

IN THE LORD'S SERVICE – THANK YOU

	This Week	Next Week
Worship Leader	Tony Wai	Robert O
Music Leader	Genaetta	Anthony Y
Bible Reader	Joanna W	Janet
Ushers	Michelle W, Matthew	Jessica, Nathan
Techno	Celia, Robert	Harvey, Anthony K
Cup of Tea	Theresa, Stuart, Jean	Jenny, Cindy, Janet
Dishes		

HOME GROUPS

	Leader	Meeting time	Location
CANTONESE GROUP	Albert Ko	Saturday fortnightly @ 4pm	@ Alex Wong Toi's Contact Albert Ko 021 753 912
CANTONESE ALBANY GROUP	Peter Zen	1 st & 3 rd Friday @ 8pm	@ Peter Zen's 021 280 8663
GREENLANE GROUP	Glenda Choy	Thursday fortnightly @ 8pm	@ Glenda Choy's 021 148 7956
ISAAC GROUP	Lydia Lam	Friday weekly @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 105 Vincent Street, City
LADIES' HOME GROUP	Glenda Choy	Wednesday fortnightly @ 10.30am	@ Glenda Choy's 524 9391
MEADOWBANK GROUP	Tony Wai	Wednesday (3 weekly) @ 7pm	Contact Tony Wai
NEWMARKET GROUP	Robert O'Callahan	Wednesday fortnightly @ 6:30pm	@ Robert O'Callahan's office - Level 7 5 Short St Newmarket 021 783 289
REMUERA GROUP	Ken Cheung	2 nd and 4 th Saturday @ 10am	@ Quin Gee's Contact Ken 021 431607
TERTIARY GROUP	Genaetta Shew	Wednesday weekly @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 105 Vincent Street City
WEST AUCKLAND GROUP	Betty Ling	2 nd and 4 th Saturday @ 5pm	@ Betty & Kuan's Contact Robert W Ph 525 0220

AUCKLAND CHINESE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

105 Vincent Street, Auckland City



ENGLISH MINISTRY SERVICE

27th May 2012

Speaker: Pastor Mark Maney
Theme: Not a Fan
Bible Reading: Matthew 7:21-23



*We extend a very warm welcome to everyone to this morning's service.
You are invited to stay for morning tea after the service.*



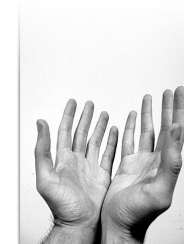
POT LUCK BBQ & GAMES EVENING TONIGHT

Come along to the potluck BBQ and games evening from 5.45pm – 9pm tonight. Bring your strategy or board game. The food is always delicious – the company always congenial... a great time of fellowship for young and old. Everyone is welcome - bring your family and friends.

PRAYERS

The Lord hears the prayers of the righteous.
Proverbs 15:29

- ✚ Pastor Mark and family and Mark's ministry at ACPC
- ✚ An ordained minister for the Cantonese Ministry
- ✚ Healing and peace for Harry Fong and a good result for his hernia operation next week
- ✚ Rhema Broadcasting programming – for access to relevant God-filled material for their radio and TV networks



ST DAVID'S FOODBANK NEXT SUNDAY

Our next collection for the St David's Foodbank is next Sunday, 3rd June. All donations are gratefully received. However the greatest needs are cereal, rice and dry pasta. Thank you for your assistance.



THE PAPERBAG CLUB

It's what's inside that counts



The Paperbag Club will meet on Saturday, week, 9th June (a week later than normal) from 4 – 5.30pm. Be mystified by some magic tricks by Brendon Fraser who will also teach us a card trick. Bring a pack of cards as well as a friend or two - and enjoy the games and the magic.

CHURCH HALL DOORS

If you are one of the last to leave the church premises either on Sunday afternoon or midweek, please give the glass doors in the hall a good push even if they look closed – and even if you have not opened the doors at all. Looks can be deceptive. The end door closest to the kitchen, was found to be not closed last Monday afternoon. Thanks for your help.

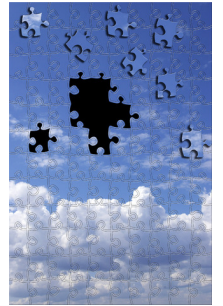


SERMON NOTES

HOW GOD REVEALS HIS WILL TO US

"Did not our heart burn within us" - Luke 24:32 NKJV

Look at the two disciples on the road to Emmaus, and you'll discover how God speaks to us and gives us direction. They thought they'd seen the death of Jesus and His movement. Fearful and disillusioned, they packed their bags and headed for home, when suddenly Jesus appeared to them.



How does the Lord reveal His will to us? The simplicity of the process may surprise you.

First, through others. The travellers' first mistake was to disregard the words of their fellow disciples.'... Today some women among us amazed us. Early this morning they went to the tomb, but they did not find his body there. They came and told us... Jesus was alive!' (Luke 24:22-23 NCV). God still works that way. He still speaks to us through others. That's why you need to attend church regularly and build relationships that strengthen you.



Second, through Scripture. '... Starting with what Moses and all the prophets had said about him, Jesus began to explain everything that had been written about himself in the Scriptures' (v. 27 NCV). Their second mistake was disregarding the Word of God and listening to their fears. Are you doing that? God still speaks through His Word;

the answers you need are in your Bible.

Third, through our heart's desire. 'They said to each other, "It felt like a fire burning in us when Jesus talked to us."... 'God reveals His will to us by giving us a burning desire. What fuels and focuses you? Singles? The inner city? Untouched nations? Forgotten orphans? Whatever it is – heed the fire within you!

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