### **Announcements:**

- 1. Welcome & thank you for joining our worship Service. Please join us for refreshment 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, please email to sandy.hung33@gmail.com
- 3. LIFE group will start a new series on End Times with Elder Dan Coquinco. Come on out on Sunday mornings at 9:00AM in room 219 to learn more.
- 4. 2023 offering donation receipts will be available for pick-up on Sunday, February 25th at the Fellowship Hall.
- 5. Calling music lovers who can read notes from ages 12 and up. FEC's handbell choir is looking for a couple of people who would like to learn how to play beautiful music with us.
- Interested parties should be committed to weekly practice on Fridays from 6:30pm - 8pm.If you can read notes and have a passion for learning with a group of people. You can contact Sharon at slim rose@hotmail.com for more details.
- 6. The FEC Consistory cordially invites you to attend the Ordination Service of Pastor Arlene Wu on Sunday,

Feb. 25, 3 pm @FEC. Please RSVP via this link, https://forms.gle/EvEgoauQCUQch5Gd9 by Sunday, Feb. 18th, so that we may plan accordingly



- 7. The Children Ministry is planning for a 5-day Vacation Bible School for kids age 5-12. It will be held on July 1-5 from 530pm-9pm. To make this event happen, we need enough volunteers to help out. If you have a burden in your heart to see our children thrive and grow in the Lord, please help us. There will be a sign up table in the Fellowship Hall today after the worship Service. It will continue up until Feb 25th. Alternately, you can also send an email to fec.ktan@gmail.com.
- 8. Sunday School is in need of teachers for the summer. If you are interested. Please contact Kate at fec.ktan@gmail.com

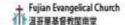
- 9. Get ready to zUP the Night Away on Saturday, Feb. 24th!! Calling out post Secondary students and Young Professionals to join UP Fellowship for an ultimate fun-filled night of 3 laser tag games at Planet Lazer (Richmond) from 6:30-8:30 pm. RSVP by today to secure your spot by emailing us
- at upfellowship.fec@gmail.com, finding us on Instagram (@upfellowship.fec), or dropping by our booth at the Fellowship Hall after the service.
- 10. Ministry Awareness- Ushers & New Life Ministry

Attendance Last Sunday 上主日出席		
Mandarin 9:00AM Service	國語 09:00 崇拜	62 人
Minnan 10:45AM Service	閩語 10:45 崇拜	31 人
English 10:45AM Service	英語 10:45 崇拜	138 人
Children /youth Sunday School 9:00AM 10:45AM	兒童/青少年 主日學 9:00 10:45	1 人 35 人

Week of:	February 19 -25, 2024
19(Mon)	
20(Tues)	
21(Wed)	Prayer Meeting – 8:00PM
22(Thurs)	
23(Fri)	Kairos(Grades 7-12) - 8:00 -10:00PM
	Handbell Choir @ 6:30 – 8:00PM
24(Sat)	Children's Choir 4:00-5:30PM
	Cherubim Choir 4:30-6:00PM
25(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	
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Rebecca Lim( beclim@yahoo.com)

FEC is looking for a half-time youth Director. Please pray for This search and if interested please see church website About Us>Careers and Job for details.







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## ORDER OF SERVICE Sunday Worship Service February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024

### **The Celebration**

<u>Prelude</u> (Hannah)

10,000 Reasons

<u>Praise and Worship</u>

Because of Your Love

(Adrian, Allen, Daphne
Hannah, Rhyence)

Lead Me to the Cross

<u>Congregational Prayer</u> (Regan Tiu)

[Passing of Peace]

<u>Children Ministry Announcement</u> (Kate Tan)

Anthem (Children's Choir)

Our Father In Heaven

The Calling

[Students Gr. 1 to 12 are dismissed for Sunday School classes]

Scripture Reading (Adrian)

1 Corinthians 12:27- 13:3

<u>Message</u> (Pastor Sandy Hung)

"Transforming Bridezilla (1):

Agape Love, The Most Excellent Gift "

The Commitment

Response Song (Adrian, Allen, Daphne,

Lord I give you my Heart Hannah, Rhyence) **Tithes and Offering** (Pastor Bernard Li)

We Give Thee but Thine Own

Welcome & Announcements (Pastor Bernard Li)

<u>Doxology & Benediction</u> (Pastor Bernard Li)

**Three-Fold Amen** 

Praise & Worship Team / Musicians: Aaron, Adrian, Alyssa,

Hannah, Sophie

Audio-visual /Technical Team: Michael, Mikayla, Robert
Ushers for the month: Emerson, Andrew

Scripture Verses & Notes

# "Transforming Bridezilla (1): Agape Love, The Most Excellent Gift " 1

February 18th, 2024

Corinthians 12:27- 13:3

12: 27 Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it. 28 And God has placed in the church first of all apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then miracles, then gifts of healing, of helping, of guidance, and of different kinds of tongues. 29 Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? 30 Do all have gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? 31 Now eagerly desire the greater gifts. And yet I will show you the most excellent way.

13:1 If I speak in the tongues of men or of angels, but do not have love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal. 2 If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have a faith that can move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. 3 If I give all I possess to the poor and give over my body to hardship that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing.

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 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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