

Announcements:

- Welcome & thank you for joining to our Holy Communion Service on the first Sunday of 2022. Please join our breakout room and/or fellowship after service. Due to the new health restrictions, refreshment will not be served after the service.
- In conformity to the latest health and safety guidelines issued by the province, all church activities OTHER than Sunday Worship Service and Children Worship on Sundays are to be back in discord (virtual) until further notice.
- Update from the finance team:

Fujian Evangelical Church 溫哥華基督教閩南堂 Giving Update 收支報告

(in '000s / 千元單位)	November 2021	YTD 2021
Giving / Revenues 奉獻收入	\$54	\$586
(Outlays / Liabilities 支出)	(53)	(595)
Subtotal	\$1	(\$9)
Income related to security account 和證券賬戶有關的收入	(1)	5
Surplus 剩餘 / (Deficit 虧缺)	\$0	(\$4)
Unrestricted Cash Balance 不受限制的現金餘額 (\$336 less restricted 有限制的專項款項 \$214)		\$122

- Wednesday evening prayer meeting will resume this Wednesday (Jan. 5th).
- We will celebrate FEC 37th Anniversary with a joint service on January 23rd 2022.
- "Our Daily Bread" devotional (Large Print) for the next 3 months is now available. Please pick up your copy.
- Badminton will be on break until January 9, 2022.
- Our condolences to Cecile Velasco and family in the passing of her husband Michael Velasco on December 27th at the age of 84. May the Lord comfort the bereaved family in the time of their grief.

Prayer Items:

- ❖ Pray for grateful hearts as we welcome the New Year with more blessings from the Lord.
- ❖ Pray for God's presence and guidance in 2022.
- ❖ Pray for the preparation of our 37th Anniversary celebration.
- ❖ Pray for God's protection in the current pandemic situation.
- ❖ Pray for Sunday Schools (Children, youth, young adult) and small groups, pastor and leaders as well.

Week of: January 3 – January 9, 2022	
3(Mon)	
4(Tues)	
5(Wed)	Prayer Meeting @ 8PM
6(Thurs)	
7(Fri)	Kairos(Grades 7-12)@ 7:00 PM
8(Sat)	
9(Sun)	Sunday Worship Service@ 10:45 AM Children Ministry @ 9AM CYA Life Group Sunday School @ 9AM Youth Sunday School @ 10AM Adult Sunday School @ 12:30PM

- ❖ To Join a Small Group: Please contact Rebecca Lim (bclim@yahoo.com)

Attendance Last Sunday 上主日出席		
Mandarin 9:00AM Service	國語 9:00 崇拜	49 人
Minnanese 10:45AM Service	閩語 10:45 崇拜	9 人
English 10:45AM Service	英語 10:45 崇拜	6 人

Servants of Ministry:

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we want to **WELCOME** you today



THE TESTIMONY
OF PHILEMON

PHILEMON 1:1-25

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ORDER OF SERVICE
Holy Communion Service
January 2nd, 2022
The Celebration

Prelude (Jhan)

I Choose to Worship

Praise and Worship (Aaron, Adrian, Daphne, Jhan)

As We Gather/Great is Thy Faithfulness

King of My Heart

Lead Me to the Cross

Congregational Prayer (Pastor Charlie Chun)

The Calling

Scripture Reading (Daphne)

Psalm 90:1-17

Message (Pastor Sandy Hung)

"A Prayer for the New Year"

Holy Communion (Pastor Sandy Hung)

Remember Me

The Commitment

Response Song (Aaron, Adrian, Daphne, Jhan)

Like Incense (Sometimes by Step)

Tithes and Offering

There is None Like You

Welcome & Announcements (Pastor Charlie Chun)

Doxology & Benediction (Pastor Charlie Chun)

Three-Fold Amen

Praise & Worship Team / Musicians: Aaron, Adrian, Daphne, Jhan
Audio-visual /Technical Team: Michael, Set, Robert
Ushers for the month: Charine, Emerson, Joshua

Notes from Sunday Message:

January 2nd 2021

"A Prayer for the New Year"
Psalm 90:1-17

1 Lord, you have been our dwelling place throughout all generations. 2 Before the mountains were born or you brought forth the whole world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God. 3 You turn people back to dust, saying, "Return to dust, you mortals." 4 A thousand years in your sight are like a day that has just gone by, or like a watch in the night. 5 Yet you sweep people away in the sleep of death— they are like the new grass of the morning: 6 In the morning it springs up new, but by evening it is dry and withered. 7 We are consumed by your anger and terrified by your indignation. 8 You have set our iniquities before you, our secret sins in the light of your presence. 9 All our days pass away under your wrath; we finish our years with a moan. 10 Our days may come to seventy years, or eighty, if our strength endures; yet the best of them are but trouble and sorrow, for they quickly pass, and we fly away. 11 If only we knew the power of your anger! Your wrath is as great as the fear that is your due. 12 Teach us to number our days that we may gain a heart of wisdom. 13 Relent, Lord! How long will it be? Have compassion on your servants. 14 Satisfy us in the morning with your unfailing love that we may sing for joy and be glad all our days. 15 Make us glad for as many days as you have afflicted us, for as many years as we have seen trouble. 16 May your deeds be shown to your servants, your splendor to their children. 17 May the favor of the Lord our God rest on us; establish the work of our hands for us— yes, establish the work of our hands.

Notes:

O God, Our Help in Ages Past
By: Brian Kuyper
Scripture: Psalm 90:1-17

**Lord, you have been our dwelling place throughout all generations. —
Psalm 90:1**

In our congregation it is a tradition to sing "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" during our New Year's Day worship service. Some other churches like to sing this song as they worship on the last day of the closing year.

This song paraphrases Psalm 90. Even though Psalm 90 can be considered a song of lament, "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" summarizes the content of this psalm in an uplifting way.

As we end the year, we reflect on the fact that God has been "our help in ages past" as well as "our hope for years to come." When we look back on the year we have just gone through, not one of us can say we knew it would turn out the way it did. We cannot see into the future.

Yet God has been our help, and he has been our strength. God has "been our dwelling place through all generations." So when-ever we face uncertainty, we can trust that, with God, we can find courage and strength. God has made all things, and "a thousand ages in [his] sight are like an evening gone." Yet the Lord our God will always continue to be faithful.

In the final stanza of the song, we profess our trust in God. We sing, "Still be our guard while troubles last, and our eternal home!" We have confidence to face the future because our hope for eternal life is found in God our Savior.

Prayer

Dear God, thank you for being with us through this past year. We trust that we can always make our dwelling with you. Through Christ we pray. Amen.

