

English Sunday Service July 21, 2024

Call to Worship: Kirstin Xie

Scripture Passage: Romans 3:9-12, 21-26

Scripture Reader: Rachel Tan

Prayer: Charlotte Leck

Message: The Problem of Evil (Part 2)

Speaker: Pastor Josiah Tse

Doxology

Announcements: Stephen Hum

WORSHIP GOD THE FATHER IN THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST 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. ECB News:(July 16)
 - a. Our custodian, Bill Zhang, will be on vacation from Aug 15 to Sep 9. During this time, an external cleaning company will clean the church on Mondays and Friday at nighttime. We kindly ask all brothers and sisters to help keep our church clean. Thank you for your cooperation and efforts!
 - b. The Thunder Bay Mission team will take place from August 18 to 24. Pastor Josiah Tse will lead a team of 9 brothers and sisters plus a baby on this field visitation. May God empower them and keep them safe.
- 3. WORSHIP NIGHT: The English congregation will be hosting a Worship Night on July 27th (this coming Saturday) from 6:30pm-8:30pm in the main sanctuary. All are welcome! Come join us as we praise God together and remember that Jesus is Greater than all. Refreshments to follow after service.
- 4. 2024 Children's Day Camp 2nd week will be held on July 22-26. And the Youth Day Camp will be held July 29 to Aug 2. We pray for the children who attend the camp is monumental in their faith journey. We pray for God to use the ministry of camp to impart our children, let them know Jesus is love. Open their hearts to receive God.
- 5. Our supported missionaries Henry and Wendy Chuang have finished the ministry in Taiwan, have now returned to Toronto. May God continue to guide them in their journey.
- 6. AFC's Frosh CONNEXION: Do Know any students entering post secondary? Invite them to Frosh Connexion, an annual event hosted by AFC that connects students to Asian/Chinese Christian Fellowships at their respective university or college campus. The event will take place on Tuesday, August 13th, 2024 at North York Chinese Baptist Church. Doors open at 5pm and the main

- program starts at 6:30pm. Be sure to register for free at https://www.afccanada.org/fx
- 7. GM News: As of July 3, single -use hot (eg. coffee and tea) and cold(e.g fountain drinks) paper-based beverage cups can be placed in the blue bin(recycling), thanks for your cooperation.
- 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.

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. engagement.

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:
 - Pastor Henry and Wendy have returned from Taiwan. Please pray for their integration back home and future ministries.
 - 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 (Temporarily Stationed in Canada), 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.
- Continue to pray for the health and spiritual growth of all of our families with young children.

Fellowship/ Ministry Activity	<u>Date</u>	<u>Information</u>
Youth 144 (Grade 6-12)	On Summer Break! July 27 th -August 2 nd	Refer to email updates and pastors for future events Jr High Summer Camp
Adelphoi (Young Adults)	July 23 rd @ 7:30pm	Book Study (Discussion Days 57-63)
Elijah (Career and Young Families)	August Gathering @ Vince and Vivian's	Refer to WhatsApp Group for Announcements
Emmanuel (Families)	July 2024	Refer to WhatsApp group for confirmation
Thursday Night Prayer Meeting	Thursday nights @ 7:30pm	Contact Pastor Josiah for Zoom Link.

ACEM:

- The 46 th ACEM Missions Conference will be held on Saturday, October 26, 2024, from2:00 to 6:30 p.m. at RHCCC. Details will be released soon.
- 2. Valerie & Ditten (Middle East)
 Thank God for an amazing and fruitful healthcare seminar in May.
 Please continue to pray for relationship-building with the local
 people and refugees and for Valerie and Jiten #39;s language
 studies. In His mercy, please also pray for their family for the
 provision of a used car, which is in demand for their daily ministry
 use.
- Please pray for the missionary and the co-workers working discreetly in various Creative Access Nations. They cannot make their prayer letters public for different reasons. May the Lord's encouragement, support, and peace be with 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=RE05bEorTTJIcmZjS2FKc0pMTE1EQT09

Meeting ID: 868 6931 3460 Passcode: 100100

English Congregation Sunday Service Zoom Link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86388395934?pwd=ZDM0NlBtUDl4WTRMOFBRYUIvVXdvQT09

Meeting ID: 863 8839 5934 Passcode: 123123

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