

CHURCH STAFF

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Fellowships & Small Groups:

Timothy (Gr. 6-8): **Sat - 7 pm – bi-weekly @ church** [Jason Ng (ng.jason.c@gmail.com)]
 Malachi (High School): **Fri – 7:30 pm – weekly @ church** [Kwan Chan (malachifellowship@gmail.com)]
 Josiah (University): **Please contact Pastor Kwan Chan** (kwanchan@ntcbc.org)

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)]
 Sojourners: **Sun – 3:30 pm – weekly @ homes** [Terence Lau (terencedouglaslau@gmail.com)]
 Mustard Seed Grp (MSG): **Thurs – 7:30 pm – weekly @ homes** [Chris Lim (limmer21@gmail.com)]
 Bible Study Grp (BSG): **Thurs – 7:45 pm – weekly @ church** [Jason Ng (ng.jason.c@gmail.com)]
 Unity Small Grp (USG): **Thurs – 7:45 pm – weekly @ church** [Susana Lim (susanalim7@gmail.com)]
 Mtn Movers Grp (MMG): **Thurs – 8 pm – weekly @ church** [Tim Cheng (timothy.cheng.ca@gmail.com)]
 City on a Hill (CoaH): **Thurs – 8 pm – weekly @ church** [Amos Kwan (amos.kwan@ntcbc.ca)]

Adult & Family Groups:

Adult & Family Fellowship: Rev. Ted Tham; Deacon Norm Seto; Deaconess Amy Hong
 Footprints: **Weekend – monthly @ homes** [Norm Seto (norman.seto@ntcbc.ca)]
 Family Small Group: **Weekend & Mon. – bi-weekly @ homes** [Alvin Lau (alvin.lau@rogers.com)]
 Serendipity: **Weekend – monthly @ homes** [David & Amy Hong (dajahong@gmail.com)]
 Enoch Bible Study: **Third Fri. of month @ various homes** [Kim Ting (kimtingchaleun@gmail.com)]
 ESL Ministry: Pastor Kwan Chan (kwanchan@ntcbc.org)
 Copy of Sermons: Philip Trinh (trinh.philip@gmail.com) and on church website
 Chinese Classes (Sat. morning): Daniel Wong (daniel.wong@ntcbc.ca)

LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

Cantonese (8:15 am): 115
 Cantonese (11:15 am): 185
 English (9:45 am): 184
 English (1:45 pm): 25
 Mandarin (8:30 am): 21
 Mandarin (11:15 am): 86
 Mandarin (3:15 pm): 20

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING

General: \$ 12,290
 Mission: \$ 2,950
 Maintenance: \$ 575
 Building: \$ 600
 Other: \$ 675
 Prayer Mtg: 55

CONVERSIONS

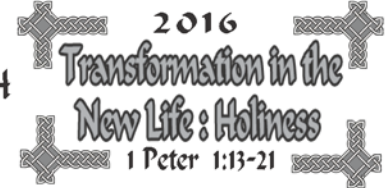
English: 3
 Cantonese: 3
 Mandarin: 25
 Chinese Classes: 12
 Children: STM:
 Total: 43

SUNDAY SCHOOL

English: 91
 Cantonese: 112
 Mandarin: 64



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

ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE – June 5, 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	Hebrews 11:1-6 (NIV 1984)	Rev. Ted Tham
Message	Rev. Ted Tham Holiness & Faith (1) Saving Faith	Pastor Kwan Chan Holiness & Faith (2) Faith Through Sacrifice (Abraham & Isaac)
Lord's Table		Rev. Ted Tham
Our Response in Song	Praise Team	Praise Team
Benediction	Rev. Ted Tham	Rev. Ted Tham
Announcements	Pastor Kwan Chan	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	Nathaniel Lai	Worship Team	Curtis Lai	Worship Team
Power Point	Renny Cheung	AV Team	Denise Lee	AV Team
Audio Video	Derek Ma	AV Team	Andrew Hui	AV Team
Sanctuary Ushers		Amy Chow		Amy Chow
Snacks	Enoch Bible Study (Kim Ting)		Enoch Bible Study (Kim Ting)	
Welcome Team	The Hong's		The Hong's	

* 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.

