ORDER OF SERVICE **Sunday Worship Service** April 28th, 2024

The Celebration

Prelude

(Hannah)

Praise and Worship

(Adrian, Allen, Hannah, Imelda, Matthew, Sophie)

Battle Belongs

House Of The Lord

I Could Sing of Your Love

Congregational Prayer

(Ricardo Lim)

[Passing of Peace]

The Calling

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

Scripture Reading

(Imelda)

Genesis 12:1-7; 1 Corinthians 13:4, 5

Message

(Pastor Sandy Hung)

"Selfishness is Poisonous"

The Commitment

Response Song

(Adrian, Allen, Hannah, Imelda, Matthew, Sophie)

Tithes and Offering

King of Kings

(Pastor Bernard Li)

We Give Thee but Thine Own

Welcome & Announcements

(Pastor Bernard Li)

Doxology & Benediction

(Pastor Bernard Li)

Three-Fold Amen

Praise & Worship Team / Musicians:

Adrian, Allen, Hannah, Imelda, Matthew, Sophie

Audio-visual /Technical Team:

Mikayla, Mike, Robert

Ushers for the month: Deacon on Duty:

Wilson & Jeannie Jhan Limhanchiong

Scripture Verses & Notes

April 28th, 2024

"Selfishness is Poisonous"

Genesis 12:1-7; 1 Corinthians 13:4, 5

Genesis 12:1-7

12 The Lord had said to Abram, "Go from your country, your people and your father's household to the land I will show you. 2 "I will make you into a great nation, and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing. 3 I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you." 4 So Abram went, as the Lord had told him; and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he set out from Harran. 5 He took his wife Sarai, his nephew Lot, all the possessions they had accumulated and the people they had acquired in Harran, and they set out for the land of Canaan, and they arrived there. 6 Abram traveled through the land as far as the site of the great tree of Moreh at Shechem. At that time the Canaanites were in the land. 7 The Lord appeared to Abram and said, "To your offspring I will give this land." So he built an altar there to the Lord, who had appeared to him.

1 Corinthians 13:4

4 Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud.

1 Corinthians 13:5

5 It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.

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

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

Servants of Ministry:

English Ministry Pastor: Sandy Hung (Sandy.hung333@gmail.com) Asst. Pastor: Bernard Li (bernardli12345@gmail.com)

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Announcements:

- 1. Welcome & thank you for joining our Sunday Worship Service. Please join us for refreshments in the Fellowship Hall after the service.
- 2. Next Sunday, we celebrate Holy Communion in our worship service. Let us prepare our hearts to come before the Lord's Table.
- 3. 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
- 4. Scuba VBS Registration continues today, Sign up at the fellowship hall before or after the 10:45AM service.

Event Date: July 1-5, 2024
Event Time: 5:45 PM -8:45 PM
Early Bird Registration ends April 28 (Today)
Early Bird rate/child: \$ 50
Regular Registration ends May 26
Regular rate/child: \$70
*Dinner is included for all 5 days.

Online registration is also available on www.FEC-Richmond.com. For questions, please email fec.vbs12200@gmail.com.

- 5. Are you or is someone in your family graduating this year? We would like to acknowledge them by the end of May, but need to know about it. There is a draft list posted on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall; please add the grad's name and other information. You can also email to office@fec-richmond.com to submit the grad's name, school name, and program. Thank you.
 6. New Life Ministry is holding a "Basic Christianity class" from June 2 to July 7, 12:30 to 2:00PM at Room 220. Lunch will be served. To register, please contact Alfredo Yao at yao8513@gmail.com Registration ends May 26, 2024.
- 7. If you need or would like a pastoral visitation, please contact a pastoral staff to make arrangements.
- 8. Pickle ball @ the gym is from 9:15AM to 12 Noon every Saturday. FEC members and adherents are welcome to join, No registration is needed. Just make yourself present. Please join us!

Prayer Items:

- Pray for our college/university students who are preparing for writing their final exams; may they rely on the Lord for wisdom and strength.
- Pray for the preparation of our Summer Conference and Vacation Bible School.
- Pray for pastors, consistory members & ministry leaders of English ministry.
- Pray for Sunday Schools (Children, youth, young adult) and small groups.
- Pray for those with physical and spiritual needs; may they experience the Lord's presence.

Attendance Last Sunday 上主日出席		
Chinese 9:00AM Service	中文 09:00 崇拜	52 人
Chinese 10:45AM Service	中文 10:45 崇拜	50 人
English 10:45AM Service	英語 10:45 崇拜	152人
Children Sunday School 10:45AM	兒童主日學 10:45	39 人

Week of: April 29- May 5, 2024	
29(Mon)	
30(Tues)	
1(Wed)	Prayer Meeting – 8:00PM
2(Thurs)	
3(Fri)	Kairos(Grades 7-12) - 8:00 -10:00PM
	Handbell Choir @ 6:30 – 8:00PM
4(Sat)	Children's Choir 4:00-5:30PM
	Cherubim Choir 4:30-6:00PM
5(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(beclim@yahoo.com)

FEC is looking for a half-time Youth Ministry Director.
Please pray for this search and if interested Please see the church website About Us > Careers and Jobs for details.

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