



# RHCBC

**RICHMOND HILL (CHINESE) BAPTIST CHURCH**

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## Welcome to Sunday Worship

### WELCOME!

Thank you for choosing RHCBC as your place of worship today. Whether you are just visiting or looking to stay, it is great to have you with us. Please join us for refreshments in the Welcome Centre (in Room 101) after the worship service.

If this is your first time visiting and you have not received a Welcome Package, please ask one of our ushers or pastors. We would love to get to know you better and keep in touch!

### Godly Quotes

"I believe in the immeasurable power of love; that true love can endure any circumstance and reach across any distance."

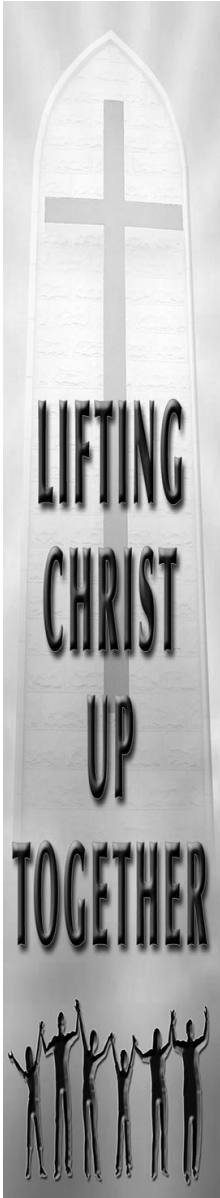
- Steve Maraboli, *Unapologetically You: Reflections on Life and the Human Experience*

"Love doesn't make the world go 'round; love is what makes the ride worthwhile."

- Shannon L. Alder

"Don't look for a soul mate. *Make* one -- out of the complex fabric of the human being already with you. Instructions are never included. They vary with the strength of your ability to see, the measure of your selective blindness, the limits of your mercy, and the intensity of your desire."

- Vera Nazarian, *the Perpetual Calendar of Inspiration*



**TODAY at ESC**

**Sermon Title:** “True Soul Brothers”

**Scripture:** 1 Samuel 18:1-4

**Speaker:** Rev. Barry Duguid

**Music Team:** Caleb and team

**AV Team:** Dara, Edwin & Jason

**Host Team:** Footprints Fellowship

**Sunday School:** 11:30am-12:30pm (see ESC bulletin board for details)

- We do not pass around offering bags during worship celebration. Offering boxes are placed inside and outside the sanctuary for you to give as you have purposed in your heart. To request an offering number, please check out Finance Ministry bulletin board.
- All sermon CDs (songs & sermons) can be borrowed from the library, or you may order a copy (@ \$3) at the Welcome Centre.

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**Prayer item for this week:**

Pray for our readiness to share our salvation testimonies to the unsaved.

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**My response to God’s Word is ...**

## **Family News & Events**

1. **Children Ministry update:** Congratulations to Grade 6 graduates. Grade 6 Graduation will be held at ESC worship on June 22; we invite parents to attend this graduation with their children. The Grade 6 graduates will start joining ESC the week after. Please pray for these graduates and their transition. Children Ministry is currently recruiting leaders and helpers for the summer program and the new school year in September. If you are available to serve please contact Pastor Jennifer or Josephine Ma for more information.
2. **There is a special Sunday Class for the College/University youth in May and June.** For today's session, the Canaan Fellowship leaders would come to share about their experiences of job seeking. The location is at Basement Room 015.
3. **In July and August, there will be a summer class with the theme of "Sharing Your Favorite Bible Passage"** in which we could glorify God together by showing how He works within/among us through His Holy Words. For this purpose, we would like to invite you to come and share with the class one or two of your favorite Bible passage(s) that impacted your Christian life, faith and/or worldview. The expected length of your sharing is around 20 minutes. If you wish, you may use some creative approaches (e.g. music, drama, etc.) for your sharing. If you want to participate, please contact Stephen Ng. Available time slots for sharing are limited. Please act quickly.
4. In partnership with Chinese Bible International Limited, our church is hosting a series of classes on **"Galatians" (in Cantonese) on June 17 and 24** at 7:30pm – 9:30pm at church. Speaker: Dr. Clarence Lau. Free admission, but freewill offering is encouraged. Everyone is welcome! Please see the poster outside the library for details.
5. **Our church will have a booth at the Richmond Hill Home Show** on Canada Day (Tuesday, July 1) at Richmond Green Sports Complex (Elgin Mills/Leslie). The purpose is to introduce us and connect with our community through games, activities, flyers and Bible tracts. Brothers and sisters are encouraged to sign up any one or both shifts (9:00am-1:00pm and 1:00-5:00pm). Please see Richard Chan after worship or you can sign up at [www.rhcbc.org](http://www.rhcbc.org).
6. **Church Retreat is July 18-20 at UOIT, Oshawa.** Theme: "Lifting Christ Up Together". Speaker: Rev. Michael Lau. To register, please visit the booth at West Wing. Last day for registration is extended to TODAY!
7. **From Caring Ministry:** Everyone is invited to join the coffee and snack time at 101/102 after CSC worship to celebrate Father's Day.
8. **Tuesday Sports Night: Ping Pong will be cancelled** on June 17 & 24; Tai Chi will continue in the basement on June 17 & 24.
9. **Wedding Bells:** Daniel Mok and Michelle Kao are getting married on Saturday, June 21st at 1:00pm at Toronto Chinese Community Church, 100 Acadia Ave. Everyone is welcome to attend the ceremony! May God bless them as they start their new journey together! Congratulations to Tony and Anita Mok!

10. **Our Condolences:** the mother of Samuel Mak (wife Josephine) and Connie (husband Frank Wong), dearest grandmother of Kenneth Mak and Hin Wong, went to be with the Lord on June 7 in Hong Kong. Funeral will be held tomorrow in Hong Kong. Pray that God will comfort them during this difficult period.

**The Week Ahead in ESC**

Wednesday 8:00pm – Prayer meeting  
 9:30pm – Skype prayer meeting with missionary Tang

Friday 8:00 to 10:00pm – Fellowship Meetings:

- Footprints (Young adult)
- SALT (College/University)
- Bethel (High school) - Schedule/News/Info for Youths & Parents: [www.RHCBC.org/Bethel](http://www.RHCBC.org/Bethel)

Sunday 9:30am – Worship  
 Speaker: Pastor Jennifer Gibb  
 Sermon title: “Teaching for Life”  
 Scripture: Deuteronomy 6:1-12  
 11:30am – Sunday School (please see bulletin for details)

Next week is ESC’s turn to stack up chairs in the gym.

**Attendance & Offering record from last week**

	ESC	CSC	Seekers	Children
Worship	131	206	29	34 + 10 helpers
Sunday School	66	96	--	16 + 5 helpers
Prayer meeting	8	11	--	--
Mandarin Bible Study (CSC)		15	--	--
Offering: \$20,025.16	Accumulated offerings: \$ 285,771.40			

**Pastors & Staff (see ESC bulletin board for contact information)**

**Interim Senior Pastor:** Rev. Barry Duguid

**ESC Pastors:** Pastor Aaron Chuah, Pastor Jennifer Gibb

**CSC Pastors:** Rev. Bernard Sin, Rev. Jack Yuen

**Administrator:** Valentine Chiu

**ESC Office Assistant & Community Services Coordinator:** Angela Wong

**CSC Office Assistant:** Elaine Poon