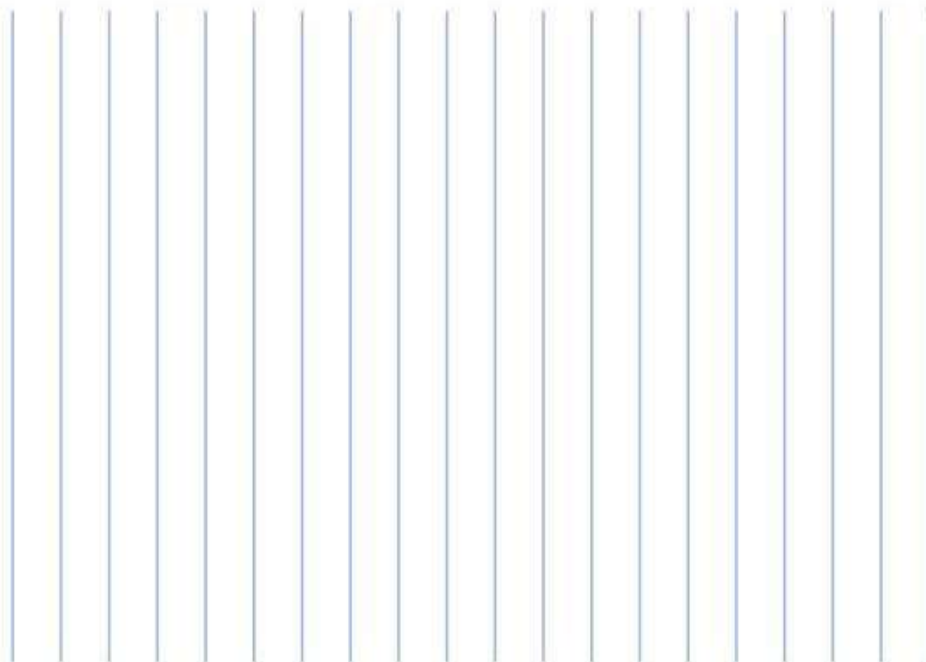


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January

- 1 Renewal of Church's Zoom account.
- 18 Worship Department Coworkers' Retreat: "Returning to Holiness, Rediscovering First Love". Speaker: Rev. Stanley Leung.
- 25 Community Outreach at various Chinese shopping malls.

February

- 2 "Plan to Protect" training.
- 9 Mr. Jacky Lam Assistant Pastor candidating started.
- 8 Chinese New Year celebration.
- 13 Sent out / emailed 2024 offering receipts.
- 17 Farewell lunch with Rev. Jones Lee.
- 17 Special action: Signing petitions letters to the Minister of Finance and various District MPs to oppose the passing of recommendations 429 and 430.
- 23 Distribution of the 2024 Annual Report.
- 23 2025 Annual Meeting: 1:00 p.m. at the Sanctuary. Adjourned due to inadequate quorum. Will resume on March 2.
- 23 2025 Elders: Amy Au, Fanny Au, David Chan, Patrick Chak, Joyce Cheung, William Etzkorn, Sampson Kwan, Grace Kwong, Serena Lau, Albert Lee, Jason Leung, Gary Lo, Grace Luk, Landy Luo, Quoc Truong, Catherine Yung, Tommy Yuen, KeHua Zhang.
- 28 Rev. Jones Lee concluded his ministries at our church.

March

- 2 New term of Adult Sunday School.
- 2 Annual Meeting resumed at 1:00 p.m. at the Sanctuary (adjourned on February 23 due to inadequate quorum).
- 3/5-4/23 "Lent" Journey at Wednesday Prayer Meeting.
- 6-10 Global Gathering, Thailand: Members: Rev. Albert Chu, Rev. Aaron Owen, Pastor Jonathan Choy, Tommy Yuen, Iris Lam.
- 9 Installation of the 2025 Elders.
- 14 "Weekend Chat" with Rev. Stanley Leung.
- 16 "Plan to Protect" Training.
- 16-30 Collection of small gifts for the Aruba STM.
- 22 Christian Education Seminar, "Sunday School and Bible Teaching Ministry". Co-host with the Christian Communication (Canada).
- 23 New Immigrant Workshop: "Looking for Jobs in Canada".
- 30 Rev. Steven Folts candidating as our Assistant Pastor process began.

April

- 8, 15 Christian Education Workshop: "Joel and Micah, The Prophets Who Revealed Profound Secrets". Speaker: Rev. Wing Law.



- 18 Good Friday Worship: “No Greater Love” (Main Campus, at 10:00 a.m.); 705 attended.
 “Love on the Cross” (Mandarin at 10:00 a.m.); 79 attended.
 Children Good Friday Worship: 10:00 a.m
 “Jesus on the Cross – With Me Beneath the Cross” (Gormley Campus at 10:00 a.m.).
- 20 Easter Sunday Worship and Baptism: (Main Campus, Cantonese) Man Chuen Chang (sprinkling), Tammy Tam (sprinkling), Henry Hin Kei Wan, Anita Tak Ching Lo, Hue Phan Lu, Julie Pan, Eliza Hoi Lam Yip.
 (Main Campus, English): Rachel Kwong, Timothy Kwong, Enoch Tai, Erin Tam, Alvin To, Jessica Truong, Raymond Truong, Akins Wong, Jeffery Zhou.
 (Gormley Campus, Cantonese): Emmy Wong; (Gormley Campus, English): Malus Lo.
- 25-27 Prayer Ministry: “Deeper Life and Mission Course (4) --- Captivity and Deliverance”.
- 25-5/8 Aruba STM: Members: Amy Au, Cynthia Chiu, Nancy Kee, Agnes Lam, Celia Lam, Leo Lam, Bryan Law, Howard Tang, Kenneth Yeung and Ronald Yiu.
- 27 New Immigrant Workshop: “Looking for Jobs in Canada (2)”.

May

- 4 “Plan to Protect” Training.
- 10 Family Fellowship Group Leaders’ Retreat: “Be Holy and Useful to the Lord”. Speakers: Rev. Stanley Leung, and Rev. Albert Chu.
- 11 Mother’s Day Worship. Flowers were given out as a gift to the mothers.
- 11 Child Dedication: (English) Levi Archer Chan (Esther Huang & Stephen Chan), Micah Evan Tran (Sophia Leung & Jimmy Tran); (Mandarin) Caleb Chen / Joshua Chen (Steven Chen’s family), Noy Liu (Johnny Liu’s family).
- 22 Membership Class. Teacher: Rev. Ocean Ng.
- 23-25 English Ministry C3 Fellowship Retreat: At the Fair Haven Retreat and Conference Centre. Speaker: Dr. Logan Gates.
- 24 Health Education Workshop: “Mental Health and Technology Addiction among Youths”. Speaker: Pastor Caleb Tse.
- 25 Welcome Ministry Activity: Welcoming new friends from last 6 months.
- 27-28 C & MA (ECD) Conference at our church.
- 29-6/15 Almaty English STM: Members: Abigail Poon, Natalie Tsui, Janie Wong, Elsie Yuen.
- 31 Weekend Chat with Rev. Stanley Leung.

June

- 1 New term of Sunday School.
- 7-8 Grade 6-8 English Camp at the Grand River Rockwood Conservation Park.
- 9 Installation Service of Rev. Steven Folts at the 11:15 a.m. Main Campus Worship.
- 13 Weekend Chat with Rev. Stanley Leung
- 15 Main Campus Cantonese / English Gospel Sunday.
- 15 Gormley Campus Cantonese / English Gospel Sunday.
- 21 “Jesus Loves Midland” outreach activity.



- 22 Reception of New Members: (Cantonese) Kit Ying Chan, Paul Kong Shan Cheung, Karen Choy, Jack Yue Shu Guan, Kam Ho, Susanna Ho, Ada Ching Yin Hui, Chor Tat Lau, John Law, Queenie Yip, Christine Yin Wan Yiu.
(Mandarin) Steven Qinghua Chen, Johnny Guang Liu, Aileen Ling Tang, Mimosa Li Wu, Susan Jian Zhang, Frank Changfu Zhu.
(English) Natalie Tsui.
- 22 Mandarin Gospel Sunday.
- 23-7/10 Madagascar STM: Members: Karen Choy, Tammy Kwan, Iris Lam, Karen Leung, Hugo Mak, Anna Mo, Derek Tam, Teddy Tse, Elson Yau.
- 27 Evangelistic Music Night: "Dawn". Cohost with the Heralders.
- 28-29 Nehemiah Fellowship Retreat at the Trent University. Rev. Albert Chu and Rev. Steven Folts joined.
- 29 Installation Service of Pastor Jacky Lam at the 9:30 a.m. Gormley Worship.

July

- 12-13 Joshua Fellowship Retreat at the Trent University. Rev. Ocean Ng joined.
- 13 Rev. Stephen Lee handed in his resignation letter and it was accepted by the BOE. He will retire in October 31. Farewell event will be held on September 20. We thank Rev. Lee for his faithful service. Rev. Albert Chu will take up Gormley Campus' ministries.
- 19 Music Sharing Night by the Sacred Music Department.
- 20 Special Action: The BOE encourages the congregation to sign the online petition on recommendations 429 and 430.
- 26 Community Outreach: Visit and follow up neighbours from "Jesus Loves Midland".
- 27 Baptism (English Ministry): Ethne Au, Clara Hong, Jessica Pao, Katia Tam, Ian Xiong.
- 30-31 Rev. Steven Folts (+CAWF), Rev. Samuel Or, Rev. Kim Poon and Rev. Lily Li attended the CCACA Annual Meeting at the Cornerstone Chinese Alliance Church.

August

- 1-4 JMC at the Bayview Glen Alliance Church.
- 9 Family Ministry Workshop: "After You Have Become An Adult: The Tension and Growth Between An Individual and One's Family". Co-host with the ABS Centre in Canada, speaker: Dr. Christine Lau.
- 11-15 VBS. There were 69 children (included 14 new comers) and 53 helpers.
- 23 Evangelism Explosion Convocation and Opening Ceremony.
- 23 Community Outreach: Visit and follow up neighbours from "Jesus Loves Midland".
- 24 Sacred Music Department Servers Retreat: "The Heart of Worship" (English workshop), speaker : Dr. Swee Hong Lim.
- 30-9/1 Mandarin Ministry Retreat at the Upper Canada Camp. Speaker: Rev. Bobby Lo.
- 30-9/1 "So Teens" Summer Camp at the Fair Havens Camp and Conference Centre. 19 joined.

September

- 7 New term of Sunday School.
- 13-11/15 Alpha Course (every Saturday 9:30-11:30 a.m.)



- 16, 23 Christian Education Seminar: "Learning about Jewish Festivals; Day of Atonement and Festival of Tabernacles". Speaker: Rev. Dr. Wilson Wong.
- 20 Rev. Stephen Lee retirement sharing gathering.
- 20 Weekend Chat with Rev. Stanley Leung.
- 27-28 Jacob Fellowship Retreat at Elim Lodge, speakers: Rev. Matthew Chiu and Rev. Samuel Or. Attendance: 42.
- 29-11/30 church washroom renovation.

October

- 8 Anointing Prayer Meeting.
- 2-30 "Rediscovering Our Initial Aspirations" (Bible and Prayer Meeting): Every Thursday via Zoom in October.
- 10-13 Daniel Fellowship Co-workers' Retreat at Elim Lodge.
- 18 Weekend Chat with Rev. Leung at the Gormley Campus.
- 19 Flu Clinic by the Scarborough Community Health Centre.
- 23-26 Mission Conference: "Dare to Dream, Dare to Fly". Speaker: Rev. Peter Au.
- 31 Rev. Stephen Lee concluded his ministries at our church.
- 31-11/2 "Deeper into Life and Mission" (Cantonese).

November

- 2-23 Shoe Boxes Collection. We have collected a total of 715 shoe boxes (including 145 at Gormley Campus).
- 6-10 Mexico STM: Members: Polly Lam, Rev. Lily Li, Landy Luo, Tracy Wu.
- 9 Child Dedication: Jake Yik Hong Jake (Wing Yee & Clayton).
- 15 Fasting and Prayer Meeting: "Cleansing the Heart, Drawing Closer to God".
- 16 Reception of New Members: (Main Campus, 9:30 a.m.) Eliana Cheng, Luke Chi Wah Kong, Andy Man Wah Wong, Anne Wong, Connie Hong Ying Wat;
(Main Campus, 11:15 a.m.) Kam Wing Tsang, Jasmine Yin Man Tsang.
- 16 Flu Clinic by the Scarborough Community Health Centre + collection of food items for their food bank.
- 22 Community outreach at various Chinese Malls.
- 29 Christian Education Workshop: "Finding Rest Amidst Busyness – Spiritual Weariness and the Practice of Sabbath". Speaker: Dr. Peter Lok.

December

- 1 New Sunday School term.
- 1 Pre-school started new hours.
- 7, 14 Collection of food and clothes for Toronto Alliance Church.
- 7-28 Offering collection for the Alliance Compassionate Ministry.
- 21 Distributing of the 2026 budget copies.
- 21 Baptism: (Main Campus, Cantonese, 11:15 a.m.) Mei Lan Kwan (sprinkle), Anna Man Yi Mo; (Mandarin) Harper Jingnan Chen, Lynn Linxuan Wang, Huifang Shen, Xixue Pan, Yungui Shi, Xinze Guo.



- (Main Campus, English, 1:30 p.m.) Andrea Cheung, Janice Jia, Ivana Shek, Isaac Chong.
(Gormley Campus, Cantonese) Alice Yuen Man Au, Jeanette Jung, Big Ying Yeung,
Spencer Leung; (Gormley Campus, English) Ian Britanik.
- 28 Baptism: (Main Campus, Cantonese, 11:15 a.m.) Monita Chin, Shirley Liang, Alice Tse,
Ching Wong, Helina Chi Yin Li, Eddy Cheong Ming Li, Stephen Chan, Cavan Shaochang
Zhao.
- 24 Christmas Eve Worship Service: Theme: “Hope”.
- 26-28 Joseph Fellowship Retreat.
- 27-1/1 Urbana at Phoenix, Arizona. 12 young adults and pastors from our church joined.





Pastoral Reports

Rev. Stanley Leung, Senior Pastor

“So then, men ought to regard us as servants of Christ and as those entrusted with the secret things of God.” (1 Corinthians 4:1-2) As servants of the Lord Jesus, His requirement for us is faithfulness, not success, not impressive reports and figures. Just as Paul reminded the Corinthian believers, all we can do is plant and water; growth and bearing fruit are God’s work. Therefore, any fruit is due to the Lord Jesus’ planning and arrangement, not something that humans can pile up and integrate, nor something anyone can boast about. Our unwavering attitude is faithfulness to the Lord, to the tasks He has entrusted to us, and to the gifts and opportunities He has given us. Ultimately, what we pursue and focus on is the Lord’s evaluation of us, not human praise.

This year’s church theme is “Be Holy”, and Christ, the sanctifying Lord, is one of the fourfold Gospels of the Christian and Missionary Alliance Church. *“Be holy, because I am holy.”* (1 Peter 1:16) A holy God calls us apart from the world to become saints. Having this identity, we must maintain holiness in our lives and conduct to match it. The pursuit of holiness is also a continuation of last year’s theme, *“Preparing for the Lord’s Second Coming”. As John described, “When he appears, we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is. Everyone who has this hope in him purifies himself, just as he is pure.”* (1 John 3:2b-3) We must prepare ourselves like a bride, adorned in holiness, and greet the Bridegroom with excitement. The pursuit of holiness is not an option, but a constant state we must maintain.

To align with our vision and core values—advocating Christ as the head of the family—this year we have launched Family Ministry, hoping to cultivate disciples who love God and neighbour and are based on biblical teachings. Elder Serena Lau and several pastors organized a ministry committee to plan how to help church families in this regard. They started by posting parenting and support materials on the church website, and also prepared various thematic workshops and camps. We understand that helping children grow in faith cannot rely solely on 2 to 3 hours of learning in church each week; parents also need to continue guiding them at home and setting a good example. This is crucial, and the goal of Family Ministry is to provide support to parents in this area.

This year, the English-speaking congregation celebrates its 10th anniversary, and we give thanks for its past development. Each year, we have an average of about 15 children joining our English-speaking congregation from Children’s Ministry. Despite this continuous expansion and a shortage of manpower, the pastors and leaders of the English Ministry continue to work diligently, upholding their mission, nurturing these spiritual seedlings, and helping them grow in faith, playing the roles of parents and companions. We are grateful for their wholehearted dedication and sacrifice. To address the challenges of a rapidly growing English-speaking congregation, Pastor Jonathan Choy was reassigned from Gormley Campus (GMC) to the Main Campus in September to assist with pastoral care for Youth Ministry. Once the GMC finds a full-time English-speaking pastor, he will remain at the Main Campus to pastor the English-speaking congregation.



Last year, we completed a structural reorganization of the GMC, aiming to share resources while giving brothers and sisters of GMC more freedom to develop evangelistic and pastoral work according to their circumstances and needs. This year, the Board of Elders (BOE) also decided to continue the relationship with GMC as a multi-site church. We are grateful for the growth in the number of people at GMC, but at the same time, we face the challenge of insufficient parking spaces. Church leaders have been seeking different solutions, including adding another worship service, renting or purchasing nearby land, etc. We await the Lord's preparation and hope that He will open a way for us according to His time. Regarding personnel changes at GMC, Rev. Stephan Lee retired this October, ending his many years of full-time ministry at the church. 11 years ago, he began ministry at GMC with a group of very dedicated brothers and sisters. For many years, he and his wife have worked tirelessly, shepherding and caring for brothers and sisters, and tirelessly spreading the Gospel. Their dedication and sacrifice are a fine example for all of us. We thank God for His timely arrangement and preparation. After Rev. Lee's retirement, Rev. Albert Chu responded to God's prompting and took on the leadership role of pastor at GMC. Rev. Chu and his wife quickly immersed themselves in the pastoral ministry of GMC. Through various meetings and visits, they listened to and understood the voices of brothers and sisters, understood the needs and challenges of the church, and began to lead the leaders forward. In view of the development of the community surrounding GMC, the need to shepherd the next generation, and the reassignment of Pastor Jonathan Choy, BOE decided to hire a full-time English-speaking pastor to address these needs and changes. In addition, this May we appointed Pastor Jacky Lam as the assistant pastor. He immigrated from Hong Kong to Toronto, Canada, and was later called by God to study at the seminary. He served as a theological intern at GMC. Pastor Lam will focus on pastoral work at the GMC and the development of Youth Ministry.

Regarding other staff changes, this February, Rev. Jones Lee resigned from his position and assumed the role of General Administrator at Showers of Blessing Evangelistic Ministry (SOBEM). We give thanks for Rev. Lee's pastoral care and companionship among us over the past 13 years. This May, Rev. Steven Folts joined our pastoral team as assistant pastor after a selection process. Rev. Folts will primarily assist in the pastoral work of the Main Campus.

Next year will be the church's 45th anniversary. We have formed a committee for this special occasion to plan and arrange a series of activities and gatherings next year, to reflect on the work of the Lord Jesus among us, and to continue working together for the Gospel.

Jesus Christ is the Lord of the church, the Bridegroom we await His return. Let us continue to sow and cultivate in our communities, clothe ourselves in holiness, and prepare ourselves in body, mind, and spirit so that when He returns we may receive praise for goodness and faithfulness!



Rev. Aaron Owen, Assistant Pastor

2025 marked 10 years since the relaunch of the English Ministry (EM) at SCAC. It is remarkable to think that 10 years ago, in September of 2015, English worship services were held in U100 alone and was attended by approximately 25-30 – mainly youth. Fast forward to 2025, the Sunday English worship service attendance averaged 184 across the 12 months of 2025. Praise the Lord! Indeed, as always, there is much to be thankful for! I am grateful for the pastoral team that we have at SCAC which, in addition to myself, includes Rev. Rosa Leung, Rev. Chris Perumalla (Gormley EM), and Pastor Jonathan Choy (Gormley EM) – and also Jeremy Lo, our Main Campus Youth Ministry worker. The staff are supported by our English Congregation elders: Gary Lo and Joyce Cheung (Main Campus EM) and Bill Etzkorn and Serena Lau (Gormley EM). We also had Derek So who once again served as a deacon for the Main Campus EM. The EM Steering Committee in 2025 included Cynthia Ho, Jonathan Lau and Gabriel Tse – who served alongside the EM pastors, elders and deacons to provide oversight and vision for the EM congregation.

For 2025, both Campuses continued to partner together for the Sunday preaching series, with the EM pastors from both sites taking part in a rotation where each pastor preached at both sites on their scheduled Sundays. This year, the EM sermon series followed the overall church theme: “Be Holy”. Sermon series in 2024 included: “Same God, New You” (January, Main Campus only), “Holy Encounters: Old Testament” (February), “Holy Living” (March-May), SCAC Evangelism Month (June), “Holy Encounters: New Testament” (July-August), “Holy Calling” (September), SCAC Missions Month (October), “Be Holy – Year in Review” (November), “Why Jesus Came” (December). June’s Evangelism month saw Dr. Vince Vitale return again as a special speaker. This year, he was joined by his wife (via Zoom), Dr. Jo Vitale – and they both spoke at a half-day conference, titled, “Suffering & Sexism: Is God To Blame?”. 2025 also saw the continuation of our partnership with Children’s Ministry to host 2 BigFam Worship services – on March 30 and November 30 – where the entire church family, from the youngest to the most seasoned, could worship the Lord together. Baptisms in 2025 remained strong. There were 3 baptism services held this year: Easter (April 20) when 9 brothers & sisters were baptized; Summer (July 27) when 5 were baptized; and Christmas (December 21) when 4 were baptized. In addition to the Main Campus EM baptisms, 2025 also saw 2 from the Gormley EM baptized as well.

In our life group ministries, EM continued to have 3 main groups/fellowships in 2025: Joseph Fellowship (grades 7-12), C3 (university/college & young adult) and Couples Group (dating, engaged & married couples). For more details regarding Joseph and C3, please refer to their individual reports. The C3 Committee this year included 7 individuals from the EM congregation: Gabriel Tse (Chair), Flora Chan, Samantha Hung, Adrianna Mo, Matthias Ng, Abigail Poon and Isaac Yeung. C3 held their annual retreat, May 23-25 at Fair Havens Retreat & Conference Centre. The theme this year was “Faith That Overcomes”, where our guest speaker, Dr. Logan Gates, led the group of 60 through a study of “1 John”. Joseph Fellowship held their annual retreat, December 26-28, also at Fair Havens. This year, Pastor Stephen Chan was the



speaker and the theme was “Kingdom of God”. The EM Couples group met on the 1st Saturday of each month and continued to have a consistent attendance of 6-8+ couples each month. In 2025, the group did a book study based on the book, “The Lies Couples Believe: How Living the Truth Transforms Your Marriage” and then began a new series in September on “Spiritual Disciplines” which will carry over into 2026.

EM’s Sunday School Ministry had 3 classes in 2025: Grades 7 and 8, High School (Grades 9-12) and adult. In the adult class, notable teaching series included: “Emotionally Healthy Spirituality & Listening Prayer”, “A Biblical Response to the Role of Women”, “A Biblical Response to Calvinism”, and “Spiritual Disciplines”.

2025 also included some additional groups/ministries: for this year’s CCSA Softball Season, EM added another senior team for a total of 3 teams: SCAC Envision (Sr, new), SCAC Encounter (Sr) and SCAC Convergence (Jr). During the summer months, we recognized that there was a desire to go deeper with the Word of God and so, a summer Bible study group was formed which met once a month from June to August to study the book of “1 Corinthians”. This group was led by Rev. Rosa Leung. September also saw EM prayer meetings develop as the Main and Gormley Campuses decided to separate their Wednesday Zoom prayer meeting time, with the Main Campus prayer meetings returning to being in person, every Wednesday, beginning at 7:30pm. Finally, December of 2025 also saw the conclusion of our Rec Night sports ministry (Wednesday evenings, 8pm-10pm).

As I mentioned, 2025 was EM’s 10th anniversary and as such, we held a special celebration on August 22. This even included sharing from current and former EM congregants, as well as special guests – our former Senior Pastor, Rev. Matthew Chiu and former SCAC Pastor, Rev. Jones Lee. The theme for this event was, “For His Glory” where we wanted to emphasize that all of the blessings bestowed upon our congregation is all for the Glory of God. As part of the 10th Anniversary, it was also announced that the space where EM holds its Sunday Services, U100 and U200, would undergo some renovations as well as A/V upgrades. These renovations and upgrades became a year-long project but was thankfully complete in December. The congregation was able to utilize the upgrades to the worship space for the first time on Sunday, December 21. Praise the Lord!

Other highlights from 2025 include:

- ❖ Joint Chinese Alliance English Good Friday Service held at SCAC on April 18
- ❖ Men’s Fishing Retreat held on July 26
- ❖ CCACA Joint Mission Convention held August 1-3 at Bayview Glen Church
- ❖ Women’s Retreat held on October 18
- ❖ SCAC Missions Conference held October 23-26
- ❖ EM Leadership Retreat held on November 22

As we enter into a new year, we continue to look ahead expectantly as to what God will do and how He will work in our EM ministries at both the Main and Gormley Campuses. We



remain steadfast in our approach – striving that all who join us in the EM would experience true transformation as we encounter Jesus together.

