



**English Sunday Service April 30, 2023**

**Call to Worship**

**Speaker: Mr. Anton Lim**

**Doxology**

**Announcements**

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

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Our church has fully moved into in-person worship, and we invite all to join us at our church location. For those who still cannot attend in-person worship, we still offer in-sync Zoom online, as well as YouTube recording for viewing afterwards.
2. ECB Flash News (April 18)
  - A. MCCC Annual General Meeting (AGM) - May 28, 2023, 2:00pm  
AGM Agenda Items:
    - a. Election of 2024-25 Deacons  
Cantonese Congregation – Sam Watt  
Mandarin Congregation – James Li, Torrey Phua, and Henry Jing  
English Congregation – Alvin Lee
    - b. Approval of 2022 MCCC Audited Financial Statement
    - c. Approval of Stephen P.F. Chui Professional Corp as public accountant for preparation of 2023 MCCC Audited Financial Statement
    - d. Approval of 2022 MCCC Annual Report
  - B. A pre-AGM information session will be held on May 13 (Saturday) at 10:00am on Zoom. Zoom Link:  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81663925022?pwd=R3N4M3N6UzFNVjlhbnV2Z0tRcXdidz09>  
Meeting ID: 816 6392 5022 Passcode: 123123
  - C. Members can vote electronically online between May 14 and May 27. An email with voting instructions and link will be sent to all members who have provided their emails for the purpose of electronic voting.
  - D. Mail-in voting sessions will be held at church on May 14, 21 and 28 from 8:45am-9:15am (before Cantonese worship) and 10:30am-12:30pm (from end of Cantonese worship to end of Mandarin/English worship).
  - E. The 2022 Financial Statement and 2022 Annual Report have been posted to the bulletin board in the church hallway for members to review.
3. MCCC membership list is posted on the notice board. (Updated on 2023, April 20) If you have any questions, please contact the church office.

4. For the brief introduction of the 2024-2025 deacon candidates, please see the attachment.

5. Who is God?

Are you looking to learn more about who God is? Or maybe you've heard many bits and pieces from the Bible but unsure how it all fits together. Join us on an enriching journey of discovering who God truly is. Over 8 weeks in May and June, we'll be exploring the Bible chronologically, from Genesis to Revelation.

If interested in joining this study group, please contact Jerrold ([jerrold.wen@gmail.com](mailto:jerrold.wen@gmail.com)) or Stan ([stanleyhum2007@gmail.com](mailto:stanleyhum2007@gmail.com)).

Deadline for signup is Apr 24th.

Info session will be on Tues Apr 25th at 7:30pm over Zoom.

6. Community activity – "Praise Exercise" will be held at the church basement B10, all are welcome to attend.

Date: May 17 – July 5 (Every Wednesday)

Time: 10:00am -11:30am

Teacher: Sherry She

Registration: Rossana Wong 416-451-9992

Deadline: May 7, 2023

7. Children Ministry:

a. Children Ministry will have our one-day volunteer retreat on May 6<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am to 3:30 pm (Saturday) at Daybreak Retreat Centre, 11339 Yonge Street Richmond Hill, Ontario. We will be using "Lego Serious Play" to explore how we may serve God and his children through the Children's Ministry. Anyone who is involved in the Children Ministry or interested to know more about us are welcome to join. The retreat is free to join, and we will provide breakfast and lunch. April 30 will be the deadline for registration.

For more details, please contact Pastor Tim: [mccc.tim@gmail.com](mailto:mccc.tim@gmail.com)

b. Discover Your Identity at Our Jr. High Day Camp!

Attention all Jr. High students (grade 6 to 9)! Our children's ministry is excited to host a day camp focused on the theme of "identity" on July 31 to August 4. Through interactive lessons and fun activities and outings, you will have an immersive and engaging experience designed to help you discover who you are in Christ.

The camp will run from 9 am to 3:30 pm each day. The cost is \$100 per student. Space is limited to 20, so be sure to register early to secure your spot! Don't miss this incredible opportunity to deepen your understanding of your identity in Christ.

