

SERVING AT NTE

	This Week	Next Week
Speaker	Dr Dennis Ngien	Rev. William Yung
Prayer	Pat Thompson	Louis Cheung
Community News	Terry Ha	Brent Chan
Ushers	Linda Ing, Jenny Shaw	Bob & Daniel Thompson
Worship Leader	Kevin Chan	Tony Lam

OUR PRAISE & PRAYER (P&P) GATHERING

Each Wednesday at 7:30pm the Gathering occurs in Council Room to seek God together in prayer & praise. Please mark the time to join us.

- Praise the Lord as we celebrate church's 28th birthday. Thanks Lord for leading, loving, providing and protecting our church in the past 28 years. As we celebrate today, we commit to love & serve you, our Pastors & leaders, brothers & sisters, our neighbours and community. May our church be pleasing in your eyes;
- The English pastors search committee is formed and approved by the Board. May Lord bring the right pastors to us. Also pray that we will wait for God's lead faithfully;
- Pray for the Sr. Pastor Search Committee and the Elder Nomination Committee. Pray that these two committees will seek God's lead while searching for our Sr. Pastor and the 2019 elders;
- Pray for English Alpha. Pray that God will provide seekers to this class and these seekers will find Jesus as their personal savior;
- Please continue to pray for Rev. Chu & his family. Also remember our Elder Board and Cantonese Ministry committee as they continue the ministry this year;
- Pray for our college and university students as April is their exam month. Pray that they will have good and enough rest, good study and preparation for exams;
- Pray for brothers and sisters who are sick and those who are looking for jobs;
- Pray for the Humboldt Broncos bus crash. Pray for God's comfort be with the victims' families and everyone involved. May God heal those injured physically, emotionally and spiritually.

OUR ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK

Cantonese Worship	238	SS (Cant)	27	P&P (C)	34
English Worship	100	SS (Eng)	34	P&P (E)	4
English Flow Worship *	----	SS (Mand)	39	P&P (M)	10
Mandarin Worship	82	SS (Children)	40	P&P (Children)	11
Treasure Kingdom(Children)	70	SS (Total)	140	P&P (Total)	59
Nursery	3				
Total	493	*English Flow Worship – the number in front of the bracket is b/s attending both 9:30am service & Flow Worship, the number inside the bracket is b/s attending Flow Worship only.			

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We aspire to be...

A Deeper Life Church grounded in Christ
A Small Groups Community united in the Spirit
An Irresistible Environment of God-centered worship
A Welcoming Family to all who come
A Missional People to our larger community

Welcome to our community

We hope you have been blessed through our worship and have felt at home here. Please join us in the gymnasium after the service for light refreshments and a chance to meet some new friends.

NTCAC Theme 2018

Arise & Build

TODAY April 15, 2018
28th Anniversary

Triplet Ephesians 4:1-6

Order of Service:

Call to Worship

Songs of Worship

Worship in Giving

Declaration of God's Word

Membership gift Presentation

Response in Worship

Doxology

OUR NTE TEAM

Team Members

Diane Tong
Andy Fung
Adela Lai
Sammy Tsang
Samuel Hui

NTCAC Pastors & Staff

Rev. Francis Tam
Senior Pastor

Rev. Jonathan Chu
(Cantonese)

Rev. Richard Xu
(Mandarin)

Pastor Benson Li
(Intern Pastor - Missions)

Pastor Christine Li :
(Voluntary Pastor - Cantonese)

Christina Tsang
(Children Ministry Director)

Josephine Chan
(Admin)

NTCAC Elders

Rev. Francis Tam
Peter Tam
Sammy Tsang
Samuel Hui
Dennis Ko
David Tam
Daniel Xu
Gordon Lai

Welcome Speaker

Today

We are pleased that Dr. Dennis Ngien delivers God's message to us today. May God continue to bless him & his family.

Senior Pastor Rev. Francis Tam

We thank the Lord for Rev. Tam's service as Senior Pastor in the past. Responding to God's call, Rev. Tam will start serving at CCCOWE Canada as Executive Director on May 1. In response to our current needs, Rev. Tam is willing to serve as Consulting Pastor (Voluntary) focusing on coaching and supporting our pastoral team. May God continue to bless Rev. Tam's ministry at NTCAC.

