2016: SERVE GOD WHOLEHEARTEDLY

Theme: Make Disciples in All Nations
(1 Peter 4:10, Matthew 28:19-20)

SUNDAY ENGLISH SERVICE ROSTER

	Today	Next week
Speaker	Aaron Goh	Max Wong
Chairperson	Jennifer Chu	Colin Chen
Praise and Worship	Youth Fellowship	Amy Chen
Pianist	Youth Fellowship	Vicky Liu
Ushers / Offering	Youth Fellowship	Vicky Liu
Audio / Projector	Raymond Tsang	Raymond Tsang
Newsletter	Kai Chang	Robin Zhang

WEEKLY SMALL GROUP

Day & Time	Groups	Key Contact
Sat 9:00AM	Church Prayer Meeting	Dan Kao
Sat 4:00PM	Koinonia Group	Colin Chen
Sun 1:30PM	Youth Group	Daniel Yang

STATISTICS

Last Week	Mandarin Service	English Service
Attendees	164	30
Offering	$4,835.15	$156.00
Total Offerings (all sources)	$4,991.15	

If you would like to offer by way of electronic fund transfer, the church account details are as follows:
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ORDER OF SERVICE

14th August 2016 10:30am

Prelude	----------	Congregation
Pastoral Prayer	----------	Aaron Goh
Welcome and Notices	----------	Chairperson
Offering	----------	Congregation
Worship in Songs	----------	Congregation
Bible Reading	Mark 9: 33-50	Chairperson
Message	Fighting Sin Jesus' Way	Aaron Goh
Response Song	10000 reasons	Congregation
Benediction	----------	Aaron Goh
Postlude	----------	Congregation

SERMON OUTLINE

Sermon Title: Fighting Sin Jesus' Way

Introduction

Don't cause others to sin (v42)

Do everything you can to fight sin (v43-48)

Holiness is the goal (v49-50)

Conclusion

NOTICES

- A big welcome to our newcomers for joining our service this morning. Please stay with us for lunch after the service; we would like to get to know you more!
- Sunday Activities: Sunday school talking about book of Ezekiel starts from 9:15am at church upstairs. Choir practices start at 1pm in church main hall.
- Co-workers training: Training will be provided to co-workers on 20 Aug (Sat) 2-4pm. We encourage all co-workers who are currently involved in Praise & Worship, Moderating, Pianist, PA, and anyone who is compelled to serve at church to come along so that we can be well prepared to serve in God's work.
- The fellowship of Joy: group event is to be held on 12:30 – 15:00pm, August 24th. Venue: church upstairs, Chairman: Elder Dong, Preaching: Paster Chen, Host: Sister Gong. Topic: Thought sharing and deeper understanding.
- Poetry testimony: poetry testimony share meeting is on August 28th. Brothers and sisters please invite friends to join the event. It's a great opportunity for catechumen to get to know God more and receive His blessing.
- Father's day is on 6 September (Sunday). Church has prepared gifts for every father to wish them a happy Father's day. There will be potluck lunch after the service. Please bring a dish or two to share.
- Theological course: Logos Evangelical Seminary Sydney will be holding a series of theological courses at our church on 26/09 – 30/09 (Mon to Fri). The speaker is Principal Chen. Please keep the speaker and the students in your prayers. Course schedule per below: Pauline Epistles 26/09 - 30/09 (Mon - Fri) 9:20am-3:00pm, 30mins Lunch; Growth of Church 24/09 - 25/09 (Sat & Sun), Sat 1:30-6:50pm, Sun 2:00-7:20pm OR 26/09 - 30/09 (Mon - Fri) 6:40-9:50pm. Please speak to Deacon Wu if you'd like to enrol.
- EFC Australian regional meeting: The regional meeting of EFC churches in Australia of 2016 will be held at our new church building from 1 Oct 3pm to 3 Oct 4pm. Deacons please save the dates to attend the meeting and enrol with Betty.

PRAYER POINTS

National/International

- Pray for South Asia that is being ravaged by severe floods, including countries such as Nepal, India and Pakistan. Many villages have been flooded, hundreds of people lost their lives and thousands have become homeless. Pray that God will calm the floods and let the rebuild process start swiftly and successfully. Pray that more Christians will rise up to provide assistance to the villagers who have been impacted by the floods and spread the Gospel in these areas.
- Prayer for Nations

Nation: Norway
Location: the western portion of the Scandinavian Peninsula
Population: 5,214,900
Capital: Oslo
Ethnicity: Norwegians, Sami, Jews, Forest Finns, Romani, Kvens
Languages: Norwegian
Christian: 89.9%
Pray for

- a movement of the Holy Spirit among the 86% of the population who are church members but do not attend worship
- vibrant churches to be planted in Oslo among Muslim and Asian immigrants
- spiritual awakening among increasingly secular high school and college students

Church Body

- Pray for God to heal Susan Tsao, who is having an operation on August 12th. Continue to pray for the recovery of our brothers and sisters who are recovering from illness.
- Pray for Lily Chang's pregnancy.
- Pray for HSC students: Jack Hsu, Andy Lu.
- New church building: we are close to finalize the renovation and refurbishing of church building. Per deacons' plan, worship service is going to take place at 10:30am on Oct 2nd (Sunday). Brothers and sisters please invite friends to join us, particularly those who attended our church service, from overseas or local.

Bible Reading Plan
Week 33: Ezekiel 1-24