

Chinese Methodist Church in New Zealand Christchurch Chinese Methodist Church

30.03.2025 Week 13



Our Mission Statement

What we uphold faithfully

... Fire and the Word

What we surrender earnestly

... Loaves and the Fish

Our Vision

5 Loaves Daily devotion

Family altar

Christian fellowship

Church planting

Overseas mission

2 Fish

Tithe offering

Spiritual gifts offering

For from Him and through Him and for Him are all things.

To Him be the glory forever! Amen.

Romans 11:36

Christchurch Chinese Methodist Church

Order of Service

Silent Prayer / Prelude Worship leader

Silent Hymn Worship leader

《Be still for the presence of the Lord》

(Stand) Opening Prayer Worship leader

Singspiration Worship leader

(Stand) The Apostles' Creed Worship leader

(Stand) The Lord's Prayer Worship leader

Lent Reflection Worship leader

Blessing for the Children Preacher

Sermon Preacher

Response Song & Offering Worship leader

CCMC Family News Worship leader

Commission Song Worship leader

(Stand) Blessing / Closing Prayer Preacher

Three Folds Amen Hymn Worship leader

Postlude with Silent Prayer Musicians

Peace Be With you All

Service Roster

30.03.2025	13.04.2025 (Palm Sunday
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Preacher	Rev. John Ling	Rev. John Ling	
Worship Leader Freddie Tian		John Ngo	
Vocalists	Jerry Hsu, Jael Cheng	Joyce Chu, Jojo Ngu	
Musicians	Yi Xing Chau, Yi Shuan Chau	Phoebe Ngu,	
	TI AITIG CHau, TI SHuali Chau	Reagan Ngo, Hayley Ngo	
Powerpoint	Hedy Ooi	Hedy Ooi	
Sound Ivan Ren		Jerry Hsu	
LCEC on duty Jimmy Wong		Freddie Tian	
Ushers Soon Yi Loo		Feng Yi Soh	

Previous Service Attendance

23/03 - 63

Offerings from last week

Sunday Service (23/03/25)	\$25.00	
Online Banking	\$5411.00	325\$191, 495\$80, 546\$60, Anonymous\$10,
[20/03/25 – 26/03/25]	 \$3411.00	480\$20, 547\$20, 520\$30

Online banking for offerings:

CCMC English Ministry 02-0874-0172137-009

Please specify your **name**, **donor number**, **and offering type**.

Please direct any enquiry regarding offerings to brother Daniel Cheng (027 839 8233)

CCMC Family News

- **1 WELCOME** A warm welcome to everyone attending our English service! We're happy to have you with us today.
- **2 30**th **Anniversary Magazine** Praise the Lord! Our 30th Anniversary magazine has now been completed!It's full of inspiring personal and church testimonies. 30 years of a journey full of grace: Let's continue to follow Him, be rooted in His Word, just like the tree planted by the rivers, be fruitful and be His glorious testimony. If you haven't yet received the e copy of the magazine, or if you are a church member and would like to have a hard copy of the magazine, please contact brother Kung How (Anthony) after the service.
- **3 Daylight Saving:** New Zealand will end Daylight Saving Time this coming Sunday (April 6), adding an extra hour at 3:00 AM (changing from 3:00 AM to 2:00 AM).
- 4 Annual Bible Reading Plan & Scripture Copying 2024 For brothers and sisters who have completed
 - i. reading the entire Bible, Old Testament, or New Testament, or
 - ii. copying Psalms & Romans during the year 2024 (from 01.04.24 to 31.03.25), please inform Sister May before 13.04.25. The church will prepare certificates and small gifts as encouragement. Note: (1) The Bible Reading Record and (2) Scripture Copying plan can be obtained from the bulletin board.
- **5 Evangelism Explosion Course** Our church EE (Evangelism Explosion) course will be starting in May this year; please register with sister May Tie (Christian Education) within the next two weeks.
- 6 Youth Fellowship Camp 25/4-27/4 The CCMC Youth Fellowship will be having a camp from April 25th (Friday) to April 27th (Sunday) during the ANZAC weekend, at Glentui Lodge (140 Glentui Bush Road). We sincerely invite Tertiary Students and Working Adults to participate. The camp will be conducted in Chinese, with English translation provided. To register, please visit the following link: https://tinyurl.com/ccmyfcamp. For more information, please contact Benedict Loh (0221724314). Deadline for registration: 31 March 2025.
- 7 Japan Overseas Short-Term Mission 16/12-22/12 The Church Mission Committee will be organizing a Japan overseas short-term mission this year. Brothers and sisters who are interested in participating, please contact Brother Jimmy Wong. Ministries involved Sunday School, camps, library activities, etc.

