



# WELCOME

## HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE

October 3, 2021

**CHURCH THEME:**  
**BEING THE CHURCH, AGAINST ALL ODDS**

**VERSE FOR THE WEEK** - Romans 1:17

*"For in the gospel the righteousness of God is revealed  
—a righteousness that is by faith from first to last,[a] just as it  
is written: **"The righteous will live by faith"**"*

### ONLINE SUNDAY SERVICE

**Call to Worship**  
**Praise and Thanksgiving**  
**Scripture Reading**  
Acts 23 :1-11  
**Sermon**  
*"Living in God's Providence"*  
**Holy Communion**  
**Song of Response**  
**Tithes and Offering**  
**Church Announcements**  
**Doxology**  
**Benediction**

### A FEW THINGS TO KNOW

#### WELCOME TO OUR ONLINE SERVICE

We welcome and thank you for joining our Sunday Service. Please do check our church website and congregational email for church events and updates.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL AFTER SERVICE AT 11AM

We will continue with our study on "The Lord's Prayer" at 11am. Rev Vinson will lead the study.

Join the study via Zoom:

#### NEXT IN-PERSON SUNDAY SERVICE- OCT. 17 @ 9.30 AM

To join our next In-Person Sunday service, please book through the link provided:

Booking for in-person Sunday service:

<https://english-worship-at-ncac-registration.eventbrite.ca/>  
(Bookings open from Monday 9 am to Saturday 6pm)

If you are unable to join us, you can continue to participate through online.

#### Today's Service

David Tong | Service leader  
Enoch Chan(L), Leah Chan and Victoria Tung | Worship  
James Chow | Screener  
Charlotte Pang & Florence Vinson | Usher & Greeter  
Gabriel Huynh, Jon Moe, Matt Leung & Sam Leung | Tech  
Rev Dr Vinson Samuel | Speaker

### **ELDERS ELECTED FOR 2022 & 2023**

At the Special Membership Meeting held on September 26, the following persons were elected as 'Elder' to the Board for the years 2022 and 2023:

- Elaine Kong
- Louisa Lau
- Michael Huynh

We thank God for their willingness to serve the Lord in this capacity. Please continue to pray, encourage and support their leadership roles.

### **COUNSELLING INTERN**

James Lam is joining NCAC as a volunteer intern commencing Sept 2021 until March 2022 as part of the completion of his M.Div. degree (majoring in pastoral counselling) with Tyndale Seminary. If you would like to seek counselling and guidance, please contact Rev. Vinson or contact James at [jlam32574@gmail.com](mailto:jlam32574@gmail.com). All counselling sessions with James Lam will be held in confidential, and free of charge"

### **COVID UPDATES**

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:

- 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.

### **NCAC RE-OPENED FOR IN-PERSON SERVICE**

Ontario is currently in Stage 3 of reopening the economy due to 4th wave of pandemics. Measures under Stage 3 do not limit the number of people attending religious gatherings indoors, but to maintain a 2 meters (6 feet) social distance, and participants must wear facial masks.

With social distancing, the capacity of in-person worship, in addition to the serving teams on duty, there will be 26 to 50 seats (single seating plus groups of the same family) Due to limited seating, in advance, online registration and online COVID self-screening are needed for those who like to attend in-person Sunday worship. Those who register for in-person Sunday worship can also attend the in-person Sunday school on the same Sunday.

#### In-Person Services for October and November:

English – October – 3, 17 & 31 / November 14 & 28

Cantonese – October 10 & 24 / November 7 & 21

As children do not have vaccines available to them for protection, there is no children or nursery program offered at this time. Masks must be worn when inside the church building.

If you are unable to register, you can continue to participate in online worship and online Sunday school. Please continue to pray for protection for all of us and for the In-person Services.

**Online Attendance and Offering – Last Sunday**

**60** (41 Online, 19 recording) | English Service  
**373** (35 Onsite, 60 Online, 278 recording) | Cantonese Service

**4** Teens, **2** Adults | FOG Fellowship  
**15** kids & **7** adults/leaders (Children Worship)

(Sept 20 -26, Chinese and English Service)

**\$4,660.00** | Total Offerings

General Fund \$3,260.00; Thanksgiving \$100.00

Missions \$800.00; Building Repair \$500.00

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

Enoch Chan, Downtown

Christine Wong & Leah Chan, Downtown

Keith Lau & Catherine Tsang, Uptown

Michael and Anki Huynh, Northeast

James Lam, 1 Corinthians 13

**English Ministry Team**

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

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