Rev. Albert Chu, Assistant Pastor

I thank the Lord for His guidance. In March this year, I had the opportunity to attend the Alliance Canada Global Gathering held in Chiang Mai, Thailand, where I received the mission vision, strategies, and future direction of our denomination. I brought these learnings back to the church to align with the Alliance direction. This year, God also opened a new area of ministry for me, as I began serving at the Gormley Campus in October. Yet by God's abundant grace, during the 1st 9 months of serving at the Main Campus, I witnessed His blessings in many ways.

Cornerstone Fellowship

I thank God for His leading. The theme of Cornerstone Fellowship, "Reshaping the Many Facets of Life", entered its 2nd year. In June, the fellowship held a two-day retreat entitled "No matter 50's or 60's — Renewed for His Use". As we reflected on entering a new decade of life, we reminded one another not to forget our calling and that we still need to do more work for the Lord. The fellowship arranged for small groups to participate in Mon Sheong Long-Term Care Centre visitation ministry. The fellowship committee also developed in-house Bible study materials, learning from Old Testament characters about commitment and bearing responsibility in God's mission.

Family Fellowship

The Family Fellowship aligned with the church's theme, "Be Holy, Fit for the Lord's Use", reminding brothers and sisters to pursue holiness in their spiritual lives so that they may be used by the Lord. Some groups transitioned to the Grace Fellowship to better match different stages of life. The fellowship also participated in Mon Sheong Long-Term Care Centre visitation and food distribution to those in need, sharing the love of Christ. We thank God for His faithful leading throughout the year.

Elim Fellowship

One of the things we are most thankful for in the fellowship is being able to pursue together the knowledge of God's word and growth in life. This year we studied the Book of Joshua, and we thank God for everyone's participation and for the good gains received. Many thanks to those who devoted their time and effort to preparation. Small groups often organized activities that encouraged members to be more involved in small-group life. Some members served in support of Grace Fellowship, caring for the needs of other brothers and sisters. We give thanks to God for His guidance in the lives of our brothers and sisters.



John Fellowship

This year, the fellowship held its 1st retreat in September. We give thanks for the meaningful fellowship among the brothers. Our Bible studies focused on the Books of James and Galatians. We sincerely thank the group leaders for their faithful service. At every study session, the brothers received valuable spiritual nourishment and learning.

Christian Education Ministry

We thank the Lord for the dedication of our Sunday school teachers, who prepared diligently throughout the year to lead brothers and sisters in studying the scriptures. In addition to Sunday classes, the Christian Education Department invited various pastors and scholars to conduct Bible seminars and special-topic lectures. We thank God for His provision, as these efforts helped deepen the congregation's understanding of the Christian faith.

Mission Ministry

The theme of this year's Mission Conference was "Dare to Dream, Dare to Fly". We thank God that many brothers and sisters responded in prayer, giving, and even through short-term missions or by offering themselves as missionaries. This truly has been a year of harvest. This year we sent a Mandarin-speaking STM team Mexico. We encouraged and supported young believers to participate in "Urbana 2025". We pray that more of the younger generation will rise up to respond to the mission, be sent by God, and bear fruit for the Gospel.

Welcome Ministry

As the "Hong Kong Pathway Program" is coming to an end, the Newcomers Ministry has strengthened its work in building the spiritual lives of new friends by inviting them to attend Sunday school and join fellowship groups. In addition to newcomers, we thank God that brothers and sisters have actively brought their non-believer relatives and friends to worship services and church activities. May the Lord use the Welcome Ministry team as the first line of reception for the church—welcoming with love and connecting through care.

Conclusion and Outlook

Looking back on the past year of ministry, I thank God for the different teams He has placed me in. With a simple shared conviction, we serve God together for one purpose—to please Him. I thank God for every brother and sister who has walked with me in ministry; from each one I have learned something valuable. As I look to the coming year, many aspects of my ministry seem to require a fresh start and new foundations. Yet I firmly believe that the Lord who calls us never changes—His love and faithfulness remain the same. He goes before us, leading us on the path of grace, so that His servants may proclaim His goodness. As scripture says, *"Now it is required that those who have been given a trust must prove faithful."* May God grant me strength to follow faithfully in His footsteps.



Rev. Ocean Ng, Assistant Pastor

A year has flown by! It feels like it's still 2024.

In 2025, "Active Adult Ministry" has stabilized its tea gatherings and added casual conversation sessions to reach more people, with good results – thank God! We've also witnessed the volunteers working together to advance the Gospel.

The staff of the Family Fellowship, and Joshua Fellowship have worked together to serve the Lord, supporting one another and glorifying His holy name. They serve the Lord courageously and selflessly, each fulfilling their role. The care group leaders and Bible study leaders guide brothers and sisters in spiritual growth.

In August, I have picked up the Worship Department and Christian Education Department, and other pastors took over the ministry work in the Evangelism Department, and I thank my colleagues for their cooperation during the transition. Pray that I have the strength to undertake these ministries and build up brothers and sisters.

In late May, my mother was taken to heaven by the Lord in her sleep. I was heartbroken, but she passed away peacefully. God gave me the opportunity to accompany her on her last journey, which was a blessing from God to both my mother and myself.

In late September, I traveled to Singapore and Hong Kong to visit seminary teachers I hadn't seen for over 30 years. We recounted the Lord's blessings together, reminisced about our seminary days, and felt like old friends having a long, heartfelt conversation. I also travelled to Johor Bahru, Malaysia, and Hong Kong to meet with seminary alumni, discussing our past ministry. Their children are all grown up. Although most have retired, they continue to serve the Lord in different ways. We inquired about each other's health; most have high blood pressure, high cholesterol, and high blood sugar – all thanks to the Lord's grace.

In Hong Kong, I visited Mrs. Hay Chun Maak, who lives happily in a nursing home. She and her 2 sisters live in the same nursing home and are all happy elderly people! I also took this opportunity to visit 2 large churches in Hong Kong, understanding the challenges they face and the changes and adaptations they undergo in pastoral care and worship. My hometown has undergone many changes; I can only pray for the Lord's mercy! I also met with many brothers and sisters and pastors whom I hadn't seen for over 20 years, listening to their stories and experiences. We encouraged each other to work together to share God's Gospel in different regions in 2026.



Rev. Samuel Or, Assistant Pastor

It has been a year of God's faithfulness and grace as I served alongside many dedicated brothers and sisters in various ministries at SCAC.

Fellowships and Small Group Ministry

Jacob Fellowship centered on the theme "Trust in the LORD" (Proverbs 3:5–6), encouraging members to shift from self-reliance to God-reliance. The fellowship held monthly "Eat, Pray, Love" gatherings (3rd Friday) and Bible studies on Psalms and the Book of Daniel (4th Friday). In September, 42 members attended a retreat at Elim Lodge with the theme "Wholeheartedly Seek". I officiated the wedding of Jacob Fellowship couple Zoe and Brandon in the summer. I am grateful to committee members Tony Fok (Chairman), Abraham Lee (Vice-Chairman/Devotion), Gracia Sham (Caring/Secretary/Treasurer), and counselors, Agnes Lam, Johnny Lam, and Simon Lee for their faithful service.

Simon Lee and I supervise the Jacob Family Small Group, with committee members Ptolemy, Helen and Robin. The group meets on the 2nd and 4th Sundays at 11:30 am, with 18 active adults and 15 children.

Elisha Fellowship embraced the theme "WWJD – What Would Jesus Do?". In June, around 50 members attended a retreat at Bayview Glen Alliance Church with Rev. Joseph Wong as the speaker. Over 10 members participated in the "Jesus Loves Midland" community outreach during the summer. In December, 150 adults and children attended the Christmas Evangelical Meeting with Andrew Choi and Rev. Jones Lee as speakers. I am thankful for Rev. Steven Folts, who joined me in serving this fellowship in the spring. My appreciation goes to committee members, Carrie Cheung (Chairperson), Silvia Tam (Vice-Chair/Devotion), Eva Lee (General Manager/Treasurer), Lucia Yeung (Secretary), and counselor Vivienne Lee.

Enoch Fellowship welcomed new committee members, Vincci Ngan (Treasurer/Administration) and Patrick Woo (Program Coordinator). In August, members enjoyed camping at Muskoka Bible Centre over the Civic Holiday weekend. The fellowship maintained steady attendance, averaging over 60 people. I thank fellowship counselors, Agnes Lam, Johnny Lam, and Simon Lee for their dedication to the 25+ families.

Welcome Ministry

The Welcome Ministry received over 150 newcomers this year. Church Welcome Meetings were held in April and November. The "Next Stop Toronto" Facebook group grew to over 6,800 subscribers. I appreciate the committee members, Rev. Albert Chu, Rev. Steven Folts, Elder Fanny Au, Deacon Hazel Kwan, Deacon Joseph Man, Deacon Tony Pang, and Janet Chow. My thanks also go to the Worship Welcome Team for their partnership.



Teaching and Evangelism Ministries

I taught 2 terms of Sunday school: New Believers Class, and “Listen to God through the Bible”. I also had the privilege of teaching at “Deeper Life” twice this year — a transformation course serving our church and members from other Alliance churches.

In the fall, I began serving in the Community Outreach Ministry of the Evangelism Department, participating in monthly evangelistic outreaches and Christmas caroling at the year’s end. My appreciation goes to Rev. Ocean Ng and Jeany for their dedication and leadership.

Appreciation

Special thanks to Rev. Jones Lee for his many years of service in all 4 fellowships before moving to SOBEM in the spring. I am deeply grateful to Rev. Albert Chu, who faithfully served in the Welcome Ministry throughout his time at Main Campus before becoming the Lead Pastor at Gormley Campus. I warmly welcome Rev. Steven Folts, who joined me in the spring to serve in Elisha Fellowship, the Welcome Ministry, and the Evangelism Department.

I give thanks to God for the opportunity to serve alongside so many faithful servants this year. May we continue to grow in Christ and serve Him wholeheartedly.

Rev. Lily Li, Assistant Pastor

“See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland.” (Isaiah 43:19)

As we look back on the Lord’s leading this past year, we truly see that God has indeed been doing new things in every area of ministry and life.

Personal & Family Reflections:

- ❖ In July, our son married his girlfriend of 10 years. The continuation of our Christian faith is our wish for the new family. *“As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord.”* (Joshua 24:15)
- ❖ Thanks to the Heavenly Father for granting me with the opportunities to participate in 2 learning and spiritual formation programs focused on direction for the “second half” and spiritual growth, from which I benefitted greatly.
- ❖ I started to serve on the Eastern District (ECD) Licensing Council of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, assisting in interviews for new Alliance pastoral candidates.

Regular Mandarin Congregation Pastoral Responsibilities

- ❖ Under the supervision of the Senior Pastor, arranging the Mandarin pulpit ministry, coordinating and inviting guest speakers.



- ❖ Preached 16 times, including Sunday worship services and outreach evangelistic meetings.
- ❖ Taught 2 semesters of Sunday school – “Being Built Up Through Prayer” (March to May), “Spiritual Devotional Bible Reading” (June to August). Also focused on equipping and developing the Sunday school teaching team.
- ❖ Organized weekly prayer meetings, personally leading once a month, and invited missionaries to share during prayer gatherings.
- ❖ Participated regularly or periodically in the Mandarin Congregation’s 10 small groups.
- ❖ Provided pastoral care for brothers and sisters with physical, emotional, and spiritual needs.
- ❖ Mentored and equipped brothers and sisters with potential and a heart to serve, including Sunday school teachers, small group leaders, and outreach counselors.
- ❖ Coordinated and discussed ministry matters across 9 ministry departments.
- ❖ Led Mandarin co-worker committee meetings every 2 months.

First-Time Experiences Beyond Regular Ministries

- ❖ The 1st Mandarin Good Friday service, with co-workers invited to share on the “Last Seven Words of Christ”. Brothers and sisters participated wholeheartedly, confessing sins and repenting before the cross.
- ❖ For the first time, Mandarin Ministry leaders attended a spiritual retreat, where they were led by pastors to be still before God and receive grace through listening and prayers.
- ❖ I conducted premarital counseling for the first time and officiated and hosted a wedding. We thank the Lord that Mandarin Congregation members lovingly served as if marrying off their own daughter.
- ❖ A total of 8 couples (5 from the Aquila Fellowship Group) attended the “Loving Couples Retreat” organized by the Chinese Family for Christ (CFFC), strengthening both marriages and fellowship among members.
- ❖ After years of prayer, the Men’s Fellowship Group was finally established and now meets monthly.
- ❖ For the first time, a “Spiritual Devotional Bible Reading” Sunday school class was offered. Brothers and sisters immersed themselves in scripture and experienced what many described as “reading themselves into the Bible”.
- ❖ Over 6 months, the Mandarin Congregation prayer meetings were led using the Alliance’s “Spiritual Transformation” prayer guide.
- ❖ Around the Joint Mission Conference in August, International Workers were invited to share at prayer meetings and preach in our Sunday Service, giving brothers and sisters a face-to-face understanding and experience of missions. Several small groups adopted missionaries for ongoing care and prayer.
- ❖ 4 sisters participated in the Mandarin short-term mission trip to Mexico.
- ❖ Began preparations for the “Praying for the Next Generation” ministry, launching in January 2026.



- ❖ Began preparations for an ESL outreach ministry, scheduled to launch in February 2026.

A fellow pastor once said that pastoring is like a mother cooking meal for her children every day, laborious work, often without immediate visible results. Yet, through daily, faithful nurturing, the children gradually grow. This metaphor deeply resonates with pastoral ministry.

We are very grateful that more brothers and sisters from mainland China rising up to participate in our Mandarin Ministry, i.e. serving in the Mandarin Ministry Committee, as fellowship group leaders, and Sunday school teachers. We give thanks to God that 6 brothers and sisters completed the Truth Seekers Class, New Believers Discipleship Class, and Baptism Class, passed their baptism interviews, and were baptized into Christ on Christmas Day: Jingnan Chen, Xinzhe Guo, Xixue Pan, Huifang Shen, Yungui Shi, Linxuan Wang.

2025 Mandarin Congregation Leadership & Ministry Departments

Chairperson:	Rev. Lily Li
Elders:	Jason Leung, Grace Luk
Worship:	Ben Mok, Emmy Huang
Sacred Music:	Tina Liao
AV & Multimedia:	Patrick Wong
Christian Education:	Jason Leung, John Zhang
Outreach & Evangelism:	Grace Luk (leading the Outreach Evangelism Team)
Small Groups & Fellowship:	William Zhou
Welcome	Tina Liao
Love Feast & Activities:	Ivan Yao
Missions:	Wenjing Hu

“I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing.” (John 15:5) This verse deeply resonates with my heart. Jesus Christ is the Lord of the Church. Apart from Him, we can do nothing. May all glory be given to the Lord alone!

Rev. Kim Poon, Assistant Pastor

Sunday School Ministry:

This year, I had the opportunity to teach the English Ministry’s “Healthy Spirituality and Prayer” course in January and February. In the fall Sunday school term, I taught the “Holy Sexuality” course to equip parents of teenagers and help them communicate effectively with their children on matters related to sexuality. Beginning in December, I also started teaching the Book of Esther in the Mandarin Sunday school.



Prayer Ministry:

We give thanks for all the coworkers who have faithfully devoted themselves to the Prayer Ministry, including Rev. Poon, Elder Catherine Yung, Deacon Derek So, Corie Tse, Sabrina Cheng, Pullisa Kong, and Clara Lee. We thank the Lord that this year He has also prepared Debby Or to join our ministry team, building the altar of prayer together with us.

- ❖ This year, the church-wide Fasting and Prayer Meetings (in-person gatherings) were held on April 5 and November 15, with the themes “Shifting the Spiritual Climate” and “Purifying the Heart and Drawing Near to God”.
- ❖ The Wednesday Prayer Meeting continued in a hybrid format, both in person and online. During Lent and Advent this year, we guided brothers and sisters to meditate on scripture and draw near to the Lord through the practice of “praying the Scriptures”.
- ❖ After the monthly 11:15 am worship service, pastors and elders prayed for brothers, sisters, and friends in need.
- ❖ In March, July, and October, we held Healing Prayer Meetings for the sick. At the Year-End Thanksgiving Prayer Meeting on December 31, 10 brothers and sisters from different fellowships testified to God’s work. September was our church’s Prayer Month, and we invited Rev. Brian Wong from Cornerstone Chinese Alliance Church to share the theme message, “A Spirit-Filled Faith Community”.

“Deeper into Life and Mission” Course**(Deeper into Life and Mission Formation Training)**

This year, the course was conducted in person. The theme for April 25–27 was “Set the Captives Free”, and the theme for October 31 to November 2 was “Knowing the Holy Spirit and Learning to Hear God”. The 2 training sessions had 84 and 150 participants, respectively.

Praying the Scriptures Practice: “Savoring Scripture, Returning to Our First Love”

This year’s “Praying the Scriptures Practice” was held online in May (spring) and October (fall), with sessions offered in both morning and evening, led by various pastors and instructors.

Joint Mission Conference (JMC)

I served in the organizing committee, overseeing the prayer team and coordinating intercession for the various language groups throughout the conference. On August 2, I led 2 seminars titled “Learning to Listen and Discern God’s Guidance and Emulating the Spiritual Legacy of Alliance Pioneers”.

Family Ministry

We thank God for showing us that the church and families must work hand in hand to build disciples grounded in biblical truth. From September to November this year, we offered Dr. Christopher Yuan’s “Holy Sexuality” course in a Sunday school format to equip parents of teenagers to respond to contemporary issues with biblical truth.



Health Education Committee

Members of the Health Education Committee include Rev. Poon, Rosalie Cheng, Candy Lee, Sampson Kwan, and Justin Hung. On May 24, the committee hosted a seminar titled “Youth Mental Health and Technology Addiction”.

Esther Fellowship

The fellowship offered teachings on a variety of biblical topics throughout the year, including an overview of the Old Testament, Ash Wednesday, an overview of the New Testament, a Lenten spiritual journey, studies on Bible characters such as Jacob, teachings on the Book of Esther, special Bible topics such as how David walked through crisis, studies on the Book of Habakkuk, Examen prayer, the Book of Judges, and the Books of Ezra and Nehemiah. From July to October, the fellowship also actively visited sisters in need, offering care and support.

Zion Fellowship

The fellowship adopted the church’s annual theme, “Be Holy”, as its focus for the year and actively participated in the church’s Evangelism Month outreach activities.

Cornerstone Fellowship

The theme for the year was “Reshaping the Multifaceted Nature of Life”. The fellowship also organized a retreat on June 14–15 titled “Fifty and Sixty, Used by the Lord Again”. In September, as Rev. Albert Chu transitioned to serve at the Gormley Campus, we welcomed Rev. Steven Folts to the fellowship.

YASAD Ministry

This ministry serves families with children who have special needs. Meetings include sharing community resources, inspirational testimonies, and praying for one another. We are grateful for the faithful coordination and leadership of Amy Lee.

Elisha Fellowship

The theme for the year was “WWJD – What Would Jesus Do?”. The fellowship placed special emphasis on caring for members with needs, and Rev. Poon participated in a monthly sisters’ support group to watch over one another.

Rev. Rosa Leung, Assistant Pastor

Geoffrey Hinton, the “godfather of AI”, warned recently in an interview that “there is a 10 to 20 percent chance of AI eventually taking control away from humans... and people haven’t got it yet...” (Source: “Godfather of AI”; Geoffrey Hinton warns AI could take control from humans: “People haven’t understood what’s coming” - CBS News)



Indeed, we are living in unprecedented times dominated by social media, information confusion, and AI's rapid development. Our world feels surreal, where truth and falsehood are becoming increasingly blurred and difficult to distinguish.

The Bible also warns us, *"There will be terrible times in the last days. People will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boastful, proud, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy, without love, unforgiving, slanderous, without self-control, brutal, not lovers of the good..."* (2 Timothy 3:1-3) and *"always learning but never able to come to a knowledge of the truth."* (2 Timothy 3:7)

Furthermore, we can feel overwhelmed by the global news of natural and human-made disasters, and the increase in violence and insecurity. However, these things should not surprise us, as the Lord says, *"And you will hear of wars and rumors of wars. See that you are not alarmed, for this must take place, but the end is not yet. For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom, and there will be famines and earthquakes in various places."* (Matthew 24:6-7)

As the church in general, and the English Ministry (EM) in particular, how are we to respond?

In EM, we labour to prepare and equip our youth and young adults to be Christ's disciples who can respond faithfully and biblically - with hope, grace, and courage - to the present historical and ideological challenges. We are aware that this can only happen when they have encountered and developed a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus through His Holy Spirit, and by God's grace.

It is our goal in EM that every program, every teaching, every encounter, every conversation, and every prayer will cultivate a greater love for the Lord and His Word, nurturing spiritual transformation into Christlikeness, and equipping disciples for service.

I am thankful for the opportunity and privilege to be part of God's work in equipping, nurturing, supporting, and teaching His people with His eternal truths, alongside our dedicated pastoral team, elders, deacons, and leaders. One way we do this is through our Sunday school. In 2025, we covered topics such as "Emotionally Healthy Spirituality & Listening Prayer", "The Doctrine of the Bible", Worship, "A Biblical Response to the Role of Women in Ministry", "A Biblical Response to Calvinism", "Spiritual Disciplines", and a study of sections of Matthew (Parables of Jesus and Jesus' Kingdom Authority).

There is still much room for spiritual growth. Discipleship and leadership development are slow processes. Our young leaders are growing and taking initiative to serve, exploring ways to shine for Jesus at school and/or their workplace, and participating in missions.



Thank God, our church is supporting 11 young adults to attend Urbana 2025 (December 28-31, 2025), and I have the privilege to go with them. I look forward to seeing how God will speak to each one of them on this trip.

It is my prayer that our people's DOING will be the overflow of their BEING in Christ Jesus. And to this end, we will continue to labour in 2026 (Colossians 1:9-10).

Rev. Amy Wong, Assistant Pastor

2025 has been a year of transitions at SCAC Gormley Campus. I am thankful for a dedicated team of volunteers and coordinators that make my role as the Children's Pastor a little bit easier.

For 2025, Pastor Jonathan Choy, Pastor Jacky Lam and I have been helping out with the Gormley youth to help them make the smooth transition into the Chinese and English worship services. I am thankful that it went better than expected and the youth are getting used to the new routine.

In September, Pastor Jonathan has been assigned to be the youth pastor at Main Campus so Pastor Jacky and I are now overseeing the youth at Gormley. I am also assisting in the English Ministry in an administrative role until the new English pastor is hired.

To our amazement, God has given us a dedicated team of youth counselors to help us mentors and spiritually develop the teens. We have Dawn Chan and Timothy Cheng who joined our team in the fall of 2025 and also Yvonne Chan and Adam Yau who joined us in December. With this dedicated team of adults, we have seen a steady attendance in our youth fellowship over the past 3-4 months, so praise God for that!

With Rev. Stephen Lee retiring at the end of October, we are now under the new leadership of Rev. Albert Chu, the Gormley Campus site pastor, overseeing both English and Chinese congregations. Thank you, Maria Lee ("cmo"), for her faithful service in Children's Ministry the past 11 years! You will be greatly missed!

We now look forward to the new chapter of Gormley Campus under Rev. Albert Chu and how God may use the Children's Ministry to reach out to the community around our church in the years to come.

Special thanks to my Children's Ministry team members in 2025 who serve so tirelessly during the year.

Ellen Chan – early childhood coordinator

Miriam Cheng – junior class (Grade 1-3) coordinator



Thomson Chan – senior class/overall administrator
Grace Pang – CM committee member and administrator
Maria Lee – senior class teacher and committee member
Mavis Tam – AWANA commander

May God continue to use you in helping the children grow in their faith at Gormley Campus!

Rev. Steven Folts, Assistant Pastor

Elisha Fellowship

Over the past year, the fellowship's monthly gatherings and dinner have required significant commitment and effort. We give thanks to the committee, brothers and sisters, and many volunteers for their wholehearted service. Special thanks go to Rev. Kim Poon for her pastoral care for fellowship families. We also thank Pastor Stephen Chan, Michael, Nancy, and the volunteers for their dedication, enabling parents to serve with peace of mind while children grow in the love of our Lord Jesus Christ.

- ❖ The Annual Retreat deepened our relationship with God and with one another. We are grateful to Rev. Joseph Wong (Big Joe) for encouraging us, through the teachings of Jesus, to steward our time well and respond faithfully to the Gospel mission.
- ❖ During the summer worship choir, the whole family participated in service. With accompaniment by the younger-generation band, we sang in unity and experienced God's presence. Special thanks to Sammy for his leadership as conductor.
- ❖ Centered on this year's theme, WWJD (What would Jesus do?), the fellowship selected 6 scripture passages and encouraged families to memorize the Lord's teachings together, being shaped into the likeness of Christ. Both the fellowship and small groups continued to flourish, with new friends joining.
- ❖ Theme for 2026: **"Blessed to Be a Blessing"**. Guided by "Genesis 12:2", members are encouraged to first count God's abundant blessings and then respond to the needs around us, blessing the community through practical action so that the Lord may be glorified.

May the Lord bless every member of the ministry team:

Committee:	Carrie Cheung, Silvia Tam, Eva Lee, Lucia Yeung
Counsellor:	Vivienne Lee
Fellowship Pastors:	Rev. Samuel Or, Rev. Steven Folts



Nehemiah Fellowship

We thank the Lord for granting us a rich and diverse fellowship life.

