



# RHCBC

## RICHMOND HILL (CHINESE) BAPTIST CHURCH

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*Celebrating* God's Faithfulness

### **WELCOME TO SUNDAY WORSHIP & BAPTISM CEREMONY**

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:**

It is not the healthy who need a doctor, but the sick. I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance..... Jesus Christ

Yes, one can repent of moral transgression. The miracle of forgiveness is real, and true repentance is accepted of the Lord..... Ezra Taft Benson

Since 1991

**TODAY at ESC**

**Baptism Candidate:** Olivia Chan

**Baptism Officiant:** Rev. Dr. Bernard Sin

**Sermon Title:** “Cut it down ... now or later!”

**Scripture:** Luke 13:1-8

**Speaker:** Rev. Barry Duguid

**AV Team:** Chester & Edwin

**Music Team:** Kelvin and team

**Host Team:** Adults

**Sunday School at 11:30am**

1. What does the Bible say about ...? (Basement Room 10)  
This is a new class for the Summer Term. We will spend the coming 3 months to look into what the Bible says about: Mission, Gospel, Evangelism, Marriage, Sex / Homosexuality / Purity, Money, Success, Integrity, Moral Truth: Absolute or Relative, and Conviction & Boundary.
2. Experiencing God (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Room 201)
3. Junior High (1<sup>st</sup> Floor Room 102)
4. Senior High (Basement Room 9)

\* **Chair stacking team rotation:** ESC for the month of July. Thanks!

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**Prayer Items of the week:**

1. Pray for Kids Clubhouse 2016. May the children know God through the camp activities and may God prompt them to accept Jesus Christ as their personal saviour!
2. Pray for the motioning of Rev. Bernard Sin as the Senior Pastor. May God lead us and show us His will throughout the discerning process! May God give us unity as we pray intentionally for His will! May God’s name be glorified!
3. Pray for Chris Kam, Kenny Ho, Angela Hui, Cindy Li, Samantha Yuen, Terence Huang, Rafael Chan as they go for various short-term mission trips. May God protect them physically and spiritually as they serve God! Pray that people will see God’s love through them.
4. Pray for the preparation work of the Church Retreat. Pray that those who will be attending the retreat will be spiritually nourished.
5. Pray that we could meet up some old friends and relatives in the summer. May God give us the power to spread the gospel!

**NOTE:** 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.

## Family News & Events:

1. Rev. Yuen is away for study leave and vacation from July 12 to August 14. He will also visit RHCBC missionaries in that part of the world.
2. Congratulations to Olivia Chan for getting baptized today!
3. Special Membership Meeting on Sunday, July 17 at 1pm to vote on the motion by our Deacons' Board to call Reverend Bernard Sin to be the next Senior Pastor of RHCBC. Please pick up the agenda at the Church Reception Desk. For those who cannot attend in person, please contact Deacon Eric Chow or Josephine Ma to obtain an Advance Voting Form. Any questions can be directed to Deacon Isaac Ling or Eric Chow.
4. Church Retreat information and map are available at the Church Reception Desk. They are also posted online at <https://goo.gl/m7VrbR>. Please refer to the insert for details.
5. ESC Camping Trip: This year we will be having our annual ESC camping trip at Rock Point Provincial Park on August 12-14. Sign up deadline is July 22 and space is limited! Permission forms and sign-up will be posted online at <https://goo.gl/ODkgeA>. If you have any questions, please speak with Clement Chan or Elijah Wong.
6. There will be no Children Programs on July 24 and Aug 21 due to Church Retreat and Joint Worship. The Nursery Room will be opened for use.
7. Our condolences: the mother of Kan (and Samuel Ip) and grandmother of Vanessa and Jessica passed away on July 2 in Hong Kong. Kan is now in HK to arrange for the funeral which will be held on July 18. May God comfort them during this difficult time!
8. Family badminton today at 2:30-5:30pm. We encourage you to bring your friends to this outreach event.

## The Week Ahead in ESC:

Wed 8:00-9:30pm Church Prayer Meeting

Friday 8:00pm Fellowship Meetings

Sunday 9:30am Worship

- Speaker: Rev. Joseph Wong
  - Title: Reaching Out to the Scattered
  - Scripture: Acts 11:19-26
- 11:30am Sunday School

**Attendance & Offering record from last week:**

	ESC	CSC	Children
Worship	98	204	Activities: 8 + 3 helpers
Sunday School	54	78	
ESC Seekers' group	--	--	Worship & Small Groups: 14 + 8 helpers
Mandarin Bible Study	--	23	
Church Prayer Meeting	14		
Offering: \$15,349.03			
Accumulated offerings: \$345,424.57			

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

**Advisory Pastor:** Dr. Dennis Ngien

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

**ESC Pastoral Interns:** Christopher Kam, Elijah Wong

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

**Administrator:** Valentine Chiu

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

**CSC Office Assistant:** Elaine Poon