

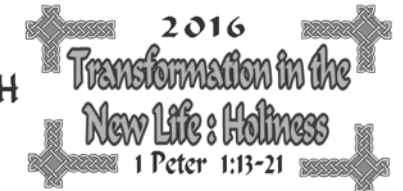
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 Career Small Groups:
 Immanuel (adults 30+): **Fri – 8 pm – weekly @ church** [Mimi Kong (mimi.kong49@gmail.com)]
 Intro Bible Grp (IBG): **Thurs – 7:30 pm – weekly @ church** [Adrian Wang (ibgsmallgroup@gmail.com)]
 Open Source: **Fri (8:30 pm) - weekly @ homes** [Poons (alan.zerlina@gmail.com)]
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 Chinese Classes (Sat. morning):



2015-2019 Theme : **Expanding the Kingdom of God** (1Peter 1:3-2:10)

ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE – May 15, 2016		
9:45 A.M. – Main Sanctuary; 1:45 P.M. – Mezzanine (2 nd Floor) Sanctuary		
Order of Service	Today	Next Sunday
Call to Worship, Worship in Song & Giving	Praise Team	Praise Team
Pastoral Prayer	Rev. Ted Tham	Pastor Kwan Chan
Scripture	2 Kings 4:1-37 (NIV 1984)	Rev. Ted Tham
Message	Rev. Nathan Hui One God, Two Testimonies	Pastor Kwan Chan Be Holy, Because I Am Holy (9) Year of Jubilee
Our Response in Song	Praise Team	Praise Team
Benediction	Rev. Nathan Hui	
Announcements	Rev. Ted Tham	Rev. Ted Tham
AMA (Ask Me Anything) (3–3:20 pm)	Pastor Kwan Chan	

	Today		Next Sunday	
	9:45 a.m.	1:45 p.m.	9:45 a.m.	1:45 p.m.
Praise Leader	Curtis Lai	Worship Team	Curtis Lai	Worship Team
Power Point	Renny Cheung	AV Team	Denise Lee	AV Team
Audio Video	Andrew Hui	AV Team	Andrew Hui	AV Team
Sanctuary Ushers	Eric & Maggie Yip	Amy Chow	Eric & Maggie Yip	Amy Chow
Snacks	Footprints (Norman Seto)		Footprints (Norman Seto)	

* Please join us after the service for snacks and fellowship in the basement downstairs.
 If this is your first time here, we would also love to give you a welcome package.

LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK'S OFFERING CONVERSIONS SUNDAY SCHOOL

Cantonese (8:15 am):	118	General: \$	12,959	English:	3	English:	78
Cantonese (11:15 am):	200	Mission: \$	5,840	Cantonese:	3	Cantonese:	118
English (9:45 am):	221	Maintenance: \$	445	Mandarin:	19	Mandarin:	50
English (1:45 pm):	17	Building: \$	370	Chinese Classes:	12		
Mandarin (8:30 am):	30	Other: \$	480	Children:			
Mandarin (11:15 am):	72	Prayer Mtg:	73	STM:			
Mandarin (3:15 pm):	17			Total:	37		

SUNDAY SCHOOL – Spring Term March to May (11:30 am – 12:30 pm)	
Jr. High (Grades 7-8)	Basement
High School (Grades 9-12)	Room 311 (Top Floor)
Seekers & Newcomers	Introduction to Christianity (Q & A) (Room B05B Office level at the back)
Adults	Leviticus: Remaining in God's Presence (basement)
Teacher Training	Teaching Methods (Top Floor snack room)
Adults and High School	ESL – 2 pm in room 102 (ground level)

2016 Monthly Theme Verse (NIV 1984)

(Copies available in the foyer)

May

2 Timothy 2:21

If a man cleanses himself from the latter, he will be an instrument for noble purposes, made holy, useful to the Master and prepared to do any good work.



Welcome to NTCBC, 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', Preschoolers' or Children's programs as listed on the English Ministry bulletin board in the foyer.

Prayer Ministry

Join us for prayer on Wednesdays (8-9 pm) on the 3rd (top) Floor. We also encourage all our members to commit to our 20/20 Vision of Prayer (20 min. of daily personal prayer and 20 min. of weekly corporate prayer).

Children's Prayer Meeting: for children from Grades 1-6 every Wed. (8-9 pm) in the library with Pastor Cat.

Prayer Ministry for the Vulnerable and Weak



On the second Wednesday of each month, we will devote the entire English Prayer Meeting (8-9 pm) to praying for the sick, vulnerable and weak among us. We encourage everyone who would like prayer for themselves or loved ones to come to these wonderful times of intercession and healing. Next special PM: **Wed. June 8**

Do you have any Prayer Requests?

Feel free to email us at Englishprayer@ntcbc.ca

We promise to pray for you and your request.

May Prayer Workshops	
18	Righteous And Just (Deut. 32:4)
25	Cannot Be Mocked (Gal. 6:7)

Sports Ministry in the gym.

Drop-in Co-ed Volleyball: Sundays 3-7 pm - Carolyn Wong (carolynkywong@gmail.com)

Monday Night Volleyball: (7:30 – 9:30 pm) - Carolyn Wong (carolynkywong@gmail.com)

Men's Basketball: Tuesdays 7-10 pm
Kelvin Lei (kelvin.s.lei@gmail.com)



Leviticus: Remaining in God's Presence

(March ~ May)

Teacher: Pastor Kwan & Various

Location: Basement

Jesus commands us to abide in Him because apart from Him, we can do nothing. (John 15:5) The command, 'to abide' in context means 'to remain in God's presence.' Now, the question we may ask is, "How do I do that?" If this is what you're wrestling with, then you are a part of a growing chorus of men and women who desperately want to be in God's presence but have little idea of how to do so. As a result, they lack both intimacy with Jesus Christ and experience of His power in their lives.