8. Rise Revival Conference: June 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> at Toronto Mandarin CCC. Milliken is teaming up with Markham CCC and TM CCC to host the RISE revival conference, where brothers and sisters will gather for worship. The theme is to lift Christ up above all things.
9. For instructions on how to set up an online offering donation, please visit our website [mccc.on.ca](http://mccc.on.ca)

## Prayer

### **A: World & Mission**

- 1/ Continue to pray for peace between Ukraine and Russia and for the safety of civilians.
- 2/ Pray for the citizens in Sudan caught in a power struggle between the Sudanese army and a rival military faction. Many people are left stranded and cannot escape. Pray for the civilian casualties to be low and for proper relief resources to reach them.

### **B: Neighboring Community**

1/ Continue to pray for the city as we continue the mayoral race. Pray that God would appoint the right leader to help make good decisions with the leadership for the city.

### **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:

- Continue to pray for the search of a full-time Youth Pastor and for our current Youth ministries to continue grow and provide a space for our youth to encounter Christ.
- Pray that our congregation can initiate and find new and effective ways to outreach to our surrounding community!
- Continue to pray for the health and spiritual growth of all of our families with young children.

<b><u>Fellowship/ Ministry Activity</u></b>	<b><u>Date</u></b>	<b><u>Information</u></b>
<b>Youth 144 (Grade 6-12)</b>	May 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2023 @ 7:30pm	Regular Session: Doubt Part 3
<b>Adelphoi (Uni/College + Young Career)</b>	May 7 <sup>th</sup> @ 9:30am	Book Study Chapter 9
<b>Elijah (Career and Young Families)</b>	May Gathering TBD	Refer to WhatsApp group for more information
<b>Emmanuel (Families)</b>	May 6 <sup>th</sup> @ Angus Glen Community Centre	Badminton
<b>Thursday Night Prayer Meeting</b>	Thursday nights @ 7:30pm	Contact Pastor Josiah for Zoom Link.

**ACEM:**Missionaries in Germany -Yuan Chuan Ye & Ming Gao (Canadian Baptist Ministries)

Praise God for providing Yuan Chuan and Ming Gao an opportunity to several new believers in their church the past few months. They will start the new believers teaching to prepare them for baptism.

Please pray for the following:

1. For those who have attended the discipleship camp will start reading the Bible daily and will also encourage others to do so.
2. During the Pentecost weekend in May, their church in Kassel is going to organize a joint camp with the churches in Göttingen and Marburg. Pray that all the preparations will go well and that God's Word will touch the lives of all the attendees.
3. Pray that the Lord will give them strength and wisdom to balance their life as a parent of two young kids, and their spiritual health.

## OUR PASTORAL TEAM

Founding Pastor: Rev. John Kao	
English Pastor: Pastor Josiah Tse <a href="mailto:mccc.josiaht@gmail.com">mccc.josiaht@gmail.com</a>	Children Ministry: Rev. Timothy Yuen <a href="mailto:mccc.timy@gmail.com">mccc.timy@gmail.com</a>
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### **The Schedule of a hybrid in-person and live stream services:**

Cantonese Service: 9:15 am (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=SDRrKzZrV1U2R3FtcFRWRnZvUFFlQT09>

Meeting ID: 872 6241 0460

Passcode: 123456

### **Mandarin Congregation Sunday Service Zoom:**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86869313460?pwd=RE05bEorTTJlcmZjS2FKc0pMTE1EQT09>

Meeting ID: 868 6931 3460

Passcode: 100100

### **English Congregation Sunday Service Zoom Link:**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88621732238?pwd=Zk1aOWtxdJxbGFRd1pGb1dXTE5jZz09>

Meeting ID: 886 2173 2238

Passcode: 111222

### **Children Sunday School Zoom Link:**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88021996139?pwd=OEVnbVdVSFRsY9TcGV3WEtIM1Q4dz09>

Meeting ID: 880 2199 6139

Passcode: 111222

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