

English Sunday Service Jan 12, 2025

Call to Worship: Ryan Jing

Scripture Reading: Alvin Lee

Community Prayer: Wylie Poon

Scripture Passage: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5

Message: Receiving and Living Out the Gospel

Speaker: Pastor Josiah Tse

Doxology Announcements: Joy Young

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Welcome to our English Congregation! We exist to glorify God by proclaiming and living out the Gospel of Christ in the Holy Spirit. If you have any questions, please feel free to email our congregational pastor: mccc.josiaht@gmail.com.
- 2. Today is MCCC 38th Anniversary! We will be continuing in the theme of: "Loving Your Neighbours, Sharing God's Love". Let us love the Lord with all our hearts, our soul, our mind and our strength, and to love others as ourselves. Let us walk with God in our spiritual training, love and care for our neighbours through friendship, testifying the love of Christ through action. May the love of our Lord be a blessing to our neighbours.
- ECB will have a meeting on Tuesday, Jan 21 at 7:00 pm in Zoom. All co-workers please attend.
- 4. EMC will have a meeting on Sunday, Jan 19 at 1:30pm in B1. All co-workers please attend.
- If you would like to know more about MCCC church's activities and views of our photos, please log in to Facebook and follow us. https://www.facebook.com/MillikenCCChurch/
- 6. GM news: Starting from 2025, MCCC brothers and sisters are reminded to park only in yellow spaces every Sunday. The remaining spaces are reserved for GSCC. If the parking spaces are full, please park at Wintermute and follow the City traffic regulations.
- 7. Finance Department:
 - The deadline for submitting reimbursement claims under the 2024 church budget will be on **January 19, 2025 (Sunday).**
- 8. 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.
- 9. For instructions on how to set up an online offering donation, please visit our website https://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 conflict.

B: Neighboring Community

- 1/ Pray for our country as we prepare this year for an election. Pray for God's steady hand over the leaders, the communities and the system of the voting process to yield to His will.
- 2/ Continue to pray for grace and generosity amongst our community as the economic stress continues to make it hard for families and workers to make ends meet. Pray that God would spur us in us not only in words of love and encouragement, but also action.

C: Church Community

- 1/ Missionaries and Mission Agencies:
 - 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 continue their ministry and work on the field
 - 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 (Intersery)

2/ English Ministry Needs:

- Pray our Spiritual Maturity as we grow to become an example to all believers in our faith, conduct and hospitality
- 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)	January 17 th , 2025 @ 7:30pm	Regular Session
Adelphoi (Young Adults)	January 14 th @ 7:30pm Church Basement	Finishing Acts 2 and planning for first quarter
Elijah (Career and Young Families)	February @ Church	Refer to WhatsApp Group for details.
Emmanuel (Families)	February Gathering	Refer to WhatsApp Group for details
Thursday Night Prayer Meeting	Thursday nights @ 7:30pm	Contact Pastor Josiah for Zoom Link.
		Meeting ID: 811 1857 2740
		Passcode: 424954

2024 MCCC offering Y-T-D

2024 MCCC Offering 1-1-D						
Offering	YTD (Dec 31)	YTD to Budget (Dec 31)	% (Actual Vs Budget)	Annual Budget		
General Fund	774,654.22	937,287.69	83%	937,287.69		
Building Fund	40,380.00	50,000.00	81%	50,000.00		
Mission Fund	119,916.00	-	-	-		
Benevolent	6,645.00	-	-	-		
Total	941,595.42	987,287.69	-	987,287.69		

2024 MCCC offering December 1-31

	General	Building	Mission	Benevolent	Thanksgiving	Other offering
Cantonese	24,765.00	4,275.00	4,270.00	400.00	3,020.00	-
Mandarin	21,315.00	740.00	3,060.00	500.00	2,310.00	-
English	10.00		400.00	3000.00		
CanadaHelps	768.00	-	-	-	-	•
Online banking	70,047.35	3,368.00	11,948.00	-	2,456.00	15,185.00

ACEM:

Please visit <u>acem.ca/en</u> or scan the QR code for detailed ACEM News.



1. <u>Joyce Fok (Cambodia, Go & Share Missions Canada)</u>

Praise the Lord! Joyce's skin issue has significantly improved. Please continue to pray for her health. Joyce's sister, Alice, and her family will soon visit Cambodia, where Alice will be training the teachers in the school. Please pray for the safety of Alice and her family during their visit. The school will hold the Readiness and Transitions Classes at the beginning of this month, please pray for the preparation of the Classes. May Our Lord bless her ministry.

2. Recruitment: ACEM Ministry Director

Require strong executive management skills and experience in organization and project management. Master degree in theological seminary with a minimum of 5 years of pastoral experience is an asset. Committed to serving ACEM Council, willing to work with all ACEM churches, and have a strong vision and passion for mission and church planting ministries. Applicants can submit resumes to hiring@acem.ca. Please visit ACEM.ca or scan the QR code below for a detailed job description.

3. ACEM Missions Committee

The Missions Budget in 2025 is \$2,082,702. Please pray for the missions works and give offerings faithfully. May GOD strengthen HIS global ministries.

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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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