

Announcements:

1. Welcome & thank you for joining our Sunday Worship Service. Please join us for refreshment in the Fellowship Hall after the service.
2. Next Sunday, our Sunday worship service starts at 10 AM instead of 10:45 AM. There will be a Special Members' Meeting at 12PM after the Worship Service & refreshments. FEC Consistory to present the decision to transfer from Reformed Church in America (RCA) to Reformation Canada Network (RCN), 75% of members' votes is required to pass the decision. Members' attendance is highly encouraged.
3. A message to university students and young adult professionals. Leave, Cleave, and Weave with LIFE group starting next Sunday, February 26th. Please join us at 09:00AM sharp in room 219 as we dive into the topics of relationships and marriage.
4. Join UP Fellowships DIY Sticker Making event! Your bullet journals and bumper stickers won't stand a chance when you unleash your creativity and chaos on Saturday, February 25th in FEC's Fellowship hall from 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM! Please RSVP by today and be sure to reach out to upfellowship.fec@gmail.com for details and to sign up!
5. This Easter Sunday (April 9th), you have an opportunity to publicly declare your faith in Jesus Christ through baptism or public profession of faith (for those baptized as infants who are at least 12 years old). If you desire to take this step of faith, please contact our Pastors or Elders by Feb. 26th, 2023.
6. If you have been worshipping with us for at least three months and would like to transfer your membership to this church from your former church, please contact our Elders or Pastors by Feb. 26th, 2023.
7. Join us on Wednesday as we come together to pray for one another and our church, 8 PM via ZOOM. Please contact Pastor Sandy for the Link. If you have prayer requests for the prayer meeting, please email to sandy.hung333@gmail.com
8. Donation receipts will be available for pick-up next Sunday at the Fellowship Hall. Receipts that were not picked up will be mailed out after Feb. 26th if we have your address on file. Receipts without an address can be picked up from the office.

9. Randy Lam will be ordained and installed to the office of Deacon on March 5th during the English Worship Service.
10. Outreach and Missions, with the help of Sister Maritoni Macaisa of D.I., (Discipleship International) will be holding an Evangelism and Discipleship Workshop on March 3, 10 and 17 (Fridays) from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. This will be a great opportunity to be trained in presenting the Gospel in a systematic manner using Scripture verses and Bridge Illustration. You can register at the Fellowship Hall after Worship or send an e-mail to bernardjosephli@yahoo.com.
11. International China Concern has designated February's last two Sundays as Giving Sunday for a special offering. If you like to donate online, please visit chinaconcern.org or mail your check donation to ICC Canada, Unit 7B – 5707 Sidley Street, Burnaby, BC V5J 5E6. Thank you.



Welcome



LOVE EACH OTHER AS I LOVED YOU.
JOHN 15:12

ENGLISH MINISTRY

Week of: February 20– 26, 2023	
20(Mon)	
21(Tues)	
22(Wed)	Prayer Meeting – 8:00PM
23(Thurs)	
24(Fri)	Kairos(Grades 7-12) - 8:00 -10:00PM Handbell Choir @ 6:30 – 8:00PM
25(Sat)	Children's Choir 4:00-5:30PM Cherubim Choir – 6:00- 7:30 PM
26(Sun)	Sunday Worship Service@ 10:00 AM CYA Life Group Sunday School – 9AM Children/Youth Sunday School @ 10:00AM 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 09:00 崇拜	49 人
Minnan 10:45AM Service	閩語 10:45 崇拜	38 人
English 10:45AM Service	英語 10:45 崇拜	205 人
Children /youth Sunday School 10:45AM	兒童/青少年 主日學 10:45	31 人

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ORDER OF SERVICE
Sunday Worship Service
February 19th, 2023

The Celebration

Prelude (Hannah)

Your Name

Praise and Worship (Allen, Hannah, Imelda,

Great Things Mike, Naomi)

King of Kings

What a Beautiful Name

Congregational Prayer (Kenneth Tiu)

[Students Gr. 1 – 12 are dismissed for Sunday school classes]

The Calling

Scripture Reading (Mike)

1 Samuel 13:1-15

Message (Pastor Sandy Hung)

"Samuel Rebukes Saul"

The Commitment

Response Song (Allen, Hannah, Imelda,

Goodness of God Mike, Naomi)

Tithes and Offering

We Give Thee but Thine Own

Welcome & Announcements (Pastor Sandy Hung)

Doxology & Benediction (Pastor Sandy Hung)

