



**English Sunday Service May 21, 2023**

**Call to Worship**

**Scripture:** Joshua 24:14-15

**Prayer:** Charlotte Leck

**Message:** Joshua: Whom Will You Serve?

**Speaker:** Pastor Josiah Tse

**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 a YouTube recording for viewing afterwards.
2. The church office will be closed tomorrow (Victoria Day). Pastoral staff will have their replacement holiday on May 23 (Tue). Pastor Josiah will still be on-call and working on Tuesday.
3. ECB will meet on May 30 (Tue) at 7:00 pm in Zoom. All coworkers please attend.
4. News about MCCC Annual General Meeting:
  - A. 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.
  - B. Mail-in voting sessions will be held at church on May 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).
5. MCCC Annual General Meeting (AGM) will be held on May 28, 2023 at 2:00pm through in-person or online Zoom. Zoom Link:  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88168365845?pwd=UEtXemRERzBhUjFpNXBZSEh2dkV0Zz09>  
**Meeting ID: 881 6836 5845**                      **Password: 123456**  
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
6. Pastoral news: Pastor Josiah is on holiday from May 24-June 1.
7. Rise Revival Conference: June 9th and 10th 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. Deadline for registration is today, May 21st.

8. English Welcome Team: Are you interested in learning and developing more social skills? Do you want to use your gifts of hospitality and care to serve the congregation? Come join our English Welcome Team! The team will usher and welcome our friends, brothers and sisters and newcomers on Sunday mornings and help to follow up in any caring needs that are required in the congregation.

Please contact Pastor Josiah if you're interested or have any questions. [mccc.josiaht@gmail.com](mailto:mccc.josiaht@gmail.com) (647)-327-2175

9. Children Ministry:

Discover Your Identity at Our Jr. High Day Camp!

Attention all Jr. High students (grade 7 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.

10. 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/ Please pray for the citizens of Myanmar after a powerful cyclone multiple regions and killed over 20 people. Pray for their recovery and for the families and friends who have lost loved ones.

### **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.

2/Continue to pray for the school boards across the city as they address the issues of violence affecting many students. Pray for the continued safety of the students and protection from harmful activity.

### **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 for our upcoming summer ministries to establish good relationships with the community, youth and young adults as we host the Summer Day Camp and Jr. High Camp
- 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 26 <sup>th</sup> @ 7:30pm	Outdoor Hangout!
<b>Adelphoi (Uni/College + Young Career)</b>	May 28 <sup>th</sup> @ 9:30am	Book Study Chapter 10
<b>Elijah (Career and Young Families)</b>	May 28 <sup>th</sup> @ Alvin and Tammy's at 4:30pm	Refer to WhatsApp group to vote on poll
<b>Emmanuel (Families)</b>	June 3 <sup>rd</sup> @ 7:30pm	Outdoor Picnic
<b>Thursday Night Prayer Meeting</b>	Thursday nights @ 7:30pm	Contact Pastor Josiah for Zoom Link.

### **ACEM:**

#### **Pastor Janice Lo (GO International)**

Praise God for enabling Pastor Janice to complete her Doctor of Educational Ministry at International School of Christian Education. The graduation ceremony will be held at North York Chinese Baptist Church on May 28, 2023 at 3:00 PM. You are invited to join and celebrate this joyous moment with Pastor Janice.

Please pray for her flight back to Toronto for her convocation service, and her ministry in Cambodia.

#### **Good Shepherd Day Care Centre Summer Camp Assistants Located at Toronto Mandarin Chinese Community Church.**

Candidates must be 18-30 years and love working with children aged 4-12. Previous or current experience in teaching and/or coaching is an asset, however not mandatory. Application deadline: May 31, 2023.

For those interested, please submit your resume and cover letter to [gsdchr@yahoo.com](mailto:gsdchr@yahoo.com)., subject line: Canada Summer Job Position

## OUR PASTORAL TEAM

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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=SDRrKzZrV1U2R3FtcFRWRnZvUFFIQT09>

Meeting ID: 872 6241 0460

Passcode: 123456

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

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86869313460?pwd=RE05bEorTTJlcmZlS2Fkc0pMTE1EQTO9>

Meeting ID: 868 6931 3460

Passcode: 100100

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

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88621732238?pwd=Zk1aOWtxdlJxbGFRd1pGb1dXTE5jZz09>

Meeting ID: 886 2173 2238

Passcode: 111222

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

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88021996139?pwd=OEVnbVdVSVRsay9TcGV3WEtlM1Q4dz09>

Meeting ID: 880 2199 6139

Passcode: 111222

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