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LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING

CONVERSIONS

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Cantonese (8:15 am):	122	General: \$	57,881	English:	5	English:	89
Cantonese (11:15 am):	161	Mission: \$	7,617	Cantonese:	19	Cantonese:	90
English (9:45 am):	260	Maintenance:\$	235	Mandarin:	83	Mandarin:	63
English (1:45 pm):	24	Building: \$	275	Chinese Classes:	12		
Mandarin (8:30am):	22	Other: \$	3,297	Children:	34		
Mandarin (11:15am):	74	Prayer Mtg:	64	STM:	134		
Mandarin (3:15pm):	14			Total:	287		



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

ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE – Oct. 16, 2016	
9:45 A.M. – Main Sanctuary; 1:45 P.M. – Mezzanine (2nd Floor) Sanctuary	
Order of Service	
Praise & Offering	Worship Team
Pastoral Prayer	Pastor Kwan Chan
Scripture	John 9:1-38
Message	Jesus Gives Spiritual Sight Pastor Kwan Chan
Response Song	Worship Team
Benediction	Rev. Nathan Hui/Rev. Ted Tham
Announcements	Pastor Kwan Chan/Rev. Ted Tham
AMA-Ask Me Anything (3 pm)	Pastor Kwan Chan

* 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.

Current Sermon Series: Holiness: Imitating Christ

1 John 2:6 Whoever claims to live in him must walk as Jesus did.
What does holiness look like? It looks like Jesus! So for this term we will be looking closely at the life of Christ as found in the Gospel of John. In particular, we will look at Jesus' actions, and seek to discover principles of holiness in action.

Next Week: Jesus Resurrects Lazarus (John 11:1-44) - Rev. Ted Tham

SUNDAY SCHOOL 11:30 am – 12:30 pm		
Jr. High (Gr 7-8)	Mark	Basement
High School (Gr 9-12)	Listen Up! Learning to listen to sermons well	Room 311 (Top Floor)
Seekers & Newcomers	Intro. to Christianity (Q & A)	Room B05B (Office level, at the back)
Adults & High School	Foundations (Baptism & Membership)	Room B09 (Office level)
Adults	Perspectives on Missions	Basement
Adults	Old Testament Survey	Room 102 (Ground level)

October Theme Verse
(copies available in foyer)

1 Timothy 2:8, 15

I want men everywhere to lift up holy hands in prayer, without anger or disputing... But women will be saved through childbearing—if they continue in faith, love and holiness with propriety.

Join us this week for...

Sun Pre-service Prayer Meeting
9:00am-9:30am in Room 317 (top floor)

Drop-in Co-ed Volleyball
3:45pm-7:00pm in the Gym

ESL (English as a Second Language)
2:00pm in Room 102 (ground level)

Mon Volleyball Skills Clinic
7:30pm-9:30pm in the Gym

Tues Men's Basketball
7:00pm-10:00pm in the Gym

Wed Prayer Workshop
- Judge in Justice (Lev. 19:9-10)
7:15pm-8:00pm in Mezzanine Sanctuary

Prayer Meeting
8:00pm-9:00pm on top floor

Children's Prayer Meeting
8:00pm-9:00pm in the Library

Thur Career Small Groups
7:45pm-9:45pm on the 3rd floor

Fri Career Small Group (Immanuel)
8:00pm-10:00pm in Room 311 (top floor)

Malachi High School Fellowship
7:30pm-9:45pm in Room 302 (top floor)

Timothy Junior High Fellowship
7:30pm-9:45pm in Room 306 (top floor)

*Contact information in the back of the bulletin

Sunday School Class Descriptions

Sept-Nov

Intro. to Christianity (Q & A)

Teacher: Andrew Lam

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

Foundations

Baptism & Membership Class

Teacher: Deaconess Amy Hong

The most important decision a person makes in life is the decision to trust Jesus Christ as Saviour 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. ***Our next baptism will be Sunday December 25, 2016.***

Old Testament Survey

Teacher: Rev. Ted Tham

OT Survey will cover an overview of the entire Old Testament. The goal of this class is to help students to understand the main theological themes so that you will be interested to pursue further studies. Creation, Fall, Covenant, Prophets, Redemption, etc. are examples of topics to be covered. A common misconception is that the Bible has 2 independent sections of old and new testaments, but our hope is that by understanding the theological themes, you will come to appreciate the Word of God in a much broader and comprehensive context, which are in fact all relevant truths in the new testament, as well as Christian living today.

Perspectives on Missions

Teachers: Deaconess Loraine Chan, Abraham Wong
We are convinced that God has both a universal and dynamic role for every Christian in His missional purpose. Whether people go to distant countries or stay at home is a secondary issue. The primary issue is what most people are hungry to discover: a vision to live a life of purpose. Discovering that vision makes this course valuable and perhaps crucial for any Christian.

High School: Listen Up! Learning to listen to sermons well

Junior High: Mark

Sermon Notes

Jesus Gives Spiritual Sight

John 9:1-38

Big Idea: Jesus is the light that allows us to see His goodness and our purpose.

1. Jesus shines light on the law

2. Jesus claims to be the light

3. Spiritual Blindness

4. Jesus gives sight

Responding to Jesus

1. Pray for the Holy Spirit to grant spiritual sight to you so that you can know Jesus better, obey with joy, and endure hardship

2. Pray that God will grant spiritual sight to your family, friends, and church community

General Announcements

Children Ministry

2016 VBC Photo CD - Parents who ordered the photo CD are welcome to pick it up. For details, please contact Pastor Cat.

NTCBC 2012-2014 Report

is available for members to have a copy at church office.

Free Thriving Family Magazine



The October/November 2016 Thriving Family magazines are now available in the foyer. Topics in this issue include: What Is Faith ... Really by Dr. Tony Evans, Speak Your Spouse's Love Language; Golf Champ Bubba Watson's Journey To Adoption; Parents: Rewrite Your Job Description.

Congratulations

To Daniel and Crystal Lee for the birth of baby Theadora Sum-Yi Lee on October 4. All are doing fine. May our Lord give the parents strength and wisdom as they raise up Theadora among God's people and commit her to Jesus' care.

Motions for Sun. Oct 23 Membership Meeting

1. To approve Financial Record for September 2016.
2. To approve membership transfer in request from BaoXia Pei.
3. To approve 2017 EB nomination list.
4. To approve Curtis Lai's application for financial assistance of C\$12,000 for the academic year September 1, 2016 to April 30, 2017 in Tyndale University College and Seminary.
5. To approve the hiring of Eva Poon and Michael Chan as Church Leadership Development Consultant (CLDC) on a contract basis.
6. To approve Ballot counter for 2017 EB election: Bonnie Cheung, Tommy Li, David Cheung, Michael Chan, Adrian Wang, Robert Chan

Rev. Ted

This morning Rev. Ted is preaching at Toronto Jaffray Chinese Alliance Church and will be back for Sunday School and afternoon service.

Staff Vacation & Leave

Wilman Lai will be on vacation from Oct 20 – 26.