

MESSAGE NOTES

DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him, all creatures here below,
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

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Copy of sermons:	Philip Trinh - trinh.philip@gmail.com or church website (www.ntcbc.org)
Sharing needs/services:	Acts 245 (http://link.ntcbc.ca/acts245) - a place to ask for or give help

Sunday School Classes & Locations: (11:30 a.m.)

Jr. High and High School Classes		Adult Classes	
Gr. 7-8	Room 312	Conversational ESL Bible Study	Office level
Gr. 9-10	Room 317	Bible Bus: 2 Corinthians	Basement
Gr. 11-12	Room 311 (choir rm.)	Crown Financial: Biblical Financial Group Study	Rm 314, 316
		Foundations: Core Truth to Build Your Life On	Rm 102

ENGLISH WORSHIP – OCTOBER 31, 2010 (9:45–11 A.M.)			
Order of Service		This Week	Next Week
Call to Worship & Worship in Song		Praise Team	
Scripture	2 Samuel 7:20-21		
Pastoral Prayer		Deacon Stan Chung	Deacon Stan Chung
Message	When God Says No	Mr. Kwan Chan	Rev. Ted Tham “Grace in a Barren Place”
Our Response in Song & Giving		Praise Team	
Communion			Rev. Ted Tham
Doxology & Benediction		Deacon Stan Chung	Rev. Ted Tham
Announcements & Quiet Reflection		Deacon Stan Chung	Deacon Stan Chung

	This Week	Next Week
Praise Leader	Jonathan Lau	Ian Tam
Power Point	Terence Lau	Renny Cheung
Audio Video	Mike Chong	Caroline So
Gr. Fl. Greeters	Katherine Chan; Christa Ng	Thanh Vu; Helen Kwong
Gr. Fl. Ushers	Allen & Ava Ng	Nasron Cheong; Olive Au
Mezz. Usher	Almond Au	Philip Trinh
Welcome Table	Chong Liang	Gloria Yu; Ken & Peggy Yuen
Snacks	Pauline Cheung	Lisa & Linda Hung
Snacks Helper	Chih Chou	Paulette Barnes

English Ministry:	Rev. Dr. Ted Tham	Mandarin Ministry:	Pastor Catherine Chen
Cantonese Ministry:	Rev. Kenneth Thumb	Women’s Ministry:	Pastor Amy Wong
Outreach & Discipleship:	Pastor Patrick Lau	Children’s Ministry:	Pastor Ada Wang
Preaching (Cantonese):	Rev. Nathan Hui	Consulting Pastor:	Rev. Tai Ping Li
Custodians:	Mrs. Nora Chow, Mr. Ricky Wong	Administrator:	Mr. James Ho

Welcome to NTCBC!

We're glad you are here! If you would like more information about the church or prayer for any issues, feel free to complete the REQUEST CARD in the pew and deposit in the offering bag or box in the lobby or give it to an usher. You may remain anonymous if that is your preference. We promise to bring all prayer requests to the Wednesday prayer meeting and will pray for what you've written.

Please join us after the service for snacks and fellowship in the gym downstairs. If this is your first time here, we would also love to give you a welcome package at a table in the gym. You may also want to browse our free "Book Buffet" for good Christian literature and materials.

We hope you enjoy your time with us today and find the worship to be inspiring, the message encouraging, the people friendly and the atmosphere enjoyable.

Our worship service is designed for those in their teen years to adults. If you have children, we invite them to join our Nursery, or our Toddlers', Preschoolers' or Children's programs as listed on the English Ministry bulletin board in the foyer.

A note about the offering:

Our Lord said that "It is more blessed to give than to receive" and "God loves a cheerful giver." For those of us who are Christ-followers, bringing our tithes and offerings reminds us that everything we have comes from God. So we include an offering of financial gifts as an integral part of our worship time. If you are a newcomer, you're welcome to participate, but please do not feel obligated in any way to put anything in the offering. The worship service is our free gift to you.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for...

- Missionary of the Month: Miss Esther Poon (OMF)
- Please pray for Rev. Tham, who will be leaving our English Service this morning at 10:15 am to preach next door at the Yorkview Heights Baptist

Church. He will be back in time to teach the Bible Bus class at 11:30 am.

- Please pray for Pastor Ada Wang as she goes on maternity leave starting tomorrow (Nov. 1) until Oct. 31, 2011. May our Lord bless her and the family during this special time in their lives.

EVENTS AT NTCBC

Building relationships is central to who we are at NTCBC. We believe it is more important than programs. We invite you to join us in one of our many fellowships and small groups in order to grow spiritually with others, care for others and be cared for. Feel free to drop in on any of the events below.

