

Peace Evangelical Church

Feb 27, 2022

Today's Communion Service

Chairperson David Jones

Duty Deacon Jeason Chan

Today's Service

Speaker Nate Bramsen

Chairperson Worship Team

Pianist Valerie Leung

Usher John Lim

March 6, 2022

Next Sunday's Communion Service

Chairperson David Jones

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Speaker Austin Milne

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Don't Let the Pressure Win

"I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world." - John 16:33

The famous 19th century missionary to China, Hudson Taylor, once shared some powerful words that apply well to the situation we're facing in our world today...

"It doesn't matter how great the pressure is. What really matters is where the pressure lies, whether it comes between me and God or whether it presses me nearer His heart."

A few minutes watching the news is enough to tell you that this world is a pressure cooker – and it seems about to burst. But the question to ask yourself today is this: How are you responding to the pressure. Is it pushing you from God or nearer to His heart?

Nothing in all of history has ever caught God off guard. From the dawn of creation to the fall of Rome and everything since, God has been and will forever be king over all.

So while the whole world is losing their heads in a panic, you can keep yours – knowing that Christ has overcome. And in His name, you can be a lighthouse of hope for a dark and stormy world!

Prayer Challenge:

Pray that God will draw you nearer to His heart and fill you with confidence in these difficult days.

Questions for Thought:

With all the fear and anxiety in our culture today, how can you be a voice of strength and hope?

How could you shine the light of the Gospel in a dark world?

Church News

1. Please note that the church has commissioned a cleaning company to fully sanitize all classrooms, washrooms, the main sanctuary, fellowship hall, hallways and offices etc. on each Saturday pending further review.
2. Today is the English Ministry's Winter Conference Sunday to be conducted online. The speaker is Brother Nate Bramson and the topic is "Lessons in the Desert". In lieu of Sunday School, a Q&A will be held via Zoom during that period.
3. The church thanks Brother Nate Bramson for leading our 5-day English Winter Conference. May the Lord remember his labour in service and permit him to be the blessing for many. May brothers and sisters find their spirits revived and renewed through the messages and submit themselves in service to the Lord. May God be glorified during these meetings and bestow His grace to all. And may we all grow in the Lord's grace, live sanctified lives, take root in the Holy Word, preach the Gospel of Peace, and bear witness in unified love.
4. The church has designated March to be the fellowship month. All members are encouraged to seek out at least one other brother or sister each week to share in prayer and concern. Through concerted intercession in the Lord, may spirits be lifted and built up in concordance.
5. March has also been assigned as our month of prayers. Brothers and sisters are requested to take note of the prayer items provided by the church, intercede daily together with thanks, keep watch for the church and maintain vigilance through our prayers.
6. Our co-worker Sister Connie Pan will be taking her leave from Mar 1 to 5. May God keep her safe and afford her the joy of intimate connection with the Lord.
7. The Memorial Service for Brother Edmond Wu of Daniel Fellowship will be held at 4:00 PM this Saturday, March 5 in the church. Brothers and sisters may attend in person to give solace to his family members. The service will also be conducted online with a link on our website to facilitate attendance for all. Please remember these arrangements in your prayers.
8. Below is last week's offering records, a tax receipt will be issued on or before the end of February of next year.

Envelope#	Amount	Envelope#	Amount	Envelope#	Amount	Offering Items	Amount
112060	400.00	113716	500.00	CAedQXsd	700.00	General	3,687.00
113079	100.00	113733	500.00	CAJBaVuM	180.00	Mission Fund	450.00
113202	300.00	113734	200.00	CAP4CTcY	200.00		
113581	30.00	113750	50.00	CAqpvUc8	77.00		
113696	100.00	CAbCmyhb	800.00				
Total Amount					4,137.00		4,137.00

