

## 12/17/2017 English Announcement

1. \*We welcome everyone at this Church Gathering, especially those that are new. We pray that you will experience the hope, faith & love of Jesus Christ.
2. \***Communication Cards** can be dropped in the offering bag or in the back corner of the MPR on the way out in the silver box.
3. \*Join equipping class “Sunday School” by responding on the communication card .
4. \*Use social media for God’s Glory [www.raleighccc.org/english](http://www.raleighccc.org/english); [facebook@raleighccc](mailto:facebook@raleighccc). Check out the website and “like” facebook.
5. \***Audio & Visual:** There is an URGENT need for tech-servants to be part of a rotation with AV and help with simple LED lighting set-up that takes 5 minutes. Thomas ([thomas.k.pham@gmail.com](mailto:thomas.k.pham@gmail.com)) can provide training, please let Thomas Pham know ASAP if you are willing.
6. **FPO (Faith Pledge Offering)** is dedicated to the support of Global Missionaries. Praise the Lord, FPO offering received up to date(12/12) is 63,289 which is enough for supporting 20 Missionaries per our 2017 FPO budget of \$59,530.
7. **Christmas Love Offering to Pastoral Staff** This is the season to show our appreciation to our pastoral staff. If you wish to show your appreciation you may contribute to a pool of collections that will be distributed to the staff (Pastor Tran, Pastor Lin, Pastor Gary, Pastor Jerry and Minister Liang ) to include Pastor Liang and brother Andrew Liau. You may contribute to (1) an undesignated pool that will be distributed proportionately to the staff and/or (2) give to a specific staff member by designating your gift to that person. GIFTS ARE NON-TAX DEDUCTIBLE PER IRS REGULATIONS. The last Sunday that you can contribute is **Today**. The gifts will be presented on next Sunday, December 24, 2017. Please contribute to the love offering by writing a separate check from your regular tithes and offering. Write on the memo line of the check “Christmas offering” or “Christmas offering for (name of staff)” and the amount if more than one person. Thank you for remembering the staff during this holiday season. In addition to your generosity, the church will be providing a gift as well.
8. If you want to be on our church distribution list, please send your email address to our church secretary([secretary.rccc9266@gmail.com](mailto:secretary.rccc9266@gmail.com)) or Showen Yeh ([showenyeh@gmail.com](mailto:showenyeh@gmail.com)).
9. College Christmas Party Dec 22 from 7:30—9:00pm at church in 2 Flex. Please contact Hannah Chow ([hannahchow83@gmail.com](mailto:hannahchow83@gmail.com)) or Ryan Chen ([rychen92@gmail.com](mailto:rychen92@gmail.com)).
10. College Christmas Party Dec 22 from 7:30—9:00pm at church in 2 Flex. Please contact Hannah Chow ([hannahchow83@gmail.com](mailto:hannahchow83@gmail.com)) or Ryan Chen ([rychen92@gmail.com](mailto:rychen92@gmail.com)).

## Youth Announcement

1. **December Youth Parent Prayer Meeting**—All youth parents are encouraged to come to the Youth Parent Prayer Meeting on this Wednesday, December 20, from 7:30-8:30 p.m. in Room 155. Let's join together to pray for our Youth Families, our 2018 Youth Ministry, and our Church.
2. **December Friday Youth Group Schedule**—22 and 29 - No Youth Group because of the Christmas/New Year's Holiday
3. **Save the Date for the Meta Conference**  
Dates: February 23-24  
Speaker: Clayton King  
Place: Apex Baptist Church  
--More details to come about registration and conference fee.
4. **Join the Advent Conspiracy**—During the season of Advent from November 26-December 24, you are encouraged to Worship Jesus Passionately, Spend Less on Yourself, Give More of Yourself and All that the Lord has Blessed You with, and to Love Everyone in the same way the Lord Jesus loves us. For more info, visit [www.adventconspiracy.org](http://www.adventconspiracy.org)

## Children Announcement

1. New semester of children Sunday school began already . We're looking for people who have passion, love and interest in serving in the children ministry. Please contact sister Becky Xie.
2. Children Ministry has immediate need for the following service - Sunday school teachers, AWANA group leaders, and AWANA parents helpers. If you can help, please contact Becky Xie ( text 919-244-3151 or email [beckyfxie@gmail.com](mailto:beckyfxie@gmail.com))

## **Upcoming Sermons**

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Pastor Gary Lee