WELCOME



TO OUR ENGLISH SUNDAY SERVICE – Aug 20, 2023

CHURCH THEME: TRUST GOD, LIVE IN UNITY,

SERVE FAITHFULLY

EM MISSION: Know Christ and Make Christ Known

Verse for Reflection/Memory – His Provision

"He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all—how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things?"

Romans 8:32

Order of Service

Call to Worship
Praise and Worship
Pastoral Prayer
Scripture Reading
John 20:11-18

Sermon

Facing Our Overwhelmed Soul

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. Church programs and updates are available in our Sunday bulletin and website.

SUMMER BREAK

There will be no Sunday School sessions no snacks time during the month of August. Please mark your calendar and join other church activities that are planned for the summer season.

CORPORATE PRAYER WITH REV GUS FUNG @ 11AM – SEPTEMBER 3

September is NCAC's Mission Focus Month with special events organized by Mission Department. EM will have the opportunity to hear mission updates, pray for our IWs and to explore ways to serve our community and around the world. Rev. Gus Fung, International Worker in UK/Europe, will be joining us via online on Sep 3 to share and seek our prayers for their ministry.

Today's Service

David Tong | Service Leader

Jasmine Vinson (L), Rahel Vinson, Jeffrey Xu

and Ricky Hong | Worship

James Chow and Charlotte Pang | Greeters

Matthew Leung, Samuel Leung and Gabriel Huynh | Tech

Rev Dr Vinson Samuel | Speaker

EM NEWS & UPDATES

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!

TODDLER CORNER

EM is planning to start 'TODDLER CORNER' for our toddlers during Sunday Service time from September 10, 2023. This ministry will happen in the worship room. If you are willing to help in this exciting ministry, please see Pastor Vinson or Michael Huynh.

CU CONNECT (College/University Ministry)

EM is starting our own University/College group that will be led by Mathew Leung and Rahel Vinson. Do keep them in prayer as they give leadership to College/University students which will commence in September.

EM SMALL GROUPS

Being part of a small group is truly beneficial for the Christian life and experience. Contact the Small Group leaders and see details on Small Groups in the church bulletin.

PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE UPDATE

It is with joy to inform you that the Elder Board has approved the hiring of Pastor Steven Wong as NCAC Chinese Ministry Pastor. His start date is dependent on getting Alliance Worker licensing some time in September. We ask for your patience, support and prayers for Pastor Steven and Mary C. Mo, daughter Dora and son Joshua, and look forward to him joining the pastoral team once the Alliance Worker licensing process is completed.

UPDATE FROM THE ELDER NOMINATION COMMITTEE

Praise the Lord! We have prayerfully considered and approached various members in good standing to fill the elder vacancies that we have for the year 2024 - 2025. The Committee followed the NCAC By Law process for considering potential elder nominees. The names of these elder candidates are Louisa Lau, Michael Huynh, Keith Lau and Elaine Kong. The Election will take place in a Special Membership Meeting on Oct 1. Please keep the whole nomination process in your prayers. Thank you so much everyone for your love and commitment to the Lord and to our church! God bless.

AN OPPORTUNITY TO BECOME A HOMESTAY HOST

Christian Hospitality Ministry (CHM) Homestay in partnership with the Toronto District School District is requesting anyone who is interested to provide a short term homestay (1 month from Sept 16-Oct 15, 2023 or Sept. 30 - Oct 30, 2023) for Colombian high school students. These students will be attending high schools within North York. An allowance will be provided to the host to offset expenses. If interested and wanting to be a host, please send your email to connectchm@gmail.com or call (647)-463-7671.

Attendance and Offering – Last Sunday

43 onsite | English Service 184 (90 onsite, 24 online, 70 recording) | Cantonese Service 6 Teens, 3 Adults | FOG Fellowship 5 Kids, 1 Adult | Children Worship

Chinese and English Service Giving (Aug 7– Aug 13) \$2,615.00 | Total Offerings General Fund \$1,990.00; Thanksgiving 0.00; Missions \$600.00; Building Repair 0.00; Love Fund 0.00; Others \$25.00

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
Mathew Leung & Rahel Vinson, CU Connect

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 Ms Samantha Li, Administrative Coordinator

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