

# Welcome & Connection Card

Dear Members, Friends, and Guests,

Our prayer is that you will experience the grace and truth of the Gospel of Jesus Christ through the music, fellowship, and message of Jesus Christ here each week. We want to come alongside you in this journey personally and partner together for the Gospel locally, in and around the Research Triangle for God's glory!

Because Jesus lives,  
RCCC English Ministry

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (home) \_\_\_\_\_ (mobile) \_\_\_\_\_

- Local Guest                       Out of Town Guest  
 Regular Attendee               Member of RCCC

## Life Stage:

- Infant                       Youth/Teen               Family  
 Nursery                       College                      (children under 18)  
 Preschool                       Young Adult               Adult (30's-40's)  
 Children                      (22-30's)                       Adult (50's +)

## I would like more information on:

- Following Christ     Baptism                       Sunday School/Equipping  
 Serving                       Membership               Small Groups/Fellowship  
 Discipleship               Other :

## Prayer requests/Input:

- Public (English Prayer List)  
 Private (Pastor/Elders only)

Church Pastoral Staff	
Cantonese/Mandarin Volunteer Pastor	Rev. Alan Setiawan alanlsetiawan@yahoo.com
English Pastor	Rev. Rob. Stansberry robthstans@gmail.com
Youth Pastor	Rev. Jerry Miller jmillerrc3@yahoo.com
Cantonese Volunteer Minister	Minister Raymond Ting siumanting@gmail.com
Mandarin Volunteer Minister	Minister Huang Chen huangchen@nc.rr.com
Other Co-Workers see church website: raleighccc.org	

## Ministries

- Prayer Meeting Ministry              Katelin Bartley  
 Wednesdays, weekly, 7:30pm      katelin.bartley@gmail.com
- Basketball Ministry                      Ed Lam (big\_ed\_lam@yahoo.com)  
 Tuesdays, weekly, 7:00pm          Moni Chow (mmchow06@gmail.com)
- Badminton Ministry                      Chun-Jen "CJ" Chiang  
 Thursdays, weekly, 10:30 am      cjchiang@bellsouth.net.

## Small Group

- Grace Gospel Fellowship              Katelin Bartley  
 Fridays 1st/3rd @ 7:30-9pm @ #A201      katelin.bartley@gmail.com
- Young Adult Fellowship                  Zoe Tham  
 Saturdays @ 7-8:30pm                      zoe.tham@gmail.com
- Men of Grace Small Group              Paul Chan  
 Saturdays 2nd/4th @ 10:00-11:30am      pkbchan@gmail.com  
 CJ Chiang  
 cjchiang@bellsouth.net

## Offering Report (11/04—11/10/2020 on line offering)

General	\$8,276.00	Actual General Income YTD	\$526,741.90
Missions	\$1,120.00	Actual Mission (FPO) Income YTD	\$42,384.87
Building	\$650.00	Actual Building Income YTD	\$11,532.52
Benevolent		Actual Benevolence	\$1,280.00
Misc.		Actual Total Contribution YTD	\$581,939.29
Total	\$10,046.00	Actual General Fund Expenses YTD	\$520,735.18

Attendance 11/8/ 20 (live streaming): English service: 45

# Raleigh Chinese Christian Church

## English Worship Service

November 15, 2020

11:15am – 12:30pm

## 2020 Church Theme:

**Reach forward to what lies ahead, press on toward the goal, lead a victorious life**

"But one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and reaching forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus." Philipians 3:13-14

To Reach the Chinese Community for Christ to transform them into fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ by becoming a Reverent, Christ-centered, Caring Community that glorifies God.

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## Announcements

SERIES: 1 PETER: A Life that doesn't fade

### Purpose in Pain

1 Peter 4:12-19

Main point: In times of trial, discernment is key

Outline:

