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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: Philippians & Colossians – Prisoners of Joy	Basement
Gr. 11-12	Room 311 (choir rm.)	Foundations: Core Truth to Build Your Life On	Rm 310
		Grace Based Parenting	Rm 302, 303
		Women’s Ministry – Proverbs 31	Rm 102

ENGLISH WORSHIP – SEPTEMBER 25, 2011 (9:45 – 11:00 AM)			
Order of Service		This Week	Next Week
Call to Worship & Worship in Song		Praise Team	
Scripture	Hebrews 11:29-38		
Minute of Silence & Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Kwan Chan	Deaconess Loraine Chan
Message	Faith: Miracles, Miseries & Mercy	Rev. Ted Tham	Rev. Nathan Hui “The Message of the Cross”
Our Response in Song & Giving		Praise Team	
Lord’s Supper			Rev. Nathan Hui
Doxology & Benediction		Rev. Ted Tham	
Announcements & Quiet Reflection		Pastor Kwan Chan	Deaconess Loraine Chan

	This Week	Next Week
Praise Leader	Jonathan Lau	Pastor Kwan Chan
Power Point	Terence Lau	
Audio Video	Mike Chong	
Scripture Reader	Karen Wang	Helen Kwong
Gr. Fl. Greeters	Hilbert Li	Christa Ng, Katherine Chan
Gr. Fl. Ushers	Chong Liang, Helen Kwong	Mark & Peggy Chang
Mezz. Usher	Philip Trinh	Philip Trinh
Welcome Table	Gloria Yu	Peggy & Ken Yuen
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
Children’s Ministry:	Pastor Ada Wang	Consulting Pastor:	Rev. Tai Ping Li
Youth Ministry:	Pastor Kwan Chan	Administrator:	Mr. James Ho
Music Ministry:	Pastor Danny Wong	Custodians:	Mrs. Nora Chow & Mr. Ricky Wong



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

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. 30 7:30 pm	Malachi Fellowship (high school): TBA – contact Pastor Kwan
Sat. Oct. 1 7:00 pm	Timothy-Samuel Fellowship (Gr. 6-8): Planning Night
Sat. Oct. 22 7:00 pm	Gilead Fellowship (Grades 1-5): Gym Night!
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

- The Gymnasium will be closed from Mon. Sept. 26 to Fri. Oct. 7 (approx. two weeks, with limited use for special occasions) for repairs, waterproofing and repainting. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

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

In Luke 7:28, why did Jesus say that "among those born of women there is no one greater than John (the Baptist) yet the one who is least in the kingdom of God is greater than he"?

Response: It is no doubt that John the Baptist was "more than a prophet" (Luke 7:26) for he was God's special messenger in preparing and announcing the arrival of the Messiah to the people. His mission was unsurpassed by any other prophet and his status is greater than any man. While he foresaw and foretold the kingdom of God, John did not live to see or hear how Jesus would usher in this kingdom by His death on the cross and the coming of the Holy Spirit to those who believe in Jesus. Hence the "least in the kingdom of God" enjoys a greater privilege and blessing than John simply because such a person who lives at a later time can receive the Gospel and participate in the ministry of the kingdom of God.



Thanksgiving Celebration!

Friday October 7, 2011

Dinner @ 6:30 pm; Mini Service @ 8 pm

Theme: **Being Thankful without Dr. Phil**
How to be thankful without lying to yourself

Speaker: Pastor Kwan Chan
Skit: "Hope In A World of Change"

Where: dinner: NTCBC basement
Service: NTCBC Sanctuary

Dinner Tickets: Available in gym after service
(FREE for guests; members - \$10 adults \$5 children)

- **Prayer Workshops:** Join us on Wed Sept. 28, 7:15-8:00 pm in the Mandarin Sanctuary. Pastor Kwan Chan will be teaching on the topic: **"O Lord, heal me!" (Psalm 6)**

- **The Ride for Refuge 2011** - Canada is a cycling fundraiser that supports over 150 charitable partners who in turn support thousands more who are displaced, vulnerable or exploited - refugees, orphans, widows, street kids, the urban poor, homeless, victims of human trafficking - the list is extensive. This fall 6000+ other riders and volunteers in Canada and the USA will raise \$1,300,000 for some of the most marginalized people in our world. To make a secure online donation in support of our NTCBC Team's efforts to raise money for **CBM (Canadian Baptist Ministries) Refugee Ministries** email Philip Trinh (trinh.philip@gmail.com) or Melodie Lau (melodie.lau@gmail.com)

*To
The Glory of God
The North Toronto Chinese Baptist Church
Requests Your Prayers
And
The Honour of Your Presence
At
The Induction Of
Mr. Danny Wong as Pastor, Music Ministry
And
Mr. Kwan Chan as Pastor, Youth Ministry
At
88 Finch Avenue West, North York
On
Sunday, September 25, 2011
At 2:30 P.M.
Reception following ceremony*

LAST WEEK

Sunday Worship Attendance:
English Service: 205 Morning Service: 103
Noon & Mandarin Service: 224 Wed. Prayer Meetings: 36