## ORDER OF SERVICE Sunday Worship Service May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2024

#### The Celebration

<u>Prelude</u> (Jhan)

O For A Thousand Tongue to Sing

<u>Praise and Worship</u> (Adrian, Allen, Alyssa, Jhan,

Your Grace is Enough Raenan, Sophie)

O Come to the Altar Amazing Love

Congregational Prayer (Willie Si)

[Passing of Peace]

Ministry Awareness – Care Ministry (Eden Tiu)

The Calling

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

Scripture Reading

(Adrian)

Mark 2:1-12

Message (Pastor Bernard Li)

"Jesus Forgives and Heals a Paralytic"

### **The Commitment**

Response Song (Adrian, Allen, Alyssa, Jhan,

Amazing Grace Raenan, Sophie)

(My Chains are Gone)

<u>Tithes and Offering</u> (Pastor Sandy Hung)

We Give Thee but Thine Own

Welcome & Announcements (Pastor Sandy Hung)

<u>Doxology & Benediction</u> (Pastor Sandy Hung)

**Three-Fold Amen** 

Praise & Worship Team / Musicians: Adrian, Allen, Alyssa, Jhan,

Raenan, Sophie

Audio-visual /Technical Team: Dan, Naomi, Robert Ushers for the month: Angeline, Mellany

Deacon on Duty: Regan Tiu

Scripture Verses & Notes

"Jesus Forgives and Heals a Paralytic"

Mark 2:1-12

1 A few days later, when Jesus again entered Capernaum, the people heard that he had come home. 2 They gathered in such large numbers that there was no room left, not even outside the door, and he preached the word to them. 3 Some men came, bringing to him a paralyzed man, carried by four of them. 4 Since they could not get him to Jesus because of the crowd, they made an opening in the roof above Jesus by digging through it and then lowered the mat the man was lying on. 5 When Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralyzed man, "Son, your sins are forgiven." 6 Now some teachers of the law were sitting there, thinking to themselves, 7 "Why does this fellow talk like that? He's blaspheming! Who can forgive sins but God alone?" 8 Immediately Jesus knew in his spirit that this was what they were thinking in their hearts, and he said to them, "Why are you thinking these things? 9 Which is easier: to say to this paralyzed man, 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say, 'Get up, take your mat and walk'? 10 But I want you to know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins." So he said to the man, 11 "I tell you, get up, take your mat and go home." 12 He got up, took his mat and walked out in full view of them all. This amazed everyone and they praised God, saying, "We have never seen anything like this!"

Notes:

What the Bible says:

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**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

# **Servants of Ministry:**

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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. Join us on Wednesdays as we come together to pray for one another and our church @ 8 PM via ZOOM. Please contact one of the pastors of the English congregation for the link. If you have prayer requests for the prayer meeting, please email to one of the pastors.
- 3. The Inductive Bible Study with Pastor Bernard is happening this afternoon, after the worship service, Room 216 at 12:30 pm.
- 4. 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.
- 5. We would like to acknowledge our graduates (secondary, post secondary graduates and post graduates whose has at least one parent/guardian/grandparent who is our member or adherent, or if the graduate is a member or adherent) by the end of May. 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. Today is the last day for submission.
- 6. On Father's day (June 16th), you have an opportunity to transfer your membership to this church from your former church. If you have been worshiping with us for at least three months and would like to do so, please contact our Elders or Pastors by today.
- 7. COMING SOON! Griefshare is a 14-week, Christ-centered grief support group. Each 90 minute session shows a video followed by small-group discussion (\$20/participant guide, Friday evenings). Invitation extended to FEC members and adherents who have lost a family member or friend and would like group support. If you have any questions, email Alfred Kwong, at kwongalf@gmail.com. Registration dates are Jun 9, 16, & 23. Need volunteers in various roles: primary facilitators, cofacilitators, hospitality, administration, publicity, audiovisual/tech person, etc. Start date Sept. 6th. Visit griefshare.org for more information.

7. FEC's 2024 Summer Conference will be on August 2-5, 2024 (BC Day Long Weekend) at Trinity Western University. Speaker: Pastor Roy Verzosa; Theme: "For Such a Time as This".

Early bird registration will be from May 19 to June 9, Adult: \$220, Children (6-11) \$110 Regular registration will be from June 10 to June 26. Adult: \$260, Children (6-11) \$150

8. Scuba VBS registration continues online via www.FEC-Richmond.com or in person through forms which are available at the tables by the Chapel foyer and FEC office. Completed forms and payment can be dropped off at FEC office. Alternatively, you can also send payment via e-transfer to feccount@gmail.com. Please designate it for VBS 2024 and name of the child. For more information, please contact fec.vbs12200@gmail.com. We encourage you to invite people outside our church to join. Flyers are also available beside the forms for you to take and give out.

Week of:	May 20 - May 26, 2024	
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 4:30-6:00PM	
26(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)	

Attendance Last Sunday 上主日出席				
Chinese 9:00AM Service	中文 09:00 崇拜	58 人		
Chinese 10:45AM Service	中文 10:45 崇拜	38 人		
English 10:45AM Service	英語 10:45 崇拜	135 人		
Children Sunday School 10:45AM	兒童主日學 10:45	43 人		

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