

*A note from
Pastor Francis ...*

... **Welcome** to our Worship Celebration today. We are glad you are here!

... We are very intentional about creating environments where people will hear God's voice speaking to them. We are a culturally diverse congregation from various countries of origin like **China, Hong Kong, Thailand, India, Malaysia, the Philippines, Jamaica, South Africa & Zimbabwe**. Indeed, God is at work among us, and He desires to speak to us today!

... We are excited about what God is doing among us as we passionately commit to learning biblical truth and passionately seek to apply biblical truth in our lives as we go about our daily routines. We are serious about walking with Jesus daily!

... Today as we reflect on Acts 6:1-7, we learn the importance of selecting Godly leaders who make decisions (in the church) under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. Indeed, the effectiveness of our ministries depends largely on the type of leaders we choose!

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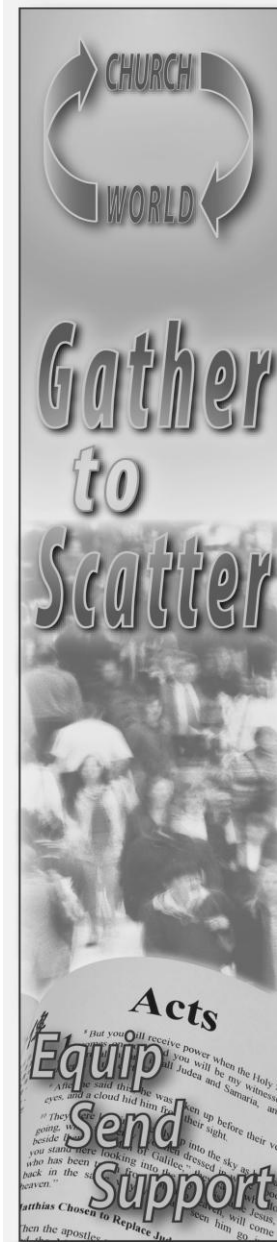
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Our three intentional pursuits...

- Seeking intimacy with God
- Seeking fellowship with other believers
- Seeking to influence non-believers for Jesus



Welcome to our English Speaking Congregation...

**SUNDAY
CELEBRATION**

June 2, 2013
9:30 - 10:50am

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WELCOME TO TODAY'S WORSHIP CELEBRATION!

Pre Worship-based Prayer Time (9:25am)

~ Come a little early to prepare your heart for corporate worship each Sunday morning ~

Prayer

Pastor Francis

Worship in Songs

Caleb & Music Worship Team

Worship in Hearing the Scriptures

Lessons from the Early Church:

"Choosing Godly Servants" (Acts 6:1-7)

Pastor Francis

Worship in Communion Celebration

Response / Reflection

Caleb & Music Worship Team

Welcoming / Recognition of Guests

Family Matters & Highlights

Pastoral Team

Prayer / Blessing

Pastor Aaron

TODAY:

PRAYER Focus: Executive Board Members

AV Team: Anton, Lawrence, & Raphael

HOST Team: Footprints Fellowship

COMMUNION Assistants: Charles, Hannah, Iggy, Irene, Josephine, & Philip

NEXT SUNDAY

Speaker: Bobby Wong (Pastoral Intern)

****Please Note:** Audio copies of today's Worship Celebration (or of any other Sunday) can be **borrowed** from the library. If you wish to **own a copy** for yourself or to give to a friend (for just \$3), visit the **ESC Welcome Centre** in Rooms 101/102.

FAMILY NEWS & HIGHLIGHTS...

WELCOME! Yes, this is a church community where God is bringing people from various walks of life & lands of origins - and transforming them for His glory! Everyone, please join us for refreshments in the **Welcome Centre** (in Rooms 101/102) after the service!

Church Retreat is on July 26-28 @ Durham College. This year's Retreat will be unique "very reflective / contemplative." Pastor Francis, Pastor Aaron & Bobby will be leading us. Our theme is "Experiencing the Presence of God" - focusing on the ministry of the Holy Spirit in our lives. Check out the booth in the west wing. **Today** is last date for early bird rate.

- **Adult:** Single room \$145 (early bird: \$135); Shared double \$100 p/p (early bird: \$90). Adult rate applies for child over 6 years old.
- **Toddler:** 6 & under \$ 22 each for meals if staying with parent(s) in one room
- **Infant** (under 2 years old): free if staying with parent(s) in one room

Facility Ministry notice: Please keep **ALL doors between floors closed at all times as this is required by the city's Fire Safety Regulations.** RHCBC has received a warning on the violations. Please do not use any door stoppers to keep the doors open. Thank you for your cooperation!

Gym is not available for use on, Monday June 3 due to waxing of floor.

Fridays (7:10-8:10pm) is our corporate Prayer Meeting. Let's continue to be in prayer for our various ministries ... **Prayer** is the engine that drives the church. Our theme this year is "Gather to Scatter." April through July, is our "horizontal focus" = connecting with one another within the church family. Pray that we grow deeper in our relationship with our Father and with one another. **If you have a Prayer Request or an Answer to Prayer, let our Pastoral Team know so that we can participate in what the LORD is doing!**

PRAYER FOCUS ...

Pray for Frank Lung battling cancer.

Pray for Anthony Ching as he continues his cancer treatment. Pray also for his family.

Pray for Matthew Cham and his family as he continues his rehabilitation at the hospital

Pray for Candace Chan - Missions Opportunity with Power to Change.... **Pray** for Angie Chan & for Edwin Lee also preparing for a Missions opportunity with CTI this year. **Pray** for May Leung who has joined EMAS STM, which is a Christian organization, to East Asia - returning this month (June). **Pray** also for Charles Chee, Enoch Chow, Chris Kam, Seemo Miriam, Jenelle Chow, Norman Allen, James Cheung preparing for ministry opportunities this year! What great opportunities to spread the gospel around the world! Stay tuned for additional updates!!!

UPCOMING SOON...

- **BETHEL, SALT, & FOOTPRINTS:** June 7 (8:30pm)
- **LIGHT FELLOWSHIP:** June 15 (7:30 - 9pm)
- **June 8, Saturday, 6:30 -9:30pm, Centre for Mentorship & Theological Reflection (the Centre) is hosting its 15th anniversary celebration at Bayview Glen Church.** Speakers: Dr. Alister McGrath, Rev. Joe Boot and Dr. Dennis Ngien. Check www.dennisngiencentre.ca for details.

~ SOME FACTS FROM LAST WEEK ~ Attendance, Tithes & Offerings

Joint Worship: **320**; Prayer Meeting: **12**
Tithes & offerings for last week: **\$9,668.44**
Accumulated offerings: **\$238,670.14**

Thank you for your continued partnership in the Lord's work through rhcbc!!!

Remember: Be a blessing to someone
TODAY!