SERVING AT NTCAC ENGLISH WORSHIP					
	This Week	Next Week			
Speaker	Rev. Stan Man	Rev. Jonathan Chu			
Welcome Team	Eric Wu, Michelle Deng	Cindy & William Liau			
Worship Leader	Isadora Huang	Adriel Clayton			
AV Team	Charis Truong, Jason Wong, Arthur Kam	Grace Fok, Arthur Kam, Andrea Chiu			

OUR ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK					
	Worship	Sunday School	P & P		
English	13 (online) + 68 (in-person) = 81	22	7		
Cantonese	56 (online) + 240 (in-person) = 303	38	19		
Mandarin	11 (online) + 100 (in-person) = 111	41	11		
Youth	51 (in-person)				
Children	53 (AM) + 27 (PM) = 80				
Total	626	101	37		

OUR STEWARDSHIP		
Year 2024	Last Week Offering	YTD Offering
General Fund	\$13,602	\$64,296
Missions Fund	\$2,017	\$10,244
Subtotal (Operation: General + Missions)	\$15,619	\$74,540
Building Fund (Phase 2)	\$6,285	\$19,135
Total Offering (General + Missions + Building)	\$21,904	\$93,675

TODAY'S MESSAGE	Heb 11:1-6



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# Glorify God in Making Fully Devoted Followers of Jesus † Journey With You †

English Worship Service

February 18, <u>2024</u>

Welcome to our community. If you are visiting us today, thank you for worshipping with us. We hope you have been blessed through our worship service. Before you leave, please fill out a Welcome Card located at the entrance table or please send an email to english.ministry@ntcac.ca.

Hebrews 11:1-6
Disciple Making Disciples --Transforming Life (17)

# **Order of Service:**

Call to Worship

Songs of Worship

Offering

Prayer

Reading of God's Word

**Declaration of God's Word** 

Response in Worship

Doxology

Benediction

**Community News** 

#### Pastoral Staff

Senior Pastor:

Rev. Stan Man

Associate Pastor: **Rev. Jonathan Chu** 

English:

Pastor Bryan Fletcher

Youth:

**Pastor Samuel Kim** 

Cantonese:

Rev. Roland Pang

Pastor Rudi Jonoci

Mandarin Advisory Pastor:

Rev. Bobby Lo

Mandarin:

Pastor Alice Chen
Pastor Sarah Tang

Children Ministry: CMD Christina Tsang

Administration:

Ella Cheung Vera Lok

#### **Elders**

**Brent Chan** 

**Dennis Ko** 

Kristopher Lee

David Tam

**Timothy Tsao** 

Sammy Yang

\* During Sunday Service, please turn your mobile phone to Silent Mode. \*

The children's ministry will become the H.A.P.P.Y Kids ministry at NTCAC starting in September 2024. In order to promote this new direction, we are inviting ALL NTCAC children to participate at the "H.A.P.P.Y Kids Theme Design Contest" from February 18 to March 31, 2024. Mystery prizes will be awarded to the winners. Scan the QR code on the contest poster or email <a href="mailto:children@ntcac.ca">children@ntcac.ca</a> for more information.

#### \*Lent Devotional

As we begin the journey towards Easter, the season of Lent offers a meaningful opportunity for us to nurture our spiritual discipline. Let us engage in self-examination and reflection, focusing on God's Word, as we prepare to commemorate the suffering, death, and resurrection of the Lord Jesus. A 2024 Lenten Devotional is now available as a free ebook distributed by email. If you have not yet received a copy and would like one, please email pastor Bryan Fletcher at <a href="mailto:english.ministry@ntcac.ca">english.ministry@ntcac.ca</a>.

### \*Personal Safety At Church

Mar 9

Constable Mo (York Region Police – Safety Officer) is coming on March 9 (Sat), 11am to give a talk on personal safety at church. Please join us in the sanctuary if you are interested. All leaders and pastoral staff are required to attend. If you have any questions, please contact Elder Kristopher Lee.

# Children's Ministry 2024 Summer Camps Registration Feb 25 – May 5

Due to the possible on-going construction this summer, the Children's Ministry will host the following two summer camps ONLY:

1. 9-day VBS for JK / SK

Date: August 6 to 16, 2024

Time: 9am to 4:30pm (before and after care available with additional cost)

Spots Available: 25 Fee: \$335 per child

2. LIT Summer Camp for G6 – G8 Date: July 29 to August 16, 2024

Time: 9am to 4:30pm Spots Available: 15 – 20

Fee: \$50 per person (1-week training and 1-week service) \$100 per person (1-week training and 2-week service)

- 3. Online registration for both camps above is available from Feb 25 to May 5 on a first come first served basis.
- 4. VBS is now recruiting 10 volunteers, adults and / or youth who are grade 10 and up. If you feel God's calling you to join the team, contact CMD Christina at vbs@ntcac.ca.

#### **The Church Office Closed**

Feb 19

The Church Office will be closed on February 19, 2024, Monday.

#### **Pastor's Corner**

Rev. Stan Man will attend the Board of Directors Meeting of the Alliance Canada on Feb 23-25; Pastor Bryan Fletcher is on vacation until Mar 2; Rev. Roland Pang will be on vacation from Feb 23 – Mar 1. Please remember them and their families in your prayers.

## **2024 Keyholder Application**

Today - Feb 25

2024 key holder applications or key return procedures are available until Feb 25 at the church foyer. Please fill out the form and submit it to the chairman of the ministry committee for signature. Then hand in the signed form to Mrs. Ella Cheung, the Administrator for processing. A key and a new password will then be given. If you were the key holder in 2023, please also carry out the 2024 key holder application procedure, in order to renew your key holder status and confirm that you are still holding the key this year. \*The new password will be activated on Mar 1.\* If your ministry service no longer requires you to hold the key, please return the key at the foyer during these 2 Sundays. Attentions to all key holders:

- 1. All Key holders must be Church Members.
- Please take good care of the church key for safety and security reasons!

# **OUR PRAISE & PRAYER (P&P) GATHERING**

Each Wednesday at 7:30pm, we gather online to seek God together in prayer & praise. Please mark the time to join us. If you would like to receive the link to the gathering, please contact Pastor Bryan or Adela Lai at english.ministry@ntcac.ca.

#### **Church Life**

- ⁴ 40 days of Lent began on February 14 to March 28. Lent is a time of reflection and renewed faith. Let's us pray and focus on the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ.
- Please pray for the church Elder Board meeting this afternoon. May they together seek God's will.
- Pray for our Elders: Brent Chan, Dennis Ko, Kristopher Lee, David Tam, Timothy Tsao and Sammy Yang. Pray for their physical and spiritual health. Pray that they will follow God closely. Pray for wisdom and unity to lead the church. Pray for their families too.
- Please continue to pray for the church Phase II expansion. Pray for the project as next steps in the process are taken.

#### **Canada and the World**

Wildfires have raged in central Chile recently, burning 14,000 houses. The death toll has risen to at least 123 people, and hundreds of people are still missing. It is estimated that there are still 165 ignition points in the wildfire. May the Lord have mercy, comfort the families of the victims, and send rain to stop the local wildfires.

#### TO HELP YOU GROW SPIRITUALLY

- Youth Worship every Sunday at 11:15am to 12:00pm.
- Youth Sunday School classes every Sunday at 12:00 to 12:45 pm.
- Adult Sunday School classes every Sunday at 11:15am to 12:30pm.
- P&P Gathering, every Wednesday at 7:30pm to 9pm.