Please contact us at the numbers and e-mails on the back of this bulletin or log on to www.ntcbc.org if you have any questions.

When	What
1 st Sun. of Mth 12:30 - 12:45	Prayer for ESL Ministries (office level)
Mon. 7:30 pm	Table Tennis & Badminton
Tues. 8:30 pm	Tai Chi at NTCBC
Tues. 7 – 9 pm room 103	Scripture Into Song info: indrekjarve@hotmail.com
Wednesdays 8:00-9:00 pm	Church PRAYER MEETING Join us at the Mezzanine Level
Thurs 7:30 pm	Table Tennis
Thurs 7:30 pm	ESL – room 102
Sat. Nov. 27 7:00 pm	Gilead Group (Gr. 1-5): Gym Night
Sun. Oct. 31 6:30 pm	Timothy-Samuel Fellowship (Gr. 6-8): Hallelujah Night
Sun. Oct. 31 6:30 pm	Malachi Fellowship (high school): Hallelujah Night
Sundays 2:30 – 6:30 pm	Co-ed Volleyball in the gym

For details about our youth, university, college and adult fellowships please contact the names listed on the back of the bulletin.

- We're very excited to be starting a **Mommy & Baby Play and Sing group** at NTCBC and we

hope you can bring your little ones to join! There will be playtime for the babies followed by circle time with nursery rhymes and songs in English and Chinese. Some weeks will feature topical discussions on parenting issues.

Time: Tues Nov 2, 10:00-11:30am (& continuing on alternating Tuesdays)

Location: NTCBC Nursery & Toddler room

Info: Irene Ip-Kang (ipkang.family@gmail.com)

Cindy Fong (cindy.fong@hotmail.com)

• **Early-age Literacy at Home:** Want to know how to juggle teaching our native tongue to your toddler while they learn English? Come out to hear Ruth Gayle of the Macaulay Child Development Centre who will share some insights and strategies for early literacy on **Wed. Nov. 17th @ 10 am** in the NTCBC Prekin room (3rd floor). Space is limited so email Cindy Fong (cindy.fong@hotmail.com) by Sunday, November 14th. Parents are welcome to bring their children to the workshop

• **Support an Inner-city family this Christmas!**

Do you love Christmas? Do you love blessing others? Well....there is an opportunity during Christmas time to bless a few families from Urban Promise Toronto. Help sponsor families within the inner-city by providing for their needs this Christmas season! This is a great way for us, as a church, to share our wealth with those who are in need. If you are interested, please contact Carolyn Wong (carolynkywong@gmail.com). Be an answer to prayer this holiday season!

• **Dockey Night in Canada**

Film: **Shelter from the Storm**

Time: Sat. Nov 6, 7:00pm

Location: 311 Spring Garden Avenue
(Bayview and Sheppard)

RSVP: Melodie (melodie.lau@gmail.com)

Popcorn provided. Discussion and prayers to follow. The number of homeless people has increased dramatically since the mid-1990s and we haven't seen this kind of destitution since the Great Depression. What can advocates for homeless people do to really change anything? This documentary follows one organization in its

behind-the-scenes activities — the strategizing, the debates and the actions — which are putting homelessness into the public arena and pushing governments to act.

• You are invited to **Hallelujah Night!**

What: Games; prizes; songs; contest for best costume (non-violent costumes only!)

Who: All Children (must be accompanied by an adult)

When: Sun. Oct. 31; 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

Where: NTCBC basement

Cost: Absolutely free!

Info: www.ntcbc.org/hallelujah

• **Motions for Oct. 31 Membership Meeting:**

- To intro Minh Tran, Norman Seto and Jimmy Kwan as candidates to be ordained as Deacons.
- To approve calling Rev. Nathan Kin-Yan Hui to serve as Senior Pastor beginning Dec 1, 2010.
- To authorize the EB to set Salary and Benefits for Rev. Nathan Hui.
- To approve subsidy of \$3,639.00 for Gladys Mok's costs of tuition and books for her studies at Tyndale in 2011.
- To approve candidates for election of 2011 EB

• **Mandarin Evangelical Meeting**

Date: Nov. 20 (Saturday), 7:30pm

Place: NTCBC Sanctuary

Speaker: Pastor Billy Pang

Theme: 何去何从

Request: invite Mandarin nonbelievers; pray for the meeting and nonbelievers

LAST WEEK...

Sunday Worship Attendance:

English Service: 233	Morning Service: 90
Noon Service: 209	Mandarin Serv.: 88