IN THE LORD'S SERVICE - THANK YOU

	This Week	Next Week
Worship Leader	Stephen	Robert W
Music Leader	Rea	James, Peter
Bible Reader	Janet	George
Ushers	Samuel, Tiffany, Shirley	Brendon, Lidia, Ginny
Techno	Harvey, Robert	Celia, Robert
Cup of Tea	Benson, Allister, Robert	Joanna C, Janet, Jean
Dishes		

HOME GROUPS

	Leader	Meeting time	Location
CANTONESE GROUP	Albert Ko	Saturday weekly @ 4pm	@ Albert & Emily Ko's 021 753 912
CANTONESE ALBANY GROUP	Peter Zen	1 st & 3 rd Friday @ 8pm	@ Peter Zen's 021 280 8663
COLLEGE & CAREERS GROUP	Mark Maney	Wednesday weekly @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 105 Vincent Street City
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' GROUP	Glenda Choy	Wednesday fortnightly @ 10.30am	@ Glenda Choy's 524 9391
NEWMARKET GROUP	Robert O'Callahan	Thursday weekly @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 105 Vincent Street City 021 783 289
REMUERA GROUP	Ken Cheung	2 nd and 4 th Saturday @ 10am	@ Quin Gee's Contact Ken 021 431607
YOUNG FAMILIES' GROUP	Mark Maney	Saturday monthly @ 2pm	Contact Mark 021 309 544

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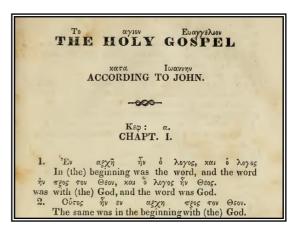
105 Vincent Street, Auckland City

ENGLISH MINISTRY SERVICE

22nd September 2013

Speaker: Pastor Mark Maney Sermon Title: The Logos Sermon Passage: John 1:1-5





We welcome all visitors to our service today. Please stay for a cup of tea and fellowship.

PRAYERS

- Thanks and praise to God for His provision of Micah and Mark to ministry at ACPC.
- Thanks and praise to God for so many dedicated and faithful congregation members at ACPC
- Joy for congregation members in ministry and serving God through His church and in our lives
- Boldness, confidence and support for congregation members to invite our family and friends into our church fellowship
- PRAYER OF A
 RIGHTEOUS MAN
 IS POWERFUL
 & EFFECTIVE.

 JAMES 5:16
- Renewed enthusiasm and commitment for those who previously attended and have not been able to attend recently
- All those who are unwell and laid low through illness
- Ricky and family in the loss of Ricky's mother this week



OUR LOVE & CONDOLENCES TO THE YAP FAMILY

We extend our love and support to Ricky and family in the passing of Ricky's mother this week. Please remember them in your prayers.

MONTHLY POT LUCK, GAMES AND FELLOWSHIP EVENING



Next Sunday, 29th September 2013 from 6 to 9pm Bring a plate: mains or dessert... and come and join in the warm fellowship.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

The Parish Council meets this Thursday at 7.30pm at church for the first meeting for the 2013/2014 year. Please pray for direction for the Parish Council as we continue to plan and serve as one church.

PARKING IN FRONT OF THE CHURCH



Please note that parking in front of the church against the church building is primarily for Rev Tang and Pastor Mark at all times: i.e. weekdays and weekends, as they come in and out of the building at different times of the day.

However if there is space and you need to come into the church to carry out specifically church related work: e.g. music practice, Bible study, church meeting, please display your yellow parking card when you park there. Thanks.

	SERMON NOTES
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FOUR KINDS OF GIVERS (1)

'...he...earns wages to put into a bag with holes.' Haggai 1:6

There are four kinds of givers noted in the Bible. For the next few weeks let's look at each.

Bag people. In the days of Haggai the prophet, the Israelites were so busy making money that they had no time for God. Sound familiar? So he said to them: "Is it time for you yourselves to dwell in your panelled



houses, and this temple to lie in ruins?"..."Consider your ways! You have sown much, and bring in little...and he who earns wages, earns wages to put into a bag with holes"..."You looked for much, but indeed it came to little; and when you brought it home, I blew it away. Why?" says the Lord of Hosts. "Because of My house that is in ruins, while every one of you runs to his own house" (Haggai 1:4-9 NKJV).

If you want God to be interested in your house, be interested in His house. If you want God to bless your house, begin to bless His house. If you want God to provide for your house, start providing for His house.

You say, 'How much should I give?' God sets the baseline at one-tenth of your income (Leviticus 27:32).

Whatever you give beyond that will be determined by three things:

- a) Your ability. 'Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the Lord your God which He has given you' (Deuteronomy 16:17 NKJV).
- b) Your desire to reap. God will '...multiply the seed that you have sown...' (2 Corinthians 9:10 NKJV).
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- c) Your love. '..."You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind" (Matthew 22:37 NKJV).

From Word for Today by Bob Gass

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SPANZ

The Spring 2013 Issue of the official PCANZ magazine, SPANZ, is available today. It was good to see so many copies taken last quarter. Be quick – don't miss out!!!