



English Sunday Service August 16, 2026

Call to Worship: Michel Cheng

Scripture Reader: Ruth Xie

Community Prayer: Wylie Poon

Scripture Passage: 2Corinthians 4:5-9

Message:

Transforming into the Image of the Glory of God

Speaker: Rev. Vincent Lee

Doxology

Closing Prayer and Benediction

Announcements: Carol Hu

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. 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. Milliken Christian Community Church marks its 40th anniversary on January 10, 2027, with 21 weeks remaining until the celebration.
3. The deadline for submitting the 2027 budget to the Finance Department from all congregations and departments is August 30, 2026.
4. The Thunder Bay FVT team has left for Thunder Bay for a week of serving with NorthWind for their outreach ministries to the First Nations community. Please pray for the team as they travel, serve and work together, and for God's power to be with them.
5. Pastoral News:
 - a. Rev. Vincent Lee will on leave from August 18-21.
 - b. Rev. Tim Yuen will on leave from August 25 to September 7.
 - c. Rev. Josiah Tse took a replacement holiday on Aug 11 & 12 and will be away on the Thunder Bay FVT on Aug 16-22.
6. Church Secretary Ms. Sam Cheung will on leave from August 21 to September 4.
7. English Congregation will host a baptism service on August 30th. Potential candidates will share their testimony during service and then do the baptism at Michel Cheng's pool after service. **Deadline is this week.** Anyone who is interested in getting baptized please contact Pastor Josiah.
8. The MCCC 40th Anniversary Joint Church Revival Meetings will be held from the evening of Friday, April 16, to Sunday, April 18, 2027. We are deeply honored to have Rev. Bobby Lo as our guest speaker. Detailed schedules, venue arrangements, and program contents will be announced soon. We warmly invite all brothers and sisters to save the dates, join us for this spiritual feast, and share in God's grace together.

9. 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.
10. 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/ Pray for lasting peace with the war with Iran and the surrounding region.

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.
- 2/ Continue to pray for our city following the shootings that happened last weekend. Pray for the crime and violence to decrease and God's justice to be enacted, along with all help for first responders and investigators.

C: Church Community

1/ Missionaries and Mission Agencies:

- Continue to pray for Pastors Henry and Wendy as they continue their new ministry in France. Please pray for their new relationships with the Christians there and for their outreach.
- Pray for J and A Pray and their daily work and ministries.
- Pray for our missionaries whom our church has adopted: Jerrold and Abbie Wen (Interserv - South Asia); Doris Lui-yee (TEAM Canada - Toronto); Graham & Jen Watt (Power to Change); 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 - Germany); Tracy Hong Ju (SOTA - TWR); Church planting in Thailand (Bible League Canada); Living Waters

Counseling Centre (General fund - Toronto); Rev. James Pang
(Toronto Short Term Missions Centre - Toronto).

2/ English Ministry Needs:

- Pray for our Spiritual Maturity as we grow to become an example to all believers in our faith, conduct and hospitality
- Pray for the Thunder Bay STM trip and the team as they prepare over the next two weeks to go.

Fellowship/ Ministry Activity	Date	Information
Youth 144 (Grade 6-12)	August 21 st @ 7:30pm	Summer Series: Spiritual Disciplines
Adelphoi (Young Adults)	August 26 th @ Church 7:30pm	Book Study and Catch Up
Elijah (Career and Young Families)	August Gathering @ Church	Refer to WhatsApp Group for details.
Emmanuel (Families)	August Gathering	Refer to WhatsApp group and Email for details
Thursday Night Prayer Meeting	Thursdays @ 7:30pm on Zoom	Contact Pastor Josiah for Zoom Link. Meeting ID: 811 1857 2740 Passcode: 424954

ACEM:

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



1. **ACEM Missions Department has approved financial assistance to the following full-time seminarians in 2026-27 academic year:**

RHCCC – Calum Cheung , Rui Zhang (Lucia)

ACCC – Chin Cheng Chang

CCCC – Jamieson Cody Tsui

2. **2026 ACEM Missions Financial Statement as of June 30**

Total 2026 Missions Budget: \$ 2,097,165

As of June 30:

Missions Offering Received : \$ 694,593

Missions Fund Required – Budget : \$1,048,582

Missions Fund Shortfall : \$ (353,989)

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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=SDRrKzZrV1U2R3FtcFRWRnZyUFFIQT09>

Meeting ID: 872 6241 0460

Passcode: 123456

Mandarin Congregation Sunday Service Zoom:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86869313460?pwd=RE05bEorTTJlcmZlS2FKc0pMTE1EQOT09>

Meeting ID: 868 6931 3460

Passcode: 100100

English Congregation Sunday Service Zoom Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86388395934?pwd=ZDM0NIBtUDI4WTRMOFBRYUIvVXdvQT09>

Meeting ID: 863 8839 5934

Passcode: 123123

OUR PASTORAL TEAM:

Founding Pastor: Rev. John Kao

Cantonese Lead Pastor: Rev. Vincent Lee

Cantonese Pastor: Pastor Steven Kwok

Mandarin Lead Pastor: Rev. Luke Xie

Mandarin Pastor: Pastor Katherine Chi

English Pastor: Rev. Josiah Tse

Youth Ministry: Pastor Farrah Ng

Children Ministry: Rev. Timothy Yuen

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