1. What is happening?!? (12)

2. Why is it happening?!? (13-18)

3. What should I do?!? (19)

1. We welcome everyone at this Live Streaming Church "Gathering", and especially welcome those who are new. We pray that you will experience the hope, faith & love of Jesus Christ. Please use our online welcome form to fill in your information and any prayer requests. We will be happy to get you connected and supported. Here is the link, <https://www.raleighccc.org/main/contact-us/>
2. **Operation Christmas Child - "Build a Shoebox Online"** - The RCCC Youth Group encourages all youth, children, families and church members to join them in making 100 gift-filled shoeboxes online. You can make a shoebox online for a suggested donation of \$25 (\$9 for shipping, \$16 for gifts). Building your shoebox online through our RCCC Operation Christmas Child link below will help us keep track of all the shoeboxes that youth, students, families, and church members are making. Our deadline to reach our goal is December 15. Praise the Lord that 24 boxes have been built so far online. <https://build-a-shoebox.samaritanspurse.org/view/523225ee-5337-49f5-971a-9d9b0dd74219>
3. **Covid - 19-** Church Council with the guidance of the Community Health and Contingency Planning Committee have decided to meet online through Zoom and YouTube (Live Streaming) for the month of November and December and Jan 3rd, 2021's Sunday service will also be Live Streamed. We will make a determination for the month of January at a later time. Please see <https://www.raleighccc.org/main/covid-19-announcement/> for the most recent information.
4. **The Church Council would like to share the names of the Deacon Candidates.** Secretary-Eric Yip; Comptroller-Roy Chen; Mandarin Ministry 1-Tom Wan; Mandarin Ministry 2-Ruei Ya Jou; Global Missions-Wendy Chow; Children's Ministry-Kaili Sawyer; General Affairs-Yih Shin Tan. Please keep these deacon candidates in your prayers.
5. **The Church's annual congregational meeting will be held on Dec 6th, 2020** via Zoom where we will vote on the 2021 budget and the deacons/deaconess. The RCCC 2021 budget is available online. Please download from the church website. <https://www.raleighccc.org/main/rccl-budgets/> (password: rccc2021). For any questions regarding the budget, there will be a Q&A on 11/29 1:00-2:00 pm (after the combined service) and we will have 5 days (12/2-12/5) to come into the Church to vote or vote by absentee ballot.
6. **FPO (Faith Pledge Offering)** is dedicated to use on our supported Global Missionaries ministry. FPO offering received up to date(11/10) is \$42,384.87. For 2020 FPO goal is \$53,335. If your Sunday offering is designated to FPO, please specify "FPO" in your Check. Please pray for Global Missionaries and the FPO ministry.
7. **Rev. Dickinson's wife Mrs. Leona Dickinson went home to be with the Lord.** We pray that God's comfort will come upon the Dickinson family. In memory of Ms. Leona, RCCC has set up a Leona Dickinson Memorial Fund. You can donate to the fund and RCCC will send the donations to Rev. Dickinson. According to the IRS, donations used as gifts are not tax deductible. On your check please write "Leona donation" on the Memo line at the lower left corner. The church will accept donations for the Leona Dickinson Memorial Fund through 11/29.
8. **Combo English Bible Study and Prayer Meeting** - In the interest of continuing fellowship and growth as a Church Family during Covid 19, we have shifted Sunday School a bit and brought it together with Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting. We meet Wed nights at 7pm for the Bible Study followed by prayer at 8pm. Zoom details can be found at the Church website (Live Streaming page). We are enjoying a series titled "Race and the Gospel" looking at Ephesians to address race, racism, and injustice. Come join us!

## Upcoming Sermon

11/22

Pastor Rob

## Church Gathered: Order of Service

<b>Worship By Singing</b>	Music Team
Spiritual Focus: Spiritual Disciplines	Pastor Rob
<b>Worship By Praying Together</b>	
Pastoral and Congregational Prayer	Pastor Rob
<b>Worship By Trusting &amp; Hearing Christ</b>	
Sermon	Pastor Rob
<b>Worship By Responding to Christ</b>	
Offering	Pastor Rob
Welcome and Announcements	Pastor Rob
<b>Benediction</b>	Pastor Rob

\*After a moment of silent meditation, please welcome one another. Drop off Connection Card in drop box.

## Youth Announcements

1. **Youth Parent and Youth Leader Prayer Time**—Youth parents and youth leaders are encouraged to join this special prayer time on this Thursday, November 19, from 7:00-7:40 p.m. Contact Pastor Jerry for Zoom meeting info.
2. **Friday Youth Group Schedule** - Join us on this Friday, November 20, at 7:30 p.m. as we continue our video series, "Whisper: How to Hear God's Voice." If you can join us online, contact Pastor Jerry - at [jmillerrc3@yahoo.com](mailto:jmillerrc3@yahoo.com) or you can text him at 919.961.8859 for the Zoom Meeting Info.
3. **New Devotion Plan - How to Love People You Disagree With - November 17-21**—We all have differing opinions and views and sometimes we disagree with each other. As believers, we are called to love one another even though we may not necessarily agree with each other. Just like Jesus, we need to treat each other with love, honor, and respect. In this 5 day plan, we will discover just how we can do that. Contact Pastor Jerry for info on how to join this plan.
4. **Youth Sunday School Online**—Join us for our Youth Sunday School classes as we meet online through Zoom from 9:00-10:00 a.m. each Sunday. Contact Pastor Jerry for Zoom Meeting info.
5. **Wednesday Youth Prayer and Discipleship** - Join us each week for sharing and prayer from 7:00-7:40 p.m. Contact Pastor Jerry for the Zoom Youth Prayer Meeting info.

## Children's Info. (Nursery – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade)

1. Children Ministry has resumed in September. The purpose is to draw your children to the Lord Jesus Christ, especially during the coronavirus pandemic. The Children Ministry Committee: Co-directors: Minister Raymond Ting and Minister Huang (Harry) Chen; Sunday Worship/School - Kaili Sawyer; Friday Program; Mike Liu; Special Programs: Mo-Yuen Chow. If you have any questions or want to volunteer, please email to [children.rccc@gmail.com](mailto:children.rccc@gmail.com) or contact them individually.
- Programs: I. Sunday worship: (1) K-Grade 2; (2) Grades 3-5; 11:00 am—11:40 am, starting from September 6, delivered by Zoom.  
II. Friday program: (1) K-Grade 2; (2) Grades 3-5; 7:00 pm -7:30 pm, starting from Sept 4, on Zoom. Both programs will adopt Lifeway digital materials for kids. The Lifeway program includes children hymns, bible stories and videos. Teachers will also lead some discussions.
- Registration: Please follow the link below and complete an online form soon. <https://www.raleighccc.org/main/children-program-registration-2020-21/>