

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Welcome to the Lord's Day worship service at EFCW. We are glad you are here and pray you are encouraged to worship through singing, studying Scripture, and fellowship.

Sunday, May 28, 2023 - 9:30 a.m.

Order of Worship:

Call to Worship		TIM CHAN
Worship in Praise	MAJESTY; HEAVENLY FATHER	PRAISE TEAM
Scripture Reading	NEHEMIAH 1: 1-11	TIM CHAN
Worship in Praise	ANCIENT OF DAYS	PRAISE TEAM
Worship in the Word of God	"NEHEMIAH, HOW TO LIVE A LIFE OF INFLUENCE" NEHEMIAH 1: 1-11	BROTHER BYRON CHUNG
Response Song	SHOUT TO THE LORD	PRAISE TEAM
ANNOUNCEMENTS		TIM CHAN
BENEDICTION		BROTHER BYRON CHUNG
REFLECTION		CONGREGATION

Founder & Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Pak Fai Chan (1935 - 2020)

Pastoral Staff:
Senior Pastor – Rev. Zhaohui Yang
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To be Transformed

Luke 5:4-11

Bible Study/Fellowship

We will have a Bible Study at 11:00 AM after today's service and continue to study the Book of Genesis.

Announcements:

- Church Picnic:**
Date: Tomorrow, Monday, May 29, 2023 (Memorial Day)
Time: 10:30am - 2:30pm
Location: Grand Ave Park, 1301 Grand Ave, Chino Hills
Ticket Price: \$5 per person
Ticket Sales: English Congregation - Bonnie; Mandarin Congregation - Ellen Choi; Cantonese Congregation - Elaine
Brothers and sisters, please contact the board committee if you can help to prepare for the picnic.
- Praise Dance: This activity will be held at church this Saturday (June 3rd) at 10:00 AM. Brothers and sisters are welcome to invite friends and family to join.
- The church board discussed and formed a pastor search committee during the monthly meeting. The team is coordinated by Pastor Yang and includes Brother Samson Choi, Brother Edward Lung, Sister Ulrica Hung, and Sister Kimberly Wu. They will pray and work together to seek direction and plan for searching the pastors to meet the needs of the congregation and the church's prospects. If brothers and sisters have any suggestions, you may contact the members of the pastoral search team. Please also diligently pray for God's guidance through the pastoral search process, so that His will may be fulfilled in finding a future pastor for our church.

	Speaker	Presider
6/4	Pastor Zhaohui Yang	Brother Quintin Poon

Prayer Requests for Missionaries:

Achung

- Thank God for the successful completion of the French language course (Beginner A1.1). The next level (Beginner A1.2) will start in a week. We pray that God will continue to grant us wisdom and that we will have a wonderful learning experience.
- Thank God for our smooth adaptation to life. Through classes, we have met three Japanese classmates who are believers, one British classmate with no faith, and two African Catholics. During Easter, we shared the gospel with them and prayed that God would have mercy on them and grant them salvation.
- Thank God for the safe return of the factory director/team leader from their trip to Hong Kong. Please pray for the fundraising and smooth progress of the "Banar Village" education and community service project that is currently underway.

Far East Broadcasting Chinese USA:

- Many churches in the country are experiencing persecution. We pray that the Lord will protect His church and children so that they can stand firm for the Lord and bear good witness before those in political authority!
- Pray for the students at Good Shepherd Bible College, as many of them need to serve their churches and attend training at the same time. We pray that the Lord will grant them grace and enable them to receive training smoothly.
- Good Shepherd Bible College needs to develop new courses in Bible, theology, and ministry. We pray that the Lord will prepare suitable coworkers and resources for these new courses.
- Recently, a social platform in the country has updated its version, and many obstacles have appeared in broadcasting programs on this platform. We pray that the Lord will help solve these problems.

Luke Zhang

- Pray for the joint pain of Rev. & Mrs. Zhang.
- The "Hidden Manna International"; media ministry posts a 5-minute message on YouTube weekly, including sermons, revival, Mission, and devotional information. You may find the link at <https://youtu.be/yRLHUI88gAI>. Please pray for this ministry.

Angela Shih

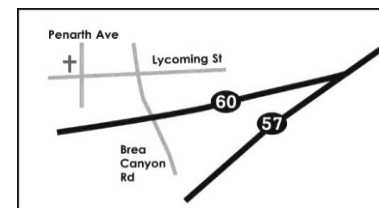
- With the extreme difference between the cost of living here in Hong Kong and Hanoi, I am in need of raising more funds. Although my salary was the same as what I made in Hanoi, I need to pay housing, food, and transportation are astronomically more than Hanoi. Please pray for God's provision.
- Please pray for the safety of the students, for lasting change in their families, and for the marginalized and hurting in Hong Kong.

Rudolf Mak

- Pray for the 16 members of CHAMP (China Mission Partnership) and the six staff are working with Rudolf in the Secretariat Office. It is a very low-profile entity that creates an impact ecosystem for China and passes it on to the local indigenous leaders. For the Operation of CHAMP, more workers will be recruited to join the secretariat office.



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Church Offering:

	Last Week	Year-to-Date (2023)	
		Budget(G)/Faith Promise (M)	Offering
General	\$ 9,851	\$5,121 / \$112,662	\$119,957
Missions	\$ 340	\$ 740 / \$ 16,280	\$ 22,953
Total:	\$ 10,191	\$5,861 / \$128,942	\$142,910

Brothers and sisters, you may use **Zelle** as an online offering.
Please set recipient: giving.option@efcwalnut.org.

Flower Offering: Hannah Chan