

CHURCH STAFF

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Church website: <http://www.ntcbc.org>

LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

Cantonese (8:15 am):	92
Cantonese (11:15 am):	205
English (9:45 am):	220
Mandarin (8:30 am):	18
Mandarin (11:15 am):	72
Prayer Meetings:	56

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING

General:	\$
Mission:	\$
R & M:	\$
Building:	\$
Others:	\$

CONVERSION

English:	1
Cantonese:	
Mandarin:	4
Chinese School:	
Children:	
Total:	5

ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE – Feb 24th, 2013

Order of Service		Today	Next Sunday
Call to Worship & Worship in Song		Praise Team	Praise Team
Scripture	Luke 9:28-36		
Minute of Silence & Pastoral Prayer		Rev. Ted Tham	Pastor Kwan Chan
Message		Rev. Dr. Tom Mei “Listen to Him”	Rev. Ted Tham “Covenantal Families(7)” The Family Altar- Serve & Give Together
Our Response in Song & Giving		Praise Team	Praise Team
Benediction		Rev. Ted Tham	Rev. Ted Tham
Announcements & Quiet Reflection		Rev. Ted Tham	Pastor Kwan Chan

Praise Leader	Derek Ma	Caroline Wong
Scripture Reader	Crystal Lai	Catherine Tam
Power Point	Renny Cheung	Kelvin Chen
Audio Video	Mike Chong	Andrew Hui
Gr. Fl. Greeters	Loretta Ma / Mamie Si Tou	Christa Ng / Katherine Chan
Gr. Fl. Ushers	Helen Kwong / Millie Chung	Margaux Kan / Chong Liang
Mezzanine Usher	Chih Chou	Philip Trinh
Welcome Table	Gloria Yu	Peggy & Ken Yuen
Snacks	Lisa and Linda Hung	USG- Almond Au

* 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 the welcome table in the gym.

ENGLISH SUNDAY SCHOOL – Winter – Dec to Feb (11:30 AM – 12:40 PM)

Jr. High and High School		Adult	
Gr. 7-8	Basement	ESL Bible Study	2 pm - Office level
Gr. 7-10	Room 317	Bible Bus: Timothy and Titus	Room 102
Gr. 11-12	Room 311	Disciplines of a Godly Man	Room 314/315
		Lies Women Believe and the Truth that Sets Them Free	Basement
		Foundations Class	Office Level



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

If you would like more info 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.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Building relationships is central to who we are at NTCBC. We invite you to join us in one of our many fellowships and community 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. For details about our youth, university, and adult fellowships please contact the coordinators listed on the back of this bulletin.

When	What
Mon 7:30 – 10 pm	Table Tennis & Badminton Spencer Chan & Leon Lee
Mon 7:30 – 10 pm	Badminton - Leslie Kou
Tue 7 – 8:45 pm	Men Basketball - Alvin Lau
Tue 9 – 10 pm	Badminton - Leon Lee
Tue 8:30 – 10 pm	Body Exercise - Leon Lee
Wed 8 – 9 pm	Prayer Meeting - 3 rd Floor
Thurs 7:30 – 10 pm	Table Tennis & Badminton Spencer Chan & Leon Lee
Thurs 8:30 – 10 pm	Women's Basketball Michelle Yau & Bonnie Cheung
Sun 11 – 11:30 am	Prayer Room - Basement
Sun 2:30 – 6:30 pm	Co-ed Volleyball - Terence Lau

PRAYER MINISTRY

If you have decided to commit to our 20/20 Vision of Prayer (20 min. of daily personal prayer and 20 min. of weekly corporate prayer), please remember to fill out the card and hand it in to either the Welcome Table downstairs during Snack Time, or to one of your Community Group (Small Group) Leaders.

- The first Wednesday night Prayer Meeting of each month will be dedicated to our 2013 theme, "Family and Equipping"

- There is a Prayer Workshop that starts at 7:15pm on Wednesdays in the Mezzanine
11:00 am Sunday Prayer Meeting will now meet in the basement (room B1).

ASK THE PASTOR



Q: Why does the Jerusalem Council impose dietary restrictions on Gentile believers in Acts 15? It seems like it's inconsistent with what Paul talks

about in 1 Corinthians.

A: James and the other leaders didn't want the Gentiles to revel in their freedom in Christ, which could cause the Jewish believers to follow that same liberty and violate their consciences. This is the principle of not doing something that could cause a brother to stumble (cf. Romans 14:13-23). So James proposed that the Gentiles abstain from pagan, idolatrous practices that were violations of the law of Moses (such as the dietary restrictions) so as not to offend Jews. These dietary restrictions were a temporary recommendation for the sake of newly converted Jewish believers. Sort of like the idea that if I know someone is following me closely on the road I will try to avoid going through a yellow light if I know he will most likely go through the red light behind me.

PRAYER WORKSHOP

Theme for February: **You and Your family will be Saved**

27/2 | Pray, Pray, Pray | Luke 21:34-38; Matt. 26:40-41

AN OFFER TO VISIT YOU!