Thankfully, God answered this question long ago by giving us the Book of Leviticus, where the central theme of the book is 'How do we, as God's people, remain in His presence?' Unfortunately, Leviticus is better known by modern church-goers as 'the book that talks about sacrificing animals and other outdated practices,' and as a result, we neglect to study it and we miss out on the very answers that we've been searching for.

The goal of this class on Leviticus is to teach you to study this book so that you can hear how God wants you to remain in His presence. The Sunday School format will serve a different purpose than our sermon series and the Small Group studies. While our Sermon Series and Bible Studies will center on us receiving and applying God's Spoken Word, our Sunday School class will focus on teaching you how to study Leviticus by providing you with a theological framework (and other study tools/methods) so that you will be able to contextualize God's Word and thus understand how we are to remain in God's presence in 2016.

Intro. to Christianity (Q & A)

Teacher: Andrew Lam

Location: Room B05B Office level at the back

Open to all who are new to Christianity, seekers and newcomers who have any questions. Format is a flexible Q & A style.



**One God, Two Testimonies
2 Kings 4:1-37**

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Mandarin Summer Retreat 2016
 Date: July 1-3, 2016
 Theme: Holiness
 Place: Western Ontario University
 Registration: April 24 – June 5
 Details: Tommy Li (tommyli98@yahoo.com)
 Justin Ge (gexiangfeng@hotmail.com)

Congratulations to...

Pastor Rose Wang (Mandarin Ministries) who graduated from Tyndale Seminary yesterday with a Master of Divinity (M.Div.) degree and Rev Ben Li of Melville Mission in receiving his D.Min from Liberty University in Lynchburg, Virginia, United States. May our Lord use their education and training to produce a lifetime of fruitful service for His glory.

Vacation Bible Camp (VBC) 2016

VBC 2016 will occur August 2-12. Extended child care will be available from 7:30am to 5:30pm during VBC. Children from SK class to Grade 5 are welcome. Registration will start from Apr 3 to Jun 12. For details, email vbc@ntcbc.org.

Volunteer for VBC

Our annual Vacation Bible Camp will be run from Aug 2-12. Each year, we have the opportunity to minister to about 100 primary and 30 junior high students. In order to be effective, we do need a lot of adult volunteers to serve and care for these students. If you are willing to serve any time over the two week period, please email Zerlina at volunteer@ntcbc.ca

Childcare from 9:30am-10:00am

In an effort to help parents with young children come to the worship service on-time, Children Ministry offers childcare from 9:30am-10:00am in Room 313/316. Simply bring your child(ren) upstairs and a helper will sign them in and care for them until Sunday School officially starts at 10:00am.

Follow up on Sex & Culture Workshop

If anyone is interested to purchase the *God Design for Sex Book Series*, please fill out the order form and drop off at Pastor Cat's office before Sunday, May 15th. The order form is available on the 3rd floor children's ministry bulletin or ask Pastor Cat.

Thurs. & Fri. Small Groups Celebration

Join us and bring your friends on **Thurs. May 19** for a joint social & celebration!

Details: Elena Wang (elena.wang@ntcbc.ca)
 Location: Third (top) floor of the church
 7:45 to 8:45 Potluck Supper (everyone please bring a dish!)
 8:45 to 9:15 Music/Singing
 9:15 to 9:30 "The Spiritual Disciplines of Celebration and Sabbath" (Lev 23) - Rev. Ted
 9:30 to 9:45 Small group prayer



What? In just a few action-packed hours, the world's most popular Bible-based seminar will change your life and the lives you touch forever. Your dynamic instructor will lead you in a highly creative, interactive learning adventure that is as much fun as it is effective. Using hand motions, catch phrases, and group review, you'll understand the Old Testament like never before. It will rekindle your desire to read the Bible and pray daily. You will be amazed at what you will accomplish:

- Grasp the special messages and meanings of OT characters, themes, places and events
- Integrate your knowledge of all 39 books, 929 chapters, and 23,214 verses
- Meet key Bible characters up close and personal
- Trace major geographical movements on a giant map made up of the people attending the seminar

When? Sat. July 9, full day (deadline to register: June 12)
Where? NTCBC
Who? This seminar is designed for you (ages 8-80):

- Mature believers who want to keep learning and growing in their faith
- New believers who want a foundation on which to build a lifetime of Bible learning
- Those searching to discover the depth of God's love for them

Open to NTCBC attendees; no childcare
Cost: \$20 per person with subsidies available if needed
Contact: Almond Au (almond.au@ntcbc.ca)

Staff Vacation

Rev. Patrick Lau will be on vacation from May 13-27.

Motions for Sun. May 22 Membership Meeting

- To approve Financial Statement for April 2016
- To approve the Jiangxi Short Term Mission participant list.
- To approve the transfer of remaining financial support from missionaries Tom & Grace Mei starting from August to December 2016 to Joyce Lok. The transferred amount will be \$1210
- To approve a one-time support of \$2400 to Far Far and Ian for their missionary work in Asia. The couple is under Power to Change. The amount will be taken from Mission Department Contingency Funds.
- To approve Pastor Rose attendance of Exegetical Preaching Seminar organized by Sacred Logos Resource Centre of Canada, Mandarin sessions on June 6-7 and for the cost of \$50 paid by church.
- To approve membership transfer-in: Eden Qian Yin Xiao, Bao Hua Xin, Hua Wang
- To approve EE3 Clinic #18 (2016) participants list
- To approve conference attendance of Women's Gospel Coalition from English Ministry