

Nottingham Chinese Christian Church

2025 Church Theme:

Pursuing spiritual growth, experiencing renewal through prayer

30 th Nov	Advent Sunday Combined Baptismal Service 2pm	
Title	Dressed for the Dawn	
Scripture	Romans 13:11-14	
Speaker	Pastor Angus Chow	

7 th Dec	Church Prayer Meeting 1pm Combined Communion Service 2pm		
Title	To be chosen by speaker		
Scripture	Romans 15:4-13		
Speaker	Mr. Alistair Park		

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 as the family of Christ.

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

Advent

'Advent is a season of expectation and preparation, as the Church prepares to celebrate the coming (adventus) of Christ in his incarnation, and also

looks ahead to his final advent as judge at the end of time.' (www.churchofengland.org)

Baptismal Service

Praise the Lord! Doris Wai Chee Lam, Jannie Yue Ying Wai, Mila Ka Wai Lam, Andrew Yu Kei To and Loewe Chung Nin Lee are getting baptised today. Please pray for them as they continue to grow in their faith journey towards Christ-likeness. Please refer to the attached file for their testimonies.

Festival of Lessons and Carols – Thursday 4th December 6:45pm for 7pm – St Mary's in the Lace Market, High Pavement, Nottingham NG1 1HN All are welcome to attend the above annual event organised by the University of Nottingham Chaplaincy. It is a great opportunity to sing carols and celebrate Christmas in a traditional service inside a beautiful cathedral! No registration is required. Find out more from www.nottingham.ac.uk/chaplaincy/events, Rev Chau or Kwok Leung.

Quarterly Church Meeting – Next Sunday 7th December at 4:30pm All members are reminded to attend the above meeting which will be held after the combined service in the sanctuary.

2nd Joint Christmas Gathering by NCCC and WBBC! Saturday, 20th December, from 5 – 8 pm

Praise the Lord! We have reached capacity so registration has now closed. However, we <u>still</u> need your help in preparing food, venue set up and other duties for the event. If you are able to contribute, please contact Brenda

Hymn of Nov - Sovereign Over Us

English: https://youtu.be/Lay-r2g52SQ?si=Vv7JsJ-dd-t32Qna
Cantonese一生祢掌管帶領: (Demo used with permission)
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v="pob5Pp7Ez4

Staff Whereabouts

For your information and prayer, Pauline, our church administrator, is on annual leave returning on 12th December. For any urgent matters, please contact our church ministers or Crystal Yip, Council Secretary.

Mandarin Ministry in Nottingham – Partnership with COCM Nottingham Chinese Gospel Church, at St Mary's Church, Wollaton Hall Drive, Lenton, Nottingham NG8 1AF COCM has a church plant to support the need of Mandarin ministry in Nottingham and nearby region. They have regular Sunday service and fellowship gatherings. If you have friends, colleagues or families who are interested to attend, please invite them. For details, please visit www.nottinghamcgc.org.uk

PRAYER NEEDS



- Let us continue to pray for all people who are caught up in conflicts of all forms in all parts of the world, including those in Ukraine.
- Christmas is approaching. Let us pray for opportunities to share the good news about the birth of Jesus!
- Our thoughts and prayers are with all those affected by the large fire in Tai Po, Hong Kong on Wednesday 26th November.
- ❖ We give thanks for the Alpha Saturday on 22nd November! The last student Alpha session will happen on 3rd December. Thank you for brothers and sisters' prayerful support and helping to cook! Let us pray that the students will deepen or develop a personal relationship with God, and that they will continue their faith journey with us in the student fellowship post-Alpha.
- Yuk Wa Wu, Kwok Leung's mother, passed away last Sunday to be with the Lord. May the peace of God be felt among her family and friends! Please pray for the arrangements of her funeral service.

If you would like to post any notice or prayer items, please contact the church administrator at enquiries@nottinghamccc.org.uk 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: 15373468, Name: Nottingham Chinese Christian Church

GIFT OFFERINGS (as collected during Sunday service)
23rd Nov 2025
General Fund £334

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. Please complete a form obtainable from the Treasurer or on https://forms.gle/8vxY2LDfuoAfPJ7w7

NCCC website, Facebook Page and YouTube channel

Please visit the website www.nottinghamccc.org.uk 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 Baptist
English Service	All Sundays except first	1:00pm	Church, Melton Road, West Bridgford, Nottingham, NG2 7NF
Chinese Service	Sunday of the month	2:45pm	

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			[Enoch Fellowship] 1100-1230 [Cantonese] Fung Chi Sheung		

Afternoon		[Joy Fellowship] 1300-1500 St Nic's Tower room [Cantonese] Wing Fong Tang			[Saturday Fellowship] 1400-1600 St Andrew's [1 st and 3 rd Saturdays] [Cantonese] Kennes Ng
Evening	[English Fellowship] 2000-2130 Zoom [meets online every other Monday] [English] Wai Yee Chan Angus Chow Maggie Woo		[Student Fellowship] 1930-2130 Beeston Free Student fellowship [Cantonese/ English] Rev Chau Angus Chow Maggie Woo	[GraceNotts Fellowship] 1930-2130 West Bridgford Baptist [1stand 3rd Fridays] [Cantonese] Erica Chau Kevin Yeung	

CONTACT DETAILS

Church Ministers: Rev. Fred Kin Fai Chau and Mr Angus Hoi Tsing Chow

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