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

English Worship Service – Mar 12, 2017	
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	Ezra 1:1-11
Message	Restored by the Sovereign Will of God Pastor Kwan Chan
Lord's Table	Rev. Patrick Lau
Response Song	Worship Team
Benediction	Rev. Patrick Lau
Announcements	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.

LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE		LAST WEEK'S OFFERING		CONVERSIONS	SUNDAY SCHOOL
Cantonese (8:15 am):	109	General: \$	19,170	English:	English: 78
Cantonese (11:15 am):	143	Mission: \$	4,300	Cantonese:	Cantonese: 91
English (9:45 am):	178	Maintenance:\$	411	Cantonese:	Mandarin: 35
English (1:45 pm):	22	Building: \$	100	Mandarin:	10
Mandarin (8:30 am):	15	Other: \$	1,150	Chinese Classes:	
Mandarin (11:15 am):	56	Prayer Mtg:	49	Children:	
Mandarin (3:15 pm):	13			STM:	
				Total:	10

Next Week: Pastor Kwan Chan

SUNDAY SCHOOL 11:30 am – 12:30 pm		
Jr. High (Gr 7-8)	God is.....: A study of God's character	Basement (Room B1/B2)
High School (Gr 9-12)	Old Testament Survey	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	Ecclesiastes	Basement

March Theme Verse

Psalm 119:89

Your word, O Lord, is eternal; it stands firm in the heavens.

Join us this week for...

Sun Drop-in Co-ed Volleyball
3:30pm-5:30pm 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 Meeting
8:00pm-9:00pm on the top floor

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

Thur Career Small Groups
7:45pm-9:45pm on the top 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

Intro. to Christianity (Q & A)

Room 101, first floor

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

Room B09

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 April 16, 2017.***

New Testament Survey

Basement

Teacher: Deaconess Loraine Chan/ Deaconess Amy Hong/ Jeannette So

This is an overview of the New Testament. The goal is develop a broader, more comprehensive understanding of the New Testament books, to encourage further study. We will examine the organization, setting, and main themes of each book to learn what God said, how he said it, and the spiritual applications.

High School: New Testament Survey

Room 311, top floor

Teacher: Pastor Kwan Chan, Peggy Chiu

The goal of course is to provide the students with the tools to study the New Testament on their own. Throughout the term, the students will learn how to create outlines for each book, as well as identify the overarching themes within each New Testament book so that they will be able to better understand and apply God's Word.

Junior High: How to listen to Sermons

Basement, Room B1/B2

Teachers: Josephine Poon, Curtis Lai

Prayer Items

During the Ezra-Nehemiah Sermon series, sermon notes will be provided on a separate bulletin insert. As a result, we will be dedicating this space in our bulletin to prayer requests related to sermon of the day.

Spiritual Restoration

Pray that the Holy Spirit will convict you of hidden sins in your life.

Pray that the Holy Spirit will 'move your heart' so that you will repent from your sin and be spiritually restored and revived.

Thank Jesus for having paid the penalty of your sin and for offering spiritual restoration.

Pray that God will increase your hunger for His Word

Pray that God will grant you a deeper conviction of your need to pray.

Church Leaders

Pray that the Spirit will invigorate your pastors as they study God's Word.

Pray that God would move your leaders to a greater ministry of intercession.

Pray that God will grant your leaders spiritual wisdom to lead this faith family during this time of rebuilding.

Pray that the Holy Spirit will move the hearts of your leaders so that they will vigilantly remove sin in their lives and pursue holy living.

Church

Pray that God will rebuild NTCBC as a faith community whose identity is founded in making much of Jesus Christ

Pray for increased prayerfulness that manifests itself in a growing prayer ministry

Pray for an increased hunger for God's Word

Pray that God will grant raise up men and women to teach the Word to younger men and women.

General Announcements

Consolidating Worship Services

Starting in Apr 2017, we will be consolidating our two English worship services. This means that our last English Afternoon Service will be on March 26th, 2017.

Tax Receipts for 2016 Donations

Receipts for 2016 donations are now available in the foyer. For any enquiries, please contact Jennifer Kou (Church Treasurer) at jennifer.kou@ntcbc.ca

NTCBC Summer Conference 2017

Summer Conference will be held on Saturday Jul 1 to Monday Jul 3 at Western University in London Ontario. More information to follow. Please mark in your calendars to join.

Vacation Bible Camp (VBC) 2017

Dates: August 8-18. Extended child care will be available from 7:30am to 5:30pm. Children from SK class to Grade 5 are welcome. For details, email vbc@ntcbc.org.

Condolences

Pastor Kwan's mother, Monita Chan, passed away on March 5. Memorial Service was held yesterday at Highland Funeral Home.

30 Hour Famine to Raise Funds for Chagas disease

Who? Malachi Fellowship

What? 30 Hour Famine is an event in which youth participate in a fast to experience hunger in order to deepen their understanding of what people around the world experience daily. The students will grow closer to Christ, and each other as they fast together for 30 hours and raise funds to fight Chagas disease.

When? Friday, March 24th

Where? NTCBC.

Fundraising: Booths will be set up in the basement on Sunday, March 12th and Sunday, March 19th.

How can you help? You can show your support by praying and/or donating at: <http://ntcbc.cbmin.org/>

Staff Vacation & Leave

Pastor Joanna Ip is on vacation from Feb 28 – Mar 17.

Pastor Rose Wang is on vacation from Mar 5 – Mar 16.

Hiring Office Manager

NTCBC is looking to hire an Office Manager. Brothers and sisters who are interested in this post may get a note for more details at the foyer or church office.