

Announcements:

1. Welcome & thank you for joining to our Sunday Worship Service. We would like to thank Rebecca Hiebert for sharing God's word with us today. Please join our breakout room and/or fellowship after the service.
3. Join us on Wednesday as we come together to pray for one another and our church, 8 PM Via ZOOM: Meeting ID: 835 5091 2891 Passcode: 864318.
4. We will celebrate FEC 37th Anniversary with a Joint Service (English & Chinese) virtually & in person on January 23rd 2022 (next Sunday) at 10:00AM. This Joint Worship Service will include the Ordination and Installation of Elder and Deacons. Virtual breakout room will follow after the worship service for fellowship. For those attending in person, packed snacks will be distributed in celebration of our anniversary. Zoom link: Meeting ID: 824 7384 9079 Password: 10200
5. We thank the Lord for the Elder & Deacons to be ordained and installed next Sunday, January 23rd. Chris Jansen Chua, Maria Luisa Coquinco (to be ordained in a later time), Jhan Alexander Limhanchiong will be ordained and installed as Deacons. Amy Chiu Mei Cheng will be re-installed as an Elder; Swan En Dychinco will be re-installed as Deacon. Sufi Hung and Harry Tsang will be serving their 2nd term as Deacons. We also thank the Lord for the following consistory members who are taking a rest from active duties: Christine Chen, Dan Coquinco, Maritoni Macaisa, Wichai Tumtawetikul, and Christian Yap.
6. For the Donation Receipt purpose, we need to update your address. If you moved in 2021, please call our church office or email feccount@gmail.com. to provide us with your current mailing address as soon as possible.
7. Congratulations to Ted & Mimi Chu in the arrival of their first child Rylee Isabelle Pan Chu on January 9th, weighing 6.47lbs. Mother & child are doing well.
8. Our Condolences to the Dychinco family (Tim & Swan En, Virginia & Carl Huie, Philip & Nancy, Helen & Ricardo Lim) in the passing of Letty Coquinco Dychinco on January 10, 2022 at the age of 97. May the Lord comfort the family in this time of grief. The bereaved family requests that in lieu of flowers or gifts, please consider making a donation to FEC in memory of their beloved mother.

Prayer Items:

- ❖ Pray for grateful & obedient hearts as we celebrate FEC's 37th birthday on Jan. 23rd
- ❖ Pray for the Elder and Deacons to be ordained and installed on Jan. 23rd.
- ❖ 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 17 – January 23, 2022	
17(Mon)	
18(Tues)	
19(Wed)	Prayer Meeting @ 8PM
20(Thurs)	
21(Fri)	Kairos(Grades 7-12)@ 7:00 PM
22(Sat)	
23(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 (beclim@yahoo.com)

Attendance Last Sunday 上主日出席		
Mandarin 9:00AM Service	國語 9:00 崇拜	20 人
Minnanese 10:45AM Service	閩語 10:45 崇拜	10 人
English 10:45AM Service	英語 10:45 崇拜	53 人

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- Music Ministry:** Tena Chu (t.chu@fec-richmond.com)
- Children's Choir/Hand bell:** Sharon Co (slim_rose@hotmail.com)

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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
Sunday Worship Service
January 16th, 2022

The Celebration

Prelude (Jhan)

Here I Am to Worship

Praise and Worship (Daphne, Jhan)

House of the Lord

King of Kings

Turn Your Eyes

Congregational Prayer (Pastor Charlie Chun)

The Calling

Scripture Reading (Daphne)

Genesis 37:23-28; Genesis 44:16-34; Matthew 1:1-3

Message (Rebecca Hiebert)

"God Redeems our Stories"

The Commitment

Response Song (Daphne, Jhan)

It is Well

Tithes and Offering

I Worship You Almighty God

Welcome & Announcements (Pastor Charlie Chun)

Doxology & Benediction (Pastor Charlie Chun)

Three-Fold Amen

Praise & Worship Team / Musicians: Daphne, Jhan

Audio-visual /Technical Team: Ricardo, Robert, Set

Ushers for the month: Charine, Emerson

Notes from Sunday Message:

January 16th 2022

"God Redeems our Stories"

Genesis 37:23-28; Genesis 44:16-34; Matthew 1:1-3

Genesis 37:23-28

23 So when Joseph came to his brothers, they stripped him of his robe—the ornate robe he was wearing— 24 and they took him and threw him into the cistern. The cistern was empty; there was no water in it. 25 As they sat down to eat their meal, they looked up and saw a caravan of Ishmaelites coming from Gilead. Their camels were loaded with spices, balm and myrrh, and they were on their way to take them down to Egypt. 26 Judah said to his brothers, "What will we gain if we kill our brother and cover up his blood? 27 Come, let's sell him to the Ishmaelites and not lay our hands on him; after all, he is our brother, our own flesh and blood." His brothers agreed. 28 So when the Midianite merchants came by, his brothers pulled Joseph up out of the cistern and sold him for twenty shekels[a] of silver to the Ishmaelites, who took him to Egypt.