- ❖ In addition to the weekly Friday evening gatherings, the committee designed holistic care ministries addressing spiritual, physical, and emotional well-being. These included a study of “1 Corinthians”, prayer and testimony meetings, and seminars on spiritual growth and health.
- ❖ The fellowship also organized periodic family-oriented outdoor and seasonal activities, which attracted not only fellowship members but also new friends.
- ❖ The annual retreat was attended by over 50 participants of all ages. Rev. Albert Chu was the main speaker, and everyone benefited greatly. A “special opening” creatively presented by Rev. Chu and his wife left a lasting impression.
- ❖ Parents actively supported the growth of the younger generation by participating in baseball games, outdoor training camps, and assisting with the English congregation’s education ministry, practicing the passing on of faith.

We are thankful to Rev. Kim Poon for her ministry in the Soul Care sessions, and also grateful to Rev. Poon, our counsellor, and the committee for their members’ care. During Alex’s illness, members took turns visiting and praying faithfully for Alex and Joyce.

May the Lord bless the ministry team:

Counsellors:	Steve Hui, Polly Hui
Committee:	Tranal Chow, Alex Cheung, Alice To, Daisy So, Emily Lip, Li Huang, Ronnie Ma, Stephen Lew, Tommy Ma
Fellowship Pastor:	Rev. Steven Folts

Cornerstone Fellowship

Following Rev. Albert Chu transition to serve at the Gormley Campus, my deeper involvement with the Cornerstone Fellowship began in August.

- ❖ On August 9, members participated in a park outing followed by a dim-sum luncheon. The vitality and unity of the fellowship were evident, for which we give thanks to God.
- ❖ The large-group fellowship sharing on November 22 saw strong attendance. I also had the opportunity to serve as one of the speakers, responding to the theme “Reshaping the Many Facets of Life”.
- ❖ Meetings were held with the committee to prepare for the election of a new leadership team and to plan fellowship activities for the coming year. It was encouraging to see fellowship leaders working together, with committee members serving faithfully, each fulfilling their role.

May the Lord grant grace to the ministry team, and special thanks to Rev. Albert Chu for his many years of leadership and faithful cultivation.



Committee: Victor Tam, Connie Yeung, Esther Ng, Melanie Chan, Nancy Ho,
Ronald Kwok, Siu Wai Kwok, Wallace Lee
Fellowship Pastors: Rev. Kim Poon, Rev. Steven Folts

Departments and Other Ministries

- ❖ Pastoral Care Ministry: Worked alongside elders and deacon to complete the October 4 retreat, and served as the speaker, encouraging participants to pursue holiness through pastoral care.
- ❖ Welcome Ministry: Supported the reception of new friends connected with mission initiatives, organizing summer and mid-autumn welcome gatherings. Many newcomers participated, some joined fellowships, and some came to faith.
- ❖ Evangelism Ministry: Newly joined the department, succeeding Rev. Ocean Ng, and assisted with the Alpha Course.

In addition, I taught the “Book of Titus” in the September Sunday school session, shared in multiple fellowships, delivered short messages at the Evangelism Explosion., Hua En Ministry, and Mon Sheong gatherings, and preached in worship services at the Main Campus, Gormley Campus, and Mandarin Congregation.

Pastor Stephen Chan, Assistant Pastor

2025 has been a long year of challenges, growth and also blessings. I continue to be excited for the new faces that have joined our Children’s Ministry (CM) this year, alongside their family joining our church, and also seeing a few of our seasonal faces (e.g. summer camps) begin to join our church for regular Sunday participation. It is always a little sad to see our oldest kids move up to English Ministry (EM) when they graduate from CM. I am proud of each and every one of them and how much they have grown during their time with our ministry.

Kid’s Worship & The Gospel Project

Back in September 2024, our children’s worship restarted our 3-year cycle with “The Gospel Project”, which we had cut short by 4 units to align ourselves better with the curriculum’s normal cycle. We continue to see the benefits of shifting towards a curriculum that truly aims to cover the Bible in 3 years through solid exegetical teaching that ties back to the Gospel message. Children are getting better at seeing how all of the biblical narrative ties together to give them not just an understanding of how things are connected, but also their personal involvement in their own salvation and relationship with God.



Children's Sunday School & AWANA

For this year we have continued to maintain and make use of a rotation between Children's Sunday School & AWANA. This rotation allows our children to have a more varied experience in further exploring what they learned earlier during worship, through the 2 different learning environments they will experience as they come Sunday after Sunday. In particular, this year we have seen an increase in not just new adult leaders who want to serve with these two areas of ministry, but also a very large and committed group of student leaders (officially: LIT or Leaders in Training) who have responded strongly to their God-given passions and burdens to look after our next generation.

CM Leader's Retreat & CM Sunday

Back in May we had both our annual CM Leader's Retreat with both the Main Campus and Gormley Campus CM Leaders, and also CM Sunday, where Rev. Amy Wong and I respectively were able to encourage our church to consider the significance of our ministry, and the importance of everyone's participation in both big and small ways.

For the Leader's Retreat we had an amazing time of fellowship, allowing ministry leaders to share and support each other despite different realities between our two campuses. This year I was thankful to be able to explore with our leaders further about understanding our next generation (Generation Alpha) from a teaching perspective, which builds on to the learning I presented last year, but from a parenting perspective.

Elisha & Enoch Fellowship

It is a blessing to be able to spend time with the children of these two fellowships at their large gatherings, to be able to dive deeper into Scripture with them, but also to be able to build deeper relationships with them through crafts and activities that would otherwise be more difficult to accomplish on Sunday mornings. I am also thankful that this has afforded me the opportunity to more intentionally connect with the parents of these families.

Final Thoughts

I have but only the deepest appreciation and thanksgiving to the dedicated leaders who serve in various aspects of our Children's Ministry, especially some of our leaders who play more unseen roles in keeping our ministry organized, and keeping our kids safe. May the Lord bless our children, our families and our leaders in the upcoming year of 2026.

Pastor Wendy Kong, Assistant Pastor**Emerging young leaders**

Entering my 3rd year at SCAC, I see young people gradually assume the role of leaders. Whether it is Daniel Fellowship or "Jesus Teens", young people have been planning the fellowship programs. Thanks to the 3 young people of Daniel Fellowship (Anna Mo, Sam Lin and Stanley Lam) who created 4 support groups: Sport group, Board Game group, Outing group and



Soul group. They invited believers and non-believers to work together for fellowship to establish weekly meetings, through joint planning, draw closer to one another, and bear witness to life. Thanks also to Jacky Lee and Enoch Ng for establishing a social media group, using graphic design and text to promote fellowship activities on the web. To further nurture Christian leaders, discipleship training is established, twice a month on Tuesday evening, I met with 6 girls to learn the mindset of ministry using the book, “Leaders after God’s Heart”, and build a group of believers who desire to grow more spiritually.

Thanks to the 4 young people, Anna Mo, Curtis Tse, Emily Cheng and Timothy Wong who served in “Jesus Teens” for high school and college students. Through their experiences of attending secondary school and college in Toronto and their faith journey as second generation Christians, they can guide young people to search for their own lives and teach them the truth of the Bible. At the “Jesus Teens” camp, the “Jesus Chill”, as leaders think together how to still afford to “chill” despite the stress of life. I am grateful to see the rise of young leaders!

Holy sex

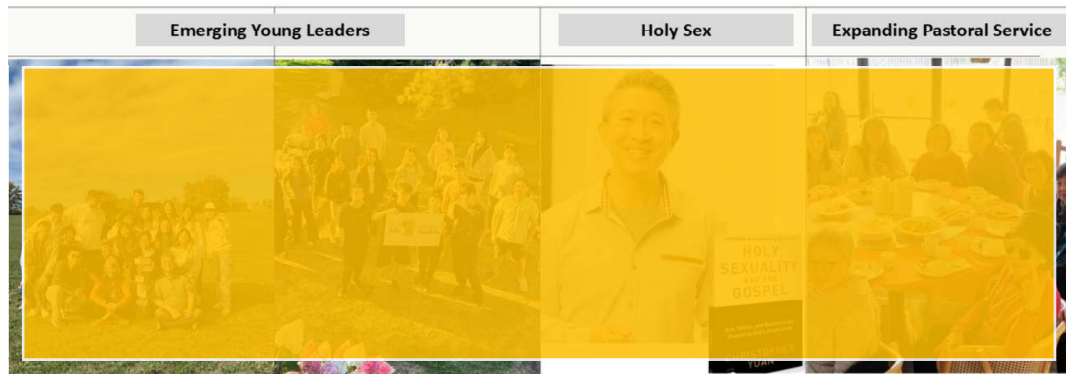
I completed Master of Theology program 2 years ago, focusing on “spirituality and sexuality”. Through my studies, I hope to find answers in theology and the Bible responding to young people’s sexual issues. Finally I got the opportunity to spend 6 months at the beginning of this year, to use Dr. Yuen’s book, “Holy Sex” as the curriculum to guide young people to think about the topic during Sunday school time and to answer the confusion of young people living together and homosexuality. I can reflect on the subject, in relation to the sex culture in Toronto. I am grateful to be able to apply what I have learned. Thank to all students who participated in the course, with lively discussions, enriching the course content.

In addition to this, I completed the marriage counseling guide course “Prepare and Enrich” which allows me to use counseling and spiritual citation skills to guide the young people to a holy journey of marriage. Thanks to young people for the opportunity to have a part in your marriage journey!

Expanding my pastoral service

I participated in women’s ministry, Esther Fellowship on Wednesday mornings and Agape Fellowship on the 4th Sunday afternoon of each month. I am so grateful to have been loved by women of all ages. Although they have gone through various challenges and illnesses in their lives, they are still full of joy and follow the Lord, which is truly a beautiful thing. Thanks for giving me the opportunity to teach in the Esther Fellowship (the Book of Judges) and to meditate quietly on God’s work on us on Thanksgiving eve.





In addition, I was part of this year's Mission Conference planning committee. It took more than half a year to prepare with the promotion of Mission Conference, encouraging the congregation – "Dare to Dream and Want to Fly". It is the work of the Holy Spirit, to have 15 brothers and sisters responding to the call to full-time ministry.

Pastor Percy Ho, Assistant Pastor

Thanks to the Lord, 2025 continued to bring many gains in ministry, especially in mid-July when I experienced a near-death experience. During my recovery, I felt the Father's salvation of my life once again, which strengthened my resolve and commitment to continue my work as a pastor.

Daniel Fellowship

Entering my 3rd year of ministry in Daniel Fellowship, I continue to collaborate with Elder Sam Kwan and Pastor Wendy Kong in leading and teaching. Thanks to the support of the committee and other young believers, I was able to expand to additional teaching opportunities, such as premarital counseling courses, men's groups, and mentor training.

For Daniel Fellowship's "meal" on Friday evenings, I thank Lolita and Lianna for their help in getting the meal prepared by 6:30 pm, ready for the young people who just finish their work or school, to come to SCAC for dinner before starting our weekly fellowship meeting.

As the Hong Kong Pathway program enters its later stage, many of Daniel's young people are now eligible to apply for permanent residency, which is definitely good news. However, they face new difficulties, doubts, and struggles in other areas of development, such as work, marriage, family, life, and spiritual growth. These require time for individual conversations, sharing, and encouragement. Therefore, I continue to invite them to meet after each weekly worship service to pray together.



Family Fellowship

I continue to thank our leader, Quoc Truong, the committee, and every large, medium, and small group leader for their faithful service. I have noticed their continued eagerness to share the Gospel and their involvement in various church ministries; they are always a good example for me to learn from.

John Fellowship

This year, I become the pastor of John Fellowship. As a men's fellowship, it feels very warm and welcoming. Most of the brothers are elders who have witnessed my growth in this church. At this life stage, we continue to grow through Bible reading, studying God's word, and pursuing spiritual growth within this fellowship. Since the committee has already faithfully taken care of the bi-weekly fellowship programs, as their pastor, my biggest challenge is to continue shepherding them as they journey on their 2nd half of their lives.

Preaching and Sunday School

In terms of teaching, I teach Sunday school, discipleship, Bible study groups, and plan various meetings. Every time when I prepare for a sermon message, I deepen my understanding of God's word. This year, I have taught a Sunday school class on "The Life of Isaac". I also participated in a truth exploration class, listening to many nonbelievers' faith-related questions. I continue learning to preach effectively, through interpretation, explanation, tone, life examples, and the use of transitions. I pray that the Lord will continue to guide and help me.

Pastor Jonathan Choy, Assistant Pastor

Going into 2025, we welcomed youth to our Gormley English service every Sunday rather than once a month. This time was filled with excitement and challenge as many youths struggle to sit still for more than half an hour at a time. Despite that, God is good; we've found small places for the youth to carve out to start learning what it means to belong, serving in several areas and going deeper in their walks with the Lord. We're still looking for further integration, but I'm glad that there's a place for the youth and the adults to see and be seen by one another.

It's also been a privilege to serve with the Gormley English Congregation leadership team. Leading with Rev. Christopher Perumalla, Rev. Amy Wong, elders Serena Lau, and William Etzkorn, and deacon Stanley Chau has been a pleasure. This year we saw the start and continuation of many ministries at Gormley, thanks to the leaders' initiative and brainstorming. Some highlights for me were the ways this team organized gatherings such as summer barbeque outreach and Christmas mini-festival outreach. As the psalmist says, "*How good and pleasant it is when God's people live together in unity!*" I hope that more glimpses of this unity would draw people to know the Lord, particularly among our next generation.



The end of summer saw another change as I move back to join the Main Campus as a youth pastor. Thinking about how to transition ministry responsibilities and strategies was a challenge, but as I continued to pray and work with all the teams, I was encouraged to let go because of the faithful brothers and sisters that God placed here. I am saddened to take a step away from Gormley, but I trust the Lord and His leaders to continue to plant gardens in the way of Jesus.

As I transition back to the Main Campus' youth ministry, it feels familiar, but also quite different. Many of the youth I once knew are now a lot taller and are far more mature! Praise God! I'm humbled to step back into this ministry, particularly seeing how it has grown and developed by the many youth leaders and youth mentors. As I reintegrate, relearn, and gain the trust of the congregants, I pray that the Lord will show me how I can support and serve with those who are sowing and watering.

Pastor Jacky Lam, Assistant Pastor

Thanks to the Lord's guidance, I officially joined SCAC in May 2025 becoming a full-time pastor. Being a part of this spiritual family is a great blessing from God to me and my family. Although the full-time pastoral journey is full of challenges, I have deeply experienced at every step that God's grace is always sufficient.

Evangelistic Ministry: Witnessing the Work of the Holy Spirit

On May 10, Gormley Campus (GMC) held a "Returning Home" music sharing evangelistic meeting for new immigrants from Hong Kong. This was a vision personally given by the Lord to Brother Laband who responded with commitment in faith. During the preparation process, we discovered that the Lord had moved and prepared many brothers and sisters in the church with different gifts to participate in this ministry. All the arrangements were blessed and prepared by the Lord. The ministry members spent half a year rehearsing, and although encountered many difficulties, we repeatedly experienced the Lord's faithful guidance and presence.

This was also my first time serving as the caller for the meeting. I was filled with trepidation. However, at the moment of calling, I clearly saw the Holy Spirit working in people's hearts, personally moving 5 brothers and sisters to come to the front and make decisions to follow the Lord Jesus again in front of everyone. This scene is deeply engraved in my heart, becoming an important sign of my witnessing God's grace and power on my ministry journey.

Youth Outreach Ministry: Connecting with Life Through Sports

In the past year, the church reached out to many young people through basketball outreach ministry. The sports field has become a platform for our life exchange. We train every Monday evening from 6 pm to 8 pm, and each training session includes 15 minutes of Gospel sharing. Through sports ministry, God has opened the hearts of many young people, making them willing to accept the Gospel, and their lives are gradually being transformed.



I especially thank a group of faithful co-workers: Almen Ng, Edward Li, Kenneth Lo, and Ricky Chu. We worked together in ordering jerseys, transporting the young people to the field, sharing our faith with them, and praying for their growth needs. May the Lord personally reward all the service we have done for these young people.

On the sports field, the Lord has also shown me a deeper burden. The Gospel must not only enter the lives of young people but also their families. Therefore, I have a deeper desire to reach out to the players' parents, build trusting relationships, and share the Gospel with them. Looking back, I deeply see that the Lord's plan far exceeds our expectations—He is working wonderfully in every family we have reached.

2026 Outlook: Building Families and Discipleship

As we enter 2026, I deeply desire that the Lord continue to use me, this humble and unworthy servant, in conjunction with shepherding young people and parents. To actively promote Family Ministry within the church, make families places of blessing, shepherding and equipping. May every family receive God's abundant blessings in the Gospel.

All glory to our God!



Ministry Reports

English Ministry Gary Lo

The English Ministry (EM) at SCAC serves a predominantly English-speaking community, comprising of youths from Grade 7 and up, as well as adults of all ages (18+).

The year 2025 was especially meaningful for EM, as it marked the 10th anniversary of our congregation. What began as a ministry of fewer than 10 individuals—mostly high school students—has grown into a vibrant community of more than 200, spanning a wide range of ages and backgrounds. What an incredible testimony to God’s glory and the abundant blessings He has poured out on EM!

To celebrate this milestone, EM hosted a luncheon in August featuring a meaningful program titled “For His Glory”, reflecting on the countless ways God has worked in and through our ministry over the past decade. It was inspiring to hear stories shared by both past and present congregants and pastors, recounting God’s faithfulness. The celebration continued with a wonderful meal and rich fellowship among brothers and sisters.

We were also greatly encouraged by the enthusiastic participation of EM members—both attendees and those serving—in this year’s Joint Mission Convention (JMC) held at Bayview Glen Alliance Church in August. I was particularly moved to witness God stirring the missional hearts of our young people. May the Lord continue to raise up the next generation of Christ-centred, Spirit-empowered, and mission-focused disciples to carry out His Kingdom work.

Another exciting development this year is the planned renovation of the U200/U100 space. Upgrades include a new sound and streaming system, a more accessible stage and backdrop, and new seating. As U200/U100 remains EM’s primary worship venue, we pray these improvements will enrich the worship experience for both our congregation and newcomers. Praise God for His abundant provision—may we steward these resources wisely so they may multiply in blessing.

Finally, we rejoice that 18 believers publicly declared their faith through baptism this year, sharing their testimonies before family and friends. Praise God that the Gospel continues to be proclaimed and that He is drawing new followers to Himself.

Some additional highlights / activities from EM this year:

February

- ❖ EM participated in SCAC’s annual Chinese New Year celebrations

March

- ❖ Welcomed and transitioned to new C3 Fellowship Committee for 2024 Term
- ❖ Teens Conference for Juniors (Gr 7-8) & Seniors (Gr 9-12) over March Break (March 10 -13)



- ❖ BigFam Worship Service held on March 30

April

- ❖ Good Friday Joint (Multiple Churches) English Service held at SCAC
- ❖ The following individuals were baptized during the Easter weekend:
 - Rachel Kwong, Timothy Kwong, Erin Tam, Enoch Tai, Alvin To, Jessica Truong, Raymond Truong, Akins Wong, Jeffery Zhou
- ❖ EM Worship Ministry Huddle (April 27)

May

- ❖ C3 Fellowship Retreat @ Fair Havens (May 23-24) - 66 attendees
- ❖ Softball season begins - this year we have 3 teams: Convergence (Juniors), Encounter (Seniors), and Envision (Seniors)

June

- ❖ DG Leaders Huddle - June 8
- ❖ Evangelism Month - Invited Dr. Vince and Jo Vitale (June 14-15)

July

- ❖ Men's Fishing Retreat - July 26 - 15 attendees
- ❖ The following individuals were baptized during the July 27 weekend:
 - Ethne Au, Clara Hong, Jessica Pao, Katia Tam, Ian Xiong

August

- ❖ EMC participates in Joint Missions Convention @ Bayview Glen Alliance Church (Aug 1- 4)
- ❖ Joseph Junior Youth Counsellor (JYC) Leadership Retreat - August 8
- ❖ EM 10th Anniversary Celebration - August 24
- ❖ SCAC Softball Season Ending Inter-team Games - August 24

September

- ❖ Joseph Fellowship starts new term
- ❖ Pastor Jon Choy re-joins EM @ Main Campus to serve as Youth Pastor

October

- ❖ Women's Retreat @ Meadows of Aurora - 19 attendees
- ❖ EM Worship Ministry Huddle - Oct 19
- ❖ EM participates in SCAC Missions Conference - Oct 23-26

November

- ❖ EM Leaders Retreat @ Gormley held on November 22
- ❖ BigFam Worship Service held on November 30



December

- ❖ C3 Christmas Celebration held on December 21
- ❖ EM joins SCAC Christmas Eve Worship - December 24
- ❖ Joseph Retreat @ Fair Havens between December 26 - 28
- ❖ The following individuals were baptized on Dec 21:
 - Andrea Cheung, Isaac Chong, Janice Jia, Ivana Shek

Serving with the dedicated pastoral and lay leaders at EM is a blessing and I am excited to see what God will do at EM in the upcoming year!

EM Steering Committee Members for 2025:

- ❖ SCAC Staff: Rev. Aaron Owen, Rev. Rosa Leung, Pastor Jonathan Choy (Rejoined in September), Jeremy Lo
- ❖ Lay Leaders: Jonathan Lau, Cynthia Ho, Gabriel Tse
- ❖ Elders: Gary Lo, Joyce Hui, Serena Lau
- ❖ Deacon: Derek So

Joseph Fellowship Jeremy Lo

Joseph Fellowship is a fellowship within the English Ministry for grades 7-12. God has been once again faithful to Joseph Fellowship's leaders and members in 2025. Our average attendance for the 2024-25 school year was 22 for JRS and 42 for SRS. The average so far for the 2025-26 year is 24 for JRS and 52 for SRS.

This year we are delighted to invite Pastor Jonathan Choy to the youth ministry team as he will join as the Main Campus' youth pastor! Joseph Sr has not recruited Joseph Youth Committee (JYC) members as a majority of them are staying for another year. The JYC are Akins Wong, Angel Ma, Curtis Ho, Karis Cheung, Tiffany Zhang, Kalos Wong, Olivier Lew, Trevor Au Yeung, and Vicky Zhou. Benita Lu, Jon Lau, and Janice Liu have stepped down as a Joseph youth mentors as they moved on to other things.

God has been faithful in blessing us with a new observer youth mentor: Gabi Lee. We had our last year observers promoted to official youth mentors! They are Chris Ho and Nathan Au. They join our existing youth mentors: Carlotta Lau, Issac Lee, Rachel Cheng, Kevin Chan, Matthias Ng, Avril Cheng.

We continue to use the 10 checkpoints structure from years before, which emphasize 10 themes that will help to equip high school students with a strong foundation in Christ. They are Fellowship, Good News, Authentic Faith, Spiritual Disciplines, Wise Choices, Meaningful Friendships, Moral Boundaries, Ultimate Authority, Others First, and Reaching Out.



We continue to see a huge group of youth (around 30) who are passionate to serve during summer camps. We were able to have great weeks of training as well as camps along with Pastor Stephen Chan and the Children's Ministry team/interns. A few youths served as summer interns: Odelia Au, Olivier Lew, Tiffany Zhang, and Karis Cheung.

The youth service teams are going well! Each team had many opportunities to serve their peers in different capacities. The teams are worship team, hospitality team, and community team. The worship team is being led by Cynthia Ho and the community team is led by Kevin Chan.

We continue to have group events. We participated Teens Conference 2025 (Theme: "Be Bold"), CBOQ Center Court (watching a NBA game with guest speakers after), Winter Retreat 2025 (Theme: "Kingdom of God"; Guest speaker: Pastor Stephen Chan), and Softball Ministry (within the CCSA league). We hope to continue encouraging them to attend these larger gatherings.

We were also able to have a graduation celebration for our grade 12s in the summer as we sent them off to university/college. Our grade 12 group: Odelia Au, Kaitlyn Tang, Kyler Cheng, Jessica Yan, Jeffrey Zhou, David Chen.

This year we witnessed Erin Tam, Jessica Truong, Alvin To, Akins Wong, Jeffrey Zhou, Rachel Kwong, Timothy Kwong, Katia Tam (8 youth) taking the step of obedience to get baptized!

Praise God for the growth we have seen in the youth over the past year in respect to their faith journey and commitment to fellowship. We are also grateful for the faithful service of youth and adults for the Kingdom of God. We continue to pray that God would lead and grow the members of the fellowship in 2026!

C3 Fellowship Gabriel Tse

"Come. Connect. Cultivate". Through our 3rd year of our English Young Adult Fellowship Ministry, God has been faithful to cultivate, connect with and be amongst us as we continue to grow with the young adults into another stage of life.

This year, our committee consisted of Samantha Hung, Matthias Ng, Isaac Yeung, Flora Chan, Abigail Poon, and Adrianna Mo. As part of our ongoing effort to better connect with the rest of English Ministry and SCAC, we continue to work with our pastoral and elder/deacon to run and plan events and programs.

