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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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Would you like to be added to **Rev. Tham’s NTCBC English Congregation Email Distribution List?** He sends out emails periodically to inform congregation members of upcoming events and English congregation news. To get on the list, simply email Rev. Tham (tedtham@ntcbc.org) with a request.

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

Jr. High and High School Classes		Adult Classes	
Gr. 7-8	basement	Conversational ESL Bible Study	Office level
Gr. 9-10	Room 317	Bible Bus: Galatians – Ephesians	Basement
Gr. 11-12	Room 311 (choir rm.)	Foundations: Core Truth to Build Your Life On	Rm 314, 315
		Gospel Adventure: How to Read & Study the Bible (University)	Rm 102

ENGLISH WORSHIP – AUGUST 28, 2011 (9:45 – 11:00 AM)			
Order of Service		This Week	Next Week
Call to Worship & Worship in Song		Praise Team	
Scripture	Acts 11:19-30		
Minute of Silence & Pastoral Prayer		Deacon Minh Tran	Deacon Norman Seto
Message	First Christians	Pastor Freddy Lam	Rev. Ted Tham “Would Jesus Wear A Rolex?”
Our Response in Song & Giving		Praise Team	
Lord’s Supper			Rev. Ted Tham
Doxology & Benediction		Rev. Ted Tham	
Announcements & Quiet Reflection		Deacon Minh Tran	Deacon Norman Seto

	This Week	Next Week
Praise Leader	Pastor Kwan Chan	Ian Tam
Power Point	Terence Lau	Renny Cheung
Audio Video	Mike Chong	Caroline So
Scripture Reader	Dorothy Yeung	Catherine Tam
Gr. Fl. Greeters	Hilbert Li	Chong Liang
Gr. Fl. Ushers	Mark & Peggy Chang	Almond Au; Helen Kwong
Mezz. Usher	Chih Chou	Hilbert Li
Welcome Table	Millie Chung	Gloria Yu
Snacks	Lisa & Linda Hung	Christa Ng; Katherine Chan

Sr. Pastor:	Rev. Nathan Hui	English Ministry:	Rev. Dr. Ted Tham
Mandarin Ministry:	Pastor Catherine Chen	Cantonese Ministry:	Pastor Patrick Lau
Cantonese Ministry:	Pastor Amy Wong	Children’s Ministry:	Pastor Ada Wang
Youth Ministry:	Pastor Kwan Chan	Consulting Pastor:	Rev. Tai Ping Li
Music Ministry:	Pastor Danny Wong	Administrator:	Mr. James Ho
Custodian:	Mrs. Nora Chow	Custodian:	Mr. Ricky Wong



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.

When	What
Mon. 7:30 – 10:00 pm	Table Tennis & Badminton (Spencer Chan & Leon Lee)
Mon 7:30–10 pm	Badminton (Leslie Kou)
Tues. 7:00–8:45	Men's Basketball (Alvin Lau)
Tues. 9–10 pm	Badminton (Leon Lee)
Tues. 8:30–10 pm	Tai Chi (Leon Lee)
Wed. 8:00 – 9:00 pm	PRAISE & PRAYER (Top floor)
Thurs. 7:30 pm	ESL
Thurs. 7:30 – 10:00 pm	Table Tennis & Badminton (Spencer Chan & Leon Lee)
Thurs. 8:30 – 10:00 pm	Women's Basketball (Michelle Yau & Bonnie Cheung)
Fri. Sept. 2	Malachi Fellowship (high school): TBD
Sun. Aug. 28 2:15 – 8:45 pm	Timothy-Samuel Fellowship (Gr. 6-8): Grad BBQ @ Cheng Home
Sat. Sept 24	Gilead Fellowship (Gr 1-5): How to Handle Anger
Sundays 2:30 – 6:30 pm	Co-ed Volleyball in the gym (Terence Lau)

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

- **ASK THE PASTORS!** This week's question...

What does it mean to "deliberately sin" in Hebrews 10:26?

Response: This ought to be understood within the overall context of Hebrews 10:19-39, where we are called to strive towards Christ and not shrink back (Heb. 10:39). Therefore, to deliberately sin means that we willfully reject Jesus Christ as our Lord and Saviour by continuing in a disobedient, unrepentant lifestyle. Those

who live this way will be subject to judgment and raging fire (Heb. 10:27).

