Announcements:

- 1. Welcome & thank you for joining our Sunday Worship Service. We would like to thank Pastor Ruth Tong for sharing God's word with us today. Please join us for refreshments in the Fellowship Hall after the service.
- 2. 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
- 3. LIFE group continues the boundaries series study at 09:00AM in room 219; Encouraging young adults to come learn more on how to set healthy boundaries. Connect via social media or email lifegroup.fec@gmail.com for any questions.
- 4. UP Fellowship is calling all post-secondary individuals to join us in Archery Tag! Catch us on Saturday April 29 from 3:30 PM to 6:00 PM. Admission is \$15 with limited spots! Reach us at upfellowship.fec@gmail.com or @upfellowship.fec on Instagram.
- 5. There will be an Infant Baptism on Mother's Day Sunday worship Service (May 14th). At least one of the parents be a member of this church is required. Please contact our Pastors or Elders.
- 6. There will be an 8-sessions Sanctuary Course that will be hosted in-person from June until mid-August 2023. The sessions dates are the following: all Sundays in June, July 16th and 30th, August 13th and 20th. It will be held at FEC during Sundays from 12:30 pm to 2:30 pm. Please RSVP by May 31st if you're interested to attend or for any questions by emailing Hannah at

fec.mentalhealth@gmail.com.

7. Cherubim Choir is accepting new members who would like to serve God through the choir ministry. Please contact Tena Chu at tenachu@hotmail.com if you're interested.

Prayer Items:

- Give thanks for God's grace and mercies to our church; pray for His continued guidance in the days ahead.
- Pray for our Church's leaders; that they will receive extra measures of God's grace and wisdom as they serve.
- Pray for FEC Pastors & Staff, that they will continue serving the Lord in obedience and humility.
- Pray for Sunday Schools (Children, youth, young adult) and small groups, leaders as well.

Fujian Evangelical Church 溫哥華基督教閩南堂 Giving Update (March 2023) 收支報告

(\$588 less restricted 有限制的專項款項 \$302)

<u>(in '000s / 千元単位)</u>	March 2023	YTD 2023
Giving / Revenues奉獻收入	\$76	\$218
(Outlays / Expenses 支出)	(49)	(186)
Surplus 剩餘 / (Deficit 虧缺)	\$27	\$32
Unrestricted Cash Balance 不受限制的現金餘額		\$ 286

Week of:	April 24 - April 30, 2023	
24(Mon)		
25(Tues)		
26(Wed)	Prayer Meeting – 8:00PM	
27(Thurs)		
28(Fri)	Kairos(Grades 7-12) - 8:00 -10:00PM	
	Handbell Choir @ 6:30 – 8:00PM	
29(Sat)	Children's Choir 4:00-5:30PM	
	Cherubim Choir – 6:00- 7:30 PM	
30(Sun)	Sunday Worship Service@ 10:45 AM	
	CYA Life Group Sunday School – 9AM	
	Children/Youth Sunday School @ 10:45AM	
	Adult Sunday School @ 12:30PM	
To Join a Small Group: Please contact		
Rebecca Lim(<u>beclim@yahoo.com</u>)		

Attendance Last Sunday 上主日出席			
Mandarin 9:00AM Service	國語 09:00 崇拜	55 人	
Minnan 10:45AM Service	閩語 10:45 崇拜	41 人	
English 10:45AM Service	英語 10:45 崇拜	145 人	
Children /youth Sunday School 9:00AM 10:45AM	兒童/青少年 主日學 9:00 10:45	4 人 41 人	

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ORDER OF SERVICE Sunday Worship Service April 23rd, 2023 The Celebration

Scripture Verses & Notes

April 23rd 2023

"Believe and Live In Christ"

John 11:25-26

25 Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life.

The one who believes in me will live, even though they die;

26 and whoever lives by believing in me will never die.

Do you believe this?"

Notes:

Prelude

How Beautiful

Praise and Worship

(Adrian, Jhan, Mikayla,

Lord I Lift Your Name on High

Rhyence, Sophie)

Great are You Lord

This I Believe (The Creed)

Congregational Prayer

(Maritoni Macaisa)

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

The Calling

Scripture Reading

(Adrian)

John 11:25-26

Message

(Pastor Ruth Tong)

"Believe and Live In Christ"

The Commitment

Response Song

(Adrian, Jhan, Mikayla

Because He Lives

Rhyence, Sophie)

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: Adrian, Jhan, Mikayla,

Rhyence, Sophie

Audio-visual /Technical Team: Ushers for the month:

Dan, Rita, Robert Andrew, Emerson

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(Jhan)

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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; <u>HE DIED IN</u>

<u>YOUR PLACE.</u> "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

<u>DEAD.</u> "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 <u>SAVIOR AND LORD</u>; 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 <u>THROUGH FAITH</u> "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 <u>PERSONAL INVITATION</u> (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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