 Mission Date : 16/12 22/12/2025 Registration Deadline : 31 March 2025.

Intercession

- 1 Group leader's training/preparation: May God watch over all pastors' and co-workers' leadershipand teaching, and use the "Be Faithful" bible study material to bless our spiritual growth.
- **2 Church Family Worship:** Pray for families to have family worship, fostering spiritual growth together.
- **3 Intercession for Political Stability:** Let's continue to pray for our leaders for our nation, guiding them to know Christ deeply and personally, and to uphold biblical truth in the governance of our country.

Deepen Your Prayer Life

As we are still in the season of Lent, this is a special time for us to draw closer to God. Very often, when we think about prayer, we treat it as an emergency phone line—our last resort when facing challenging decisions or difficult situations. However, the Bible provides us with a more holistic picture of prayer and highlights how crucial it is for Christians.

Daniel teaches us to pray in any situation and to make it a habit. "When Daniel knew that the document had been signed, he went to his house where he had windows in his upper chamber open toward Jerusalem. He got down on his knees three times a day and prayed and gave thanks before his God, as he had done previously." (Daniel 6:10)

Although he knew he was in a dire situation, he continued with his normal routine. He knelt in prayer to God three times a day, just as he always did. Why did he still choose to pray? He could have easily skipped prayer for a few days until things calmed down. Or he could have prayed secretly instead of opening his window and facing Jerusalem.

Daniel was fully aware that his enemies would use this opportunity to find fault in him and have him imprisoned. Yet, his decision and determination showed that he would not waver from what he normally did. He knew he had to put his trust in God and seek Him wholeheartedly and faithfully.

Let us learn from Daniel and make prayer a daily habit. It does not have to be three times a day, but just as we eat three meals a day to nourish our bodies, we should also feed our spiritual needs by talking to God and seeking His face.

Chinese Methodist Church in New Zealand (Annual Conference)