We have continued fostering our community and fellowship, meeting about 3 times a month. Our programming alternates between Bible studies, prayer meetings, and more casual



events like socials and dinners. On average we have around 30 participants, with a peak of 49 people. This year, we started a new Bible study series and are reading select Psalms from the Book of Psalms. We are learning how God uses beautiful things like poetry to describe his plan and majesty while also telling the Gospel story. We have also formed 6 discipleship groups, totalling about 40 people. Discipleship groups meet twice a month and do Bible study applications and community nights.

In May, C3 had its 2nd retreat at Fair Havens, this time with a total of 67 attendees. The theme this year was “Faith That Overcomes” with our guest speaker Dr. Logan Gates. Some of our other highlights include packing 5 boxes of hygiene kits and food snacks for Yonge Street Mission and our annual Christmas potluck.

Praise God for the successful launch of the discipleship groups and the continued work of the committee to lead and grow the fellowship. We continue to find more ways to reach out to the community and develop a stronger biblical culture. Pray that God will continue to be faithful and this ministry will continue to be fruitful in the upcoming year.



Children's Ministry Sampson Kwan

The Children's Ministry (CM) at SCAC serves children from Nursery (newborns to 2.5 years old) through Grade 6. Our regular programs aim to nurture children spiritually and help them grow in their relationship with God.

We offer Children's Worship every Sunday morning from 9:30 am to 11:00 am. Children then participate in either Children's Sunday School (from 11:15 am to 12:30 pm. on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month) or AWANA Children's Fellowship (on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month).

On average, 74 children attend Children's Worship, and 60 children attend Children's Sunday School or AWANA. In addition, approximately 15 babies are registered in the nursery, with weekly attendance fluctuating between 1 and 9 babies.

We are deeply thankful that God has provided many loving and faithful volunteers to care for and disciple our children. The following individuals serve as coordinators for our various ministry teams:

- ❖ Nursery Team Coordinator: Connie Wat
- ❖ Pre-School Team Coordinator: Wenda Tam
- ❖ Lower Elementary Worship Team Coordinators: Sylvie Tsui, Catherine Yung
- ❖ Upper Elementary Worship Team Coordinator: Philip Cheng
- ❖ AWANA Commander: Sampson Kwan
- ❖ AWANA Sparks Coordinators: Alison Yung, Mavis Lam
- ❖ AWANA T&T Directors: Vienna Chan, Raymond Ho, Secretary: Joey Li
- ❖ Sunday School Principal: Pastor Stephen Chan

In addition to our dedicated adult volunteers, we are blessed to have 18 energetic youth volunteers serving as student leaders in AWANA. We pray that the Lord will richly bless all our volunteers for their faithful labor in Christ.

Beyond our regular Sunday programs, the Children's Ministry hosted and participated in various events throughout the year, including:

- ❖ BigFam Worship with the English Ministry (March, November)
- ❖ Children's Ministry Leaders' Retreat at the Gormley Campus (May)
- ❖ Summer Camp / Vacation Bible School (July, August)
- ❖ CM New School Year Opening Ceremony and Parents' Gathering (September)
- ❖ Toronto Children's Ministry Conference (November)
- ❖ AWANA Shoebox Drive and Christmas Celebration (November, December)

When compared with the previous school year, we observed the following trends:

- 1) An increasing number of children from newcomer families have limited or no knowledge of English. Pastor Stephen has visited these families to build



relationships and better understand their needs. CM volunteers have attempted to provide translation support during Children's Worship whenever possible. We are also working with the Mandarin Ministry team to explore ways to better serve these families so that they may feel welcomed and at home at SCAC.

- 2) There has been a decline in Sunday attendance. Compared with 2024, we observed approximately a 5% decrease in Children's Worship attendance and a 10% decrease in Children's Sunday School and AWANA attendance.

To promote the Children's Ministry, Elder Sampson Kwan shared information about our CM programs at the Active Adult outreach program, and Deacon Louis Hung also mentioned CM activities during a recent radio interview.

Looking ahead, the CM team is planning events such as an AWANA Bowling Day and a Fall Carnival to reach out to families with young children in our neighbourhood. We are also considering expanding the summer VBS program to include children in Grades 1 and 2, in hopes of welcoming more children to participate in our summer programs. In addition, an "Outreach Strategies Task Force" has been established to study current trends and develop strategies to share the Good News with children and families in the wider community.

We pray that the Lord will grant us wisdom and discernment as we continue to serve the children in our church family and reach out to children and families in our community with the Good News of our Lord Jesus Christ in 2026.



Summary of Gormley Campus Ministries

Amy Au, David Chan & William Etzkorn

Steadfast in the Lord's Grace

"Praise the Lord!" is the heartfelt cry of every member at SCAC Gormley Campus. Over the past year, we have experienced God's immense guidance and grace. Gormley Campus ministries have developed steadily, and the Lord continues to add new friends and new believers to us, filling this spiritual home with vitality and hope.

This year, our pastoral team has experienced some changes, which have brought new momentum to our work. We are pleased to welcome Pastor Jacky Lam to the team. His service will significantly strengthen our Youth Ministry and help manage the transition following Pastor Jonathan Choy's move to serve at the Main Campus. We also take this opportunity to express our deepest gratitude and blessings to Rev. Stephen Lee and Mrs. Maria Lee for their many years of faithful service, dedication, and tireless efforts in building Gormley Campus alongside the congregation. May they enjoy their well-deserved retirement and embrace the next chapter of their lives under the Lord's guidance. We also extend a warm welcome to Rev. Albert Chu, who has transferred from the Main Campus to shepherd us. We are confident that, under Rev. Chu's leadership, Gormley Campus will walk more closely with the Lord in the coming days, enabling us to become a home filled with love and spiritual growth, where the non-believers can come to know Jesus, and believers can grow and be equipped to be Christ's faithful disciples.

We are also grateful to the Lord for providing us with a beautiful and comfortable church facility. As attendance for both Sunday worship and Sunday school continues to grow steadily, we sincerely appreciate God's blessings. We are also facing the challenge of insufficient classroom and parking capacity. The parking situation on Sundays is causing inconvenience to our neighbours, and the Board of Elders is actively addressing this difficulty. They are currently exploring the possibility of purchasing adjacent land and are earnestly praying for the Lord to open the way.

This annual report provides a detailed overview of the services and accomplishments of each ministry department over the past year. May all the glory be given to our Father in heaven!

Gormley Campus Ministry **Rev. Albert Chu**

We give thanks to God for His guidance, since October, I have been entrusted by the church to serve as the Site Pastor of the Gormley Campus. Though I take on this responsibility with humility and reverence, I firmly believe that serving the Lord itself is a grace. May we rely



on the Lord's strength, and with the united service of our brothers and sisters, may the Gormley Campus become a lighthouse in the community, shining for the Lord.

The Chinese congregation at the Gormley Campus is organized into 2 fellowships by age group: the Emmanuel Fellowship and the Faith-Hope-Love Fellowship. Each week, Sunday School offers a Gospel Class, a Discipleship Class and Bible Courses, with an average attendance of about 65 people.

On November 22, we held a joint leadership retreat for the Chinese and English congregations. Participants included pastors, elders, and deacons. Through a SWOT analysis, we discerned the future direction of the church together and developed strategies and action plans for moving forward.

Since October, 3 people in the Chinese congregation have made decisions for Christ: Avis Lai, Aidan Lai and Richard Tang. At the Christmas baptism service, 4 brothers and sisters were baptized, bearing witness to the abundant grace of the Lord.

Below is a review of the major ministries of the Gormley Campus in 2025, as well as a list of ministry leaders.

Major Events at the Gormley Campus in 2025

- ❖ Jan 12 – Reception of New Church Members:
 - Miriam Cheng, Simon Lau, Anita Lai, Derek Tam, Ellen Hsu
- ❖ Feb 8 – FHL Fellowship Chinese New Year Celebration
- ❖ Feb 15 – Emmanuel Fellowship Chinese New Year Celebration
- ❖ Feb 23 – Evangelism Explosion Training Graduation Ceremony:
 - Ella Ng, Gidget Yeung, Adam Yau, Yvonne Chan
- ❖ Mar 9 – Installation of Elders for 2025
- ❖ Mar 16 – Q&A Session for Pastor Candidate Jacky Lam
- ❖ Apr 7 – Formation of the 8th Care Group in FHL Fellowship
 - (Leaders: Edmond Chiu and Bonnie Chiu)
- ❖ Apr 18 – Good Friday Service
- ❖ Apr 20 – Easter Sunday Baptism: Emmy Wong, Malus Lo.
- ❖ Apr 20 – Aruba STM Commissioning Service: Howard Tang and Amy Au.
- ❖ Apr 26 – Campus Pastor / Pastors' Retreat (Pastoral Care Ministry)
- ❖ Apr 27 – Chinese Congregation Children Ministry Sunday
- ❖ May 10 – "Coming Home" Musical Outreach Program
- ❖ May 25 – Welcome Lunch for Newcomers
- ❖ Jun 15 & Jul 6 – Gospel Sundays
- ❖ Jun 29 – Installation Service of Pastor Jacky Lam
- ❖ Jul 5 – Church Fishing Day Activity
- ❖ Aug 17 – Reception of New Members:
 - May Fung, Donna Lee, Elaine Hui.



- ❖ Aug 29 – Opening Ceremony of EE New Semester
- ❖ Sep 21 – Farewell for Rev. Stephen Lee and Mrs. Maria Lee (English Congregation)
- ❖ Sep 28 – Farewell for Rev. Stephen Lee and Mrs. Maria Lee (Cantonese Congregation)
- ❖ Oct 24–26 – Missions Conference: Theme: “Dare to Dream, Dare to Fly”
- ❖ Nov 15 – Church-wide Fasting Prayer Meeting
- ❖ Nov 22 – Chinese and English Leadership Retreat
- ❖ Nov 23 – Worship Ministry Retreat
- ❖ Nov 30 – Welcome Gathering for Newcomers
- ❖ Dec 21 – Christmas Baptism:
 - Kathy Yeung, Alice Au, Jeanette Jung, Spencer Leung.

2025 Chinese Congregation Ministry Leaders

- ❖ Children & Youth Ministry – Rev. Amy Wong, Pastor Jacky Lam, Pastor Jonathan Choy
- ❖ Prayer Ministry – Pastor Jacky Lam
- ❖ Worship Ministry – Deacon Esther Tang
- ❖ Evangelism Ministry – Elder David Chan
- ❖ Fellowship Ministry – Elder David Chan
- ❖ Welcome Ministry – Elder Amy Au
- ❖ Media Ministry – Deacon Jeanne Tso
- ❖ Pastoral Care Ministry – Deacon Esther Tang, Elder Amy Au, Mrs. Maria Lee (until the end of September)
- ❖ Christian Education Ministry – Deacon Ronnie Wong

Total number of people converted to Christ

- ❖ From 2014 to present: Total number of people converted to Christ is 98
- ❖ In 2025: 11 people converted to Christ. Cumulative total: 106

We thank God for preparing a faithful team of servants for the Gormley Campus. May the Lord continue to raise up more people who are willing to commit themselves to serving God’s household. Whether near or far, may we be salt and light for the Lord, leading people to Christ and bringing glory to His holy name.

Children’s Ministry (Gormley Campus) Rev. Amy Wong

2025 has been an exciting year for the Children’s Ministry. At the beginning of the year, we tried out the AWANA cubbies program with our early childhood kids but because it was too hard for both the children and the teachers to teach 2 separate lessons. So, we decided to try something different in September 2025, when we split the same lesson into 2 parts. Now, the early childhood program has a good mix of arts and crafts, Bible teaching, singing, puppet shows and games to keep the children interested in the Bible learning.



For the Junior class, we are starting to encourage the children to read the Bible during class. We want to encourage the younger children to develop Bible reading skills at an early age so when they grow older, they will be able to find books and content in the Bible easily.

And for the Senior class, we encourage them to memorize God's word and discuss what they are learning from the lesson in class time so they can apply it to their lives.

For AWANA, we decided to change the format a little bit to be less handbook based, to be more topical in nature. In Truth and Training, we now have a different topic every week that will help them grow in their faith such as answering questions about God, developing spiritual disciplines like Bible reading and prayer and even watching episodes of "What's in the Bible?"

With the addition of some of our youth helpers in September 2025, they have added a younger vibe to our AWANA ministry and are good role models to the children. We have also given the older AWANA students a devotional book, to take home so they can get in the habit of daily devotion on their own.

In July 2025, rather than running a sports camp like in the last 2 years, we ran a cooking camp instead. To our surprise, it was a great success, and the children enjoyed it very much! In 2026, we hope to run a 2-week cooking camp to see how it will go. Thank God for all the adult and youth helpers that helped make this cooking camp a success!

And on December 24, we will end our year by worshiping God together in the Cantonese service as a church family.

I thank God for every volunteer who teach and serve the children in 2025! May God continue to give you what you need to pour into the next generation of children at Gormley.

Worship Ministry (Gormley Campus) Esther Tang

Praise God for His provision and guidance; this year, the Cantonese Worship services at Gormley Campus continues to be blessed in terms of human resources. We are grateful for the continuing support from the Main Campus as well. God has also provided additional resources among the congregation this year. Their willingness to serve and dedication in practice are in response to the love of God who is worth our wholehearted worship and praises. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all preachers, worship chairpersons, pianists, worship team members, audio-visual (AV) and usher teams. It takes everyone's effort whether on stage or behind the scenes to make worship services possible. May God bless everyone with great joy and peace as we serve and worship our Lord together.



This year, we held a retreat for the worship chairpersons and worship team members on November 23. The speaker was Rev. Stanley Leung, and the topic was “Worship: A Lord-centered service”. A total of 28 members of the Worship Ministry and AV team attended.



In addition to our regular Sunday worship services, we thank God for the special programs on:

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| April 18 | Good Friday Service with the theme of “Jesus on the Cross – With Me Beneath the Cross” |
| Dec 24 | Christmas Eve Service with the theme of “HOPE” |

I am grateful to Lord Jesus for His provision and guidance to all of us who served in Worship Ministry.

My heartfelt appreciation to all the worship team members: chairpersons, pianist, musicians and vocalists:

Anita Lau, Cherry Ng, Esther Tang, Elsie Tsui, Eugenie Lam, Garfield Yip, Gary Choi, Howard Tang, Pastor Jacky Lam, Jeanne Tso, Jodie Lau, Kenneth Lo, Kin Ping Tse, Laband Tang, Matthew Kan, Mavis Tam, Michael Lo, Miriam Sue, Queeny Leung, Raymond Chow, Ricky Chu, Rosalie Cheng, Simon Lau, Stephanie Tsang, Swannie Kwok, Tennyson Yeung, Vincent Lam, Yuki Xu

May our service be God-centered and pleasing to the Triune God. To God be all the glory!



Evangelism & Follow-up Ministry (Gormley Campus)

David Chan

Overview of Ministry Vision

In 2025, the Evangelism and Follow-up Ministry at the Gormley Campus successfully integrated its operations to create a seamless journey for seekers—from initial outreach to post-conversion discipleship. Our mission remains focused on the Great Commission of Jesus Christ: *“...Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you...”* (Matthew 28:19-20). Through community engagement, systematic Gospel sharing, and spiritual upbringing and cultivation, we continually expand God’s Kingdom.

Outreach Ministry

- ❖ Basketball Outreach: A new season kicked off in August with a BBQ, successfully recruiting new members and engaging non-believer parents. 5 matches were held in the fall at the Main Campus, using sports to build youth character and share the Gospel with families.
- ❖ Fishing Outreach: Held in July in partnership with Emmanuel and Faith-Hope-Love (FHL) Fellowships. Over 10 newcomers expressed interest in future events, establishing a strong initial connection with the community.



Evangelism & Training

- ❖ Music Evangelistic Meeting: Held on May 10, resulting in 2 decisions for Christ. The event also strengthened the sense of unity and belonging among brothers and sisters at the Gormley Campus.
- ❖ Seekers’ Class: Integrated into the regular Sunday school schedule. Many attendees accepted Christ and affirmed their faith with support from the Evangelism Explosion (EE) teams, moving toward milestones such as follow-up and baptism classes.
- ❖ Evangelism Explosion (EE): Completed Level 1 (Term 2) and Level 2 (Term 1) training by late November. Trainees are currently focused on completing their remaining visitation requirements.

Ministry Integration

- ❖ Strategic Merger: The Follow-up Ministry was officially merged into the Evangelism Ministry this year. This “one-stop” model provides seamless mentorship and care, successfully transitioning new believers into follow-up classes.



Thanksgiving & Acknowledgements

We thank God for the dedication of the 2025 Committee members:

Ada Ng, Joanne Hung, Steve Hung, Adam Yau, Eugenie Choi, Yvonne Chan,
Pastor Jacky Lam, Maria Lee, Rev. Stephen Lee, Rev. Albert Chu,
and David Chan (Chair).

Youth Ministry (Gormley Campus) Jacky Lam**Raising Up a New Generation of Youth Disciples to Become Servant Leaders**

Over the past year, the Youth Fellowship has focused on nurturing young people to become disciples of the Lord. We are delighted that 3 young people were baptized in March and December and bravely shared their testimonies before others—a truly heartwarming achievement.

In addition to our Friday and Saturday fellowship activities, which allow young people to share and learn to love one another within the believer community, we also study God's word together every Sunday, root ourselves in biblical truth. Last year, using "The Purpose Driven Life" as a model, we taught young people how to become disciples, understand the role and responsibility of Christians, and be equipped in their faith.



At the same time, the church provides platforms for youth to serve, encourages those who have already believed to engage in various forms of service including operating worship videos, presenting briefings, serving refreshments, planning and leading fellowship groups, etc., allowing them to learn to take on responsibilities in practical service and build a strong spiritual life through hands-on experience.



Last August, the fellowship held a three-day, two-night youth camp. Through close interaction and various activities, teenagers learned to serve others, practiced humility and mutual support in teamwork, and practiced servant leadership. The camp deeply touched the participants, making them understand that becoming a disciple of the Lord is not only an accumulation of knowledge, but also a path of continuous following and lifelong commitment.

Sincerely thanks to Rev. Amy Wong, Pastor Jonathan Choy, Dawn Chan, and Timothy Cheng for leading the Youth Fellowship and Sunday school, and for promoting various camps. Pray that God will move more brothers and sisters to participate in Youth Ministry, helping teenagers build a solid foundation of faith during the golden years of their lives, becoming vessels used by the Lord, and serving as salt and light for God in the world.

English Ministry (Gormley Campus) William Etzkorn

This year our leadership team consisted of: Rev. Christopher Perumalla, Rev. Amy Wong, Pastor Jonathan Choy, Elders, Serena Lau and William Etzkorn, and Deacon Stanley Chau. Our worship service continues to meet at 11:15 am on Sunday mornings. Our average attendance was 51. We are also glad to witness 2 congregants take a step of obedience in baptism, Malus Lo & Ian Britanik. Also Lenny and Anthie Hon were accepted as SCAC members.

Year in Review

- ❖ Youth involvement
 - The year began with the youth joining our English Ministry every week from once a month. There have been challenges, but we are slowly carving a space for the youth to belong and serve. We have seen our youth serving in the following areas: Name tags welcome, PowerPoint team, Worship team.
- ❖ Potluck Fellowship
 - On the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month the congregation follows the worship service with a potluck. It is well attended and is a great time of fellowship.
- ❖ Prayer Meeting
 - We continue to meet on a weekly basis using Zoom and in November we began meeting in person on the 1st Wednesday of each month.
 - The Parents Prayer Group meets in person on the 4th Thursday of the month to pray for the children and grandchildren in the congregation. This group also interacts frequently electronically.
- ❖ Small Groups
 - Men's Group: Meeting on the 1st and 3rd Saturday mornings of the month. Our men's group, "Men United", completed the 1st series of Robert Lewis' "The Quest for Authentic Manhood". Thanks to Stanley



- Chau and Bill Etzkorn for their leadership. There were 11 men completing this series.
- Women's Group: Our women's group continued to meet in 2025 with Bible study and mealtimes together on the 2nd Wednesdays of the month at 10 am with an average attendance of 10.
 - Young Family Group: In September, Stanley Chau launched the Young Family Group meeting on the 3rd Saturday of the month consisting of 3 young families.
 - ❖ Toronto Alliance Church (TAC) Compassionate Care Ministry
 - On the last Wednesday of the month Ingrid Sayers organizes a group of congregants to go to Toronto Alliance Church to serve food to those in need.
 - ❖ July 6 BBQ
 - In July we had a summer celebration barbeque to bring our community together. We had about 74 congregants attend with some newcomers.
 - ❖ Welcome Team
 - We also started a Welcome Team with ushers this year as we try to focus on how to build and grow a welcoming community. Our ushering team consists of 12 people serving once bi-monthly.
 - ❖ Gormley Leadership Committee (GLC) Leadership Retreat and SWOT analysis
 - The GLC met on November 22 to perform a SWOT analysis of their respective congregations, Cantonese and English.
 - One immediately implementable action item was to address the spiritual development of the congregation through purposeful spiritual growth activities in foundational Christian principles.
 - The leadership has decided to use an Advent devotional and to encourage the congregation to join them. Each day during Advent a devotion is posted in the WhatsApp Congregation Chat.
 - On January 11, 2026 we will begin adult Sunday school on Sundays from 10 to 11 am. Lenny Hon will lead us through a study of the Book of Isaiah.
 - ❖ Christmas Mini-Festival of Light and Joy
 - We ended our year with a Christmas outreach event. This year we tried something new by hosting a Mini-Festival of Light and Joy where we invited our community to enjoy lights set up at church and festivities inside. We had cookie decorating, Christmas ornament making, games, and refreshments. Many congregants came together to make this event possible and we welcomed some newcomers.

We thank the Lord for the previous year at Gormley. We also thank Rev. Stephen Lee for his service and leadership this past year as he retires from his role. Likewise, we welcome Rev. Albert Chu as the new lead pastor at Gormley. Pastor Jonathan Choy has been transferred to the Main Campus as Youth Pastor. We are very grateful for the teaching, care and dedication



that Pastor Jonathan has given our congregation and pray for God's grace to equip him in his new role as Youth Pastor. The Board of Elders has approved Rev. Gabriel Ng to begin the candidating process as the Associate Pastor for the Gormley English congregation. We pray for the Lord's guidance for the next steps of Gormley as a whole.

Christian Education Ministry (Gormley Campus) Ronnie Wong

In 2025, the average attendance of our adult Sunday school was approximately 65 students per week, with a total of 18 in-person classes and 3 online classes. 2 courses ("Living in North America" and "Apologetics") were offered concurrently in person (Sunday) and online (Friday evening) to accommodate students who had ministry duties or other reasons preventing them from attending in-person classes on Sundays.

The following is a list of Sunday school classes throughout the year:

- ❖ 2025 Winter (Jan to Feb; 5 courses)
 - "Alpha New Generation", "Living out Faith Hope and Love", "Spiritual Growth and Christian Values", "Living Out Your True Self", "The Torah" (Zoom online course)
- ❖ 2025 Spring (Mar to May; 3 courses)
 - Seekers' Class, "An Overview of the Bible (1)", "A Kingdom Divided"
- ❖ 2025 Summer (Jun to Aug; 4 courses)
 - Seekers' Class, "An Overview of the Bible (2)", "Faith Adventurers", Alliance Bible Seminary, "Living in North America" (Zoom online course)
- ❖ 2025 Fall (Sep to Nov; 4 courses)
 - Seekers' Class, "Living Out Faith Hope and Love", "Qualities of Spiritual Life (1)", "The Book of Revelation (2)"
- ❖ 2025 Winter (Dec; 3 courses)
 - Seekers' Class, "Qualities of Spiritual Life (2)", "Apologetics: The Truth Cannot be Hidden (3)" (Zoom online course)

Deacon: Ronnie Wong

Committee: Rev. Albert Chu, Edmond Chiu, Marcus Cheung, Timothy Cheng

Prayer Ministry (Gormley Campus) Jacky Lam

Prayer is not only a spiritual exercise, but also a precious opportunity for us to personally experience the Lord's work. We are grateful that every Wednesday evening, from 8 pm to 9 pm, an average of more than 20 brothers and sisters gather together before the Lord to pray for the needs of the church as a whole, for missionary work, and for those who are physically weak or in difficult circumstances. In this hour of sincere prayer and surrender, we witness time and again the Lord's intervention and guidance.



One brother suffered from long-term skin allergies, which greatly affected his life. However, brothers and sisters' persistent prayers became his source of strength. Ultimately, the Lord restored his health, allowing him to return to normal work and life. This grace made us deeply realize that the Lord is a God who hears prayers, and He watches over His children with love.

Another brother suffering from cancer was also remembered in the church's weekly prayer. Throughout his long and arduous healing journey, we witnessed the Lord's faithful protection, enabling him to maintain his daily life and even actively participate in various ministries within the church, living out his faith and hope through his life. His testimony reminds the entire church that even in times of difficulty, the Lord is with us. In addition, there are countless testimonies of grace... All of this is a sign of the Lord's grace.

Thanks to Esther Tang, Matthew Kan and Marcus Cheung who arrange the prayer meeting, following up on prayer meeting matters, and providing Zoom technical support! Thanks to pastors, brothers and sisters who take turns chairing the weekly prayer meetings! Pray that God will move more brothers and sisters to participate in the prayer meetings so as to experience God's presence more deeply, understand His will, and witness together to His greater and more beautiful things accomplished in the church.

