



**English Sunday Service March 3, 2024**

**Call to Worship:** Bernice Tseng

**Scripture Passage:** Revelation 5:1-5

**Scripture Reader:** Wilson Young

**Prayer:** Joy Young

**Message:** "Can Anyone Save Us"

**Speakers:** Pastor Josiah Tse

**Doxology**

**Announcements:** Carol Hu

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THROUGH THE HOLY SPIRIT***

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Our church has fully transitioned 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. Daylight Savings Time will start next Sunday, March 10. Please turn your clock forward 1 hour on Saturday before you go to bed.
3. ECB News Flash (Feb 20)

### A. Community activity: "Crochet"

Date: March 20 to May 8 (Every Wednesday, 8 classes all in total)

Time: 10:00am to 11:30am

Place: Basement B10

Teacher: Ms. Sijin

Material: You need to prepare crochet needle(3mm) and crochet yarn, 4 strands or 4-ply

Registration: Ms. Rossana Wong (416-451-9992)

B. MCCC will be sponsoring an Afghan refugee family selected by Pastor Obed from the ACEM Afghan Church plant. The family is expected to arrive in Canada in early April 2024. Volunteers will be needed to help the family with needs such as transportation, finding housing, etc. (more details will be available later). If you are interested in becoming a volunteer, please contact pastoral staff of your congregation.

Here are the main responsibilities of the volunteers when they arrive (working together with a team from Afghan church:

- a. Welcoming the family when they arrive at the airport.
  - b. Finding second-hand furniture and other home appliances.
  - c. Helping to find clothes and shoes for the family.
4. 2023 offering receipts were distributed or sent via email last Sunday. If you have any questions, please contact: Stephen Hum (English Congregation); Jonathan Yeung (Cantonese Congregation) or Steve Chao (Mandarin Congregation).
  5. Germany Mission News:  
MCCC will send a short-term mission team of approximately 5-6 people to support missionaries Felain Ho and Lewis Lin in Germany.

Date: June 5 to June 18, 2024

Main Ministry: host children's programs for the German Life Camp and workshops, children's Sunday school during worship services. Visiting and supporting various fellowship groups (youth, sister fellowship), Hanover/Marburg Chinese-German Library, and Pastor Gang Xiaodan and Pastor Filip in Marburg. Please contact Pastor Katherine Chi if you are interested in joining in.

6. Children Ministry:

a. We are hiring summer interns to help out the Children Ministry. Applicant should be entering first-year university/college or returning to university/college in September 2024. Please contact Pastor Tim for details [mccc.timy@gmail.com](mailto:mccc.timy@gmail.com).

b. Children's Summer Day Camp helpers:

Date: July 15-19 and July 22-26; If you are Gr 8 or above, willing to help people and are interested in participating, please contact Pastor Tim for details [mccc.timy@gmail.com](mailto:mccc.timy@gmail.com).

c. 2024 Summer Children's Day Camp:

Date: July 15-19 and 22-26. (Children who are entering Grade 1 to 6 are welcome to participate.)

Time: 9:00am to 4:00pm

Fee: \$100 per week (Limited space)

Please drop off the form and cheque to the church office or contact Pastor Tim. There is no refund and first come first served.

d. Free Afterschool English Class (Resume)

Date: March 28 – June 6 (Every Thursday)

Time: 3:45pm – 5:30pm

Targets: Grade 1-6 students

\*\*ELL Class is taught by a retired Ontario registered teacher, and the class is free to join. Please contact Pastor Tim for details [mccc.timy@gmail.com](mailto:mccc.timy@gmail.com)

7. For security reasons we would like to ask all Zoom Attendees to put their full name on display for identification purposes to allow the Zoom master to safely let you in.

8. For instructions on how to set up an online offering donation, please visit our website [www.mccc.on.ca](http://www.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 peace and de-escalation of violence in Gaza and Israel. Pray for a swift end to the conflict and for the families and who have lost loved ones.

### **B: Neighboring Community**

- 1/ Pray for our congregation to continue to grow in maturity and love for one another and the community. May God continue to use us to expand His Kingdom by the power of His Spirit and the Word

### **C: Church Community**

- 1/ Our congregations:

- Pray for our missionaries, Pastor Henry & Wendy who are in Taiwan continuing their missionary work.
- Pray for J and A as they begin their new kingdom 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 our confidence as a congregation to grow firm in Christ so that we can serve and disciple more leaders.
- Pray for our university students as they return to the new semester.
- Pray for our high school and university students to receive strength and focus for their studies.

- 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>	March 8 <sup>th</sup> @ 7:30pm	Sharing and Prayer Session
<b>Adelphoi (Young Adults)</b>	March 3 <sup>rd</sup> @ 9:30am	Prayer session
<b>Elijah (Career and Young Families)</b>	TBD	Refer to WhatsApp Group for Updates
<b>Emmanuel (Families)</b>	March Gathering @ Church at 5:30pm	Bible Study
<b>Thursday Night Prayer Meeting</b>	Thursday nights @ 7:30pm	Contact Pastor Josiah for Zoom Link.

**ACEM:**

Selina Lin – Japan (OMF International)

Selina was thankful for the opportunity to celebrate the Chinese New Year with brothers and sisters from a Chinese church in Tokyo. It was such an encouragement as she continued to serve the Japanese as her pastor in a local church.

Praise the Lord that she was able to mobilize some church members to participate in the homeless outreach. Please pray for Selina to have a place to stay during her home leave in the summertime, her mother's cancer treatment. May God bless them.

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### **The Schedule of a hybrid in-person and live stream services:**

Cantonese Service: 9:15 am (In-person and Zoom)

Mandarin Service: 11:15 am (In-person and Zoom)

English Service: 11:15 am (In-person and Zoom)

Children / Youth Sunday school: 9:15 am & 11:15 am (In-person only)

#### **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=RE05bEorTTJlcmZjS2FKc0pMTE1EQTO9>

Meeting ID: 868 6931 3460

Passcode: 100100

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

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86388395934?pwd=ZDM0NlBtUDl4WTRMOFBRYUIvVXdvOT09>

Meeting ID: 863 8839 5934

Passcode: 123123

### **OUR PASTORAL TEAM:**

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