

Peace Evangelical Church

June 5, 2022

Today's Communion Service

Chairperson Jeason Chan

Duty Deacon Phyllis Tso

Today's Service

Speaker Austin Milne

Chairperson Grace Sun

Pianist Boaz Hung

Usher John Lim

June 12, 2022

Next Sunday's Communion Service

Chairperson Jimmy Chow

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God's Perfect Timing

Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. - Galatians 6:9

The famous evangelist, George Muller, one day decided he would pray diligently for five of his friends to receive the Lord. So he began. Day after day, he would pray for these five men by name. And after many months, one of them trusted Jesus. Ten years later, two others came to faith.

It took 25 years before the fourth man was saved. And on the issue of his fifth friend, Muller prayed diligently for 52 years for him to receive Christ. After Muller's death, his faith was rewarded when his friend was saved soon after his funeral!

Oftentimes, the answers to our prayers come not on our timetable, but on God's. However, God is the all-knowing and all-powerful Creator of the universe. That means there's nothing more perfect than His timing!

Maybe you've been praying and praying, waiting for a breakthrough to come. If so, just remember God's timing is perfect. He's never late and never early. Trust in God's perfect timing for every single blessing and find contentment in His plan for you and those you love!

Prayer Challenge

Pick a person you know who doesn't know Jesus and commit to pray for him or her beginning today!

Questions for Thought

Why do you think God's timetable and ours are different? What is He teaching us?

Who are a few people you can commit to pray for today to believe in Jesus as their Savior?

Hi Everyone,

1. **Masks** - As many know starting on March 11th, our province's public health order no longer requires wearing masks in public indoor settings. However, in consideration of others among us, our church will continue to recommend and encourage everyone attending our church services and fellowships to wear a mask while inside the building, until further notice.

The provincial health order also allows 100% attendance regardless of your personal vaccine status. Our church to provide very safe and considerate health practices surrounding Covid-19.

2. **Sunday Meetings** - Until Sunday, May 29, 2022 we will continue to provide the zoom option for our communion service beginning at 9 a.m and our Sunday School beginning at 11:30 a.m. We also will continue to livestream our Sunday morning sermons at 10 a.m.

Beginning on June 5, 2022 we will return to our pre-pandemic format. The Sunday sermon will be recorded and the Sunday sermon will be uploaded to the website following the service. These plans are to coincide with our Chinese congregations who are using the same timeline. With these changes in mind, we do encourage all to begin attending the Sunday services in person. We have found that it is truly a blessing to all who attend.

3. **Fellowships** - All Cantonese, Mandarin and English church fellowships will begin to meet in person by June 3, 2022 but we leave it up to the individual fellowships to make their own decisions if they would like to begin meeting before this date as some have already started.

4. **Prayer Meeting** - For practical convenience we have decided that our weekly prayer meeting will remain unchanged and continue on zoom at 8 p.m. on Tuesday nights.

For further questions please contact the English Ministry Elders, Deacons or Pastor Dave.

Church News

- 1.The June Elders and Deacons Meeting will be held on the 12th (Next Sunday) at 2:30 pm in room 202. Will all concerned please take note and attend punctually.
- 2.The church will host a Mandarin Gospel Meeting on June 17 with Brother Dixon IP as the speaker. The title is "Your Joy Will Be Satisfied". Please strive to invite unbelieving friends and family to attend.
- 3.Our church's evangelical outreach program in Richmond's public parks will be reinstated by the Missionary Dept from June 2 to August 27 on every Thursday and Saturday from 7:00 to 8:30 PM. All participants will first assemble at the church before heading out. Pray that there will be ample opportunity to share the Gospel with others and lead them to Christ. Brothers and sisters who are certain of their own salvation and have the calling for Gospel preaching are encouraged to attend. Please contact Brother Arthur Wang or Sister Pan with any questions.
- 4.The church will conduct a church-wide event on July 9 called "Striding Along Religion Street, Clamshell Lane". Functions will include morning exercises, identifying every religious institution passed on the way through the Bible and praying for each one, strolling leisurely while enjoying God's creation, and listening to some tidbits regarding the essence of that nature created by Him. Brothers and sisters can register for this event through your fellowship leader or Brother Marco. Participants will assemble in church at 9:30 AM on that day. It is anticipated to end at 12 noon. Please bring your own sun-block and drinking water.
- 5.Our church encourages brothers and sisters to actively attend our weekly prayer meetings. We can maintain vigilance per our supplications, learn to serve God through our prayers, and be alert to Satan's destruction and assault, thereby lifting high the victorious testimony of Christ. If however you truly cannot attend a prayer meeting, please pray and intercede together with your family members at home.
- 6.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
113765	20.00	113836	200.00	CAHTadqn	500.00	General	7,890.00
113789	100.00	CAAxvAKu	200.00	CAjD6kk2	250.00	Mission Fund	299.00
113806	200.00	CAdVpktj	320.00	CAMEHDK3	100.00		
113835	5,000.00	CAFzk36K	1,299.00				
Total Amount					8,189.00		8,189.00

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. Please keep in mind the Mandarin Gospel meeting to be held on June 17 and pray for the speaker and all preparatory work.
4. Please keep in mind the restarting of our Public Park outreach program from June to August. Pray that the Lord will bless and utilize all of our preparatory works so that the Gospel may be preached widely and many will come to Christ.
5. May the Lord motivate us to take root in His Word at all times, learn to look up to God alone, rely on Him to overcome any storms in life, and stand firm in the Lord to learn deeper spiritual lessons; to accept the admonitions of the cross, and to live a heavenly life commensurate with the Son of God. May He permit us to recognize our innermost attitude towards Him and thereby always retain a fearful and loving heart for the Lord under all circumstances.
6. Thank God! The current COVID pandemic has gradually stabilized in Vancouver. May the Lord further allow people to humbly acknowledge their own limitations and return to Jesus Christ.