Pastoral Care Ministry (Gormley Campus) Maria Lee & Amy Au

From a pastoral care perspective, 2025 was a year of gradual stabilization and growth for Gormley Cantonese congregation. With mercy and protection from God, we continue to have new friends coming to church. Although the "Faith-Hope-Love", and Emmanuel Fellowships did not start any new care group in 2025, new members continued to join our existing groups, to be shepherded and cared for. We thank God for preparing a group of committee members and care group leaders who are willing to faithfully serve in Pastoral Care Ministry, so that every brother and sister that comes to Gormley Campus receives appropriate shepherding and care.

Pastoral Care Committee: Amy Au, Maria Lee (March to September), Esther Tang, Teresa Leung (from September)

Care Group Leaders:

- ❖ "Faith-Hope-Love" Fellowship – Patti Wong, Ella Ng, Doris Wong, Derek & Ellen Tam, Edmond & Bonnie Chiu, Thomson & Ellen Chan, Janet Chan, Cindy Wong, Grace Pang, Marcus & Phyllis Cheung, Elsie Tsui, Swannie Kwok, Angela & Joseph Tang
- ❖ Emmanuel Fellowship – Vincent & Kennis Lam, Jacky & Mavis Lam, Crean Tam, Almen Ng, Franky & Cherry Kwong, Teresa Leung



On April 27, we held the pastoral care retreat. The theme was “Shepherd Hearts Never Grows Old”, with Rev. Matthew Chiu as the speaker. 28 group leaders, assistant group leaders and potential leaders from both fellowships participated. Thank God for the opportunities to learn and reflect together, exchanging and sharing experiences!

We pray that God will continue to strengthen each care group leader in body, mind and spirit; enabling them to serve with our pastors in unity, to rely on the Lord steadfastly, and to diligently shepherd the sheep entrusted.

Welcome Ministry (Gormley Campus) Amy Au

God has been blessing Gormley Campus with many newcomers this year. We have newcomers from all sources, including family and friends of our congregants, Christians and seekers living in our neighbouring cities (Stouffville, Richmond Hill, Aurora and Newmarket, etc.). Some found us through SCAC website. Some drove by and saw our church sign at Leslie Road and Stouffville Road.

Our Welcome Ministry aims at helping these new friends find their spiritual home at Gormley Campus. A team of friendly helpers are stationed at the church foyer every Sunday to welcome them.

We have a team of 16 brothers and sisters to help with newcomers follow up. We are very thankful for their faithfulness and passion in this ministry. They reached out to newcomers after worship and invited them to stay for coffee and build friendship. They encouraged and sometimes accompanied newcomers to attend Sunday school. They also made follow up phone calls to maintain contact and invite newcomers to attend church events, fellowships and care groups.

We held 2 newcomer orientations this year in May and November for newcomers that came during the past 6 months. We thank God for the opportunity to get to know them more.

May God continue to entrust newcomers to Gormley Campus, as we strive to become the light and salt in our neighbourhood and nearby cities, bringing the Good News to all!

Audio-Visual Ministry (Gormley Campus) Jeanne Tso

Thank you, God, for blessing the Audio-Visual Ministry (AV) at the Gormley Campus with a team of brothers and sisters who serve the Lord faithfully, and also bless us with new equipment.



This year we added to the team 5 new members, of whom 2 are youth. It's great to have youth joining the team to serve together. We purchased a 14-channel sound mixer towards the end of the year just in time for use by fellowships to host Christmas celebration events in the basement's multipurpose rooms.

My heartfelt appreciation to a team of brothers and sisters who help in ensuring AV in each Sunday service and all church events that require AV support are running smoothly. They are: Alex Lai, Benny Tsui, David Fung, Franky Kwong, Haruki Yau, Howard Tang, Kennis Ng, Marcus Cheung, Mark Leung, Michael Lo, Spencer Leung, Swannie Kwok, Thomson Chan and Vincent Lam. Their responsibilities include operating the sound mixer, PowerPoint, lighting and live streaming into other rooms in the church building.

May God continue to lead us to serve Him and our brothers and sisters with a joyful and united heart. All glory to God.

Emmanuel Fellowship (Gormley Campus) Kennis Ng

Thank God for His grace and guidance. 2025 has been a year full of learning, companionship, and experience for the Emmanuel Fellowship. Over the past year, through various gatherings, including workshops, New Year's and outdoor activities, topical sharing, making ceramics and BBQ, couples' workshops, and Christmas celebration, the fellowship has helped brothers and sisters build up spiritually, in their families and lives, as well as fellowship connections. We firmly believe that every gathering, activity, and joining of new friend is not accidental, but rather God's arrangement and guidance. Grateful that at the "Immigrant Homecoming Evangelistic Meeting" held in May, 4 brothers and sisters decided to turn to the Lord on that day 🙏, a beautiful testimony of God's work among us. We have also seen many new families and immigrants join the fellowship, some of whom have begun participating in small groups and regular worship. Glory to God!

◆ Team work and Service

Thank the Lord for preparing a group of faithful committee members serving together in 2025.

Chairperson:	Kennis Ng
Vice chairperson and Programming/Recreation:	Gary Choi
Secretary and Treasurer:	Almen Ng
General Affairs:	Matthew Kan
Caring:	Teresa Leung & Franky Kwong

Our committee members faithfully serve and cooperate with each other in their respective roles, dedicating themselves to planning activities, caring for fellow believers, welcoming new friends, and administrative operations. Special thanks to Elder Amy Au and



fellowship counselors, Reagan Yeung, Tennyson Yeung, and others for their support and companionship in providing information, organizing activities, and sharing spiritual insights for the fellowship this year. We also sincerely thank Rev. & Mrs. Stephen Lee for their years of pastoral care, leadership, and intercessory prayer for the fellowship, and for continuing to serve alongside us diligently until their retirement in October. May the Lord bless them! We also welcome and thank Rev. & Mrs. Albert Chu for joining Gormley team in October, bringing new support and companionship, becoming a blessing in teaching, prayer, and companionship. May the Lord continue to strengthen the work we do, making the Emmanuel Fellowship a community that shines with light and builds up spiritual life. All glory to the Lord!

“Faith-Hope-Love” Fellowship (Gormley Campus) Simon Chan

“Faith-Hope-Love” Fellowship has been formed for 2 years. We give thanks to God for He has been blessing the development of our fellowship and allowing us to enter into a stable stage. Our fellowship used various programs, including daily life practice, group events and spiritual disciplines, to provide a solid platform for brothers and sisters to practice faith, hope and love. In 2026, may God continue to lead us in partnership with church as a whole, equipping disciples to be followers of Christ, growing deeper in Him and bearing fruits for Him, sharing the Gospel near and far, serving the body of Christ.



Mandarin Ministry

Outreach & Evangelism Ministry Grace Luk

In 2025, the Outreach & Evangelism Ministry focused on 4 major areas:

- 1) Evangelism - Gospel small groups were held in March and April, through which 5 friends made decisions for Christ. Following their decisions, members of the Evangelism Explosion (EE) Team provided one-on-one follow-up, sharing the Gospel message, assuring salvation, and accompanying new believers to attend Truth Seekers Class, New Believers Discipleship Class, and Baptism Class.
- 2) Outreach Events - Chinese New Year dumpling-making outreach (January), Participation in the Cantonese Congregation's community outreach event "Jesus Loves Midland" (June), Gospel BBQ outreach held in the church parking lot (August), Christmas caroling and Gospel outreach (December).
- 3) Training of Follow-up Counselors - Recruited 17 brothers and sisters to participate in follow-up counselor training. Trainees served as follow-up counselors at the Greater Toronto Mandarin Evangelistic Rally and Mandarin Congregation evangelistic meetings
- 4) Promoting "Every Believer Evangelism" - Encouraged fellowship groups to use the Five-Color Gospel Tool. Equipped members to share the Gospel with family members and friends

The Outreach Ministry team included Amy Yan, Feng Li, and Helen Huang. New co-workers who joined this year were Helen Zhu, Johnny Liu, and Sandy Shi. We rejoice in witnessing many people commit their lives to Christ and give all glory to God.

Mission Ministry Wenjing Hu

- 1) The Mandarin Congregation sent a short-term mission team to Mexico City, partnering with 2 local International Workers (IW) to reach the surrounding Chinese community and local churches. Team members later shared mission testimonies in their small groups.
- 2) Continued to invite IWs from various regions to share ministry visions and prayer requests during prayer meetings.
- 3) Many co-workers and congregation members actively participated in the 2025 Joint Mission Conference.
- 4) Actively promoted and supported the vehicle fund project for Pastor Caleb and Ruby. Praise the Lord that the donation exceeded the target amount, with the majority contributed by the Mandarin Congregation.
- 5) The "Mission Moment" was presented every 3rd Sunday of the month during Mandarin worship services, followed by corporate prayer for missions.



Welcome Ministry Tina Liao

- 1) Welcome Team Members: Rev. Lily Li, Tina Liao, Jessica Ning, Feng Li, Chunli Chong, Grace Luk, Grace Lam, Jason Leung, Sunny Sun, Aileen Tang, Mimosa Wu
- 2) The Welcome Ministry consists of 2 teams of brothers and sisters who serve weekly during Sunday worship. They receive information on new visitors, extend a warm welcome, introduce the Mandarin Congregation, and provide follow-up contact and pastoral-style visitor interviews.
- 3) We are thankful for Jessica Ning, who faithfully organizes and maintains the newcomer contact list, keeping follow-up information updated in a timely manner.
- 4) At the end of this year, newly prepared welcome gifts were presented to first-time visitors, reflecting the love and grace of Christ.

Small Groups & Fellowship Ministry William Zhou

- 1) The Small Group Ministry was led by William Zhou (Leader) and Kerry Wang (Deputy Leader), with guidance from Rev. Lily Li, uniting brothers and sisters to serve together faithfully.
- 2) The Mandarin Congregation previously had 9 regular small groups. This year, a Men's Group was newly established, bringing the total to 10 groups. We pray that God will continue to lead more believers to join appropriate fellowship groups.
- 3) Mandarin Congregation Small Groups and Leaders:
 - Dorcas Sisters' Group – Cheryl Zhong & Helen Huang
 - Luke Group – Tina Liao
 - Joy Sisters' Group – Allison Ung & Elaine Li
 - Jehovah-Jireh Sisters' Group – Yingying Xie & Kelly Luo
 - Fujianese Joy Group – Shuzhen Chen & Qianmo Chen
 - Healthy Spirit Group – Michael Ho & Sunny Sun
 - Aquila Group – Kerry Wang
 - Mandarin Youth (MY) Fellowship – Kevin Jin & Wenjing Hu
 - Young Families Group – Kevin Jin
 - Men's Group – Johnny Liu & John Zhang
- 4) A Small Group Retreat was held on Saturday, May 24, with Rev. Matthew Chiu as the guest speaker.
- 5) Small group leaders meet for bi-monthly huddle meetings, providing opportunities for sharing, mutual encouragement, and intercessory prayer.
- 6) Approximately 70-80 people participate in small group activities each month. In addition to regular gatherings, each group serves the church through various ministry assignments.



- 7) We thank all small group leaders and members for their faithful participation and dedication. May the Lord bless and revive our church.

Christian Education Ministry Elder Jason Leung & John Zhang

- 1) Teachers and Teaching Assistants: Rev. Lily Li, Jason Leung, Grace Luk, Tracy Wu, John Zhang, Jane Wu, Esther Zhang, Johnny Liu, Aileen Tang, Helen Zhu, Mimosa Wu
- 2) We also give thanks to Rev. Kim Poon for her assistance in leading and teaching the Mandarin Congregation Sunday school classes.
- 3) A one-year Sunday School pathway has been established for seekers and newcomers, including: Truth Seekers Class, New Believers Discipleship Class, Baptism Class, Christian Living, and Life of Jesus. For existing brothers and sisters, Bible book studies and prayer and spiritual formation classes are offered.
- 4) December-February: New Believers Discipleship / Baptism Class (Rev. Lily Li), New Testament Overview (Jason Leung)
- 5) March-May: "Prayer" (Rev. Lily Li), Gospel of John (Jason Leung)
- 6) June-August: "Delighting in Spiritual Devotions" (Rev. Lily Li), Truth Seekers Class (Tracy Wu / John Zhang)
- 7) September-November: New Believers Discipleship / Baptism Class (Grace Luk / Rev. Lily Li), "Life of Jesus" (Tracy Wu)
- 8) December-February: Book of Esther (Rev. Kim Poon / Tracy Wu), Christian Living (Jason Leung / Eileen Tang / Johnny Liu), Truth Seekers Class (John Zhang / Jane Wu)
- 9) Monday to Saturday, devotional materials (Comprehensive Bible Commentary / Prayerful Scripture Reading) continued to be shared via a WeChat group.
- 10) We thank the Lord for brothers and sisters who are willing to serve faithfully in teaching God's word, as we gradually build a Sunday school teaching team.
- 11) A Christian Education Ministry Retreat was held on July 19, with Rev. Albert Chu as the speaker, sharing on the theme "Equipping the Saints for Works of Service".

Worship Ministry Ben Mok & Emmy Huang

- 1) We thank the Lord for a faithful team of brothers and sisters who serve in worship service coordination, including worship leaders (chairpersons), pianists, and ushers, together with the support of the AV and Multimedia Ministry. Through their teamwork, each Mandarin worship service proceeds smoothly. May the Lord richly bless all who serves faithfully.
- 2) In February, all worship leaders (chairpersons) participated in a Foundational Worship Leadership Training, led by Rev. Jones Lee.
- 3) Worship Ministry Service Assignments:



- Worship Service Coordination: Wittie Yong
- Worship Materials & Bulletin Coordination: Allison Ung
- Worship Leaders: Emmy Huang, Ben Mok, Johnny Liu, Brian Yan, Jason Leung, Helen Zhu
- Pianists: Cecilia Wong, Miriam Sue, Julie Chan, Helena Chan, Jacqueline Lau, Patricia Folts, Carol Lau
- Ushers: William Zhou, Jiangxin Chen, Zhenguo Zhu, Jingshu Chen, Lina Ding, Qianmo Chen, Xuhui Chen, Yuzhen Chen, Simon Ying, Kerry Wang, Jiadong Yang, Elaine Li, Yuming Chen, Amy Yan, Aileen Tang

Sacred Music Ministry Tina Liao

- 1) The choir regularly presented anthems during Sunday worship services and participated in Mandarin Congregation events and evangelistic rallies.
- 2) A Worship Ministry Retreat was held on July 12, with Rev. Jones Lee, Executive Director of Showers of Blessing, as the speaker. The theme was “Holy Service and Worship”. Participants included worship leaders, praise team members, sisters’ group members, and sound technicians serving in the Mandarin Congregation.
- 3) In 2025, the choir welcomed 1 brother and 1 sister, allowing greater richness in four-part harmony.
- 4) The Worship Ministry also served in the Good Friday service and the Summer BBQ outreach, giving thanks that many new friends were drawn to the Mandarin Congregation.

Audio Visual & Multimedia Involvement Patrick Wong

Supporting team members: Mei Wong, Eric Lam, Michael Lam, David Qi, Benny Yu, Chris Chong, Landy Lao

- 1) Weekly Sunday worship Audio-Visual (AV) support
- 2) Joint worship Mandarin language ITS hardware deployment and operation
- 3) Mandarin translation of office supplied video
- 4) Worship team sound support – Chris Chong as worship team’s dedicated sound technician
- 5) SCAC Mandarin worship area (G200) AV equipment maintenance and upgrade



Prayer Ministry Catherine Yung

Looking back on the ministry in 2025 is exciting and joyful. God's grace would be counted and never be forgotten.

The Bible said, *"Unless the Lord builds the house, its builders labour in vain. Unless the Lord watches over the city, the watchmen stand guard in vain."* (Psalm 127:1)

Truly, man proposes, God completes. God would accomplish what pleases Him with grace. That is how things are accomplished! Praise the Lord!

Wednesday Evening Church Prayer Meeting

The weekly Wednesday evening prayer meeting, conducted both in person and online, moved from the sanctuary to G200 at the end of May. God's Spirit unites us together, protecting God's house in spirit and prayer. With Elder Landy Luo's careful arrangements and cooperation, everything runs smoothly. The prayer meetings mainly consist of sharing from various ministry departments and short-term mission experiences, prayer based on Bible passages and for international workers around the world. In recent years, we have added Bible meditation sessions for "Lent" (March 5 - April 23) and "Advent" (November 26 - December 17). The meetings are led by pastors and experienced mentors, starting with an introduction to the background of the scriptures, meditation, exercises in listening to God's voice, and prayer in response to God. Thanksgiving! Brothers and sisters from Gormley Campus also participate online. In addition, we hold 3 anointing prayer meetings (March 19 - 105 participants, July 16 - 112 participants, and October 8 - 114 participants), where brothers and sisters are invited to share their testimonies of thanksgiving.

We anoint and pray for those in need according to biblical teachings. *"Is any one of you sick? He should call the elders of the church to pray over him and anoint him with oil in the name of the Lord."* (James 5:14) We pray and watch over each other in the name of the Lord, experience God's healing, encouragement, and comfort.

December 31 is the "Year-End Thanksgiving Testimony Prayer Meeting", and many people participated enthusiastically, both in person and online. We often hear of the healing of the weak, people going from stubbornness and unbelief to salvation, and terminal cancer patients having their lives extended. Light is breaking through the darkness. From these numerous testimonies, we see God perform miracles, witnessing the powerful efficacy of the prayers of the righteous. Let us lift up the cup of salvation and give thanks to God.

A Brief Introduction to Prayer and Reading, Rediscovering Our Initial Aspirations (Bible and Prayer Meeting)

Thanksgiving! We have held 8 meetings since 2023, and this year we continued with spring (May 1-29) and autumn (October 2-30) meetings. Meetings were held for 5 consecutive Thursdays at 10:00 am and 9:00 pm, led by experienced mentors. The May mentor team



included Rev. Matthew Chiu, Rev. Samuel Or, Rev. Vanessa Lo, Polly Hui, and Debby Or, while the October team was led by Rev. Kim Poon, Pastor Wendy Kong, Deacon Derek So, Deacon Esther Tang, and Elder Catherine Yung. Through scripture and Gospel meditation, we found quietness amidst our busy schedules, spending 30 minutes meditating on the Bible, listening to God's voice, and encountering the Lord. The spring meetings averaged 27 attendees in the morning and 36 in the evening; the autumn meetings averaged 25 in the morning and 30 in the evening, with delight in the participation of members from Gormley Campus.



We are grateful for everyone's new insights and constructive responses. We would like to express our sincere gratitude to Elder Landy Luo, Deacon Vincent Yan, and Derek So for their timely support in the audio-visual department. Your hard work will surely be remembered by our Heavenly Father.

Deeper Life and Mission Course

Thank God for the "Deeper Life and Mission Course", which began in early 2019 and has now entered its 6th year. In 2025, we held 2 in-person classes. The first, from April 25 to 27, was themed "Captivity and Deliverance", with 80 participants from 14 churches. The second, from October 31 to November 2, was themed "Knowing the Holy Spirit, Learning to Listen to God", which broke records with 121 participants from 14 churches, divided into 7 groups of brothers, 14 groups of sisters, and 28 group leaders. Grateful to our experienced pastoral team who provided in-depth teaching, and the content was incredibly rich, broadening our understanding of the Holy Spirit's wondrous work. In class, everyone studied diligently, listened attentively, and practiced listening to the Holy Spirit's voice together. There was also genuine sharing within the groups, and mutual prayer. In meditation, we encountered God, and our



lives experienced beautiful breakthroughs, renewals, and healings—examples abound. May more brothers and sisters rise up to discover this spiritual treasure, digging deeper and deeper, revealing its wonder and awe. The Lord promises that abundant life is indeed so beautiful. Thank God!



The Church-wide Fasting and Prayer Meeting, held twice a year, is an important church gathering. It was held on April 5 and November 15 in the sanctuary, encouraging all 4 congregations—the Main Campus, Gormley Campus, the English congregation, and the Mandarin congregation, to participate, with the meetings conducted in 3 languages. The April theme was “Turning the Spiritual Atmosphere”, with 105 attendees; while the November theme was “Cleansing the Heart, Drawing Closer to God”, with 135 participants. The meetings were organized by the pastoral teams of the 4 congregations, with careful arrangements under the leadership of Rev. Kim Poon. Through hymn worship, scripture sharing, quiet meditation, personal reflection, and small group prayer, brothers and sisters practiced spiritual discipline and united in prayer and watched over God’s house, seeking God’s guidance and will for the church. This is our duty and an invaluable service. Finally, we thank Derek So and Emmy Huang for their English and Mandarin interpretation services.

Prayer After 11:15 am Worship

On the 1st Sunday of each month, pastors are invited to pray for those in need after the 11:15 am worship service. This is a testimony of faith and action, a duty of loving service. When some encounter difficulties with health, work, family, or non-believing family members, they boldly and unashamedly approach the Lord’s with simple faith, offering their prayers—a powerful and beautiful testimony of unity. We firmly believe that the Father has heard, and in



due time, our Lord will show grace to those who hope in His unfailing love. *“The eyes of the Lord are on those who fear Him, on those whose hope is in His unfailing love.”* (Psalm 33:18) We thank all the pastors and elders for walking together in prayer; they will surely be an encouragement and a beautiful example for everyone’s faith.

Sincere gratitude to Elder Landy Luo and the audio-visual team for their unwavering support; Elder Tommy Yuen for his tireless online leadership; and all the pastors and brothers and sisters who led hymns, prayers, and sharing. Your selfless service is an inspiration and a blessing to the church. Thanks for your hard work! The Lord will surely accept that.

Finally, thank God for giving us a faithful and dedicated organizing committee team, including Rev. Kim Poon, Rev. Stanley Leung, Derek So, Corie Tse, Sabrina Cheng, Pullisa Kong, and Clara Wong. Thank you all! In May, we welcomed Mrs. Debby Or to our team. She works with us, complementing our weaknesses, to fulfill the ministry God entrusted us, moving forward through prayer, advancing the ministry, and building up our lives.

Finally, sincere thanks to Rev. Kim Poon for her constant encouragement, guidance, and edification in our ministry. May we strive together on the path of receiving the vision, and may the Lord’s name be glorified!

May Heavenly Father bless SCAC with truth, love, with mission, and prayer, a sanctuary pleasing to God! Amen.



South Asian Ministry Bernard Lo

For the year 2025, though facing a lot of challenges, the Peace Network team has been striving faithfully in the outreaching endeavours and caring activities for the South Asian people groups, especially the Muslim in the community.

In the year, we cancelled one of the major events around Chinese New Year time in February because of low response. Later we hosted a similar event with the same settings in April. In the year, we hosted the other 3 seasonal events of summer barbecue, Thanksgiving and Christmas celebration. In extra to the planned schedule, we hosted a summer outing in the Milliken District Park. It was successful for us to have a good time to connect with our new and old friends. As regular gatherings, we held 3 times of Bible study using the “Discovery Bible Study” method.

Earlier this year, in a mall outreach, our team members successfully invited a new friend with his family to frequently come to our events. In the summer, we provided tutoring to his children and had constant visits to his family. As an encouragement to us from our Lord, in the summer barbecue, one of the guests confessed and accepted Jesus to be saviour and lord.

In the committee, we have 11 core team members and 4 helpers who joined discussions and helped run the planned programs. Besides, our team members have been keeping contact with friends and building friendships with our friends. In the year, a few of the team member joined the newly started outreaching to the target group in malls and plazas.

We especially thank Pastor Chris Perumalla and Phoebe for their persistent support and help in the preaching and Bible study leading. With God’s guidance, we had Emily joining us in the events and welcome her to participate in the core team discussions in the year 2026. To make the larger events happen, we are very much indebted to the food team and the church’s Audio-Visual team for their persistent help. In the Christmas event, we thank English Ministry worship team for leading Christmas songs. Finally, for many years, we deeply appreciate Rev. Matthew Chiu for his continuing leadership support and his preaching of the Gospel messages in the 2025 special event occasions.



South China Ministry Grace Kwong

Hua En Meeting

Hua En meeting celebrated its 13th anniversary in 2025.

In 2025 we had the following large group meetings:

Feb 4	Chinese New Year Celebration
Apr 15	Easter Celebration
Jun 17	"The arrival of Summer"
Aug 19	BBQ
Oct 7	Mid Autumn Festival & Thanksgiving
Dec 16	Christmas Celebration

The large group in-person meetings had an average attendance of 40-60 people. The December 16 meeting was our last large group meeting going forward. We will continue to have small group meetings in 2026.

Thanks to the following brothers and sisters for serving in Hua En Meeting with devoted dedication:

- ❖ **Group leaders with Shepherd hearts:** Rev. Ginny Chak, Jackie Yau, Rev. Ocean Ng, Tammy Tse, Elson Yau, Ronnie Wong, Rev. Daniel Wong, Patrick Chak, Ada Lai, Angela Tam.
- ❖ **Food Team:** Paul Lam, lead cook who has served during the past 13 years, and the other team members. The in-person meetings, along with the food served, enrich us both spiritually and physically.
- ❖ **Set up Team:** Uncle Percy (Pastor Percy Ho) and Kenneth Yan.
- ❖ **Admin Team:** Simon Au, Iris Au, Angela Tam
- ❖ **AV team:** William Wong, Mannix Leung

Thanks to the following brothers and sisters who serve in the committee: Tammy Kwan, Pastor Percy Ho, Kenneth Yan, Rev. Ginny Chak and Rev. Ocean Ng.