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	What the Kingdom of God could hope for after the Exile: The Book of Chronicles (basement)
Adults and High School	ESL – 2 pm in room 102 (ground level)

2016 Monthly Theme Verse (NIV 1984)

(Copies available in the foyer)

June

Hebrews 12:14

Make every effort to live in peace with all men and to be holy; without holiness no one will see the Lord.



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.

June Prayer Workshops	
8	Holy Ministry: Priests (1 Chr. 23:13)
15	Holy Ministry: Prophets & Apostles (Lk 1:70; Eph. 3:5)
22	Holy Ministry: Garments (Ex. 28)
29	Holy Ministry: The Priesthood of all believers (1 Pet. 2:5)

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)



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.

Starting next week:

What the Kingdom of God could hope for after the Exile: The Book of Chronicles

(June ~ August)

Teacher: Pastor Michael Chan

Location: Basement

What is the nature of this biblical book? Why are there repetitions from Samuel and Kings? How should we read this book? What is its importance in our canon? What does it say to our generation? A study brings us to an understanding of the last book in the Old Testament that speaks to us today. Welcome if you have questions about the O.T. or you want to look to find meaning beyond the surface of the book.



Saving Faith

Hebrews 11:1-6

- 1 *Now faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see.*
- 2 *This is what the ancients were commended for.*
- 3 *By faith we understand that the universe was formed at God's command, so that what is seen was not made out of what was visible.*
- 4 *By faith Abel offered God a better sacrifice than Cain did. By faith he was commended as a righteous man, when God spoke well of his offerings. And by faith he still speaks, even though he is dead.*
- 5 *By faith Enoch was taken from this life, so that he did not experience death: he could not be found, because God had taken him away. For before he was taken, he was commended as one who pleased God.*
- 6 *And without faith it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him.*

Faith's DEFINITION

(Ingredients) vs. 1-3, 6

(1) ASSURANCE of HOPE

(Experiencing Something Better)

(a) HOPE

(b) ASSURANCE

(2) CERTAINTY of the UNSEEN

(Seeing Something Else)

(a) SEEING the Invisible God

(b) SEEKING God Earnestly

Faith's DEMONSTRATION

(Examples) vs. 4-5

ABEL

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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)

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

Walk Thru the Old Testament

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)

Our Daily Bread

"Our Daily Bread" is a free handy pocket-sized daily devotional available in our foyer. Filled with inspirational stories and teaching based on biblical passages, it is an easy way to get into the habit of reading your bible daily. Many also give out copies to friends to encourage them and initiate spiritual discussions. The June-August edition and previous editions are now available in our foyer.

CBOQ Annual Assembly This Week

OPEN: Following God's Lead to New Opportunities

"... a great door for effective work has opened to us, and there are many who oppose us." 1 Corinthians 16:9

If you're going to be in the Mississauga area between June 9 to 11, come to our free plenary sessions at our new location, the Hilton Mississauga/Meadowvale! (6750 Mississauga Rd)

Thursday, June 9, 7:00 PM

"Walking Through Open Doors," Tim McCoy, Executive Minister, CBOQ

Friday, June 10, 7:00 PM

"Running Scared," Anna Robbins, Associate Professor, Acadia University

Saturday, June 11, 11:00 AM

"Anger Management," Anna Robbins, Associate Professor, Acadia University

Mandarin Language Class (Missions training)

Start: June 6 (weekly Tuesday, total 8 lessons)

Time: 7:30pm – 9:00pm Place: Room 312

Instructor: Justin Ge Maximum Attendees : 12

For details, please contact Billy To (mission@ntcbc.ca)

Staff Vacation & Leave

Rev. Hui will be on vacation from June 1-17. Rev. Lau will be the acting Sr. Pastor in his absence.

This weekend Pastor Cat is at the Passport to Purity Retreat in Newmarket with several families in our church. Please remember them in your prayers.