Genesis 44:16-34

16 "What can we say to my lord?" Judah replied. "What can we prove our innocence? God has uncovered your servants' guilt. We are now my lord's slaves—we ourselves and the one who was found to have the cup." 17 But Joseph said, "Far be it from me to do such a thing! Only the man who was found to have the cup will become my slave. The rest of you, go back to your father in peace." 18 Then Judah went up to him and said: "Pardon your servant, my lord, let me speak a word to my lord. Do not be angry with your servant, though you are equal to Pharaoh himself. 19 My lord asked his servants, 'Do you have a father or a brother?' 20 And we answered, 'We have an aged father, and there is a young son born to him in his old age. His brother is dead, and he is the only one of his mother's sons left, and his father loves him.' 21 "Then you said to your servants, 'Bring him down to me so I can see him for myself.' 22 And we said to my lord, 'The boy cannot leave his father; if he leaves him, his father will die.' 23 But you told your servants, 'Unless your youngest brother comes down with you, you will not see my face again.' 24 When we went back to your servant my father, we told him what my lord had said. 25 "Then our father said, 'Go back and buy a little more food.' 26 But we said, 'We cannot go down. Only if our youngest brother is with us will we go. We cannot see the man's face unless our youngest brother is with us.' 27 "Your servant my father said to us, 'You know that my wife bore me two sons. 28 One of them went away from me, and I said, 'He has surely been torn to pieces.' And I have not seen him since. 29 If you take this one from me too and harm comes to him, you will bring my gray head down to the grave in misery.' 30 "So now, if the boy is not with us when I go back to your servant my father, and if my father, whose life is closely bound up with the boy's life, 31 sees that the boy isn't there, he will die. Your servants will bring the gray head of our father down to the grave in sorrow. 32 Your servant guaranteed the boy's safety to my father. I said, 'If I do not bring him back to you, I will bear the blame before you, my father, all my life!' 33 "Now then, please let your servant remain here as my lord's slave in place of the boy, and let the boy return with his brothers. 34 How can I go back to my father if the boy is not with me? No! Do not let me see the misery that would come on my father."

Matthew 1:1-3

1 This is the genealogy of Jesus the Messiah[b] the son of David, the son of Abraham: 2 Abraham was the father of Isaac, Isaac the father of Jacob, Jacob the father of Judah and his brothers, 3 Judah the father of Perez and Zerah, whose mother was Tamar, Perez the father of Hezron, Hezron the father of Ram,

God Gets Us Where He Wants Us

By: Arthur Schoonveld

Scripture: Philippians 1:12-16

What has happened to me has really served to advance the gospel. Philippians 1:12 —

Recently I reached a milestone: my 70th birthday! It caused me to reflect on my life and ask myself some questions. How did I get where I am today? How did someone who grew up in a small town in Europe happen to marry someone born in California? Why did I have the privilege of preaching for almost 40 years? To some people, the answer is quite simple: we are where we are because of our choices. We choose where we live, whom we marry, and what we do with our lives. If we make good choices, things work out well, and if we make bad choices, things work out poorly. Some people might also say that Paul was in prison because of the choices he made. He could have refused to become a Christian; he could have turned down the challenge of becoming a missionary for Jesus. He could have been more careful and compromising. It seems that some of the early Christians even felt that Paul's being in prison was a mistake and was never meant to be. Paul responded by saying that it was God who put him there. God had Paul where he wanted him. Through his imprisonment Paul was able to bring the gospel message straight to the seat of government in Rome. Thank God that in spite of our good, bad, or even sinful choices, when all is said and done, the Lord always gets us where he wants us.

Prayer

Thank you, Lord, that you make no mistakes and that you always get us where you want us. Help us to live wisely and look for your direction each day. In Jesus' name, Amen.