We thank all the brothers and sisters who serve in this ministry.



Welcome Ministry Fanny Au

Welcome Ministry Committee Members:

Rev. Albert Chu, Rev. Samuel Or, Rev. Steven Folts, Elder Fanny Au, Deacon Hazel Kwan, Deacon Joseph Man, Deacon Tony Pang, and Janet Chow.

Welcome Ministry consists of 2 teams:

“Worship Welcoming” and “Welcome to Canada”

Worship Welcoming Team

The Worship Welcoming Team greets newcomers during the 9:30 am and 11:15 am Sunday services. Over the past year, God has brought people of different age groups. Some are transferring from other churches, and others are coming from Hong Kong to begin a new chapter of life in Canada. The team introduces newcomers to suitable fellowship groups and church activities, offering care and support to help them integrate into church life.

This year, the Welcome Ministry received over 150 newcomers. Worship Welcome Team members include Joseph Man, Billy Cheung, Grace Tsoi, Grace Ng, Jack Guan, Joyce He, Polly Hui, Steve Hui, Stephen Po, William Pao, Sophia Wong, Wilson Lee, Wister Wong, Maggie Au-Yeung, Elsie Hung, Polly Suen and Fanny Au.

Welcome to Canada Team

The Welcome to Canada Team organizes activities specifically designed for new immigrants, including seminars as well as seasonal and festive gatherings. The goal is to strengthen their connection with the church and help them better understand and adapt to life in Canada. Welcome Angels Team provides one-on-one support and follow-up to assist new immigrants with their settlement and personal needs.

Welcome Angels Team Members: Rev. Albert Chu, Rev. Samuel Or, Rev. Steven Folts, Tony Pang, Florence Pang, Angel Ng, Miranda Leong, Derek Hui, Billy Cheung, Connie Yeung, and Joyce He.

“Next Stop Toronto” Facebook Group

The Facebook platform “Next Stop Toronto”, shares information about life in Toronto and promotes church activities to newcomers. There are over 6,800 subscribers.

Contributors to the Facebook group include: Marine Tong, Jason Leung, Priscilla Tam, Luke Tong, Vivian Au, Robin Yu, and Grace Tsoi.

Church Welcome Meetings

The Welcome Ministry hosted welcome meetings in April and November to introduce the church and its ministries, helping newcomers better understand and become involved in



the church. Next year, the ministry plans to hold one to two additional welcome meetings so that we can connect with newcomers earlier and deepen relationships sooner.

Thanksgiving and Vision

We give thanks to God for bringing many newcomers to SCAC to participate and serve. As Canada's immigration policies tighten once again and the economy remains challenging, many Hong Kong newcomers within the church are facing increasingly difficult and prolonged waiting periods. Walking alongside them, offering personal care, and continuing to pray for and support them is a timely ministry the church must embrace. May the Lord use SCAC to minister to people from diverse walks of life, and by His strength, walk alongside them so that they may experience the love of Jesus Christ and the hope of the Gospel.



Visitation Ministry Quoc Truong

The Example of Jesus Christ

From the Gospels, Jesus Christ seized different opportunities to visit various people: such as Peter's mother-in-law suffering from a fever; Matthew sitting at the tax collector's booth; Martha when passing by; and Zacchaeus, the chief tax collector, who eventually repented. Therefore, the work of visiting and caring for others is inseparable from church ministry.

In 2025, facing extreme challenges and difficulties, the visitation team members encountered numerous rejections and even unanswered calls when making inquiries. Therefore, the visitation and caring teams were often turned away, partly due to the negative social atmosphere; frequent scams made people distrustful of strangers and hesitant to interact with them. The team members still actively sought to visit and care for those in need. This year, they made nearly 80 visits and phone calls, greatly encouraging and comforting those receiving the visits.

May the Lord help us, through our ministry of visiting and caring, raise up more brothers and sisters to serve together so that other brothers and sisters can experience the love and care in the Lord. May this beautiful testimony practice in our lives, become seeds of the Gospel spreading among our communities. Glory to God! May those who are willing to seek the Lord know of the redemptive grace and return to the true God.

“We know that in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose.” (Romans 8:28)

2025 Committee Members:

Rev. Stanley Leung, Elder: Quoc Truong, Deacon: Ricky Yu

Visitation Team Members:

Terence Fan, Ring Fan, Heidi Sin, Patrick Cheung, Jane Mo, Angela Ko, Angela Tam, Linda Tang, Jessie Leung, Josephine Fong, Angel Ng, Stevie Hung, Esther Chan, Mandy Lee, Poly Woo, Jacqueline Lau, Joan Leung, Frances Pang, Timothy Yeung, Gilbert Ng, Calvin Lui, Patrick Chak, Ada Hui, David Lai, Doris Chan, Patrick Zhang, Yvonne Chiu (in no particular order).



Mission Ministry Tommy Yuen

"... ..As the Father has sent me, I am sending you." (John 20:21)

We can understand this verse to read: "As the Father sent me, so also in the same way I am sending you." The Father loved and listened to the Son. The Son loved and watched for what the Father initiated. Jesus, in dynamic nearness to the Father, continued what God had been doing throughout history. Jesus sends us in this same way. The verse also means: "As the Father sent me, so also you are sent to accomplish the same historic purpose for which I was sent." This is more than mind-boggling. Jesus entrusted ordinary people with the same enormous matters which the Father entrusted to Him..." (extracted from Perspectives on the World Christian Movement).

"Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely, I am with you always, to the very end of the age."
(Matthew 28:19-20)

Jesus entrusted this enormous task of making disciples of all the people groups to us. Our church has the responsibilities to train and equip believers. And believers have the responsibilities to be trained and equipped, so that they can complete the task that Jesus entrusted us. For this reason, Mission Department held many activities throughout the year. Below is a brief summary of our ministries.

1. Mission Moment and Newsletter Amy Au

We have Mission Moment in all Sunday services on every 3rd Sunday. This is a good opportunity to introduce new International Workers (IWs) and to provide an update of the mission work of the Alliance Canada and our IWs around the world. We are thankful for those IWs who made special efforts in making the video clips for Mission Moment, so that brothers and sisters could see and hear directly from IWs about the field. This year, we also showed some of the videos produced by the Alliance Canada, so that brothers and sisters could understand more about mission field development. The video clips are posted on SCAC YouTube Channel for those who missed watching them. Many thanks go to brothers and sisters who supported in the background, including subtitles preparation, voice over and video editing. Mission Committee regularly receives IW newsletters providing an update of their work and prayer needs. We share some of them in Mission Newsletter, which is included in church bulletin once every 2 months. Brothers and sisters, who want to receive these IW newsletters and pray for them regularly, could contact Mission Committee.



2. Short Team Mission (STM) Tranal Chow

Aruba STM

Date: April 25 – May 8

- ❖ Members: Ronald Yiu, Cynthia Chiu, Amy Au, Celia Lam, Agnes Lam, Nancy Kee, Leo Lam, Kenneth Yeung, Bryan Law and Howard Tang
- ❖ Key Activities: Family Fun Day, Carnival, Community Outreach, assisting local churches with Sunday worship, youth activities, and more.

Almaty, Kazakhstan STM

Date: February 20 – 28

- ❖ Member: Iris Lam
- ❖ Activities: this is a STM just before Global Gathering held at Chiang Mai, Thailand from March 1-6, 2025. This is part of an envision trip to visit and care for the 3 couples ministering in Almaty.

Date: May 29 – June 15

- ❖ Members: Abigail Poon, Natalie Tsui, Janie Wong, Elsie Yuen
- ❖ Key Activities: Helping out with 2 English camps, one with a local church in the city and one with the Tien Shan International School alongside our missionaries.

Hat Yai, Thailand STM

Date: March 6 – 10

- ❖ Members: Rev. Albert Chu, Rev. Owen Aaron
- ❖ Key Activities: Visit our church-supported international workers to learn about the needs and challenges they face in the field, and to evaluate the possibility of deploying short-term mission teams to support them in the future.

Madagascar STM

Date: June 27 – July 10

- ❖ Members: Karen Choy, Tammy Kwan, Iris Lam, Karen Leung, Hugo Mak, Anna Mo, Derek Tam, Teddy Tse, Elson Yau
- ❖ Key Activities: Led the English classes and workshops.

Mexico City STM

Date: November 6 – 10

- ❖ Members: Tracy Wu, Rev. Lily Li, Landy Luo, Polly Lam.
- ❖ Key Activities: Invite local Mexican brothers and sisters who are interested in participating in developing Chinese-language ministry in Mexico to join a love feast, ministry sharing, and mutual prayer. Visit the Spanish-speaking church La Fuente to attend their worship service, together with the IWs Anne and Shiqin. Listen to IWs sharing about their ministry, pray together, and visit the main residential area of the local Chinese community, Santa Fe.



Alliance Canada - Global Gathering

Date: March 1 – 6

- ❖ Members: Rev. Albert Chu, Rev. Owen Aaron, Elder Tommy Yuen, Iris Lam, Pastor Jonathan Choy
- ❖ Meeting Highlights: The Alliance Canada has set a ten-year goal called “Double Reach”. This means that by 2034, the Alliance aims to double its ministry impact and level of engagement, both in Canada and internationally. At the same time, the Alliance Canada integrates Church Development, Relief and Long-term Development, and Marketplace ministries—3 distinct areas of ministry—into a unified approach to fulfilling its mission among the Least-Reached People.

3. Mission Fellowship Program Francis Lee

The Mission Committee is planning to roll out a new mission fellowship program in 2026. This program aims to encourage brothers and sisters to work hand in hand, heart to heart supporting and working with our international workers in reaching out the Unreached People Groups in those Dark & Hard places.

4. Mission Conference Victor Tam

The Mission Conference took place from October 23-26, 2025, with the theme “Dare to Dream, Dare to Fly”. The event featured sharing sessions by short-term mission team members and testimonies from international workers who grew up in SCAC. Rev. Dr. Peter Au, served as the main speaker. Concurrent conferences were held for children and English-speaking attendees. Notable events included a cultural food night on Friday and a mission banquet on Saturday. Attendees were invited to express their commitments on stickers displayed on a designated wall.

5. Toronto Alliance Church (TAC) Francis Lee

Praise the Lord! Toronto Alliance Church (TAC) continues to share God’s love by serving hot meals, distributing lunch packs, and providing worship services at TAC. We give thanks to God for the leadership of Grace Ng, Nelson Leung, and Corie Tse, who organized the SCAC team to serve dinner on the 3rd Saturday of January, March, May, July, September, and November. We also thank the SCAC-TAC Kitchen Team led by Lianna Cheong and the Family Fellowship members led by Elder Quoc Truong for their dedication in serving in this ministry. The SCAC Food Drive was a success, reflecting the generosity of our brothers and sisters in Christ. May we continue to serve and support TAC ministries, sharing God’s love to those in need.



6. International Workers (IW) Care Iris Lam

This year's Joint Mission Conference was held in Toronto, and we were thrilled to have several International Workers (IWs) joining us to share their experiences and visions. We were privileged to invite some of them to speak at our prayer meetings and join us for meals, allowing us to build stronger connections and show our support for their work.

Those who joined us include: Kevin and Carol Lim, Ebby and Foster, Ellen Fong, Lisa Brown, Jonathan Luk, Tom and Heidi Cheng.

We've also made some changes to our IW list, adding Caleb and Ruby (Asia), Richard and Hui (Central East), Jacob and Christina Yeh (Japan), and removing Hans and Ruth Fung (Europe) and Rev. Enoch & Frieda Hall (Quebec), who have both retired this year.

We are excited that Gormley Campus has invited our mission committee to share with their community during their Pastoral Care Annual Retreat on April 27, 2025. Amy Au represented us and shared about IW care.

7. The Alliance Canada Compassion through the Gift Catalogue Tommy Yuen

Funds raised by the Gift Catalogue of the Alliance Canada are used by our international workers to help the needy in the mission fields. We raised \$98,764 in 2025. Thanks for the support from brothers and sisters!

8. 2026 Mission Fund Budget Natalie Tsui

As part of the Alliance Canada, we wanted to focus our effort in supporting Alliance ministries. Thus, about 75% of this budget is allocated for The Alliance Canada Global Advance Fund, International Workers' Work Special, theological education and Compassion Ministry. About 10% is allocated to support missionaries and ministries of other Christian organizations. The remaining 15% is allocated to local missions, including Toronto Alliance Church and its missionary apprentice, short-term mission ministry expenses, mission conference, missionary care and mission education, etc.

Our 2026 mission fund budget is \$962,100. We pray that brothers and sisters will continue to tithe faithfully, support missions, and fulfill the Great Commission together with our international workers.

9. Mission Education Francis Lee

The Faith Adventurers Mission Sunday School class was a blessing. It ran in 2 phases: Summer Term (June-August) at Gormley Campus, and December 2025-February 2026 at Main



Campus. The teaching team - Amy Au, Francis Lee, Iris Lam, and Pullisa Kong - delivered 14 lessons at Gormley, exploring missions and outreach.

Special guests shared their stories, including Rev. Peter Yip, Ebby & Foster (Central Asia), and Jonathan Luk. Participants gained a deeper understanding of God's work and appreciated faithful missionaries.

Attendance averaged 30 at Gormley, 8 at Main Campus. Grateful for the impact of this ministry.

10. Mission committee members

Praise God for the dedicated members serving on the Mission Committee for God's Kingdom. We truly appreciate their unwavering commitment and invaluable contributions to the Mission Department.

Members are: Amy Au, Rev Albert Chu, Tommy Yuen, Howard Tang, Tranal Chow, Victor Tam, Landy Lao, Natalie Tsui, Wenjing Hu, Iris Lam and Karen Choy



Family Ministry Serena Lau

Family Ministry is a new ministry at SCAC with its official launch dated back in April this year. One of our church's core values is to promote Christ as the Head of the household. It is our goal that the church partners with families to nurture disciples who love God, love others, and who are grounded in biblical teaching. Our committee members are Rev. Kim Poon, Pastor Jacky Lam, Karen Choy, Janet Chow, Joyce Hui, Sam Kwan, and Serena Lau.

A survey was conducted...

In order to better serve brothers and sisters in different types of family composition, a survey was put out to collect information to help set ministry directions. With options to choose from, the main questions asked were (1) What areas of family life do you feel need the most support? (2) What types of activities would you like to see in Family Ministry? (3) What challenges do you currently face in balancing faith and family life?

A webpage has been set up...

We reckon that resources made available for each member within a family would be helpful. Therefore, a Family Ministry webpage was created for families providing useful links on marriage, parenting, for adults, youths, and children, together with contents such as prayers and devotional materials as a start.

A Response addressing survey results...

One of the responses to the survey question "What challenges do you currently face in balancing faith and family life" was struggles with communication with family members. By God's providence, Dr. Christine Lau, associate professor of Counseling at Alliance Bible Seminary in Hong Kong, came to offer insights and advice through a workshop held on August 9 titled "After You Have Become An Adult: The Tension and Growth Between An Individual and One's Family".

An Effort to Equip Parents...

A resource for discipling teens on biblical sexuality has been acquired from "The Holy Sexuality Project" exploring topics like identity, temptations, desires, singleness, marriage, gender, and more. From September to November, parents learned in Sunday school format how to start conversation on the topic of sexuality with their teenagers.

A look into 2026 ...

From the survey, the top 4 areas of family life participants felt need the most support include health & wellness, spiritual growth for families, youth/teen guidance, and marriage enrichment. In view of this data, a Marriage Enrichment Retreat (April) and Sunday school on parenting (March – May) have been planned for 2026.



IT / Audio-Visual Ministry Landy Luo

The IT and AV Ministry continued to play a vital role in supporting worship services, church communications, and ministry operations throughout the year, through the ongoing operation, maintenance, and enhancement of audio-visual systems, IT infrastructure, and digital platforms.

We give thanks to the Lord for providing SCAC with many talented brothers and sisters who serve faithfully in the IT and AV Ministry with humble and willing hearts. While we are collecting and listing the names in alphabetical order for appreciation, we recognize that God knows each one by name and sees their devotion, sacrifices, and quiet faithfulness. May the Lord continue to preserve their servant hearts, strengthen them in their calling, and reward them with His pleasure and grace.

Deacons: Kin Woo (AV), Patrick Wong (Media), Vincent Yan (IT)

System Design & Implementation Lead Contributors:

Eddie Chan, Kin Woo, Patrick Wong, Simon Lee, Vincent Yan

Active volunteers: Alfred Hui, Benny Yu, Bryan Law, Charles Wong, Chris Chong, Clarence Hinh, Daniel Lui, David Qi, Doris Chan, Eddie Chan, Eric Lam, Felix Chung, Gilbert Ng, Jeremy Lo, John Law, Kam Sing Leung, Ken Yeung, Kenneth Yeung, Kin Woo, Landy Luo, Linda Tang, Mei Wong, Manix Leung, Michael Ho, Michael Lam, Patrick Wong, Patrick Woo, Raymond Chiang, Ronald Kwok, Rick Fung, Robin Ho, Roman Law, Sam Lin, Sam Yu, Simon Lee, Vincent Yan, William Wong, Zoe Chan

Existing Ministries

- ❖ **Worship Support:** Support weekly worship AV and YouTube live streaming for worship services for the Cantonese, Mandarin, and English ministries, ensuring stable and reliable broadcasts.
- ❖ **Sermon Record Management:** Manage the weekly backup of worship videos from the SCAC YouTube channel to secure digital storage. Extract, process, publish, and archive sermon audio on both the SCAC internal database and the public website.
- ❖ **E-Bulletin:** Provide weekly on-site E-Bulletin updates, including a Cantonese video bulletin digest displayed on lobby TVs to keep the congregation informed.
- ❖ **Special Event Support (Interpretation and Translation Services, Streaming, Recording):** Set up and operate wireless headset for ITS systems during joint worship services. Provide streaming and recording support for major church events, including Easter and Christmas worship services.
- ❖ **Miscellaneous Video Project Support:** Produce, edit, and translate video content as requested by the church office, pastors, and ministry leaders. Examples



include Mission Moments, baptism testimony videos, and Christmas Shoebox promotion videos.

- ❖ **Technical Support and Campus Display Management:** Provide first-line diagnosis and repair for AV and electronic hardware. Track changes to the church's AV systems and new-wing lighting systems, and plan appropriate maintenance strategies. Design and construct portable AV carts for G200 video streaming and gymnasium AV services. Maintain the Main Campus internal video casting network.

Prayer Requests and Looking Ahead

As we look ahead to the coming year, we humbly ask for the congregation's prayers for recruitment and training within the IT and AV Ministry. We pray that the Lord will continue to call brothers and sisters with willing and teachable hearts to serve, and that He will grant wisdom and patience as we further strengthen training for AV members from different fellowships. Our desire is to better **equip fellowship-based AV servants** to confidently support their own gatherings and special events hosted in fellowship rooms, fostering both technical competence and servant leadership.

We also seek prayer support for the successful implementation of new ministry initiatives, including **Sunday School IT Support**, providing reliable classroom audio and projection systems to enhance teaching and learning, as well as Website Updates and Content Management, ensuring timely, clear, and accessible communication through the church's digital platforms. May the Lord guide our planning, unite our teams, and use these efforts to build up His church for His glory.



Sacred Music Ministry Richard Poon

“Praise the Lord. Praise God in His sanctuary; praise Him in His mighty heavens. Praise Him for His acts of power; praise Him for His surpassing greatness. Praise Him with the sounding of the trumpet, praise Him with the harp and lyre, praise Him with timbrel and dancing, praise Him with the strings and pipe, praise Him with the clash of cymbals, praise Him with resounding cymbals. Let everything that has breath praise the Lord. Praise the Lord.” (Psalms 150:1-6)

Sacred music is an indispensable part of worship. Besides the worship team leading the congregation in singing praise to God, the choir is responsible for music offering as a sacrifice to God, much like the Levites who served in the temple in the Old Testament (1 Chronicles 25; 2 Chronicles 8). SCAC is blessed to have 2 choirs for 9:30 am and 11:15 am worship sessions respectively, for our Cantonese Ministry. They practice every Sunday afternoon, and present during worships on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month.

In addition to the joint choir and orchestra leading worship on Good Friday and Easter Sunday as one of our annual major events, we also held the 2nd annual sacred music retreat in August; participated the Joint Choir Presentation at the Joint Mission Conference; and held the 1st Music Sharing Concert in July to provide a performance platform for talented brothers and sisters and to discover any potential musicians for our ministry.

Ministry Highlights:

Good Friday worship service: Theme “No Greater Love”

The choir sang Lloyd Larson’s “No Greater Love”, a hymn that expresses Jesus’ journey into Jerusalem on a donkey, his Last Supper with the 12 disciples, his prayer in the Garden of Gethsemane, his betrayal and rejection, and his eventual crucifixion.

Priscilla Li was the conductor of the joint choir with Grace Chan as pianist and Andrew Au Yeung as Organist. Rev. Albert Chu preached with the topic: “No Greater Love”.

❖ Narrators: Rev. Ginny Chak, Raymond Chow

❖ Instrumentalists:

Violin: Abigail Poon, James Chen, Karis Cheng, Mateo Poon, Theodora Chung

Cello: Amy Chow, Christopher Woo, Nathan Chan

Bass Guitar: Trevor Au Yeung; **Flute:** Cohen Tam, Euodia Hsien

Oboe: Sammy Yeung; **Clarinet:** Nathan Au, Katia Tam; **Bassoon:** Hoho Liu

French Horn: Richard Poon; **Trumpet:** Matthew Cheung; **Trombone:** Olivier Lew

Percussion: Bernard Choi, Robin Ho; **Handbell:** Amy Chan, Yee Ming Yeung-Ko

Keyboard: Clara Hong; **Piano:** Grace Chan

❖ Choir members:



Soprano: Amy Lau, Becky Hong, Bianca Li, Cecily Ma, Cynthia Chiu, Elinor Lam, Elise Tsui, Gloria Wu, Grace Hui, Janie Wong, Joy Wu, King Fong Chan, Lilian Chiu, Maggie Au Yeung, Sarafina Hui, Sylvia Cheung, Virginia Chin, Wing Zhang

Alto: Diana Leung, Esther Kwong, Lydia Leung, Mandy Wong, Sandy Kam

Tenor: Andy Yik, Henry Ng, James Hong, Johnson Wong, Tom Leung, Wallace Ng

Bass: Bernard Lo, Fred Leung, Jimmy Chung, Michael Lau, Tranal Chow

❖ Stage coordinator: Diana Leung; AV: Kin Woo, Linda Tang

❖ PowerPoint: Gloria Wu; Proofreading: Sylvie Tsui

Sunday Service Choirs

9:30 Choir

Conductor: Kelen Cheng, Andy Yik, Andrew Au Yeung

Pianist: Grace Chan, Andrew Au Yeung

Choir Members: Maggie Au Yeung, Kelen Cheng, Sylvia Cheung, Becky Hong, Doris Kwan, Gloria Wu, Joy Wu, Grace Hui, Diana Leung, Yuk-Fong Wong, Maggie Kwan, Tom Leung, James Hong, Bernard Lo, Henry Ng, Wallace Ng, Jimmy Chung, David Wong, Andy Yik, Steve Kwan, Grace Chan, Andrew Au Yeung

11:15 Choir

Conductor: Priscilla Li, Fred Leung, King Fong Chu, Lydia Lui

Pianist: Queenie Yip, Naomi Wong, Lydia Lui

Choir Members: Amy Lau, Bianca Li, Carol Tong, Cathleen Chan, Cecilia Tam, Cecily Lam, Claudy Woo, Amy Wong, Cynthia Chiu, Elinor Lam, Janie Wong, King Fong Chu, Priscilla Li, Reagan Yeung, Suki Lee, Virginia Chin, Wing Zhang, Lydia Lui, Sandy Kam, Bernard Lo, Fred Leung, Johnson Wong, Michael Lau, Nelson Lam, Richard Poon, Tennyson Yeung

Music Sharing Concert (July 19, 2025)

Performers: Rev. Albert & King Fong Chu (Vocal Duet); James & Jessica Chen (Violin Duet); Richard Poon (Harmonica Solo); Christopher Wu (Piano Solo); Janet & Tranel Chow (Vocal Duet); Miriam Cheng / Grace Pang / Raymond Pang / Sirley Hong / Daniel Deng (Chinese Instruments Ensemble); SCAC Choir; Jubilate Handbell Choir

JMC Joint Choir (August 4, 2025)

SCAC Participants: Bianca Li, King Fong Chu, Cynthia Chiu, Elise Chong, Wallace Ng, Richard Poon, Rosalie Cheng, Sandy Kam, Sylvia Cheung, Esther Tang, Virginia Chin, Gloria Woo, Joy Woo.



Sacred Music Ministry Retreat (August 24, 2025)

Title: "The Heart of Worship"

Guest Speaker: Dr. Swee Hong Lim
Deer Park Associate Professor of Sacred Music
at Emmanuel College of Victoria University
in the University of Toronto

Jubilate Ringers Priscilla Li

The most significant event for the Handbell Team this year was the passing of Amy Chan who had served in this role for 8 years, enthusiastically participated in every practice and performance, and attended numerous handbell workshops and music festivals. She was warm and infectious, built deep friendship with the other team members. Since falling ill last October, she never stopped serving during treatment, enduring pain and playing for everyone despite her frail body. We were all amazed by her endurance and admired her unwavering spirit! She persisted for 8 months until she could no longer lift the handbells... The entire handbell team was saddened and heartbroken by her passing. We think of her during practice, especially when playing pieces she had participated in. She served God faithfully, setting a beautiful example for us. Thank Amy Chan for her contributions to the handbell team and thank God for her faithful service!