- **Prayer Workshops:** Join us on Wed Aug. 31, 7:15-8:00 pm in the Mandarin Sanctuary. Pastor Catherine Chen will be teaching on the topic: **"Have Mercy on Us, O Lord" (Psalms 123)**

PRAISE & PRAYER:

A new kind of English Cong. Prayer Meeting



Join us every Wednesday night, 8 pm to 9 pm on the Top Floor of our Church as we are refreshed by participating in praise and prayer, as well as to respond to Biblical teaching on corporate and individual prayer. All are welcome. Co-ordinated by Pastor Kwan and Rev. Ted.



- **Cantonese Women's Prayer Meeting** First and Third Friday of every month, 7:30 – 8:30 pm in the basement For details, contact Yvonne Ng (ladiesEvent@ntcbc.ca)

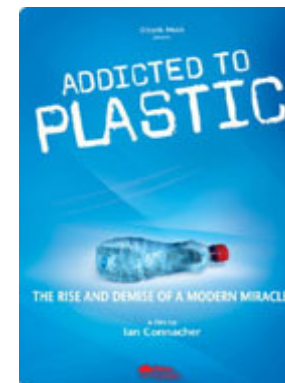
- **Interested in joining a MasterLife Discipleship Group in the Fall?** Rev. Ted will be leading a new group that meets on Sat. mornings (10 am to 12 noon) starting on Sat. Oct. 8, 2011. Email tedtham@ntcbc.org for details and to register. All are welcome.

- A new school year is here for the Children Ministry! We have set aside **Sept. 11** to be our **Children Ministry Prayer Day**, and will have a prayer meeting from 2pm (sharp) to 3pm that day at the 2nd floor sanctuary. Please be there as we join our hearts and seek the Lord's guidance and providence for this ministry!"

- Dockey Night in Canada!

What: **Addicted to Plastic**

When: Saturday, September 10 @ 7pm
Where: Lai's residence - 348 Spring Garden Avenue
For more info or to RSVP - melodie.lau@gmail.com



- **Congratulations** to Andrew & Melody Lam who had a healthy 7 lb, 10 oz baby girl (Danielle Josephine) on August 16! Joshua is delighted with his new baby sister. May the Lord give the family much joy in the coming days and years!

- **Are you a believer in Jesus Christ but not yet baptized?** Baptism is a simple act of obedience to Christ's commands and an obligation for all His disciples. This year NTCBC will be having a joint baptism on Sun. Dec. 25, Christmas afternoon. Those interested in joining this solemn and joyful occasion are encouraged to contact Deacon Norm Seto (n.k.seto@gmail.com) as soon as possible in order to join the Sept. Baptism Class.

- **Volunteer Opportunities at Toronto City Mission (Willowtree, North York)**

Tutoring (grades 5 to 8): Willowtree is a relatively small low-income, government subsidized housing community. You will be matched with a student for the whole school year.

When: Monday nights from 7pm to 9:30pm
Location: Wellspring Worship Centre, 89 Centre Ave., North York
Orientation: 7pm, Monday, September 19 at Wellspring Worship Centre
First Tutoring Session: Monday, September 26
Query: Shelby Hall (hall.shelby@gmail.com), Mike Chong (mikechong_ca@yahoo.ca)

Some other opportunities with Willowtree:
Jr. High Girls Club: Mon. 4:30-6:30pm Wellspring Worship Centre
Jr. High Boys Club: Wed. 4:30-6:30pm (various locations)
Youth Drop In (sports, games, Bible): Wed. 7-8:30pm Wellspring Worship Centre
Kids Club (grades 1 to 5, homework, games, Bible) - not yet scheduled, but will be a 4:30 to 6:30pm slot

LAST WEEK

Sunday Worship Attendance:

English Service:	214	Morning Service:	101
Noon Service:	204	Mandarin Service:	83
Wed. Prayer Meeting:	46		

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.

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.

2011 Theme: Equip the Saints; Evangelize the World

January & February:	Prayer & Revival
March & April:	Share the Vision
May to September:	Share the Good News
October:	Harvest Season
November:	Follow-up
December:	Thanksgiving & Celebration