



# RHCBC

## RICHMOND HILL (CHINESE) BAPTIST CHURCH

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### WELCOME TO SUNDAY WORSHIP

Thank you for choosing RHCBC as your place  
of worship today.

Please join us for refreshments  
in the Welcome Centre (in Room 101)  
after the worship service.

### QUOTES TO PONDER

“The holy man is not one who cannot sin. A holy man is  
one who will not sin.

The true Christian ideal is not to be happy but to be  
holy. ...”

- A.W. Tozer

“Holiness does not consist in mystic speculations,  
enthusiastic fervors, or uncommanded austerities; it  
consists in thinking as God thinks, and willing as God  
wills.”

- John Brown, 19th-century Scottish theologian:

“Holiness is inwrought by the Holy Spirit, not because  
we have suffered, but because we have surrendered.”

- Richard Shelley Taylor

“Holy has the same root as wholly, it means complete. A  
man is not complete in spiritual stature if all his mind,  
heart, soul, and strength are not given to God.”

- R. J. Stewart

“I believe that great holiness sets us free from the love  
of this world and makes us ready to depart. By great  
holiness I mean great horror of sin and great longing  
after perfect purity.

- C H Spurgeon...



# TODAY at ESC

Sermon Title: "Prepare to Meet your God – Exodus 19"

Scripture: Exodus 19:1-15

Speaker: Rev. Barry Duguid

Music Team: Eliot & team

Host Team: Adults

AV Team: Curtis and Paul

Communion Team: Chi-Tak, Aaron, Dara, Helen, Joyce, Kevin,  
Louis, Priscilla

Sunday Classes at 11:30 am:

- Gospel in Life (Room 010)  
This is an intensive eight-session course on how the gospel is lived out in all of our life – first in our heart, then in our community, and then out into the world.
- Career Workshops for Senior High Youth (Room 102)
- Summer Activities for Junior High Youth (Basement Room 014)

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## Prayer Items of the week:

1. Praise God this year's Kids Clubhouse summer camp has come to an end. Gospel message has been proclaimed to the campers and their families through various activities. May God grow the gospel seeds and we can rejoice in the harvest. Pray that God can help us continue to be in touch with the families.
2. Pray for all students (elementary, secondary, and college/university) as they return to schools in less than a month. Pray that God would help them enjoy remaining time in summer, rest and prepare well for the coming new school year.
3. Pray for the continue raging wild fire situation in BC; pray that the fire be under control soon enough and the disaster affected residents can return homes; pray for the safety of all rescue workers and those who help out.
4. Pray for the coming up 'Career Workshops' at ESC; pray God would use this opportunity to guide the high school students finding their directions.
5. Pray for the Children Ministry new "Circle Time" program held at Sunday School time that the new initiative would help us connecting young parents and families from the neighbourhood and community.

## News & Events:

1. A big “thank you” to brothers and sisters for your generosity last Sunday fundraising for Missionary Karim and Cedar Home for Girls in Lebanon. The hot dog fundraising has collected \$819! Praise God! Also thank for those who served faithfully at Children Ministry.
2. Lost & Found Items at the West Wing: please check if any items belong to you. We will give away all the items after Aug 13.
3. Joshua Ho and Stacey Ho Tak Shan are pleased to announce their wedding and would like to request the honour of your presence to their wedding ceremony. The ceremony will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday August 19th, 2017 at Trinity Presbyterian Church (2737 Bayview Ave., Toronto.)
4. Pastor Bernard is on vacation from August 9 to Sept 8.
5. The Wycliffe Bible Translator of Canada will be hosting a prayer meeting on Thursday, August 10 at the North York Chinese Baptist Church at 7:30pm to 9:30pm to share and pray for the bible translation ministry. We encourage brothers and sisters to attend this meeting!
6. Circle Time: from August 13 to Sept 10th, Children Ministry is offering a “circle time” program for Parents and children of 0 to 2 years old. Time is from 11 -12 noon. Parents and children are to be together to sing songs and to do crafts. Registration with Community Service ([community@rhcbc.org](mailto:community@rhcbc.org)) is a must.
7. Next week 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.
8. Chair stacking: CSC for the month of August. Thanks!

**The Week Ahead in ESC:**

- Wed Family Prayer Meeting 8:00 - 9:30pm
- Friday Fellowship Meetings 8:00 – 10:00pm
- Sunday 9:30am Worship  
 Speaker: Rev. Duguid  
 Topic: “The Holiness of God”  
 Scripture: 1 Peter: 1  
 11:30am Sunday School

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

	ESC	CSC	Children
Worship	93	215	Activities: 11 + 3 helpers
Sunday School	40	68	
ESC Seekers’ group	--	--	Worship & Small Groups: 9 + 3 helpers
Mandarin Bible Study	--	20	
Church Prayer Meeting	13		
Offering: \$7,989.79			

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

- Interim Senior Pastor:** Rev. Barry Duguid
- Pastors:** Rev. Dr. Bernard Sin, Rev. Jack Yuen
- Pastoral Interns:** Cindy Li, Elijah Wong, Joseph Liu
- Administrator:** Valentine Chiu
- Community Services Coordinator & ESC Office Assistant:** Angela Wong
- CSC Office Assistant:** Elaine Poon

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**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. Please check out Finance Ministry bulletin board if you would like to get an offering number.