

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 (12/2—12/8/2020 on line offering)

General	\$19,778.00	Actual General Income YTD	\$566,097.43
Missions	\$3,275.00	Actual Mission (FPO) Income YTD	\$47,466.14
Building	\$700.00	Actual Building Income YTD	\$12,232.52
Benevolent		Actual Benevolence	\$1,280.00
Misc.		Actual Total Contribution YTD	\$627,076.09
Total	\$23,753.00	Actual General Fund Expenses YTD	\$565,204.90

Attendance 12/06/ 20 (live streaming): English service: 47

Raleigh Chinese Christian Church

English Worship Service

December 13, 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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A Light for Anyone

Luke 2:8-14

Main point: The Advent of Christ is Announced to All

Outline:

Real Life was the pathway

Blessing was the vehicle

Anyone and Always was the result

Belief and celebration is the life

Announcements

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. **Praise the Lord! Our annual congregational meeting passed the 2021 budget and confirmed the deacons/deaconess.** Please keep the church ministries and all the new deacons/ deaconess 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 in your prayer.
3. **Operation Christmas Child - "Build a Shoebox Online"** - Praise the Lord that we have reached our goal. We have built 101 shoeboxes. You can still build a shoebox online, which will help more children experience Jesus' love and be able to hear His Good News. 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. **If you would like to write a donation check, please make it payable to "Samaritan's Purse." You can drop it by or mail it to the church.** <https://build-a-shoebox.samaritanpurse.org/view/523225ee-5337-49f5-971a-9d9b0dd74219>
4. **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 Liang, pastor Rob, pastor Jerry, minister Harry, and minister Raymond). 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 Sunday, December 20. The gifts will be presented on Sunday, December 27, 2020. 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.
5. **FPO (Faith Pledge Offering)** is dedicated to use on our supported Global Missionaries ministry. FPO offering received up to date(12/08) is \$47,466.14. 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.
6. **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 to Jan 3rd, 2021's Sunday service will also be Live Streamed. We will make a

Upcoming Sermon

12/20

Pastor Rob January at a

later time. Please see <https://www.raleighccc.org/main/covid-19-announcement/> for the most recent information.

Church Gathered: Order of Service

Worship By Singing	Music Team
Spiritual Focus: Spiritual Disciplines	Pastor Rob
Worship By Praying Together	
Pastoral and Congregational Prayer	Pastor Rob
Worship By Trusting & Hearing Christ	
Sermon	Pastor Rob
Worship By Responding to Christ	
Offering	Pastor Rob
Welcome and Announcements	Pastor Rob
Benediction	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 Leader Prayer Time**—Youth parents and adult youth leaders are encouraged to join our prayer time through Zoom on this Tuesday, December 15, from 7:00-7:40 p.m. Contact Pastor Jerry for the meeting info.
2. **Friday Youth Group Online** - Join us on this Friday, December 18, at 7:30 p.m. for our special Christmas Celebration. If you can join us online, contact Pastor Jerry - at jmillerrc3@yahoo.com or you can text him at 919.961.8859 for the Zoom Meeting Info.
3. **New Youth QT Plan - Praying with Wonder Through Christmas - December 15-21** - Contact Pastor Jerry for info on how to join this 7 day devotional.
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 – 5th 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 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/>