Prayer Items

1. Please pray for the direction of the English Ministry for this year. The Theme is "United in Christ; Alive in Christ". May brothers and sisters earnestly remember and adhere to the teachings of the Bible and be willing to faithfully follow the Lord to the end; to seek first His Kingdom and His Glory, cherish their remaining days on earth, and boldly bear witness for the Lord so that all glory will return to Him.
2. Please continue to intercede in prayer for those members, by name, who are weak in flesh or spirit. May God heal and give strength to them.
3. Thank God for guiding us through our English Winter Conference. His abundant grace and providence is reflected in the teaching of the messages and the insight of the attendees. We pray for our commitment: May God give strength for us to follow in His path, live vigilant lives, serve Him with fervor and perseverance, treat others with kindness, have determination and steadfastness to fulfill our dedication to Him, and live victorious and unyielding lives for the Lord.
4. Please pray for the growth of the English Congregation, may God bless and use the congregation to bring glory back to God. Also pray that they can experience God's almighty power and live out the abundant life of Christ. May the next generation of this church have the burden of spreading the gospel, to care for the spirit of others and have a passion to witness for the Lord.
5. Please remember the development of various fellowships of our church. We hope that everyone can live out a caring and loving life, be willing to learn to serve Him, grow spiritually and spread the gospel of God.
6. Please pray for the situation in Ukraine. May God have mercy on the people there. Pray that the rulers in power will have the welfare of the inhabitants in mind, and may believers hold firm to the way of the Lord and experience His faithfulness.

PEACE EVANGELICAL CHURCH CALENDAR OF PRAYER IN MARCH 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Pray that God will help us to get used to the pandemic · that the brethren will gather in God's presence seriously and solemnly, in person or on line.	2 Pray for Caleb fellowship.	3 Pray for Paul fellowship.	4 Pray for Isaac fellowship.	5 Pray that God will keep the churches and workers in HK, believing in the great power and care of God, depend on Him when facing all difficulties during the eruption of Omicron cases.
6 Pray that God will help us to fear Him in the tribulation, so that we can be alert in prayer, living in the light and examination of the Holy Spirit.	7 Pray for the churches and believers in Ukraine, that amidst war and disaster, they can witness the Gospel and help the neighbours with love and patience.	8 Pray for Daniel fellowship.	9 Pray for Silas fellowship.	10 Pray for Elisha fellowship.	11 Pray for spiritual wisdom, that in all things and difficulties we might come to know God's will and plan.	12 Pray for the churches and saints in HK, that God will be with them amidst the pandemic and political difficulties.
13 Pray for the churches and saints in China, that be alert and continue to preach faithfully amidst the changing of laws and blockade.	14 Pray for the churches and saints in sufferings in the disasters all over the world. Let us keep our lamps bright, know that the Judge stand before the door.	15 Pray for the nation of Israel and the Jews scattered at different places, that God's grace will be upon their wisemen to witness for the Messiah.	16 Pray for Titus fellowship.	17 Pray for Joshua fellowship.	18 Pray for David fellowship.	19 Many Christians and family are infected with Covid, pray that they will depend on God, and have Peace from above.
20 Pray that the Lord will keep the lamp stand of our church, that we won't drift away from the presence of the Lord because of all the troubles within and outside.	21 Pray that God will exhort us in striving to keep the 'one' in Christ, and to accept our own losses as true moderation.	22 Pray for all children fellowships.	23 Pray for all of our church's and family bible study groups.	24 Pray for the Summer conference, that we might finally have it in person.	25 Pray for all co-workers, elders, and deacons.	26 Pray that God will keep the elderly and the sick among the churches in HK.
27 Pray that God will keep the churches in HK and China, that they might be armed with a desire to suffer for Christ.	28 Pray that the Canadian Federal, provincial, and local governments and leaders, that they will fear God and know that the judgement is coming for sure, and to turn them from their wicked ways by punishment.	29 Pray that we will prepare for the difficulties ahead, and get ready to give an account to the Master.	30 Pray for the unbelieving friends and families.	31 Pray that the saint will depend on the Lord, that amidst the difficulties they may serve earnestly with a strong heart, revealing the Glory of God.		