

# 諾定咸華人基督教會

# Nottingham Chinese Christian Church 2024 Church Theme:

## Receiving the Vision, Living out the Mission

12 <sup>th</sup> May	English Service 1pm	Chinese Service 2:45pm	
Title	A living testimony		
Scripture	1 John 5:6-13		
Speaker	Mr. Kwok Leung Cheung		

19 <sup>th</sup> May	Pentecost	
	Combined Baptismal Service 2pm	
Title	The presence of the Holy Spirit	
Scripture	Acts 2:1-21	
Speaker	Mr. Terry Koh	

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Welcome and greetings to everyone, especially to newcomers who are with us for the first time. We are happy to welcome you to our services, meeting together in person as the family of Christ.

Please visit and help yourselves to the reading materials on the bookshelves at the back of the hall. You may take home to read or to distribute to friends and families. All are FREE!

#### **Newcomers Corner**

We will resume the arrangement of the newcomers corner during combined and Chinese services. If you are new to NCCC, please meet the welcoming team, including our church ministers, on the left side of the stage (the side away from the piano) where refreshments will be served after the service.

Inter-church Badminton Tournament – Team Players Recruitment NCCC is looking for players to participate in the coming England Inter-church badminton tournament organised by the Sheffield CCC. It will be held in Leicester on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October. We need 6 men and 4 women players to form a team. Those who are keen shall contact Keith or Kenny for more details latest **by today**.

#### Transport Arrangements at WBBC

For those who have registered earlier for the "pick-up" and "ride", please arrive at St Nic's Church (next to the tomb) at 2pm on Sunday (1:15pm on the first Sunday) and wait for 10 minutes before departure. It will be on trial for another month, in May.

### **Hymn of the Month**

May's hymn is "In Christ alone"

English: <a href="https://youtu.be/hpe110ZiUik?si=yIF1rX\_sc4TV2Mg4">https://youtu.be/hpe110ZiUik?si=yIF1rX\_sc4TV2Mg4</a>
Lyrics in English & Chinese: <a href="https://cantonhymn.net/song/in-christ-type-th-">https://cantonhymn.net/song/in-christ-type-th-</a>

alone/唯獨有祢/

Chinese demo: https://youtu.be/JEB8vX-AyNs

#### **PRAYER NEEDS**

We continue to ask for the Lord's mercy upon those who are caught up in the conflicts in Gaza/Israel and in Ukraine. Please pray for the Christian communities there so that they may be able to show compassion and be good witnesses at this challenging time.

- We commit our church development plan to the Lord! Please pray for the process of transition to the CIO, the new Church Council, and the search and recruitment of additional church ministers to support/develop the English/youth and Chinese ministries.
- Please pray for our young people who are sitting various public exams in this period. May the Lord give them health and strength as they are making preparations!
- Please remember Vivian Wing Man To who will be getting baptised next Sunday. .

If you would like to post any notice or prayer items, please contact the church administrator at <a href="mailto:enquiries@nottinghamccc.org.uk">enquiries@nottinghamccc.org.uk</a> by Monday evening for inclusion in the following week's bulletin.

#### **CHURCH OFFERINGS – METHODS OF GIFTING**

In addition to making your offerings during Sunday services, for convenience, you can also use online bank transfer for the general fund, details as follows:

Sort code: 40-35-18, HSBC Account No: 31608673, Name: Nottingham Chinese Christian Church

#### GIFT OFFERINGS (as collected during Sunday services)

From Combined Communion Service (5<sup>th</sup> May) General Fund £388.50 Building Fund £270

UK tax payers can donate to NCCC using Gift Aid. The church will then be able to claim 25% of your donation from HM Revenue & Customs. This may also be counted towards the personal allowance for your income tax. Complete a form obtainable from the Treasurer for more details.

#### NCCC website, Facebook Page and YouTube channel

Please visit the website <a href="www.nottinghamccc.org.uk">www.nottinghamccc.org.uk</a> where you can access information about the church. All the latest news can be found on our Facebook page.

#### **Herald UK Newspaper**

You can view the newspaper online at www.herald-uk.org

#### **Sunday Service Schedule**

Sunday Service	Date	Time	Location	
Combined Service & Holy Communion	First Sunday of the month	2:00pm	West Bridgford Baptis	
English Service	All Sundays except first Sunday of the	1:00pm	Church, Melton Road West Bridgford,	
Chinese Service	month	2:45pm	Nottingham, NG2 7NF	

#### **Fellowship Groups**

We welcome adults to join one of these groups below for study and discussion of the applications of Scripture, prayers and some social activities. Please contact the coordinators on the list for details.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Friday	Saturday
Morning	1100-1230 Virtual [Mandarin] Rev Chau		1100-1230 [Cantonese] Fung Chi Sheung		
Afternoon		1300-1500 St Nic's Tower room [Cantonese] Wing Fong Tang			1400-1600 St Andrew's [1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturdays] [Cantonese] Simon Cheung

	2000-2130 Zoom [twice a month; flexible day] [English] Wai Yee Chan		1930-2130 Beeston Free Student fellowship [Cantonese] Yen Chow and Rev Chau	1930-2130 West Bridgford Baptist [1stand 3rd Fridays] [Cantonese] Erica Chau and Kevin Yeung	
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#### **CONTACT DETAILS**

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