



English Sunday Service Jan 23, 2022

Call to Worship

Scripture: John 17:1-19

Communion: Rev. Vincent Lee

Message: “Praying for Others: Remaining with God”

Speaker: Pastor Josiah Tse

Doxology

Announcements

***WORSHIP GOD THE FATHER IN THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST
THROUGH THE HOLY SPIRIT***

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Welcome all to M3C English Service. May God's peace be with you!
2. **Special Announcement:** Due to the situation with the pandemic, all three Sunday services and Children Sunday School have moved to ONLINE only. There will not be any in-person gathering until further notice. Please pray to our God that the pandemic will be under control and we can go back to in-person worship gathering again.
3. ECB News (Jan 11)
 - a. The ECB has formed the 2023-24 Deacon Candidates Nomination Committee. Rev. Vincent Lee will be the convener of the committee.
 - b. Any MCCC member who have not submitted his/her email address during the November 2021 Membership Meeting Mail-In Voting can send his/her name and email address to mcccmemberemail@gmail.com. The emails collected at this email address will only be used for sending electronic voting notifications in future membership meetings.
 - c. Membership Applications: Cantonese Congregation – Ivan So. If you have any comments, please contact Rev. Vincent Lee before Jan 30.

ECB News (Jan 20) : Special Announcement

The ECB announces with regrets that Pastor Edmond Chung will not be renewing his contract as Cantonese Associate Pastor when his current contract ends on January 31, 2022, in order to pursue a new calling in ministry and further education. We thank Pastor Edmond and his wife Charmaine for their wonderful service during a difficult year and pray for God's blessing upon them as they start a new direction in their ministry.

The ECB has formed a Cantonese Pastoral Search Committee to search for candidates for the Cantonese Associate Pastor position. Rev. Lee is the convener of the committee.

4. MCCC 35th Anniversary Reading Program

The church is encouraging brothers and sisters to join the reading program from April 18 to May 29, 2022.

([E-copy KINDLE version is \\$9.99 plus tax](#), please click the below link to order. If you are reading a physical bulletin, please search “Essential Guide to Becoming a Disciple: Greg Ogden on Amazon.ca)

[Essential Guide To Becoming A Disciple: Ogden, Greg: 9780830811496: Christianity: Amazon Canada](#)

If you want to order a physical [book](#) (it costs \$22), please contact Pastor Josiah.

5. Children Ministry:

a. Due to the current situation with the pandemic, Children’s Sunday School is held ONLINE at **11:15am on ZOOM only**.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88021996139?pwd=OEVnbVdVSVRsay9TcG V3WEtIM1Q4dz09>

Meeting ID: 880 2199 6139 Passcode: 111222

b. We are hiring a summer intern to help out the Children Ministry. Applicant should be entering first-year university/college or returning to university/college in September 2022. Please contact Pastor Tim for details mccc.tim@gmail.com

6. For instructions on how to set up an online offering donation, please visit our website mccc.on.ca

Prayer

A: World & Mission

1/Continue to pray for the world as the pandemic continues in varying severities across different countries.

2/Pray for the people of Tonga following the volcanic eruption this past week. Pray for residents’ recovery after the infrastructure damage and for the necessary resources (water, supplies etc.).

B: Neighboring Community

1/ Continue to pray for Ontario and the GTA with the COVID cases. Pray for people’s safety and health, the hospital and medical staff workers as the pandemic continues.

C: Church Community

1/ Our congregations:

- Pray for our missionaries, Pastor Henry & Wendy who are in Taiwan continuing their missionary work.
- Pray for the church in the midst of the rising COVID cases. Pray for everyone’s safety and also for continued perseverance in God’s power and love.
- Pray for our missionaries whom our church has adopted:

Rev. Tan Yone & Susan Cha (Myanmar), Doris Lui-yee (East Asia), Rev. Colin McCartney (Toronto), Pastor Peter & Elaine Yoon (Indonesia), Pastor Gilman Ho (AFC), Pastor Louis & Felain Lam (Germany), Rev. C.Y. Yan (Ontario), Rev. John & Karen Loh (Mexico), and Rev. Derek & Chantal Chen (New Guinea), NEXT project (Power to Change), Alliance Global Serve Canada, Hudson Taylor Centre (Tyndale Seminary), Xiao Dan Gang (CBM), Sam & Linda Ling (Interserv)

2/ English Ministry Needs:

- Continue to pray for the spiritual health and growth of the congregation as M3C continues to run its virtual fellowships and services.
- Pray for everyone’s pursuit of God in the midst of the continued pandemic.
- Pray for the students who may need to be schooled at home due to the surge of COVID cases. Pray for the families that need to adjust to the work and home life balance.

<u>Fellowship/Ministry Activity</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Information</u>
Youth 144 (Grade 6-12)	January 29th @ 7:30pm via Zoom	Regular Session: Special Guest Maggie Han
Adelphoi (Uni/College + Young Career)	January 22nd @ 9:30am on Discord	Bible Study in the Gospel of Matthew chapter 3
Elijah (Career and	Men’s Group: January 30 th , 2022	Men’s Group: How NOT to Read the Bible (Part 5)

Young Families)	Women's Group: TBD	Women's Group: TBA
Emmanuel (Families)	February 2022	TBA
Friday Night Prayer Meeting	Fri nights @ 7:30pm	Contact Pastor Josiah for Zoom Link.

ACEM News (Jan 23, 2022)

1) 2022 ACEM Staff

Council Chairperson: Rev. Dominic Tse

Administrator: Vivian Liu vivian.liu@acem.ca

Missions Coordinator (Part-time): Cathy Nguyen
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2) Carol Vuong (SEND International Canada)

Praise the Lord for His provisions as Carol had the opportunity to take a few months of home leave to rest, meet up with her supporters and raise funding and support for the next four years. Carol will go back to Taiwan at the end of January to continue her ministry among the Hakka people in Gong guan. In addition to her outreach ministry, Carol will take on a new role as the pastor in the local church. Please pray for her adjustment upon her return and the new responsibilities.

OUR PASTORAL TEAM

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