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<u>LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE</u>		<u>LAST WEEK'S OFFERING</u>		<u>CONVERSIONS</u>		<u>SUNDAY SCHOOL</u>	
Cantonese (8:15 am):	106	General: \$	9,303	English:	English:	85	
Cantonese (11:15 am):	172	Mission: \$	3,500	Cantonese: 4	Cantonese:	106	
English (9:45 am):	176	Maintenance:\$	100	Mandarin: 24	Mandarin:	36	
Mandarin (8:30 am):	32	Building: \$	0	Chinese Classes:			
Mandarin (11:15 am):	64	Other: \$	5,615	Children: 30			
Mandarin (3:15 pm):	9	Prayer Mtg:	52	STM:			
				Total: 58			

English Worship Service – July 2, 2017

9:45 A.M. – Main Sanctuary

Order of Service

Praise & Offering	Worship Team
Pastoral Prayer	Mr Almond Au
Scripture	Romans 12:1-2
Message	The Church is a Living Sacrifice Mr Almond Au
Response Song	Worship Team
Lord's Prayer	Mr Almond Au
Announcements	Mr Almond Au

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.

Next Week: Pastor Kwan Chan**SUNDAY SCHOOL 11:30 am – 12:30 pm**

Grade 7	The Gospel of John	The Sunday School is cancelled today due to Summer Conference
Grade 8	The Gospel of John	
High School (Gr 9-12)	Galatians/Ephesians	
Seekers & Newcomers	Intro. to Christianity (Q & A)	
Adults	The Book of James	
Everyone	Foundations	

July Theme Verse

Psalm 1:1-2

Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers. But his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night.

Join us this week for...

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

Malachi High School Fellowship
Cancelled

Timothy Junior High Fellowship
Cancelled

Sunday School Classes

Intro. to Christianity (Q & A)

Room 102, 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
Room B09
Teachers: Deaconess Amy Hong, Deaconess Loraine Chan
The most important decision a person makes in life is the decision to trust in Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour. This class examines basic beliefs in areas such as the Trinity, Bible, salvation, baptism, the Lord's Supper, and the responsibilities of an individual believer. You will gain 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 for those who would like to become a member at NTCBC.
Our next baptism will be Sunday September 10, 2017.

James

Basement
Teachers: Tim Cheng, Daniel Lee
It's easy to be a Christian today – too easy. After all, even Donald Trump can claim he's a Christian. So what happened? This class will strive to be an interactive, applicable, and Biblical litmus test for identifying true Christians and avoiding the pitfalls from James' time, which are even more prevalent now. We will explore how James defines faith, wisdom, and perfection.

High School: Galatians and Ephesians

Room B1/B2
Teacher: Pastor Kwan Chan
As with any study, the goal is to lead the students to a higher level of Biblical literacy so that they will be able to read Galatians and Ephesians independently. In this class, the students will be taught how to identify literary structure and will be given a crash course in Pauline theology and New Testament history.

Junior High: Gospel of John

Gr. 7 (Room 314/315, third floor)
Teacher: Josephine Poon
Gr. 8 (Room 311, third floor)
Teacher: Curtis Lai
The goal for the grade 7s and 8s this semester is to increase Biblical literacy and familiarity with the Word – both individually and with their peers – through group study on the book of John. Students will learn to recognize key themes throughout John's Gospel, utilize a well-established method of inductive Bible study, and participate in group discussions.

Sermon Notes

The Church is a Living Sacrifice
Romans 12:1-2

BIG IDEA: To be a Living Sacrifice is to honour an identity in Christ practicing the duty of a transformed people having received mercies from God.

1. The mercies of God (12:1a) is the foundation of Christian living

2. Transformed and being transformed (12:2a) as a community of believers

3. Strive to discern the perfect will of God (12:2b)

General Announcements

Jiang-Xi Gospel Exchange & English Camp

Dates: July 20-31, 2017
We have 11 members who are now training and preparing for the upcoming trip. Please keep Pastor Cathy, the leader of the team, as well as rest of the members in your prayers.

If you would like to support one of the members either through prayer or through financial giving, please contact Pastor Kwan for details.

Church Incorporation

Newsletters, presentations and related documents can be retrieved from a NTCBC link to be provided to subscribed individuals. Subscription can be done:
- in person at the NTCBC office or
- through email to talk2ciec@ntcbc.org with subject line as 'NTCBC Incorporation subscription'.

Children Ministry

Kid Check Check In System - We will start with Kid Check for the children's ministry (Nursery to Grade 6) on September 3rd, 2017. Parents and people who serve in the ministry must create the account prior to this date. For more information how to create your free account, please take an account setup instruction sheet on 3rd floor at Check In-out tables. If you have questions regards to the New Check In system, please contact Alice Ngai (alice.ngai@ntcbc.ca)

Pastors' Updates

Pastor Cathy Chen is on leave from July 9-14.

Church Office

Church Office will be closed tomorrow (July 3) for the Canada Day holiday.

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