The evangelism team realizes that it may be difficult for some of you to find someone who is willing to listen to and to chat with you about your questions pertaining to Jesus. And so, if you or someone you know would like to know more about who Jesus is and what he came to do, please email Rev Ted or Pastor Kwan (emails on back of bulletin) and we can set up a time to meet. We would love for the opportunity to chat with you.

PHONE DIRECTORY 2013:

NTCBC members are invited to get a copy from the ushers after the service or contact the church office (one per family).

OFFERING TAX RECEIPTS FOR 2012

Receipts are ready for pickup in the Lobby.

2013 VBC - SAVE THE DATE!

This year's VBC will be August 6 to August 16. Please save the date, more information coming soon!

HE IS RISEN!

Easter Celebration at NTCBC (Gym in Basement)

When: Sunday March 31st, 2013-02-22

Time: 11:00 a.m.-12:45 p.m.

Who: Children in Preschool to Grace 6

For more information please email

Winnie Lai at poon_win@hotmail.com

REV. DR. TOM & GRACE MEI

(with Canadian Baptist Ministries) Rev. Dr. Tom Mei is sharing from Luke 9:28-36 on "Listen to Him" during the 9:45 am Worship Service and teaching in Rev. Tham's Bible Bus class at 11:30 am an encouraging time of sharing about God's grace in their journey in missions.



OPERATION WORLD DAILY PRAYER REMINDERS



Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." (Matthew 28:18-20)

The first step to fulfilling the Great Commission is to pray. Join several members of our church as we pray daily for countries around the world using the Operation World Daily Prayer Reminders sent to our email daily. Simply go to www.operationworld.org to sign up.

HELP WANTED

Do you like meeting & greeting people? Do you enjoy helping those who are new to our church, remembering that you were once a newcomer yourself? Are you a Christian who has attended our English Worship Service regularly for over a year? If so, we need you! We're looking for friendly people who can volunteer as an usher, greeter or to help out at the Welcome Table (either before or after the Service). Training will be provided. No experience necessary. If interested, please contact Chong Liang (chong.liang@ntcbc.ca). Thank you for considering this special ministry.

OUR CONDOLENCES TO...

Dr. Chung Fok Chiu and Mrs. Winnie Chiu, the son-in-law and daughter of Mrs. Pui Sin Wong, who passed away peacefully at Yee Hong Centre for Geriatric Care on Thurs. Feb. 14. "Precious in the sight of the LORD is the death of his saints." (Ps. 116:15)

CONGRATULATIONS TO...

Chris and Joyce Lim, on the birth of a little baby brother for Logan. Micah Isaiah Lim was born on Tues. Feb 19th, 2013 at 11:01pm, weighing in at 7 lbs. 12 oz. Both mother and baby are doing fine. "Sons are a heritage from the Lord, children a reward from him." (Psalm 127:3)

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Disciplines of a Godly Man

Teachers: Abraham Wong/Eric Yip/Almond Au

Join us in learning how to be a godly man through various disciplines (relationships, soul, character, ministry). We will

be studying bible passages in small groups, and practising what we've learned with the help of accountability groups. "We will never get anywhere in life without discipline, be it in the arts, business, athletics, or academics. This is doubly so in spiritual matters. In other areas we may be able to claim some innate advantage. athlete with a strong body, musician with perfect pitch. But none of us can claim an innate spiritual advantage. None of us naturally seeks after God. Therefore, as children of grace, our spiritual discipline is everything - everything!"

Lies Women Believe and the Truth that Sets Them Free - Teachers: Karen Wang and Melody Li

A 12 week course looking at common lies that women believe about God, themselves, sin, marriage, priorities, children, emotions and circumstances. Biblical truths that counteract these lies will also be examined. This course will involve small group discussion, readings and weekly reflections. Come prepared to be transformed!

Foundations: Core Truth to Build Your Life On

Teacher: Deacon Norman Seto-Room B09 Office floor

The most important decision a person makes in life is the decision to trust Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. This class examines basic beliefs in areas such as trinity, the Bible, salvation, baptism, the Lord's Supper and the responsibilities of an individual believer. When you complete the Foundations class, you will have a better understanding of what it means to be a Christian and a Baptist church member. This class is suitable for new believers, and is required for baptismal candidates and those who would like to join NTCBC as a member.

Questions and Answers: available upon request

Are you new to the Christian faith? Do you have some questions about Christ, the Bible, Church, etc.? We'd be glad to help you search for the answers. Simply go to the Welcome Desk in the gym after the service and let us know. We have several members "on call" willing to spend the Sunday School hour with you helping to go over some responses to your inquiries.

MOTIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP MEETING

- To approve minutes of last month's meeting
- To approve financial statements for month ended January 31, 2013.
- To approve the listing of department committee members 2013.
- To approve the Summer Conference planning committee: Cantonese Music - Alice Ngai; Cantonese Registration - Ruth Law; Cantonese Promotion - Randy Yang; English Vice Chair - Kalee Sakura; English Music - Derek Ma; English Registration - Rika Law; Treasurer - Leon Lee; Toddlers (infant to SK) - Joey Cheng; Secretary - Heidi Lee; Mandarin Vice Chair - Belinda Ng

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