



RHCBC

RICHMOND HILL (CHINESE) BAPTIST CHURCH

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Celebrating God's Faithfulness

WELCOME TO SUNDAY WORSHIP

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

"We must accept finite disappointment, but never lose infinite hope."

- Martin Luther King, Jr.

"Let your hopes, not your hurts, shape your future."

- Robert H. Schuller

"Anyone who doesn't believe in miracles is not a realist."

- David Ben-Gurion

Since 1991

TODAY at ESC

Sermon Title: "Hosea - The Valley of Achor or the door of hope?"

Scripture: Hosea 1:2-8

Speaker: Rev. Barry Duguid

AV Team: Curtis & Paul

Music Team: Caleb and team

Host Team: SALT Fellowship

Sunday School at 11:30am

- 1. Junior High: there is a kick-off party for a new class term in Room 102; parents of the Junior High youth are welcome to join.
- 2. Other classes: there is a joint session at Basement Rooms 9/10; Kenny Ho will share his experiences from a recent mission trip.

Prayer Items of the week:

- 1. Pray for Elijah, Chris and Cindy (the pastoral interns). May God fuel their hearts as they serve Him in ministries!
- 2. Pray for the students as they begin a new school year. Pray for peace from God when they face changes. Pray for wisdom in learning and that their hard work brings forth good marks.
- 3. Pray for God's healing and comfort to be upon those who are suffering from illness.
- 4. Thanksgiving for our church 25th anniversary. May God continue to guide us to be the light of the community!
- 5. Pray for the new Sunday school term. May God lead us as we study His words and learn to be like Jesus Christ in everyday life!

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. Welcome the Grade 7 students joining ESC worship today!
2. RHCBC will be co-hosting a Mom to Mom Sale with “Life with a Baby” on Saturday, October 15 in the gym from 10am to noon. If anyone is interested to be a vendor, please contact Denise via email: denise@lifewithababy.com or 416.319.9113. Cost is \$15 + \$15 refundable deposit. See link for the vendors: <http://www.lifewithababy.com/event-2229027/>. Admission is free. Everyone is welcome!
3. RHCBC 25th Anniversary Thanksgiving Dinner will be held on Saturday, Sep 24. Dinner tickets are available for sale at west wing. Today is the last day for ticket sale.
4. Condolences: Yin Yee Chan of Joshua Fellowship went to be with our Lord on Sept 5. The cremation service will be held on Friday, Sept 16. May God comfort the family during this difficult time!
5. Today is Family Badminton Day from 2:30 – 5:30pm. Everyone is welcome! You are encouraged to bring your non-church friends to this outreach program.
6. Angela Wong is on vacation from Sept 13 to 30.
7. Chair stacking team rotation: ESC for the month of September. Thanks!

The Week Ahead in ESC:

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

Friday Fellowship Meetings at 8:00pm

Sunday 9:30am Worship
• Speaker: Dr. Dennis Ngien
11:30am Sunday School

Attendance & Offering record from last week:

	ESC	CSC	Children
Worship	100	230	Activities: 18 + 8 helpers
Sunday School	66	79	
ESC Seekers' group	--	--	Worship & Small Group: 24 + 11 helpers
Mandarin Bible Study	--	15	
Church Prayer Meeting	15		
Offerings: \$14,430 Accumulated Offerings: \$440,854.36			

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, Cindy Li, 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