

English Sunday Service January 8, 2023

Call to Worship

Scripture: Jonah 1:1-3, 9-12

Message: Jonah: Dodging and Accepting God's Mission

Speaker: Pastor Josiah Tse

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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. Today is MCCC 36th Anniversary, this year theme is "Loving Your Neighbours, Sharing God's Love". We hope that every brother and sister is willing to cross any difficulty or barrier to love one another, to build up relationships with our neighbors and to bless them with the love of Christ.
- **3.** ECB will meet on Tuesday, Jan 10th at 7:00 pm in Zoom. All coworkers please attend.
- **4.** The deadline for submitting reimbursement claims under the 2022 church budget will be Sunday, January 22, 2023.
- **5.** Baptism: Mandarin congregation Mr. Pierce Pan is receiving sprinkling baptism today in our Mandarin service. Please pray for him, and may the Lord strengthen his faith and mind.

6. GM News:

- a. The security video recording system is in operation from January 1st, 2023. Please contact General Management for any inquiry.
- b. The church's cleaning contractor recently found disposal of used COVID test kits without proper treatment. These untreated wastes may cause health hazard to the church environment. To avoid the spread of COVID, brothers and sister are encouraged to have COVID rapid test at home, if necessary. If COVID test has to be done in church, please make sure that personal distancing and the City of Toronto's home healthcare waste guideline are fully observed. Used COVID test kits must be sealed in containers or bags before being disposed in garbage bin outside.

7. Street Outreach + Training January 21st 11:00am - 4:00pm

The 411 Street Outreach Team and Kyle Balkissoon will lead anyone who's interested in a street outreach training session and proceed downtown to pray and care for the homeless. Training will be at church and transportation will be carpool.

8. Church Library

- a. Brothers and sisters can borrow books/audio visual resource by self check-out & return items in dropbox by filling out a loan form. Detail is posted in the library.
- b. Friendly Reminder: please return all items to library drop box as early as possible. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

9. Hiring full time custodian:

Church is hiring a full-time custodian responsible for maintenance and cleaning. Please contact Pastor Tim, mccc.timy@gmail.com

10. Children ministry --- Play Club @ Milliken Church

Date: Jan 19- Feb 23, 2023 Time: 4:00-5:00pm

Location: B10 Target: G1-G8

Activities: Board games, Group games, simple art activities.....

For more information, please contact Pastor Tim,

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11. 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 peace between Ukraine and Russia and for the safety of civilians.

B: Neighboring Community

1/ Continue to pray for our communities across the GTA for a decrease in violent crimes and high risk between suspects and police.

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's continued fellowships in-person and usage of online resources. Pray that we will grow together in faith and love for the glory of God.
- 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:

- Pray for all of our university students starting their new semester to have strength and manage their stress under God's provision and grace.
- Continue to pray for the health and spiritual growth of all of our families with young children.

Fellowship/ Ministry Activity	<u>Date</u>	Information
Youth 144 (Grade 6-12)	January 13th @ 7:30pm in the church basement	Regular Session: Friends (Part 2)
Adelphoi (Uni/College + Young Career)	January 15th @ B7 January 21st @ 12:00pm	Continuation of Studies Street Outreach + Training
Elijah (Career and Young Families)	February TBD	Refer to WhatsApp group for more information
Emmanuel (Families)	February 4 th , 2023	Valentine Hike
Thursday Night Prayer Meeting	Thursday nights @ Contact Pastor 3 for Zoom Link.	

2022 MCCC offering Y-T-D

Offering	YTD (Dec 31)	YTD to Budget (Dec 31)	% (Actual Vs Budget)	Annual Budget
General Fund	712,797.60	820,031.45	87%	820,031.45

Building Fund	34,160.00	50,000.00	68%	50,000.00
Mission Fund	99,865.61	ı	ı	ı
Benevolent	3,095.00	1	i	ı
Total	849,918.21	870,031.45	,	870,031.45

2022 MCCC offering Dec 1-31

	General	Building	Mission	Benevolent	Thanksgiving	Other offering
Cantonese	21,572.90	1,070.00	5,290.00	400.00	4,240.00	-
Mandarin	15,726.30	1,500.00	3,675.00	-	870.00	-
CanadaHelps	729.60	-	-	-	-	-
Online banking	72,024.70	6,110.00	5,528.00	775.00	5,260.00	-

ACEM News

ACEM News (Jan 8, 2023)

1) 2023 ACEM Council Members:

Chairperson: Rev. Dominic Tse; Vice Chairperson: Rev. Alex

Wong; Secretary: Fred Ngai; Treasurer: Alex Lui; Christian

Education: Rev. Sam Chan; Church Planting: Rev. Anthony Lo,

Joseph Y. Wong; Missions: Rev. Dr. Vincent Lee; Social Concern:

Rev. Jonathan Chan, Humphrey Chiu; Media & Resources: Rev.

Dominic Tse; Mandarin Ministries:

Pastor Jasmine Sun, Hua Li; English Ministries: Kenneth Liew,

Rev. Dr. Vincent Lee;

Special Ministries: Rev. Steven Folts.

New Council Members: Vera Chow, Robert Hum, Stanley Zhao

2) ACEM Missions Committee

Missions Committee would like to start the new year by praying for each of us as senders and our missions workers using the word of God in Hebrews 12:1-3. "Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. Consider him who

endured such opposition from sinners, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart."

OUR PASTORAL TEAM

Founding Pastor: Rev. John Kao		
English Pastor:	Children Ministry:	
Pastor Josiah Tse	Rev. Timothy Yuen	

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Cantonese Lead Pastor:	Mandarin Lead Pastor:	
Rev. Vincent Lee	Rev. Luke Xie	
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The Schedule of a hybrid in-person and live stream services:

Cantonese Service: 9:15am (In-person and YouTube/ Zoom)
Mandarin Service: 11:15 am (In-person and YouTube/ Zoom)
English Service: 11:15 am (In-person and YouTube/ Zoom)
Children / Youth Sunday school: 9:15 am (In-person only)

11:15 am (In-person and Zoom)

Cantonese Congregation Sunday Service Zoom:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87262410460?pwd=SDRrKzZrV1U2R3FtcFRWRnZvUFFIQT09

Meeting ID: 872 6241 0460 Passcode: 123456

Mandarin Congregation Sunday Service Zoom:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86869313460?pwd=RE05bEorTTJIcmZjS2FKc0pMTE1EQT09

Meeting ID: 868 6931 3460 Passcode: 100100

English Congregation Sunday Service Zoom Link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88621732238?pwd=Zk1aOWtxdlJxbGFRd1p

Gb1dXTE5jZz09

Meeting ID: 886 2173 2238 Passcode: 111222

Children Sunday School Zoom Link:

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

V3WEtIM1Q4dz09

Meeting ID: 880 2199 6139 Passcode: 111222

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