** (94 realtime, 210 recording) | Cantonese Service  
**5** Teens / **8** Adults (FOG - Followers of God)

(July 12 - July 18, Chinese and English)

**\$5,250.00** | Total Offerings

General Fund \$3,250.00; Missions \$1,300.00;

Building Repair Repair: \$700.00;

### **VIRTUAL SPECIAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING**

Elders Board likes to call a membership meeting on August 1<sup>st</sup>, Sunday at 2:00PM to support Renovation matters.

Zoom link, agenda, and proxy will be emailed to members for registration. Please contact Michael Huynh to register or for inquiry.

### **EM SUNDAY SCHOOL @ 11AM**

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

### **NCAC ELDERS NOMINATION UPDATE**

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

Ontario is now in Step 3 (wef July 16), based on the province wide vaccination rate and continuing improvements in key public health and health system.

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:

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

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. 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  
Mr Jon Moe, Children and Youth Ministry Director

### TO CONTACT US

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