

WORDS FROM THE PASTOR

Rev. Stephen Tong, the world-renowned evangelist and preacher, was once asked about ways to improve one's preaching. His answer was both interesting and inspiring. He recommended preaching to the children. The attention span and mental capacity of kids are limited. To preaching effectively them, one has to be lively and straight to the points. For this challenge, I treasure every opportunity interacting with children.

Our children Sunday School resumed in mid-April. Meeting time changed to Saturday afternoon. This change allows me to participate as the time conflict with the Chinese worship was no longer there. I enjoyed every meeting so far.

The children are full of energy, innocent, and direct in their responses. It is simply thrilling to see them singing praises, memorizing verses, learning Bible stories. It is particularly rewarding when you realize they do remember what you taught them months ago!

Questions the children asked bring new perspective. Two weeks ago, one asked "Where is the mom of the Prodigal son?". This is indeed an interesting question. No wonder Jesus reminded us that we have to be like children to enter the Kingdom of God!

Please pray for children of the CCBC family and the staff of our Sunday School! And, of course, you are welcome to join us Saturday at 2PM. (Related pictures are posted in "Event News")

Pastor Isaac



HAPPY & BLESSED MOTHER'S DAY
To all mothers

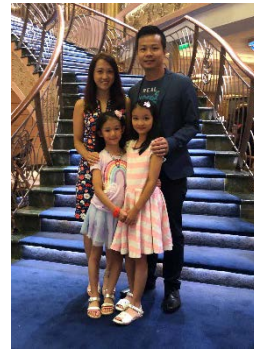
MEETINGS SCHEDULE

Chinese Worship	11AM Sunday	https://bit.ly/2y4GI7T
Chinese Bible Study	8PM Thursday	
Love Fellowship	8:30PM Friday	
Chinese Prayer Meeting	9:30PM Wed	515-604-9094 Code 631 509 396
English Worship	1PM Sunday	https://bit.ly/2Ym8BCR
English Prayer Meeting	9PM Tuesday	
English Bible Study	6PM Thursday	

Food pantry with ReThink Food: 11AM (Monday thru Friday)

Members & Event News

Brenda & David Suen moved to Bayside, Queens in May.



Children Sunday School Zoom session:



Prayer Items

- ✓ Spiritual & mental health of all medical workers
- ✓ Protection for all essential workers
- ✓ Needs of undocumented immigrants and homeless
- ✓ Steps of re-opening the city
- ✓ Comfort and strength for the Mitimingsis of Tanzania. Pastor Peter passed away suddenly last week.
- ✓ Complete recovery for those who are not feeling well.

2020 Bible Reading Plan

5/4	Luke 23 : 27-38	5/11	John 3 : 1-21
5/5	Luke 23 : 39-56	5/12	John 3 : 22-36
5/6	Luke 24 : 1-35	5/13	John 4 : 1-30
5/7	Luke 24 : 36-53	5/14	John 4 : 31-54
5/8	John 1 : 1-28	5/15	John 5 : 1-24
5/9	John 1 : 29-51	5/16	John 5 : 25-47
5/10	John 2 : 1-25	5/17	John 6 : 1-21