#### **Announcements**

- 1. Welcome & thank you for joining our Holy Communion Worship Service. We would like to thank Pastor Jun Lee for sharing God's word with us today. Please join us for refreshment in the Fellowship Hall after the worship service
- 2. We will celebrate Thanksgiving on October 12th, next Sunday. We will be receiving a Thanksgiving Offering along with the regular weekly offering. This year's allocation is as follows: 25%- Richmond Food Bank, 25%-Union Gospel, 25%-Vancouver Chinese Short Term Mission Training Center, 25%- Building Improvement. Please prepare to celebrate with a cheerful heart.
- 3. You may give your designated Thanksgiving offering throughout the month of October. We have 3 ways of receiving your offering and here's how you can designate them to our Thanksgiving campaign for the month of October
- Enclose your Cheque / Cash offering in an envelope and indicate the amount designated for Thanksgiving. Mail or drop off your offering through the mail slot or in-person during Sunday service
- Interac e-Transfer: feccount@gmail.com
  On the MESSAGE FIELD where you normally include your FEC OFFERING
  NUMBER, specify the designated amount for Thanksgiving
- Charitable Impact (using credit card): E-mail to feccount@gmail.com to specify the designated amount for Thanksgiving.
- 4. UP Fellowship would like to invite you to a "Burning Questions" session on Saturday, Oct. 11, from 6pm to 8pm!
  We'll be discussing the topic of Halloween.
  Please RSVP by today through our Instagram
  (@upfellowship.fec) or the QR code in the slide.
- 5. Hallelujah Night is coming up on Oct 31 from 6:00-9:00 pm. We are still looking for small groups or families to host game booths. If you are interested in hosting a booth or volunteering in any capacity, please stop by the Hallelujah Night Volunteer Sign Up table in the fellowship hall. Let's make this a fun and memorable evening together.
- 6. For the month of October until Hallelujah Night, we will be collecting summer / winter clothing and blankets to be donated to a local missions group in the Philippines and a homeless ministry in Richmond. Please place your donations in garbage bags and drop them off by the gym hallway.
- 7. Church Badminton Night! Date: Tuesday, October 21; Time: 6:00 PM 8:00 PM; Location: FEC Gym Come join us for a fun evening of fellowship and friendly competition on the badminton court! Whether you're a seasoned player or just want to try it out, FEC members are always welcome and will be given priority. All ages and skill levels are welcome. Let's smash some birdies and build community together!

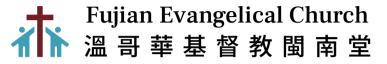
# 8. **Operation Christmas Child 2025 - 3 ways to join the mission:**

- 1. Pack your own shoebox with your family.
- 2. Donate items\* for the shoebox packing event on Nov. 9.
- 3. Donate funds to buy items for the packing event and shipping cost of \$12 per shoebox. Write OCC2025 on the offering envelope or e-transfer. Above everything else, please pray for the OCC mission the volunteers worldwide, the churches and the recipients.
- 9. We would like to thank the family of the late Myrna Sy for the \$2000 thanksgiving donation in memory of her.

	Wee	ek of: October 6 - 12, 2025	
6	(Mon)		
7	(Tue)		
8	(Wed)	Prayer Meeting : 8:00pm	
9	(Thu)		
10	(Fri)	Kairos (Grades 7-12) : 8:00PM Handbell Choir 6:30-8:00PM	
11	(Sat)	Children's Choir : 4:00-5:30PM Cherubim Choir : 4:00-5:30pm BREAK	
12	(Sun)	Sunday Worship Service : 10:45am Children/Youth Sunday School : 10:45am	
To join a small group: Please contact			

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Attendance Last Sunday			
Chinese 9:00am Service	60		
Chinese 10:45am Service	52		
English 10:45am Service	138		
Children/Youth Sunday School - Teachers/Assistants 10:45am	32 11		





## English Worship Service

**Order of Service** 

### Holy Communion Worship Service October 5th, 2025 10:45AM

[Students K to Grade 5 will start in Room 219 at 10:45am]

Prelude

How Great Thou Art

Praise and Worship

Praise Team

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Here I am to Worship Living Hope

Who You Say I Am

**Congregational Prayer** Pastor Bernard Li [Passing of Peace]

Passing of P

Elder Dan Coquinco

No Greater Love

**Anthem** Children's Choir

"I Will Clap My Hands"

OCC Video

"Why Leila Is Still Packing Shoeboxes and Serving The Lord at 98"

[Students Grade 6 – 12 dismissed to SS classes]

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Bernard Li

Scripture Reading

Adrian

John 4:5–26; 14:5–6

Message Pastor Jun Lee

"What's Going On in the World? : Religion or Redeemer" **Response Song**Praise Team

The Heart of Worship

Tithes and Offering

We Give Thee But Thine Own

**Doxology and Benediction** Pastor Bernard Li

**Three-Fold Amen** 

Praise & Worship Team / Musicians

Aaron, Adrian, Allen,

Daphne, Jhan, Rhyence

Pastor Bernard Li

Audio-Visual / Technical Team

Mikayla, Michael

Ushers for the month

Bee, Set

Deacon on Duty

Randy Lam

### **Scripture Verses & Notes**

# "What's Going On in the World? :Religion or Redeemer"

October, 5th 2025

John 4:5-26; 14:5-6

John 4:5-26

5 So he came to a town in Samaria called Sychar, near the plot of ground Jacob had given to his son Joseph. 6 Jacob's well was there, and Jesus, tired as he was from the journey, sat down by the well. It was about noon. 7 When a Samaritan woman came to draw water, Jesus said to her, "Will you give me a drink?" 8 (His disciples had gone into the town to buy food.) 9 The Samaritan woman said to him, "You are a Jew and I am a Samaritan woman. How can you ask me for a drink?" (For Jews do not associate with Samaritans.) 10 Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water." 11 "Sir," the woman said, "you have nothing to draw with and the well is deep. Where can you get this living water? 12 Are you greater than our father Jacob, who gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did also his sons and his livestock?" 13 Jesus answered, "Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again, 14 but whoever drinks the water I give them will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give them will become in them a spring of water welling up to eternal life." 15 The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water so that I won't get thirsty and have to keep coming here to draw water." 16 He told her, "Go, call your husband and come back." 17 "I have no husband," she replied. Jesus said to her, "You are right when you say you have no husband. 18 The fact is, you have had five husbands, and the man you now have is not your husband. What you have just said is quite true." 19 "Sir," the woman said, "I can see that you are a prophet. 20 Our ancestors worshiped on this mountain, but you Jews claim that the place where we must worship is in Jerusalem." 21 "Woman," Jesus replied, "believe me, a time is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. 22 You Samaritans worship what you do not know; we worship what we do know, for salvation is from the Jews. 23 Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshipers will worship the Father in the Spirit and in truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks. 24 God is spirit, and his worshipers must worship in the Spirit and in truth." 25 The woman said, "I know that Messiah" (called Christ) "is coming. When he comes, he will explain everything to us." 26 Then Jesus declared, "I, the one speaking to you—I am he."

John 14:5-6

5 Thomas said to him, "Lord, we don't know where you are going, so how can we know the way?" 6 Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

# Do you know why we should receive Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior? And how to?

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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