

CHURCH STAFF

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LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

Cantonese (8:15 am):	91
Cantonese (11:15 am):	246
English (9:45 am):	241
Mandarin (8:30 am):	33
Mandarin (11:15 am):	82
Prayer Meetings:	63

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING

CONVERSION

English:	4
Cantonese:	4
Mandarin:	21
Chinese School:	27
Children:	
Total:	56

ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE – June 23, 2013		
Order of Service	Today	Next Sunday
Call to Worship & Worship in Song	Praise Team	Praise Team
Scripture		
	Genesis 2:18; Proverbs 31:10-31	
Minute of Silence & Pastoral Prayer	Rev. Ted Tham	Pastor Anthony Cheung
Message	Pastor Cathy Chen Translator: Esther Ko Family Relationships (4): Role of Wife	Pastor Anthony Cheung (Melville Mission) The Lord Is My Refuge
Our Response in Song & Giving	Praise Team	Praise Team
Benediction	Rev. Ted Tham	
Announcements & Quiet Reflection	Rev. Ted Tham	

Praise Leader Scripture Reader Power Point Audio Video Greeters Sanctuary Ushers Mezzanine Usher Welcome Table Snacks	Pastor Kwan Chan Daniel Lee Jeannette So Eugene Cheng Kim Ting Almond Au / Chong Liang Mike Tran Gloria Yu Lisa & Linda Hung	To Be Announced
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* 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 – Summer – June to August (11:30 AM – 12:40 PM)	
Jr. High (Grades 7-8)	Basement
High School (Grades 9-12) and Adults	Living By the Book (Rev. Tham) - Basement
Adults	English as a Second Language (ESL) – 2 pm in room 102 (ground 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).

PRAYER WORKSHOP

Theme for June: Experiencing God's Blessing

19/6	Upon Your Finances	Mat. 6:25-33
26/6	Upon Your Divine Purpose and Calling	Eph. 4:11-16



Q: In 1 Tim. 3:11, the Bible says that one of the characters of deacon/deaconess must not be "slanderers." What is the Biblical sense of "slander"?

A: In this Biblical passage, the term "slander" is translated from the Greek term *diabolos*, which means "false accuser." This term, when applied to people in the church, are those who falsely accuse and divides people without any reason. They are accusers, or slanderers. See 2 Tim. 3:3; Titus 2:3. It is a violation of the ninth commandment, "You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor." Moreover, with the definite article *ho diabolos*, Satan is called by that name because originally he accused or slandered God in paradise (Gen. 3:5; John 8:44, the children of the devil). This prince of the devils is called *diabolos* thirty-eight times in the NT. Thus, false accusation is a devilish behavior, and a serious sin, and should be totally prohibited in the church.

Summer Conference 2013

Those who have registered for Summer Conference are asked to go to our church website (www.ntcbc.org) and download the pre-conference information package which will give you all the details about what to bring, directions to the conference and the schedule. This year we are also asking participants to register for workshops before the conference (in the gym during snack time) so we can have a better idea of the numbers and allocate rooms accordingly. **Special Offering:** A large portion of the Summer Conference cost is being subsidized by the church to encourage more people to participate and to help many

who cannot afford to pay the full actual cost of the conference. A Faith Offering for Summer Conference will be collected today. If you'd like to help others with the cost of SC, simply indicate "SC2013" on the offering envelope and deposit into the offering bag. Tax receipts for all donations will be given at the end of the year when the church distributes them as usual.

English Worship Service & Sunday School Next Week (Sun. June 30)

Next Sunday (June 30) there will still be a 9:45 am English Worship Service here in Toronto at NTCBC. But in light of the fact that many in our English Congregation will be at the Summer Conference, there will be no snack time after the service and no Sunday School for those from Grade 7 and older. There will still be Sunday School for children in Grade 6 and younger.



Living By The Book:
The Art & Science of Reading the Bible

Teacher: Rev. Tham & team

We invite you on one of the greatest adventures of your life - the journey through Scripture. In the Bible you can interact with a living God who wants a personal relationship with you. And no special skills are needed. If you can read, you can glean important insight from Scripture.

Living by the Book will help you engage God's Word like never before. In simple step-by-step fashion, you'll learn how to: *Observe* (let Scripture speak to you individually); *Interpret* (develop the tools to properly understand biblical text); *Apply* (learn how to allow Scripture to transform your life). *Start your journey today!*

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.

Congratulations!

To Jason Ng and Maggie Fung who were married yesterday at the Liberty Grand (Exhibition Place).
Genesis 2:18, 24

*The Lord God said, "It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a helper suitable for him."
That is why a man leaves his father and mother and is united to his wife, and they become one flesh.*

Small Group Leader Workshop

For current Small Group Leaders (SGL) and anyone desiring to care for, and develop those around them. Rev. Ted will answer these questions and more:

- What characteristics of leadership are defined and practiced in Scripture?
- What qualities should SGL aspire to develop?
- What are the responsibilities of an effective SGL?

Date: Sun. July 7 Time: 1pm to 4pm
Location: NTCBC Cost: Optional \$5 lunch
For more info or to register: Contact Kiak Ting

Motions for today's membership meeting:

1. To approve membership applications from Frank Sun, Jane Guo and Punch Lui.
2. To approve requests for reference from James Fuh and Petty Fuh, and accept their membership transfers to Scarborough Chinese Baptist Church, Toronto.
3. To approve the purchase of the AED (Automated external defibrillator) and the Wall Cabinet with the total cost of \$1950 tax included.
4. To approve CPR/AED certification training for a maximum of \$900 (for up to 20 people per instructor).
5. To approve the renewal of Pastor Cathy Chen's contract for 3 years effective Jun 1, 2013.

Report/announcement:

1. Mission Dept. - Ecuador short term mission
2. Deacon Board



Role of Wife
(Genesis 2:18; Proverbs 31:10-31)

1. Husband helper choosing God's wisdom
(Genesis 3:6; Proverbs 31: 10-31)
2. Husband helper knowing God's will
(Genesis 16:1-2; 1 Samuel 25: 32-34)