2025 Performance and Activity Log

- ❖ January 5: 9:30 am and 11:15 am Sunday worship
- ❖ April 6: 9:30 am and 11:15 am Sunday worship
- ❖ April 18: Good Friday worship, with the choir
- ❖ April 20: Easter worship, with the choir
- ❖ May 18: performed at a Christian Bible study meeting hosted by Christians at the Meadows of Aurora community
- ❖ June 1: 9:30 am and 11:15 am Sunday worship
- ❖ June 5 - 7: participated in the Ontario Association's Handbell Music Festival in Hamilton
- ❖ July 19: participated in a music evening hosted by the Sacred Music Club
- ❖ October 5: 9:30 am and 11:15 am Sunday worship
- ❖ November 22: St. Mark's Orthodox Egyptian Cathedral - Toronto Congregational Church Handbell Ensemble
- ❖ November 30: 9:30 am and 11:15 am Sunday worship
- ❖ December 11: performed at a Christmas celebration hosted by Christians in the Meadows of Aurora community
- ❖ December 14: provided accompaniment for the choir in 11:15 am Sunday worship



Our rehearsals this year consisted of 50 sessions on Tuesday evenings and 39 sessions (small group ensemble) on Friday mornings, with 12 performances.

Thanks for the handbell team! Everyone finds satisfaction and joy in this service. We sincerely thank everyone for their hard work and dedication. May our service please God, and may God receive all glory!

Conductor: Priscilla Li

Members: Cathleen Chan, Jeany Chan, Ada Chan, Rosalie Cheng, Rosemary Kwan, Amy Chan-Lai, Jennifer Leung, Priscilla Li, Sylvie Tsui, Yee Ming Ko-Yeung, Gloria Wu, Tiffany Wu

Piano Accompaniment: Derick Pao

Percussion: Naomi Wong, Robin Ho, Richard Poon, Grace Chan, Derick Pao



Junior Handbell Team Gloria Wu

The SCAC Junior Handbell Team was officially established in September 2025 after a year and a half of preparation. Initially, there were 9 members, and within a few weeks, the number had grown to 12. The children learned very quickly; in their very first lesson, they were



already practicing Mozart's "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star". In the first term, the team focused on the basic handbell technique, basic music theory, and building team spirit. 5 to 7 elements are included in each lesson: warm-up, handbell techniques, music theory, repertoires, sharing, praying, and refreshments. In the coming second term (January to April 2026), the team will focus on two-hand playing and more handbell techniques.

Thanks to God's provision, the team has purchased the necessary instruments for the training with much lower than market prices in a short period.

2025 Performance and Activity Record

First term rehearsals: 7 Sunday afternoons, 3 Friday afternoons (online learning), and 2 performances.

- ❖ December 7: Performed at the SCAC Sheep Pen
- ❖ December 14: First Term Concert

Advisors: Priscilla Li, Richard Poon

Leaders: Gloria Wu, Tiffany Wu

Team Members: Abi Chan, Abigail Chan, Caleb Chen, Deborah Chan, Jessica Chen,

Wan Yan Cheung, David Dong, Sarah Dong, Alex He, Cheryl Ho, Milcah Ng, Emma To

Piano Accompaniment: Derick Pao

Staff: Jeany Chan, Yee Ming Ko-Yeung, Richard Poon, Polly Suen, Sylvie Tsui, Jessie Wu

Grateful that the members of the SCAC Junior Handbell Team are building relationships with each other gradually, showing mutual support and sharing joy. May the team serve and please God, and may God receive all glory!



Evangelism Ministry Kehua Zhang

Thanks be to the Lord for yet another blessed year. We are greatly encouraged to see many brothers and sisters passionately sharing the Gospel and faithfully serving in His name.

As we look back to 2025, several structural changes have been made to strengthen our ministry and better align with leadership: The Active Adult Ministry (AAM) has been merged into Evangelism Ministry, and the Follow-Up Ministry has transitioned to Christian Education.

With Rev. Stephen Lee's retirement and Rev. Albert Chu's transition to Gormley Campus, pastoral leadership at the Main Campus has also been rearranged to better support the Evangelism Ministry. We warmly welcome Rev. Steven Folts, who will lead the Alpha Course Ministry, and Rev. Samuel Or, who will oversee Community Outreach. Meanwhile, Rev. Ocean Ng continues to shepherd both the AAM and Evangelism Explosion Ministry (EE).

This past year has been busy and fruitful, with many highlights:

- ❖ 80 participants joined the "Jesus Loves Midland" outreach event in June.
- ❖ 13 graduates completed the EE training class this year.
- ❖ We partnered in Music Evangelistic events with Showers of Blessing Evangelistic Ministry (SOBEM) and Herald.
- ❖ We were regularly invited to AM1430 radio channel for interview, with
- ❖ greater community visibility and bringing more participants to our AAM programs.
- ❖ 55 participants will join the upcoming Christmas Caroling Outreach
- ❖ Program.

We continue to work closely with ministry leaders and faithful brothers and sisters in evangelism, bringing blessings to our community. Looking forward, we hope to involve more of the younger generation in evangelism, equipping them to share the Good News of our Lord at any place and any time.

May God bless SCAC to be the salt and light to our community and beyond.

Evangelism Explosion Ministry Catherine Yung

This scripture often reminds disciples to... *"As long as it is day, we must do the work of Him who sent me. Night is coming, when no one can work."* (John 9:4). Indeed, I know my day is limited, and night is just around the corner. The scripture reminds disciples to seize every day to work, to fulfill the Great Commission God has entrusted to us; to diligently complete the infinite work of eternal life in this limited present, which is to bring good news, preach the Gospel, and reconcile people with God, giving them assurance of eternal life.



Thanks be to God! The Evangelism Explosion (EE) training course can still be held in 2024. The course was held from August 24, 2024 to March 29, 2025. The 1st level, the 38th session, had 3 students: Bridget Tam, Craig Li, and Ben Mok. 2nd level, the 22nd session, had 5 students: Edmond Tam, Connie Lo, Cathy Zhou, Pariz Tai, and Monica Lin. 3rd level, the 16th session, had 5 students: Grace Ng, Oscar Ng, Sandy Kam, Emily Lau, and Rita Chu. In total, there were 13 students in 3 levels. Thanks to the Lord! Every student was humble, always ready to learn, and faithfully completed the course (Faithful, Available, Teachable).

The mentor team for each of the 3 levels consists of:

Level 1: Doris Chan, Queeny Leung

Level 2: Francis Lee, Tommy Yuen

Level 3: Rev. Ocean Ng, Rev. Stephen Lam

They all have rich experience and a strong burden in evangelism, and have been unwaveringly committed to training disciples for the Kingdom of Heaven, for only “disciples” can fulfill the Great Commission commanded by the Lord. Each mentor remains faithful to their duty, and their fervent dedication has inadvertently set beautiful examples for the students. Praise the Lord!

We also hold our annual EE commission ceremony on August 23, which coincides with the graduation and opening ceremony. Approximately 70 people attend, including spouses of students and prayer partners who silently support the ministry through prayer. We were further honoured to have Rev. Steven Folts as our speaker at the meeting. He shared his personal experiences and case studies in his evangelistic life, stories that greatly inspired and encouraged us. Our hearts were filled with gratitude. In addition, participants from the 3 levels of EE shared their personal testimonies of gratitude, resonating deeply with the audience. Glory to the Lord!

The following words, I believe, will resonate with all members of the EE Ministry. May we all strive together... To be able to proclaim good news for the Lord, to share in the expansion of God’s kingdom, is truly our honour and a blessing. The day of the Lord’s return is near. In the darkness, no one can do the Lord’s work anymore. We must diligently proclaim the Gospel to those who have not yet received it, to reap the Lord’s harvest while there is still daylight, until the glorious return of Jesus Christ.

Finally, I sincerely thank the organizing committee members who have worked with me in promoting and planning the EE Ministry: Doris Chan, Queeny Leung, Hamish Chan, Ronald Yiu, and new committee member Jeff Chow; and Wallace Lee, who has been working tirelessly behind the scene, compiling statistics on visits throughout the year.

In the days to come, I pray that the Lord will continue to bless and guide the EE Ministry so that more people will rise up to be true disciples of the Lord’s mission. Amen!



Active Adult Ministry **Louis Hung**

The Active Adult Ministry is a Gospel-centered outreach initiative dedicated to sharing Jesus' Good News with community members who do not yet know the Lord. The ministry engages people through a variety of activities—such as smartphone and technology workshops, home safety sessions, health seminars, and practical life classes. With a warm and friendly learning atmosphere, the ministry has attracted many participants from the community.

Co-workers serve with hearts of care and companionship, building genuine friendships and long-lasting relationships while gradually sharing the message of the Gospel. Through Alpha Courses and Evangelism Explosion (EE) visitations, participants are encouraged to know and accept Jesus Christ as their Savior and become children of God. In addition, the ministry uses thematic discussions and cozy tea gatherings as bridges of communication, enabling participants to connect, share, and grow in love, forming a fellowship centered on Christ.

In 2025, we welcomed 198 new friends, and the weekly average attendance for all activities was about 100 people, indicating stable participation and an ever-growing connection with the community. Among the attendees, about 40% are non-believers. The Active Adult Ministry operates in 2 parts every Thursdays: from 12:30 to 1:30 pm: a “Relaxed Tea Time” offering various classes or activities such as line dancing, crafts, and health exercises; from 1:30 to 3:00 pm is the “Special Topic Lecture” period.

A major highlight of 2025, starting in June, is the new “Casual Chatting Station” introduced during the same midday “Relaxed Tea Time”. This interactive group uses everyday life topics as a starting point, gradually moving into sharing life experiences and emotions through relaxed, natural conversation, ultimately leading to the Gospel message. The progression typically unfolds in 3 gentle stages: (1) building trust and comfort through friendly discussion of familiar issues such as family, hobbies, or current events; (2) deepening the connection by exploring personal stories, challenges, and life values in an open and supportive atmosphere; (3) naturally bridging these reflections to spiritual truths, introducing God's love and the hope found in Jesus Christ. This natural and warm form of interaction helps participants connect deeply with one another and prepares open hearts for the Gospel.

Looking ahead to next year, the ministry will continue running Alpha Courses in Spring and arrange EE visitations, helping community friends know and receive the Gospel. Additionally, after completing the Alpha Course, we plan to establish discipleship small groups to accompany new believers and seekers on their spiritual journeys. Through these groups, more people will be nurtured in faith, experience God's love, and come to know the truth of the Gospel and accept salvation.

Committee Members: Rev. Ocean Ng, Deacon Louis Hung, Deacon Eric Lam,
Xenia Chan (Ministry Assistant)



May God bless all ministry co-workers with good health, wisdom, strength, and love, that they may be empowered in building relationships with non-believers and sharing the Gospel. May the Lord strengthen and sustain every effort, causing the ministry to bear abundant fruit and lead many souls to Him. May the Kingdom of the Lord expand without limit, and may the Gospel of Jesus Christ be proclaimed to all nations. Amen!

Community Outreach Team Jeany Chan

Thank God for leading the community outreach team to give personal testimony in various Chinese shopping malls on the 4th Saturday of every month. This year a total of 127 people were contacted, of which we shared the complete Gospel message with 74, and 2 responded to the invitation to Christ.

We visited 600 households during the “Jesus Loves Midland” community outreach in June, and followed up 50 households in July and August, and they were grateful for our care, and we prayed with them for their needs.

In December, we were grateful to have 30 brothers and sisters visited 84 stores, and secured permission from 24 stores to hold Christmas caroling on December 20 at their stores. 58 brothers and sisters attended the caroling and sharing our personal testimony and Gospel message with the store owners and staff. May our Heavenly Father continue to move more brothers and sisters to participate in this ministry, stepping out of their comfort zones, and take action to care for their neighbours.

Alpha Course Francis Ching

Alpha Course was held from September 13 to December 6, 2025, every Saturday morning at 9:30 am. 2 participants were enrolled, and one successfully graduated. One of the participants attended Sunday worship, while the other expressed a desire to attend church services, but this was pending due to transportation issues. Additionally, the Active Adult Ministry (AAM) Alpha Course (Thursday afternoons) continued during the afternoon sessions of AAM with 5 participants and 4 successfully graduated. Looking ahead to next year, we hope that through our fellowship members, we can invite more friends to participate in the Alpha Course, to know God, receive salvation, and glorify the Lord’s name.

Gratitude to brothers and sisters who helped in 2025. Committee members: Rev. Ocean Ng, Rev. Steven Folts (newly appointed Alpha Ministry Pastor), Grace Kwong, Zoe Chan, Louis Hung, and Francis Ching, as well as the group leaders of the Saturday morning Alpha Course, Vivienne Lee and Jeff Chow, and the group leaders and committee members of AAM, for their hard work and prayers, which enabled the course to be held smoothly.



Christian Education Ministry Patrick Chak

The Christian Education committee includes Rev. Albert Chu (January to September), Rev. Ocean Ng (October to December), Derek So (Principal of Adult Sunday School), Elder Jason Leung, Janvis Woo, Joshua Woo, Pullisa Kong, Serena Lau, Steve Hui and Ronnie Wong.

Other than our regular quarterly Sunday school classes, we have arranged the following workshops with outside speakers, which include:

- ❖ March 22 – workshop organized by the Christian Communications (Canada). Title: “Seeing the Big Picture from Small Details – Bible narratives study strategies”. Speaker: Dr. Grace Ko.
- ❖ April 8 and 15 – workshop on “Joel and Micah, The Prophets Who Revealed Profound Secrets”. Speaker: Rev. Wing Law.
- ❖ September 14 – Christian Education Sunday. Title of sermon: “Growth + ING. Pray for Spiritual Growth for Yourself and Your Church”. Speaker: – Rev. Dr. David Wang.
- ❖ September 16 and 23 – Christian Education workshop. Title: “Learning about Jewish Festivals; Day of Atonement and Festival of Tabernacles”. Speaker: Rev. Dr. Wilson Wong.
- ❖ November 29 – Christian Education workshop. Title: “Finding Rest Amidst Busyness – Spiritual Weariness and the Practice of Sabbath”. Speaker: Dr. Peter Lok.

In 2025, we were happy to have 2 brothers, Tony Pang and Billy Cheung became Adult Sunday School certified teachers.

Adult Sunday School Derek So

Every time I think of our very dedicated adult Bible teachers, I am very thankful. Their diligence in preparing and delivering the lessons and their passion to teach for the sake of the students are such an encouraging example for all of us.

As we continue to arrange 11:15 classes on Sunday morning, we are starting to see regular Adult Sunday school attendees at this timeslot. As we have reduced the number of Zoom classes this year, we may start to have a bit more online classes in the next year.

May our gracious God continue to bless SCAC with His faithful servant teachers and may the Holy Spirit continue to touch and move the students to encounter Jesus more intimately and their lives to be transformed by the Bible and through the teachers.



Follow-up Ministry Patrick Chak

In 2025, we continue to provide follow-up to the new believers via Sunday school classes, as noted below:

Spring session in March:

“Living Out Faith, Hope, and Love” (Teacher: Jessie Leung);

Number of students: 4

“Doing Devotions Together” (Teacher: Rebecca Ching)

Number of students: 5

Summer session in June:

“Living Out Faith, Hope, and Love”

(Teachers: Vivienne Lee / Rev. Samuel Or / Ricky Fung)

Number of students: 20

Fall session in September:

“Living Out Faith, Hope, and Love” (Teacher: Stephen Po)

Number of students: 4

“Doing Devotions Together” (Teacher: Vivienne Lee)

Number of students: 10

Winter session in December:

“Living Out Faith, Hope, and Love” (Teacher: Patrick Chak / Jessie Leung)

Number of students: 6

“Doing Devotions Together” (Teacher: Stephen Po / Kenneth Yan)

Number of students: 2

Truly, we thank every one of our teachers of the Follow-Up classes, for their dedication and efforts. These teachers include Kenneth Yan, Vivienne Lee, Stephen Po, Rebecca Ching, Jessie Leung; as well as Rev. Samuel Or and Ricky Fung, who joined us this year. They used the Microsoft PowerPoint software to help with their teaching. Also, we have Patrick Chak, our elder for the Christian Education Department. They spent much efforts to invite the new believers who accepted Christ through “The Seekers Class” to attend the Follow-Up courses like “Living Out Faith, Hope, and Love” and “Doing Devotions Together”, so that they can continue to be spiritually nurtured and grow.

Resource Centre Pullisa Kong

Books in the Library

- ❖ Purchase of new books - 54 books purchased in total (CCC and CCIC bookstore)
- ❖ Donated books: thanks for congregation donated 307 books (208 Chinese books and 89 English books)
- ❖ Total book collection: 11,660



Book Booth

This year, book booth was held twice, in March and in conjunction with Christian Education Sunday in September. We displayed the newly purchased books and received good response.

In December, we collaborated with CCIC Bookstore to set up a book table in the new wing to sell Bibles and spiritual books in conjunction with Christmas and baptisms, and the response was overwhelming.



Fellowship Sharing

In May, we introduced the Resource Centre at Sisters-In-Christ Fellowship and in December at the Zion Fellowship. In addition to explaining our operation in the fellowship meeting room, we provided a guided tour of the Resource Centre and allowed members to sign out books. Participants were very excited.

Resource Centre New added Items in 2025

Type	
Chinese books	218
English books	89
Video/Audio	0
Total	307

Resource Centre total inventory

Type	
Chinese books	5563
English books	3269
Video/Audio & others	2828
Total	11660

2025 Resource Centre Librarians:

Connie Fung, Doris Tsang, Gloria Poon, Kitty Kong, Mee Chu Cheung, Rosa Chan, Pullisa Kong



Pastoral Care Ministry **Albert Lee**

We are thankful that SCAC is a church that values caring ministry. We deeply understand that being a Caring Group Leader is never easy. Each of you has poured out love, time, and energy to shepherd brothers and sisters, and the journey is filled with challenges. If not for the love of Christ and the encouragement of the Holy Spirit, we would easily grow weary. Yet each of you knows how to rely on the promises in scripture, striving to be faithful soldiers of the Lord, working together in the ministry of care and shepherding. Christ is our Great Shepherd, and we are the “little shepherds” of our SCAC family.

As Rev. Jones Lee has responded to God’s calling to serve in another ministry, we warmly welcome Rev. Steven Folts to join the pastoral team of SCAC and to serve as the pastor overseeing our caring ministry. We are truly grateful for Rev. Lee’s faithful leadership over the past years, and we pray that the Lord will continue to bless his service in the Gospel organization.

The theme of this year’s retreat is “Vessels of Holiness”, led by Rev. Folts. We have also invited Rev. Dr. Gloria Luk to conduct a marriage counseling seminar, and another seminar will feature second-generation believers sharing their journeys of faith, growth, and challenges. Through this annual retreat, our leadership team hopes to encourage our group leaders, share and pray together, and ask God to continue to watch over our caring ministry, so that we may live out the teaching of scripture: *“Let each of you look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others.”* (Philippians 2:4)

Once again, we sincerely thank every caring ministry worker, group leader, and assistant leader for your faithful service. May our Heavenly Father remember and reward your labour and faithfulness. The ministry leadership team includes: Rev. Steven Folts, Elder Albert Lee, Elder Quoc Truong, and Deacon Mark Lo. The four of us are willing to be “channels of blessing”, humbly listening to the thoughts and insights of every co-worker in this caring ministry as we serve the Lord together.

Cancer Support Group **Dennis Chan**

Review of This Year’s Regular Gatherings

- ❖ Sharing and Prayer Meetings (2 times)
Led by pastoral message sharing, followed by group sharing and intercession.
- ❖ Pastoral Anointing Prayer Meetings (3 times)
Pastors prayed with anointing oil for members in need.
- ❖ Afternoon Tea Fellowship (1 time)
A relaxed gathering to strengthen connection and fellowship among members.



Special Event Highlights

- March: Dr. James Leung shared Testimony of experiencing God's support through prayer during illness
- June: 20th Anniversary Thanksgiving Retreat (Message shared by Rev. Stanley Leung, Senior Pastor)
- August: Home fellowship gathering at a brother's residence
- Early August: First-ever group choir offering in Sunday worship
- September: Health Exercise Workshop (Stretching session)
- December: Christmas Celebration (Pastor shared a Christmas message as we celebrated the birth of Christ together)

Group Committee Members (2025)

Rev. Vanessa Lo, Grace Luk, Bonnie Tsang, Irene Liang, Carey Yiu, Alice Lam, Dennis Chan

YASAD Fellowship for Families with Special Need Children Amy Lee



Praise God for His guidance and protection in 2025.

Thanks to all speakers of our monthly meetings for their nurturing and informative messages, and to YASAD brothers and sisters for their faithful service and active participation.

Praise the Lord! Congratulations to our young sister Jessica on her baptism on April 20. YASAD appeared on stage at Chinese New Year celebration event on February 8 reciting the "Chinese triple-word Gospel verses" compiled by Uncle Chan. Our monthly meetings encompass various topics that support the physical, mental, social and spiritual needs of members. Examples:

- January 19 "Love in Winter" watercolour painting (Elsie Hung)
- March 16 "Scam prevention - Case studies" (Elder Albert Lee)
- May 18 "Chronic Inflammatory Conditions & Acupressure" (Doctor Man, traditional Chinese medicine)
- July 20 "Estate planning while considering the special need ones" (Samuel Li)
- September 21 "Sharing Our Story" (Elder Quoc Truong couple)
- October 19 "Thanksgiving Sharing with praises and songs" (YASAD)
- November 16 "Affordable & supportive housing" (Eddie Lok)
- December 21 "Stretching exercise" (Yuki)



May our Lord Jesus continue to bless and keep YASAD families, leading us to shine for Him.

YASAD Committee:

Amy Lee (Chairperson), Rev. Kim Poon (Pastoral Leader), Elder Albert Lee, Elder Quoc Truong, Cindy Truong, Eddie Lok, Frankie Au, Rosalie Cheng, Teresa Chan, Wenda Tam

TeleCare Rossana Woo

The Telecare Ministry was launched in 2020 during the pandemic. It aimed to maintain spiritual connections and provide prayer support when physical gatherings were suspended. As in-person worship resumed, voicemail demand declined, and the team naturally scaled down.

Hot-line Service Activity Overview:

- ❖ 2024: 10 messages received, mostly external inquiries and prayer requests.
- ❖ 2025: Only 2 messages recorded:
 - January: External inquiries about children's day camp and summer Bible class.
 - November: Sister M requested prayer for her daughter under academic stress. Immediate prayer was offered, and the dormant WhatsApp prayer group was reactivated, mobilising 13 members. Rev. Steven Folts attempted contact, but left message only. Two days later, I made a follow-up call and left text message. Sister M texted me about her daughter's recent exam results and expressed gratitude. Her reply encouraged the team and renewing connections.

Ongoing Connections:

- ❖ Daily Bread Links: Shared with members unable to attend church, sustaining spiritual discipline.
- ❖ Livestream Worship Links:
 - After 2 years' COVID Zoom YouTube Live Service, Sister N continues to receive weekly YouTube links for over 2 years, maintaining care connect despite barriers.
 - Three other members also receive links regularly, expressing that this connection prevents discouragement during individual visits.

Impact:

Though operating at reduced capacity, Telecare remains a vital ministry. Through prayer and compassion, it enables believers to experience God's love and presence. Glory to His name.



Fellowship Ministry Grace Kwong

In 2025, we continue to promote and encourage all fellowships to participate in church ministries and events, including:

- ❖ Chinese New Year Celebration
- ❖ Christian Education Bible Seminars
- ❖ Church-wide Fasting and Prayer Meetings
- ❖ TCEMF Revival Meeting
- ❖ Joint Mission Conference
- ❖ Good Friday Worship Service
- ❖ Christmas Eve Worship Service
- ❖ Joint Fellowship – topical workshops
- ❖ Church-Wide evangelistic meetings

We pray that brothers and sisters enjoy the fellowship and grow together spiritually and experience God's abundant grace.

I would like to thank all fellowship committees for serving faithfully in 2025.

"So Teens" Fellowship Curtis Tse

"So Teens" is a group of youth from recent immigrant families from Hong Kong, primarily Cantonese-speaking and rooted in Hong Kong culture, who are shepherded by Pastor Wendy Kong. The committee members include Curtis Tse, Emily Cheng, Anna Mo, Timothy Wong (second half of the year), and Enoch Lo (first half of the year). We would also like to extend special thanks to our ministry partners, including guest instructor Philip Cheng, who served as a guest teacher; Pastor Percy Ho for providing Bible study materials and support; and Elder Sampson & Hazel Kwan for resourcing the "So Teens" camp.

"So Teens" was established for recent Hong Kong teen immigrants who find it difficult to integrate into Canadian-born Chinese (CBC) youth culture, to help them build spiritual friendships in their new environment. After successfully fostering bonds within the community last year, this year we focused on promoting Bible learning and real-life application, equipping youth to live upon a solid biblical foundation.

