

WELCOME



TO OUR YEAR END SUNDAY SERVICE - Dec 31, 2023

**CHURCH THEME: TRUST GOD, LIVE IN UNITY,
SERVE FAITHFULLY**

EM MISSION : Know Christ and Make Christ Known

Verse for Reflection/Memory – Love

“Dear children, let us not love with words or speech but with actions and in truth.”

1 John 3:18

Order of Service

Call to Worship
Praise and Worship
Testimonies
Pastoral Prayer
Scripture Reading
Psalm 100
Sermon
Thank You, Lord!
Time of Prayer and Commitment
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. Your praise, adoration and participation brings glory and honor to our God. We are blessed to worship alongside you.

2024 CHURCH THEME

After much thought, the Elder Board has decided on a new scriptural theme for the new year. Praise the Lord! The Church theme for 2024 is '**Grow in grace; A heart for harvest; Together we shine.**' We want to focus on sharing the gospel and being a living witness of God's love and faithfulness in our community. As His church, let's be an instrument of His love and make disciples for Christ.

EM ACTIVITIES TO RESUME

Our Corporate prayer and Sunday school will resume from next Sunday onwards. We have planned some exciting study series. Do make yourself available and join us

Today's Service

Samuel Leung | Service Leader
Rahel Vinson (L), Jasmine Vinson,
Charlotte Pang & Ricky Hong | Worship
Florence Vinson & James Chow | Greeters
Matthew Leung, Gabriel Huynh & Matthew Chan | Tech
Rev Dr Vinson Samuel | 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.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

As we move towards more online accessibility, the Finance Department will continue to introduce an option for online tax receipts this year. To ensure that the receipts will be sent out to the correct addresses, please provide Ricky Leung of the Finance Department (rickycwl@yahoo.ca) with your updated email and mailing addresses on or before December 31st, 2023.

GLOBAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE FUND (GERF)

We have received inquiries about plans for humanitarian support in the Middle-East conflict. C&MA recommends that we make our donations to the Global Emergency Response Fund, designated for relief and humanitarian aid for both natural and man-made disasters. Please mark your donations: "GERF: Middle East". The collection will end on Dec. 31, 2023. Thank you for your financial support, and please pray for peace and reconciliation to overcome conflict.

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.

UPDATE MINISTRY TEAM 2024

All ministry department leaders are asked to submit the names of the 2024 ministry teams, please send them to Michael Huynh (huynhmic@yahoo.com) by December 31, 2023.

2024 CHURCH BUDGET

All Departmental Heads are requested to submit their department budget for the Year 2024 to Louisa Lau on or before January 7th, 2024.

UNCLAIMED EXPENSES

If the brothers and sisters have purchased something for church and have not made reimbursement yet, please make your claim as soon as possible. The deadline is January 7, 2024.

OFFERING 2023

If you want your offering contribution to be included in your 2023 tax refund receipt, please deliver your contribution to the church before the end of the year. All donations received after December 31st will be included in the 2024 tax refund receipt.

MISSION FUND 2023 LATEST UPDATE

Praise the Lord! As of last Sunday, we have raised \$111,130.60 for the NCAC Mission Fund, reaching 81.18% of our annual target \$136,900. Please continue to pray for the needs of the C&MA Global Advance Fund, the Mission Field workers and their ministries. Pray for God's provision to cover the Mission Fund year-end target shortfalls of \$25,769.40.

Attendance and Offering – Last Sunday

263 (182 onsite, 18 online, 63 recording) | Joint Service
– | FOG Fellowship
– | Children Worship
2 Kids, 3 Adults | Pre-school

Chinese and English Service Giving (Dec 18 – Dec 24)
\$26,835.00 | Total Offerings
General Fund \$12,145.00; Thanksgiving \$490.00;
Missions \$13,700.00; Building Repair \$0.00;
Love Fund \$500.00; Others 0.00

People to Connect with SMALL GROUP (SG) LEADERS

Jasmine Vinson & Samuel Leung, Lighthouse
Keith Lau & Susanna Tong, Uptown
Michael and Anki Huynh, Northeast
Rev Vinson & Florence C Mo, Agape
Matthew 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
Pastor Steven Wong, Chinese Pastor
Mr Jon Moe, Children and Youth Ministry Director
Ms Samantha Li, Administrative Coordinator

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