



RHCBC

RICHMOND HILL (CHINESE) BAPTIST CHURCH

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September 10, 2017

“Mission Sunday”

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.

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TODAY at ESC

Sermon Title: “Godly Principles for Migrants”

Scripture: Exodus 19:1-6

Speaker: Markus Gommel

Host Team: Bethel Fellowship

AV Team: Curtis & Paul

Music Team: Shulammitte & team

Sunday Classes:

- There is a joint Sunday Class today in Room 101 & 102. Guest Speaker will share with us on the topic about Mission.

Prayer Items of the week:

1. Pray for those who are sick and their families. May God heal and comfort them during this difficult time so they could experience God’s comprehensive peace and be persistent in trusting God.
2. Pray for the Alpha Course. May God touch the hearts of the friends that we are going to invite! We pray that we could let them know God’s love and His salvation through the Alpha course.
3. Mission is the will of God. May God help us to support our missionaries in prayer and finance! Pray also that God will stir up our hearts to participate in short-term mission trips.
4. Pray for the gospel work in Lima (Peru) mission. May God protect the short term mission team and help them to bring back the needs and visions (especially 2nd generation work) so that Canadian Chinese churches are able to send blessings over there.
5. Pray for the cessation of and recovery from the recent natural disasters – the wildfire in British Columbia, the flooding in Houston, the typhoon and landslide in Asia. Pray that relief work could be effectively carried out and victims could re-build their homes soon. May God comfort them and heal their hearts.
6. Pray for the earthquake in Mexico and the Hurricane Irma in Florida and Caribbean. May God protect lives and minimize the damages. Pray also that people find ultimate comfort and peace from God.

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.

News & Events:

1. A special welcome to Markus Gommel, our guest speaker, for sharing God's words with us this morning.
2. Christian Education: Please note that ESC Sunday school time changes from 11:30am to 11:15am, starting from September 17. Be there on time.
3. Outreach Ministry: We are going to visit our neighbors today at 2-3pm. We will knock their doors, give out gospel tracts, share the gospel, and invite them to come. We encourage everyone to participate. Please contact Deacon Patrick Lee for details.
4. The Outreach and Christian Education Ministries will host the Alpha Course on 9/24, 10/1, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29 and 11/5 from 11:30am to 1:30pm (lunch is provided). Alpha is a series of interactive sessions to explore the basics of the Christian faith. Each session looks at a different question and is designed to create conversation. We hope to create this opportunity for your friends, relatives and/or colleagues to explore and discuss life's big questions in an open, informal and honest environment. Invitation cards are available at the Reception Desk. Please sign-up with Stephen Ng before Sept 17 at stphng908@gmail.com; we would like to get the estimate number of attendance to plan for lunch.
5. The Children "Back to School" fundraising event has raised \$1,062.35 for Eenchokay Birchstick School in Pikangikum.
6. Pastoral Intern, Cindy Li is on vacation from Aug 30 to Sept 13. Pastor Jack is on vacation from Sept 16 to Sept 22.
7. 2017 Candy Carnival Theme Contest: we would like to hear your ideas! Submission Deadline: Monday, Sept 18. Submission email: community@rhcbc.org.
8. Facility Ministry: the gate on Weldrick Road is now closed on weekdays. The gate on Hillsvie Drive is opened during the weekdays; the last person leaving the church at night, please close this gate to prevent trespassing and inappropriate activities in the parking lot in the wee hours.
9. Dr. Dennis Ngien sincerely invites us to attend the following workshop, which is organized by Centre for Mentorship and Theological Reflection. Admission is free.
Theme: 500th Anniversary of Reformation
Date: Saturday, September 16
Time: 6:00pm to 9:00pm
Venue: Tyndale University College and Seminary Chapel at 3377 Bayview Avenue, North York

10. From Stouffville Grace Baptist Church (SGBC): Praise the Lord, SGBC bought a land in Stouffville to build its church premises. Brothers and Sisters of SGBC are diligently fundraising for this project. They will have the 2nd Annual Fundraising Walking on Monday, Oct 9 (Thanksgiving). Registration forms are available at the CSC Reception Desk. See inserts for details.
11. 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.
12. Chair stacking: ESC for the month of September. 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
 Title: “The Holy Spirit”
 Speaker: Rev. Barry Duguid
 11:30am Sunday School

Attendance & Offering record from last week:

	ESC	CSC	Children
Worship	94	219	Activities: 14 + 7 helpers Worship & Small Groups: 13 + 7 helpers
Sunday School	No Sunday school	55	
Mandarin Bible Study	--	17	
Family Prayer Meeting	8		
Offering: \$31,619.78			

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