

# English Sunday Service November 16, 2025

Call to Worship: Pastor Josiah Tse

Scripture Reader: Bernice Tseng

Community Prayer: Jeffrey Zhu

Scripture Passage: Matthew 13:18-23

Message: Receiving the Kingdom

Speaker: Pastor Josiah Tse

**Doxology** 

**Announcements:** Carol Hu

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. There will be an EMC meeting TODAY at 1:30pm in Room B1. All coworkers please attend.
- 3. The ECB meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 18 at 7pm via Zoom. All coworkers please attend.
- 4. Youth 144 Open House: Join us on November 29th from 5–7 PM for our Youth 144 Open House! This special evening is for families with youth to connect, learn more about our ministry, and enjoy a time of worship, fun activities, and great food. If you'd like to attend and contribute a dish for our potluck dinner, please contact Pastor Farrah, Pastor KK or sister Maggie in Cantonese congregation to register or inquire.
- Christmas Shoeboxes are due today in room B5 with a \$12 handling fee. The gifts will be shipped to areas supported by Samaritan's Purse. (You may choose to donate online at <a href="https://www.samaritanspurse.ca/">https://www.samaritanspurse.ca/</a>)
- 6. Pastoral News: Pastor Josiah will be away on November 21st 23rd.
- 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 https://mccc.on.ca/

## Prayer

### A: World & Mission

1/ Continue to pray for peace between Ukraine and Russia and for the safety of civilians, and for the peace treaty to be upheld between Israel and Hamas.

# **B:** Neighboring Community

1/ Continue to pray for the safety of our neighbourhoods and for God's impact through our church to share the Gospel.

## 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 have transitioned back. Pray for strength for their daily activities and ministries.
  - 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
- Pray for our guest speakers as they share their ministries with us, and for God to move in our hearts to be generous as we are led by the Spirit.

Fellowship/ Ministry Activity	<u>Date</u>	<u>Information</u>	
Youth 144	November 21st	Exodus Series	
(Grade 6-12)	@7:30pm		
Adelphoi	November 26 <sup>th</sup>	Service Gathering	
(Young Adults)	@7:30pm at	Acts chapter 16	
	Church		
Elijah (Career and	November	Refer to WhatsApp	
Young Families)	Gathering @	Group for details.	
	Andrew and		
	Bernice's		
Emmanuel	December	Continuation in Bible	
(Families)	Gathering @	study series -Chapter	
	church	5 "Understanding the	
		Nutrients"	
Thursday Night	Thursdays @	Contact Pastor	
Prayer Meeting	7:30pm on Zoom	Josiah for Zoom Link.	
		Meeting ID:	
		811 1857 2740	
		Passcode: 424954	

2025 MCCC offering Y-T-D

Offering	YTD (October 31)	YTD to Budget (October 31)	% Actual Vs Budget	Annual Budget							
General Fund	646,511.58	737,074.27	88%	871,087.77							
<b>Building Fund</b>	21,109.00	42,307.69	50%	50,000.00							
Mission Fund	93,797.00	-	-	-							
Benevolent	10,030.00	-	•	-							
Total	771,447.58	779,381.96	-	921,087.77							

# 2025 MCCC offering October 31

Offering	Cantonese		Mandarin		English		Other
	Physical	Online	Physical	Online	Physical	Online	offering
General	11,012.00	11,840.00	12,830.00	9,404.00	-	14,643.06	4,666.00
Building	680.00	100.00	590.00	374.00	-	-	-
Mission	1,970.00	1,200.00	3,730.00	2,624.00	-	1,580.00	200.00
Benevolent	520.00	-	240.00	-		-	-
Thanksgiving	1,710.00	900.00	1,200.00	154.00	-	50.00	30.00
Canadahelp	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

### ACEM:

Please visit acem.ca/en or scan the QR code for the details.

 The 2025 ACEM Conference will be held as follows. All ACEM church representatives are kindly requested to attend punctually.



Date: Sunday, November 23 Time: 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Venue: 2750 14th Ave., Suite G05, Markham, ON L3R 0B6 Note: Please allow sufficient time for check-in upon arrival.

ACEM Prayer and Offering Pledge for 2026:
 Brothers and sisters can actively give and persistently pray to spread the gospel and expand God's kingdom through the following methods.



- 1) Fill out the online form: <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/WhzPE5MNiY">https://forms.office.com/r/WhzPE5MNiY</a> or
- 2) Scan the QR code:
- 3. Please collect the 2025 Missions Prayer Booklet Doing Missions Together from ACEM churches.
- 4. Yeh Yuanchuan and Gao Ming (CBM Germany):
  - Please pray for the college/young professionals' Bible study group.
    At present only three members are attending consistently (and two
    of them are expected to leave next year). May the Lord uphold this
    ministry so that believers may be rooted and grow, and that nonbelievers may have the opportunity to know the Lord.
  - May the Lord raise up more brothers and sisters, grant a heart that longs for Him, and move them to step out of their comfort zones and actively participate in church service.
  - Please pray for the brothers and sisters in Kassel and for our couple. May the Lord add strength and preserve our health.

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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

#### **OUR PASTORAL TEAM:**

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