English Pastor Search Committees

The Board has approved both the English Pastor Search Committee and the English Youth Pastor Search Committee.

- **English Pastor Search Committee** comprises Elder Representatives – Sammy Tsang and Samuel Hui, Member Representatives – Jason Ha, Brent Chan and Diane Tong.
- **English Youth Pastor Search Committee** comprises Elder Representatives – Sammy Tsang and Samuel Hui, Member Representatives – Terry Ha, Aaron AuYeung and Hua Hui Cmo.

Q&A session with the elders

May 6, 12:30pm

To facilitate better communications between the elder board and congregations on important matters (such as budget, Phase 2, AMM proxy voting, legal case), there will be an Q&A session in the gym on May 6 at 12:30pm, please mark your calendar to come.

Rev. Francis Tam

Today

Rev. Tam is in Brazil leading the 2019 Pan-Am CCCOWE preparation meeting as Canadian representative today and will visit the local churches. After the meeting and visitation, he will transit to Vancouver to teach at the CCST seminary and preach at PGMB Church next Sunday. Please remember him in prayers.

Pastor Jonathan

Pastor Jonathan has met the surgeon to discuss the biopsy result and confirmed the tumor is a GIST cancer. He will see doctors on April 17 to discuss the targeted therapy treatment plan. Please pray for him:

1. Pray that God's peace embraces Rev. Chu and cmo.
2. Guidance from God for the next doctor's appointment.
3. Pray that God will protect Rev. Chu's body. He will have good rest, no more bleeding during the treatment.
4. Pray that the tumor will react well to the medication.

During this period, Pastor Jonathan wants more rest (temporary no visit please). Anny AuYeung will be the point person for caring for Pastor Jonathan.

Prayer Marathon 2018

Our week (5) prayer respond in the Prayer Marathon are 1248, please keep continuous to pray for our church.

Adult Sunday School for Seekers & New Believers

Adult Sunday School has started a 12 week program last Sunday, tailored for seekers and new believers each Sunday from 11:15am-12:15 noon at G2 in the office building. Open to everyone. It's not too late to join, please come. For more details, please contact Diane Tong/Adela Lai.

Church Anniversary Lunch

Today

Lunch will be served today after the Cantonese church anniversary service. Please come with your ticket.

10 & 20 Year Membership List

Today

Recipients of our 10-Year membership are : Harry Hon, Maria Hon, Paul Ng, Alice Ng, Janzen Ho, Ringo Chau, Thomas Lam, Vincci Leung, Adriel Clayton, Douglas Clayton, Rita Clayton and 20-Year are : Rev. Francis Tam, Pamela Tam C-mo, Jonathan Tam, Belinda Chan, Jason Chu, Stephanie MacKinnon. Congratulations!

2018 Church Directory

Today

The new church directory will be published in May. Please take a moment to update your family's information. April 29 is the last day to make any corrections.

Baptismal Class / Transfer Membership

June 10

Baptism is scheduled for June 10. New members will also be received on that day. Baptismal class started last Sunday by Jason Ha. Both Baptism & Membership applications are available at the magazine stand in the hallway. Please give your application to Elder Sammy or Elder Samuel.

VBS 2018 helpers

VBS 2018 is looking for helpers who are willing to serve children in this summer. If you are grade 7 and up, and want to experience fun, joy and peace in serving, please sign up at VBS registration table or contact CMD Christina at christina.tsang@ntcac.ca

C&MA NEWS

Ontario Marriage & Family Conference : April 20-21 @ Bramalea Baptist Church

This is about building stronger marriages and families, both our own and those in our church and community. Guest speakers including John McGee, Neil & Sharol Josephson, with workshops such as Discipline that connects with your child's heart, Marriage and cohabitation from a Biblical perspective etc. Welcome to join one day or both days. Details please visit www.familylifecanada.com/omfc/

TODAY'S MESSAGE

Ephesians 4:1-6



TO HELP YOU GROW SPIRITUALLY

- Flow Worship every 1st & 3rd Sunday after Service 11:15 am to 12:15 pm
- Youth Sunday School every 2nd & 4th Sunday after service 11:15 am to 12:15 pm
- Adult Sunday School classes every Sunday at 11:15 am to 12:15 pm
- Persian Fellowship every Sunday at 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm
- P&P Gathering, every Wed at 7:30pm