Three-Fold Amen

Praise & Worship Team / Musicians: Allen, Hannah, Imelda

Mike, Naomi

Audio-visual /Technical Team: Mikayla, Mike, Robert

Ushers for the month: Kaye, Anabell

Scripture Verses & Notes

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"Samuel Rebukes Saul"

1 Samuel 13:1-15

1 Saul was thirty years old when he became king, and he reigned over Israel forty-two years. 2 Saul chose three thousand men from Israel; two thousand were with him at Mikdash and in the hill country of Bethel, and a thousand were with Jonathan at Gibeath in Benjamin. The rest of the men he sent back to their homes. 3 Jonathan attacked the Philistine outpost at Geba, and the Philistines heard about it. Then Saul had the trumpet blown throughout the land and said, "Let the Hebrews hear!" 4 So all Israel heard the news: "Saul has attacked the Philistine outpost, and now Israel has become obnoxious to the Philistines." And the people were summoned to join Saul at Gilgal. 5 The Philistines assembled to fight Israel, with three thousand chariots, six thousand charioteers, and soldiers as numerous as the sand on the seashore. They went up and camped at Mikdash, east of Beth Aven. 6 When the Israelites saw that their situation was critical and that their army was hard pressed, they hid in caves and thickets, among the rocks, and in pits and cisterns. 7 Some Hebrews even crossed the Jordan to the land of Gad and Gilead. Saul remained at Gilgal, and all the troops with him were quaking with fear. 8 He waited seven days, the time set by Samuel; but Samuel did not come to Gilgal, and Saul's men began to scatter. 9 So he said, "Bring me the burnt offering and the fellowship offerings." And Saul offered up the burnt offering. 10 Just as he finished making the offering, Samuel arrived, and Saul went out to greet him. 11 "What have you done?" asked Samuel. Saul replied, "When I saw that the men were scattering, and that you did not come at the set time, and that the Philistines were assembling at Mikdash, 12 I thought, 'Now the Philistines will come down against me at Gilgal, and I have not sought the Lord's favor.' So I felt compelled to offer the burnt offering." 13 "You have done a foolish thing," Samuel said. "You have not kept the command the Lord your God gave you; if you had, he would have established your kingdom over Israel for all time. 14 But now your kingdom will not endure; the Lord has sought out a man after his own heart and appointed him ruler of his people, because you have not kept the Lord's command." 15 Then Samuel left Gilgal and went up to Gibeath in Benjamin, and Saul counted the men who were with him. They numbered about six hundred.

Notes:

What the Bible says:

GOD LOVES YOU and offer a wonderful plan for your life " For God so love the world that He gave His only Son, that **whosoever believes in Him** shall not perish, but have eternal life" (John 3:16); (Jesus said) " I came that they might have life, and might have it abundantly" (John 10:10)

SIN HAS SEPARATED US from God! "For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of GOD" (Romans 3:23); "For the wages of sin is death"(Romans 6:23)

JESUS CHRIST is GOD'S Only PROVISION FOR MAN'S SIN; HE DIED IN YOUR PLACE. "But God demonstrates His own love towards us, in that while we were yet sinners, **Christ died for us**" (Romans 5:8); **HE ROSE FROM THE DEAD.** "Christ died for our sins...He was buried...He was raised on the third day, according to the Scriptures...He appeared to Peter, then to the TWELVE. After that He appeared to more than five hundred..." (1 Corinthians 15:3-6);

.JESUS is the ONLY WAY to GOD!

"Jesus said to him, ' I am the way the truth and the life; **no one** comes to the father, but through **Me**'"(John 14:6)

WE MUST INDIVIDUALLY RECEIVE JESUS CHRIST AS SAVIOR AND LORD; then we can know and experience GOD's love and plan for our lives. **WE MUST RECEIVE CHRIST** "But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, even to those who believe in His name" (John1:12)

WE RECEIVE CHRIST THROUGH FAITH "For by grace you have been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, it is the gift of God; not as a result of works, that no one should boast" (Ephesians 2:8,9) **WE RECEIVE CHRIST BY PERSONAL INVITATION** (Jesus said) "Behold, I stand at the door and knock; if anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in to him" (Revelation 3:20);

YOU CAN RECEIVE CHRIST RIGHT NOW BY FAITH THROUGH PRAYER.

The following is a suggested prayer: Lord Jesus, I need you. Thank you for dying on the cross for my sins. I open the door of my life and receive you as my Savior and Lord. Thank you for forgiving my sins and giving me eternal life. Take control of the throne of my life and make me the kind of person You want me to be" Amen

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