Bishop: Rev. Dr. Lai Liong CHAN

Area	Church	Minister	Time	Location / Contacts
Auckland	Auckland Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Dr. Lai Liong Chan Rev. Philip Wong	10:00am(C)	12 Young Road, Mt Wellington, Auckland (09) 837-2002 acmc@xtra.co.nz
	North Shore Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Frederick Tang	2:00pm(C)	67 Eban Ave, Hillcrest, Auckland (021) 2946357 fredericktina@gmail.com
	Greenlane Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Aaron Sim Rev. James Chin	10.00am(C) 10.00am(E)	193 Campbell Road, Greenlane, Auckland (09) 832-6278 <u>aaronctsim@gmail.com</u>
Hamilton	Hamilton Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Hammond Ho	2:00pm(C)	120 Masters Avenue, Silverdale, Hamilton (07) 929-4053 hamiltoncmmc@hotmail.com
namilton	Hamilton Preaching Point	Rev. Hammond Ho	9:30am(C)	4 North City Road, Hamilton (07) 929-4053 hamiltoncmmc@hotmail.com
Tauranga	Tauranga Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Ling Ai Hwong	2:00pm(C)	56 Chadwick Road, Greerton, Tauranga (07) 544-0024 eunicehwong@tcmc.org.nz
New Plymouth	New Plymouth Chinese Methodist Mission Centre	Ps. Allan Huang	2:30pm(C)	89 Liardet St, New Plymouth (022) 648-9768 npcmmc@gmail.com
Wellington	Wellington Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Simon Goh Ps. Patrick Li	10:30am(C) 10:30am(E)	4 Gordon Street, Avalon, Lower Hutt (029) 0434 5204 sgoh.wcmc@gmail.com
	Lower Hutt Methodist Mission Centre		2:00pm(C)	46-48 Boulcott St, Wellington (029) 0430 6007 ps.patrickli@gmail.com
Palmerston North	Palmerston North Preaching Point		2:00pm(C)	12 Morris St, Palmerston North (029) 0434 5204 sgoh.wcmc@gmail.com
Christchurch	Christchurch Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Dr. Adrain King Rev. Qing Ming Chen Rev. John Ling	10:00am(C) 10:00am(E)	165 Papanui Road, Merivale, Christchurch (03) 355-7728 office.ccmc.nz@gmail.com
	Christchurch Methodist Mission Center	Rev. Qing Ming Chen	4:00pm(C)	3 Brake Street, Upper Riccarton (021) 887 716 qingming0@gmail.com
Dunedin	Dunedin Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Da Huang	10:00am(C)	500 Great King St, Dunedin (021) 172-5480 huangda1983@hotmail.com
Oueenstown	Queenstown Methodist Mission	Rev. Kwang Tau Yeo	6:00pm(C)	50 Mcbride Street, Frankton, Queenstown

Pastoral Advisor: Rev. Joel SIEW

(020) 470-8136 <u>tau7038@gmail.com</u>

Remarks: (C) – Chinese (E) – English

Methodist Mission

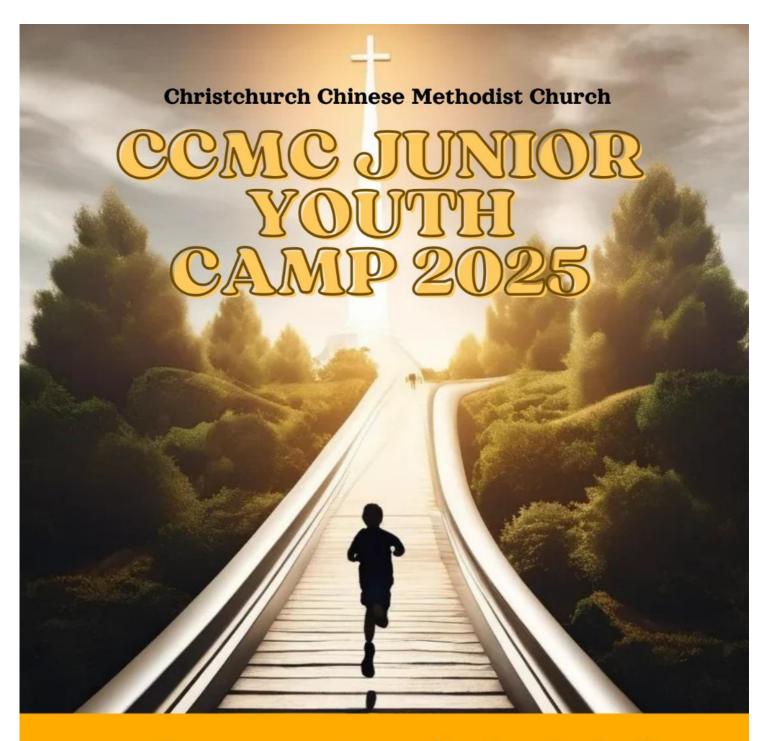
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Queenstown



6:00pm(C)

Rev. Kwang Tau Yeo



"RUN THE RACE"

Camp Speaker: Rev. Goh

Registration closes: 1st April

Contact: Jimmy Wong 02102853345

Date:

14th - 16th April 2025

Venue:

CCMC 165 Papanui Road

Registration fees: \$75



