

AN ENCOURAGEMENT FOR

YOU

Read: Acts 1:10-11

They were looking intently up into the sky as [Jesus] was going, when suddenly two men dressed in white stood beside them, "Men of Galilee," they said, "why do you stand here looking into the sky? This same Jesus, who has been taken from you into heaven, will come back in the same way you have seen him go into heaven."

Reflection:

- Are you "standing still" or are you actively seeking and serving your "Jerusalem" and "Samaria"?
- Why was it necessary for Jesus to leave the apostles?
- How does the promise of Jesus' return encourage you? What does that mean for you this week and in the upcoming year?

Praise and Prayer:

- Pray for God to move us forward in our Christian walks. Let us not be satisfied in staying where we are.
- Pray for the motivation to reach out to people on our hearts so that we can reconnect with them.
- Pray for the international tensions. Pray that God will be glorified despite the uncertainties and that He will work in the hearts of the global leaders.

A FEW THINGS TO KNOW

January Sunday School

Join us for Sunday school in January for an overview of how to read and understand the Bible. We will provide a glimpse of the Bible, how to read it to understand its meaning and some practical tips to form healthy habits to read Bible consistently.

Finance Department

If the brothers and sisters have purchased something for church and have not made reimbursement yet, please claim it as soon as possible. The deadline is January 12, 2020.

Chinese New Year

Chinese New Year will start on Jan 25. Besides having gatherings with families and friends, it would be great opportunities for us to care and share gospel with them. In order to support this, CNY Fai Chuen and gospel tracts will be available for you to pick up in the lobby.

NEW COVENANT ALLIANCE CHURCH

ARISE TO SERVE:

BE GOD'S VESSEL OF BLESSING!

A CHURCH THAT GOES INTO THE
COMMUNITY HELPING PEOPLE ENTER THE
KINGDOM OF GOD



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January 12, 2020

Welcome to NCAC! We are so glad that you are able to join us today for our Sunday service. We believe that the Christian faith is about responding to God's invitation to be in a relationship with Him – this relationship changes everything.

Fellowship, or building relationships with each other, is another important aspect of Christianity. And so, we would love to connect with you beyond our service time. There are a few ways to do that:

Fill out a welcome card

These are located in the pew in front of you. You can then place it in the offering bag that will be passed during service. There, you can leave us your contact information, comments, or questions. We will be sure to reach out to you!

Join a small group

A small group is more than just a social gathering. Rather, it is a community of people who are committed to Jesus and to being vulnerable with each other. It is for anyone who has a desire to grow in their faith, who wants to love and learn Scripture, and who wants to share their faith with others. If this sounds like something you are interested in, talk to the small group leaders. They would love to hear from you! Their contact information can be found in this bulletin.

Join us for food, coffee, and conversation

Food was an important part of community-building in the Bible. People gathered together, celebrated and feasted. Similarly, community is important to us and we invite you to join us in the fellowship hall after service. Please come and sit in on a small group as we eat, drink, and continue the conversation that today's service started.

Sunday Service

Praise & Worship
Call to Worship & Welcome
Praise & Worship
Pastoral Prayer
Scripture Reading
Message
Song of Response & Offering
Doxology & Benediction
Announcements

*Please leave space for latecomers by sitting forward and towards the middle aisle

*If you are a parent with a young baby, we welcome you to use the worship room to partake in service

A few key people to connect with

Enoch Chan & Marcus Tong | Downtown Small Group
Christine Wong & Leah Chan | Downtown Small Group
Keith Lau & Catherine Chan | Uptown Small Group

Rev. Dr. Vinson Samuel | English Pastor
Rev. Simon Sit | Senior Pastor

Michael Huynh | English Elder
Charlotte Pang, David Tong & Victoria Tung | English Ministry Leaders

Today's Service

Michael Tung | Service Leader
Christine Wong & Brian Wong | Greeter & Usher
Victoria Tung | Music Leader
Marcus Tong | Tech
Rev. Dr. Vinson Samuel | Speaker

Attendance & Offering

48 | Sunday Service
4/1 | Bible & Breakfast (Kids/Helpers)
2/1 | Children Sunday School (Kids/Helpers)
\$1,980.00 | Last week's total offering

GIDEON - When God Calls

Judges 6: 6-16

Some things that stood out to me

Some questions that I'm left asking