

English Sunday Service July 13, 2025 Call to Worship: Ryan Jing

Scripture Reader: Julian Szeto

Community Prayer: Tyler Jing

Scripture Passage: Ephesians 5:1-9

Message: Imitators of God

Speaker: Pastor Josiah Tse

# Doxology

Announcements: Jeffrey Zhu

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.
- 2. ECB will have a meeting on Tuesday, July 22 at 7:00 pm in Zoom. All coworkers please attend.
- 3. EMC will meet on Sunday, July 27 at 1:30pm (Room B1) for the annual budget meeting.
- 4. 2025 Children's Day Camp will be held on July 14-18 and 21-25. 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. Know any students entering university or college? Invite them to Frosh Connexion, an annual event hosted by AFC that connects students to Asian/Chinese Christian Fellowships at their respective campus.

The event will take place on Tuesday, August 12th,2025 at North York Chinese Baptist Church. Doors open at 5pm and the main program starts at 6:30pm. Dinner is provided and the event is free! Be sure to register at <u>https://www.afccanada.org/fx</u>

- 6. GM news: If brothers or sisters need to dispose of glass bottles or fragments in the church, for the safety of the cleaning staff, please wrap them in newspaper or wastepaper before placing them in the recycling bins to avoid accidents caused by glass fragments.
- 7. Pastoral News:

Mandarin Rev. Luke Xie will be on vacation from July 15 to 25.

- Church part-time staff Kaman Cheng will be on vacation from July 12 to July 18.
- 9. Community activity: Ukulele Learning Class

  Date: Aug 6 Sep 24 (8 weeks on Wednesday)
  Time: 2:30-3:30pm
  Place: Church basement B10
  Targets: Age 55 up (New immigrants take priority)
  Fee: Free (with limited spaces)
  Ukulele will be provided by the church.
  Registration: Ms. Jing (Mandarin) or Church secretary Sam

(Cantonese and English 437-988-1886)

- 10. 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.
- 11. For instructions on how to set up an online offering donation, please visit our website <u>https://mccc.on.ca/</u>

## Prayer

## A: World & Mission

1/ Continue to pray for peace between Ukraine and Russia and for the safety of civilians.

2/ Continue to pray for peace as the conflict in Israel and Iran escalates.

## **B:** Neighboring Community

 Pray for our neighbourhood as we welcome those in our community during the Canada Day outreach event and the summer camps.

## 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 catch up with family at home for this month.
  - Pray for our missionaries whom our church has adopted:
  - Doris Lui-yee (Toronto TEAM Canada); Graham & Jen Watt (Power to Change); Rev. Colin McCartney (Connect City -Toronto); Pastor Peter & Elaine Yoon (Ethnos - Indonesia); Pastor Louis & Felain Lam (CBM - Germany); Rev. C.Y. Yan (OMF - Ontario); NEXT initiative (Power to Change - Ontario); Alliance Global Serve Canada (several countries); Hudson Taylor Centre (Tyndale Seminary - Toronto); Xiao Dan Gang (CBM); Tracy Hong Ju (SOTA - TWR); Church planting in Thailand (Bible League Canada); Living Waters Counseling Centre (General fund - Toronto); Toronto Short Term Missions Centre (General fund - Toronto).
  - 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>	Information
Youth 144 (Grade 6-12)	July 18 <sup>th</sup> @7:30pm	Serving with Joy Series
Adelphoi (Young Adults)	July 23 <sup>rd</sup> @7:30pm	Service Gathering
Elijah (Career and Young Families)	July Gathering @ Church	Refer to WhatsApp Group for details.
Emmanuel (Families)	July Gathering @ Church	Continuation in Bible Study Series
Thursday Night Prayer Meeting	Thursday nights @ 7:30pm	Contact Pastor Josiah for Zoom Link. Meeting ID: 811 1857 2740 Passcode: 424954

### 2025 MCCC offering Y-T-D

Offering	YTD (June 30)	YTD to Budget (June 30)	% Actual Vs Budget	Annual Budget		
General Fund	377,068.54	452,295.57	83%	871,087.77		
Building Fund	13,402.00	25,961.54	53%	50,000.00		
Mission Fund	54,810.00	-	-	-		
Benevolent	6,760.00	-	-	-		
Total	452,040.54	478,257.11	-	921,087.77		

### 2025 MCCC offering June 1-30

Offering	Cantonese		Mandarin		English		Other
	Physical	Online	Physical	Online	Physical	Online	offering
General	9,720.55	18,980.00	4,280.00	6,943.00	800.00	7,004.64	2,550.00
Building	550.00	200.00	100.00	556.00	-	300.00	
Mission	1,700.00	3,600.00	1,540.00	1,031.00	-	1,320.00	200.00
Benevolent	550.00		700.00	-	-	-	-
Thanksgiving	2,640.00	710.00	1,670.00	2,096.00	-	50.00	50.00
Canadahelp	-		-	-	-		-

ACEM:

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



# 1. The ACEM conference has been held on June 22 and approved:

- a) ACEM Audited Statements for 2024;
- b) Appointment of Stephen P.F. Chui Professional Corp. to audit the 2025 books;
- c) Appointment of Rev. Sam Chan and Fred Ngai as additional council members from June 22, 2025 to next ACEM Conference (AGM) in June, 2026;
- d) The transfer of a maximum of \$200,000 General Fund to the Mission Fund as the cash flow buffer when needed, effective immediately to November 23, 2025, inclusive;

## 2. Global Missions Sharing Session

You are invited to join a missions sharing event filled with vision and inspiration! Carol Vuong, Eric and Ping, and V&J will be sharing their experiences and testimonies from serving in Taiwan, Cambodia, and Middle East.

Date: Saturday, July 26, 2025

Time: 2 - 4 PM

Location: ACEM Office

Capacity: Limited to 50 participants — register early to reserve your spot!

Online Registration: <u>https://forms.office.com/r/zUjQu6NunQ</u> Inquiries: <u>missions@acem.ca</u>

Let us come together to hear how God is at work among the nations and rekindle our hearts for missions!

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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/i/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=ZDM0NIBtUDl4WTRMOFBRYUIvVXdvQT09 Meeting ID: 863 8839 5934 Passcode: 123123

### **OUR PASTORAL TEAM:**

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