As attendance and engagement among "So Teens" participants continue to stabilize, the committee has introduced a more structured schedule of weekly programs, including monthly Bible studies, sharing, and board games. Each gathering begins with worship and short games led by youth as a "warm-up" before diving into spiritual learning.

This year's Bible study themes include Gospel-focused inductive studies to help youth understand the Gospel of Jesus Christ holistically, and an in-depth study of "Genesis 1" to



respond to the youth's questions and interest in God's creation of the heavens and the earth. The goal of the Gospel studies is to help teens gain a complete understanding of the true meaning of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

This year's "So Teens" camp, named "So Chill", was held at the end of summer vacation, aiming to help youth relieve academic stress and learn healthy, biblical ways to face and process pressure. In addition to pastors and committee members, we invited several youth to participate in the planning of camp activities and Sunday worship service, providing them with opportunities to serve God while learning to collaborate with brothers and sisters from different backgrounds.



The following attendance statistics reflect the number of youth participants this year, excluding pastors and committee members:

- ❖ Regular weekly meetings 16 (average)
- ❖ "So Chill" camp 15

The new committee will continue to focus on biblical teaching, further equipping youth to become committed disciples of Christ. During this formative season of shaping lifelong values, we pray they will be deeply rooted in God's Word, walking faithfully with God in unwavering confidence no matter what challenges they face.



Daniel Fellowship Wendy Kong

With the Hong Kong Pathway Stream A/B program, Daniel Fellowship has seen a surge in young people from Hong Kong. The constant inflow of people has finally stabilized in 2025. The committee consists of 3 young people: Anna Mo, Sam Lin, and Stanley Lam. In 2025, we studied the Book of Ephesians monthly, learning about unity in Christ. In order to develop a diverse fellowship life with increased connections between believers and non-believers, the committee has established 4 core groups: Sports Group, Board Game Group, Spiritual Building Group, and Outdoor Activities Group.

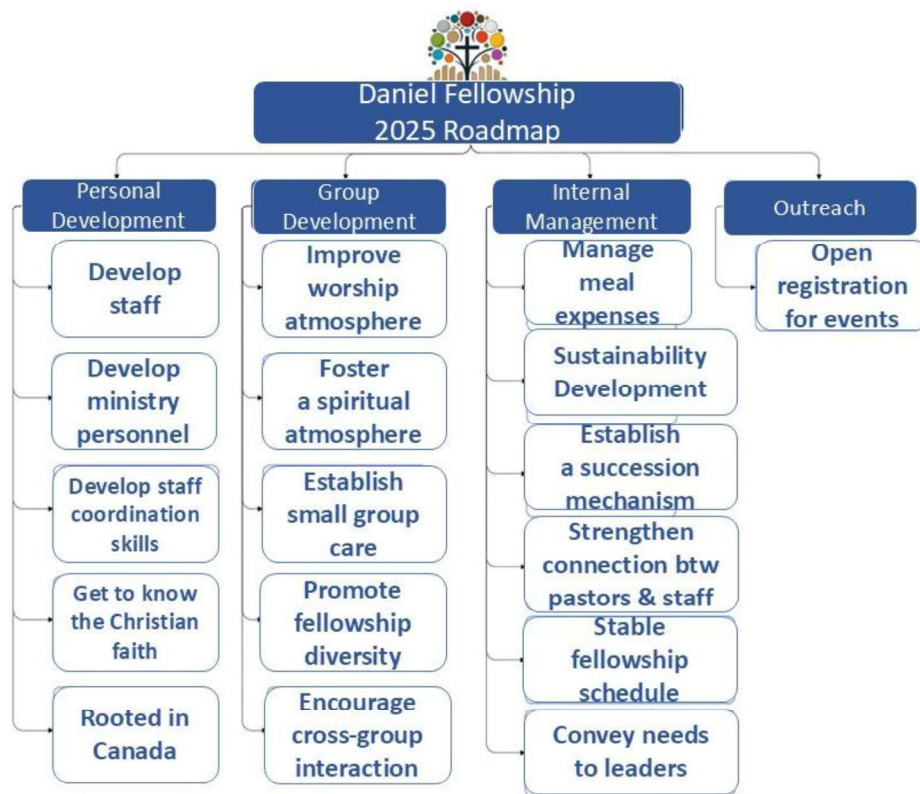
Daniel Fellowship Plan

- ❖ Personal Development: training young people who can serve, acquiring coordination skills, understanding of the Christian faith, establishing roots in Canada.
 - ❖ Group Development: improving worship atmosphere, fostering a spiritual atmosphere, building small group relationships, promoting diverse fellowship formats, creating opportunities for cross-group interaction.
 - ❖ Internal Management: managing food expenses, sustainable development, establishing a succession mechanism, strengthening communication between pastors and committee members, establishing a stable fellowship schedule, improving leaders' understanding of the group's needs.
 - ❖ Outreach: providing open registration for events.
1. Outreach and Recruiting New Friends
The 4 core groups are the fellowship's main external channels. Through organizing open activities (such as sports, games, BBQs, etc.), we attract new friends and non-Christians to join the fellowship, keeping the fellowship open and capable of growth.
 2. Fostering Cross-Group Communication
The 4 core groups offer various activities, allowing brothers and sisters from different cell groups, as well as non-believers, to collaborate and build community relationships.
 3. Providing a Platform for Ministry and Developing New Leaders
Through the establishment of each core group, brothers and sisters have the opportunity to try coordinating activities, training ministry personnel, and building stable teams and leaders.
 4. The Soul Group for Spiritual Building
The Soul Group assists in coordinating fellowships on spiritual message themes, collaborating with elders and mentors to use "Holy Sexuality" as a learning topic.



In addition to the 4 core groups, there are also a Worship Team, an AV Team, and an Instagram Team. The team members are as below:

Sports Team: Polly Lun, Enoch Ng, Clara Yeung, John Fung
 Board Games Team: Ken Yeung, Stephanie Cheung, Ming Wong, Samuel Wong
 Spiritual Building Team: Ivan Tse, Kevin Man, Sampson Kwan, William Pao
 Outdoor Activities Team: Kathy Tang, Pat Chan, Amy Lee, Anna Mo, Cissy Leung
 Worship Team: Enoch Ng, Ming Wong, Emily Cheng, Stanley Lam, Mona Lo, Lily Ng, Eunice So, Katie Ma, Nick Ng, Emi Wei, Timothy Wong
 Social Media Team: Jacky Lee, Enoch Ng
 A/V Team: Michael Lam, Ken Yeung, Sam Lin, Jacky Lee, Ivan Tse, Anna Mo



Finally, Daniel Fellowship updated the logo at the beginning of the year. The new logo added five-colored fruits to remind members to bear fruit and spread the Gospel. They also designed T-shirts that reflected both individual personal style and the concept of unity. Thanks to everyone for their contributions! Thank God that young people are so blessed to build fellowship together this year!



Jacob Fellowship Tony Fok

In 2025, we give thanks for the Lord's faithfulness and grace, which have led our brothers and sisters to encourage one another, pray for one another, and learn together to rely on God and walk with Him in our workplaces, families, and church.

This year's theme is **"Trust in the LORD"**. Our goal is that in every aspect of life—work, challenges and difficulties, service, relationships, and finances—we may turn from self-reliance to trusting in God, and thus build a stable, authentic, and enduring spiritual life by wholeheartedly trusting in the LORD.

Theme Scripture: *"Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight."* (Proverbs 3:5–6)

Committee: Tony Fok (Chairman), Abraham Lee (Vice-Chairman / Devotion) and Gracia Sham (Caring / Secretary / Treasurer)

On the 3rd Friday of each month, we hold our "Eat-Pray-Love" gathering, where brothers and sisters share a meal, study God's words, share personal updates, and pray together. On the 4th Friday of each month, our Bible studies in "Psalms" and "Daniel" teach us that trusting God embraces weakness yet enables us to stand firm with integrity in an ungodly generation.

In September, the Jacob Fellowship held a retreat at Elim Lodge with the theme **"Wholeheartedly Seek"**. 42 members participated in this two-day, one-night retreat, setting themselves apart to pursue spiritual growth. God spoke to us through "Jeremiah 29:13": *"You will seek Me and find Me when you seek Me with all your heart."* We learned that seeking God is not limited to moments of quiet at a retreat, but also includes: seeking Him as we reflect on past years—recognizing that *"man does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God."*

May we conclude this year not by saying, "I have learned much", but by confidently declaring, "I have learned to entrust my whole life to God." Yet God does not desire us to remain only at the stage of "reliance". True reliance must lead us into the next stage—**connection with the Lord and renewal of life**. As "Romans 12:2" says: *"Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—His good, pleasing and perfect will."*

When we are connected with the Lord, God does not merely change what we do; He renews who we are. Therefore, we earnestly ask the Holy Spirit to lead us from this year's lesson of "reliance" into the next stage of "renewal". Jacob Fellowship, press on!



Jacob Young Family Group Rev. Samuel Or

This group is an extension of the Jacob Fellowship of the Cantonese Ministry at the Main Campus. The usual attendees are mainly parents with toddlers and preschool children. To accommodate the busy schedules of young parents and the need for babysitting, we meet on the 2nd and 4th Sundays at 11:30 am. This year, we grew from 16 adults and 10 children to 20 adults and 14 children!

We would like to thank the dedicated committee members—Ptolemy Kwan, Robin and Helen Yu, Counselor Simon Lee, and Rev. Samuel Or—as well as our loving volunteer babysitters, David Au, Leo Lam and Nancy Lam. Glory to our Father!

Elisha Fellowship Carrie Cheung

Our 2025 theme was “WWJD – What Would Jesus Do?” taken from the scripture *“I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.”* (Galatians 2:20)

The committee would like to encourage brothers and sisters to revisit some core spiritual foundations – our relationship with God and live a life please to God.

Thanks to the team

Thanks to many brothers and sisters for their faithful serving in our monthly dinners over the past year. Special thanks to Rev. Samuel Or, Rev. Kim Poon to nurture all of us on our spiritual journey. Pastor Stephen Chan preached and led the volunteer team to serve the children in the monthly fellowship, so that parents can feel at ease during the fellowship time.



Fellowship Counsellor:	Vivienne Lee
Fellowship Pastor:	Rev. Steven Folts
Fellowship Committee:	Carrie Cheung, Silvia Tam, Eva Lee; Lucia Yeung



Thanks to Rev. Folts' guidance and may God accept our offering and His name be gloried.



Review of major events

1. Around the annual theme "WWJD – What Would Jesus Do?", we recite scriptures, and grow together in the fellowship, and many new friends have joined our fellowship throughout the year.
2. The annual retreat helped us to get closer to God and others, and thanks to Rev. Joseph Wong (Big Joe) for inspiring everyone to respond to the mission with the Lord's teachings.
3. In September, the whole fellowship with all families worshipped and dedicated a special song "Hosanna" to our Lord. We all experienced the presence and unity of God in the accompaniment and chorus of the new generation.
4. We have invited some brothers and sisters who went on short-term mission (STM) trips to Panama and Madagascar, to share their STM experiences. We invited International Worker (IW) team - Tom, Heidi and family to share their faith journey in their missionary field.
5. We hosted a special evangelistic event jointly with SOBEM, with a special guest Andrew Choi sharing his life journey, and final message from Rev. Jones Lee. 126 adults and 23 children joined and 4 accepted God's calling wanting to know Him more during the event.
6. Thank the Lord for calling brothers and sisters to be the team leaders, caring of the cell group and leading Bible study, using the Book of Peter to complete the study of the character series: Moses, Elijah, and the Lord Jesus. Pray that the fellowship would continue to grow in truth and love.
7. 2026 Theme: "Blessed to be a blessing" – *"And I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will*



be a blessing." (Genesis 12:2), reminding the fellowship to count the Lord's grace, care for the community and bless others with actions, to glorify our Lord.

Enoch Fellowship Kelvin Chu

In 2025, Enoch welcomed 2 new members to our fellowship committee with Vincci Ngan taking on the role of treasury/administration and Patrick Woo on the role of program coordinator. Gloria Sin, who led caring last year made the transition to care group leader for group A. We were also blessed to have Rev. Samuel Or as our fellowship pastor, Agnes and Johnny Lam, and Simon Lee as fellowship mentors. In terms of care group leaders, we had 7 energetic and caring brothers and sisters who devoted their time to support the 25+ families within 4 Enoch care groups.

Fellowship Activities and Programs

In February, we held our 1st fellowship of the year at church with "An introduction to our Bible study: Psalms, Prayers of the Heart", led by Simon Lee. The goal was to introduce brothers and sisters on how to use Psalms to relate to God as we pray our doubt, fears and anger. We were very thankful to have Simon Lee as our Bible study mentor throughout the year. He led numerous Bible pre-studies that equipped leaders with materials and knowledge for leading Bible study within the care groups.

During late spring, we held a joint program with Elisha Fellowship on the topic of "Mental health and technology addiction among youths". This program was sponsored by SCAC's Health Education committee, and we were fortunate to have Pastor Caleb Tse coming in to talk to us about technology usage in modern society and ways to encourage healthier habits for our youth. Brothers and sisters had the opportunity to ask many questions during the Q&A session, and we were able to gain insights on how best to engage our youth in conversations around the use of technology.

The remaining 2 fellowships of the year were at church celebrating Thanksgiving/Mid-autumn Festival and Christmas with wonderful sharing, games, singspiration and amazing food! Praise the Lord, our attendance was steady throughout the year with an average of over 60 people attending fellowship programs that were held at church.

Aside from the care group gatherings and fellowship programs, the brothers met regularly on Friday evening to participate in the "Authentic Manhood" series led by Johnny Lam. We used the time to watch videos and had discussions about topics such as marriage and fatherhood. The sisters also met periodically on Saturday to do devotions and prayers as a group.



Camping at Muskoka Bible Centre

One of the highlights for Enoch Fellowship this year was our summer camping trip at the Muskoka Bible Centre (MBC) in August over the Civic holiday long weekend. Praise the Lord! The weather was absolutely amazing with sunny weather during our stay. We were able to enjoy the outdoors with nightly campfire, stargazing and many moments of sharing. Parents and youth collaborated together on food preparation, and we were able to cook meals within our campsite. On Sunday morning, we attended worship together at the MBC chapel. We closed out the camp with each family sharing their experience as well as singing hymns together. It was truly God's blessing that He provided us such a wonderful campground so that our families could bond and grow close together.

In Closing

I offer sincere thanks to our dedicated servants: every committee member, care group leader, fellowship mentor and pastor who has so faithfully given their time to serve the brothers and sisters within Enoch Fellowship. May the Holy Spirit continue to guide us on the best way to serve our Lord. I pray that all of us will continue to experience God in the new year and serve him faithfully, reflecting the selfless love that Jesus has demonstrated to us. Let us carry this commitment of love and service forward into everything we do.

Nehemiah Fellowship **Tranal Chow**

2025 Committee

Fellowship Chair:	Tranal Chow
Vice Chair:	Daisy So
Devotional Leader:	Alex Cheung
Secretary:	Emily Lip
Caring Coordinator:	Alice To, Emily Lip, Li Huang
Treasurer:	Ronnie Ma
Recreation:	Tommy Ma
General Manager:	Stephen Lew

2025 Theme : "Be Holy"

Theme song: "This Family"

Bible verse:

"And this is my prayer: that your love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight, so that you may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ – to the glory and praise of God." (Philippians 1:9-11)

Fellowship Programs:

- ❖ Monthly Bible study: continues with "1 Corinthians"



- ❖ Speakers: Rev. Kim Poon – “Soul Care 1, 2, 3”; Rev. Ginny Chak - “Go and do it” & “How to be a vessel of grace in God’s hands to serve and spread the Gospel”

Fun Weekly programs: Health talks, board games, Mid-autumn Festival party, short-term mission sharing, outings and hikes, Christmas dinners, brothers and sisters sharing prayers, etc.

By God’s grace, a new small group was formed in our fellowship this year. We thank God for His guidance and the brothers and sisters for their love and mutual support, as we worked together to make this a fruitful year. Thanks God.

Joshua Fellowship Mark Lo

This year, the Heavenly Father allows 6 committee members to lead the Joshua Fellowship in “Living Holy and Transforming Lives”. The care groups have increased from 7 to 8, with a total of 18 faithful group leaders, 11 of whom have served continuously for 5 years or longer. The caring team maintains its routine of resting, returning and persevering. There are 14 Bible study group leaders, 4 of whom also lead pre-study sessions. In 2025, we studied the biblical figure “Peter” learning from his growth and how he was built up by the loving Lord Jesus and the Holy Spirit. May we continue to renew and grow in our lives, being holy vessels fit for God’s use.



Thank God for adding new people with different backgrounds, denominations, and experiences to Joshua Fellowship over the past few years, making them a vital force in the fellowship committee, caring and Bible study leaders.





The long-awaited overnight retreat allows group members to listen to sermons, study the Bible, eat, have late-night snacks, and visit the zoo together outside of their “home” — We are grateful to God with great joy.

Zion Fellowship Betty Au

Since Zion Fellowship has changed its meeting schedule to the 2nd and 4th Friday evenings of each month, three and a half years have passed, and the average attendance rate is 17 people. Some brothers and sisters who haven’t returned to fellowship still attend their respective care groups’ monthly meetings.

The Zion Fellowship adopted the church’s theme for this year, “Be Holy”, as its theme. This year’s fellowship committee members have been serving for several years and have developed a strong rapport:

Pastor: Rev. Kim Poon
 Chairperson: Betty Au
 Vice-chairperson & General Affairs: Manix Leung
 Devotion: Murreen Chu, Pullisa So
 Caring: Wing Zhang, Pullisa So, Richard So
 Secretary: Louisa Yiu

As Rev. Kim Poon successfully passed her doctoral dissertation, Betty, on behalf of the fellowship ordered a cake to surprise her after the April 11 meeting. Furthermore, at Rev. Stephen Lee’s retirement thanksgiving sharing meeting on September 20, two elders of the Zion Fellowship, Amy Au and Grace Kwong, served as the emcee and several members re-enacted a surprise presentation Zion Fellowship had prepared for then-fellowship Pastor, Rev. and Mrs. Lee 17 years ago. Zion Fellowship actively participated in the church’s Gospel Month outreach activities. Following their fellowship meeting on May 9, they relaunched the “Zion Factory Assembly Line”, with members working together to package gift bags for the “Jesus Loves Midland” community evangelistic campaign in June.



Elim Fellowship Hugo Mak

The year 2025 has been a meaningful one for many members of our fellowship. Some have entered a new stage of life as grandparents, while others have transitioned into retirement and begun a new chapter. Through these changes, we see God's faithful guidance in each person's journey.

This year, the average attendance of the fellowship was over 20 members. We give thanks to God for bringing new friends among us and for the continued growth of the fellowship.

We pray that God will continue to lead the Elim Fellowship in the days ahead, helping us to discern His will and live it out faithfully. We would also like to express our sincere gratitude to our devoted group leaders and co-workers for their faithful service. May God richly bless them.

Finally, we warmly welcome our new fellowship pastor, Rev. Daniel Wong. May God use him to guide and build up the Elim Fellowship as we grow together in Christ.

Cornerstone Fellowship Victor Tam

The Cornerstone Fellowship committee members serve a two-year term, with 2025 marking a continuation of the previous year. The theme continues: **"Reshaping the Multifaceted Nature of Life"**. Committee members include Esther Chan, Melanie Chan, Nancy Ho, Ronald Kwok, Siu Wai Lee, Wallace Lee, Victor Tam, and Connie Yeung. The pastors are Rev. Albert Chu and Rev. Kim Poon. Following Rev. Chu's departure in October to serve at Gormley Campus, we welcomed Rev. Steven Folts to our fellowship.

The fellowship currently has 12 small groups, 16 group leaders and deputy group leaders, and a total of 138 members. Planning for the 13th small group is underway.

In addition to the 4 large group meetings per year, the fellowship also participates in the Mon Sheong Senior Citizens Ministry service; hymn presentation during summer Sunday worship. Once again, over 30 members served at the Mission Conference. On June 14 and 15, the fellowship held a two-day, one-night retreat at Durham College. The theme was "Fifty and Sixty, Used by the Lord Again", delivered by Rev. Stanley Leung. The retreat focused on whether, as entering our 50s and 60s, we hesitate and are willing to be used by the Lord again. Over 60 members attended. Besides Rev. Leung's message, the sharing and time spent together among brothers and sisters were invaluable.

In November, we also elected the next committee members. We are grateful that 9 brothers and sisters will lead the fellowship's future development.



John Fellowship Eric Yung

Just passed the 2nd anniversary, John Fellowship is a testimony to the grace of God. It gathers a group of brothers who love to study the Bible, meeting twice a month at church to study and reflect on the precious teachings of God's Word. It's hard to believe that in the beginning, the brothers were still quite unfamiliar with each other, but now everyone has a stronger sense of belonging to the fellowship. Thanks to Rev. Albert Chu for serving as our fellowship's pastor from its inception until September 2025, caring for the brothers' physical and spiritual well-being and working seamlessly together in ministry. The fellowship committee members include Elder Patrick Chak, Clarence Hinh, John Leung, Tony Lui, and Eric Yung. Since Rev. Chu transferred to Gormley Campus in October, Pastor Percy Ho assumed the pastoral role.

John Fellowship is still in its early stage, with a streamlined structure, but all members respond with a heart full of love for the Lord and a commitment to the fellowship. At the July staff meeting, Eric Yung was appointed as the chairperson, John Leung as the secretary, and Clarence Hinh and John Leung as the Bible study coordinators.

John Fellowship was founded primarily for Bible study, while also provided a fellowship for brothers who are nearing or have retired. Meetings are centered around group Bible study, with committee members serving as group leaders. Average attendance is 16 to 26 members. In 2025, John Fellowship completed a study of the books of James, Galatians, and some of the minor prophets. Through the study and discussion of these scriptures, brothers became more eager to obey the teachings of the Bible. As "2 Timothy 3:16-17" states, *"All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work."*

In May, the fellowship invited Ronnie Wong to share on "Land Ethics in the Old Testament" over 2 fellowship meetings. In September, fellowship member, Timothy Yeung shared his learning about "euthanasia", broadening everyone's knowledge in different areas. Thanks to them!

From September 23 to 25, John Fellowship held a retreat for SCAC brothers at Fair Havens, themed "Heart and Will, All for God", with speakers: Rev. Stanley Leung and Rev. Albert Chu. The 4 sermons brought deep reflection, and everyone was able to open their hearts and speak freely in nature. A total of 16 people attended, including pastors. The retreat committee included Elder Patrick Chak (Chairman), Rev. Albert Chu, Terence Fan, Clarence Hinh, John Leung, Sunny Tam, and Patrick Wong.

Finally, thanks to the brothers for their constant help, especially Victor Chu for preparing hot drinks and snacks, allowing everyone to socialize before the meetings. Thanks also to Michael Lam and Patrick Wong for their support in the audiovisual department, ensuring



the smooth running of each meeting. Thanks to our Heavenly Father for always leading us, and to the Lord Jesus Christ for lovingly calling upon brothers' hearts to serve and to their desire to learn God's word, as expressed in this year's hymn presentation, "Be faithful".

Family Fellowship Quoc Truong

Scarborough Chinese Alliance Church Family Fellowship was founded in 1987 with the aim of establishing a God-centered, cell-group-based fellowship, as the theme verse in Colossians 1:28: *"We proclaim him, admonishing and teaching everyone with all wisdom, so that we may present everyone perfect in Christ."*

The fellowship's goals are to study God's Word, pray for closeness to God, and care for missionaries. To promote spiritual growth, the fellowship sends "Our Daily Bread" to members electronically. Brothers and sisters also regularly participate in various church ministries and prayer meetings. Theme for 2025 is: "Be Holy and Useful to the Lord".

The fellowship has approximately 400 members, divided into 30 small groups, and an additional "Chatting and Sharing" evangelistic group to support seekers. Tuesday dance classes and Friday sports days serve as outreach activities to lead people to Christ.

Each small group has a group leader and assistant group leader who care for the group members, with an average of 8 to 15 people per group. Every 3-5 small groups are led and managed by a mid-group leader who oversees and promotes evangelistic outreach programs and liaises with the committee members to deliver messages. Every 2 mid-groups are cared for and visited by a large group leader who prepares for the quarterly large group meetings and promotes the work to the mid and small groups in accordance with the fellowship's vision. The group leader prays constantly to seek the vision given by the Holy Spirit, coordinates and promotes the entire family fellowship's work, and works in unity with the church to carry out evangelistic work and promote the spiritual growth of group members.

The executive administrator records all fellowship meetings and activities. The counselors, in addition to leading the group leaders in monthly Bible study, pastoring group members, and supporting the committee members, also frequently visit and comfort group members.

Fellowship Ministry Team:

Counselors (2): Rev. Ocean Ng, Pastor Percy Ho

Committee members (5): Chairperson: Quoc Truong,

Group Leaders: Judith Tin, Rossana Woo, Sinnia Yao, Ricky Yu

Mid-Group Leaders (8): Candace Chan, Diana Chan, Thomas Kwok, Avis Lai,

Wittie Liang, Alfred Mak, Cecilia Tam, Ping Kwai Wong



Cell Group Leaders (29): Lai Yuk Law, Emma Wu, Nelson Lam, Linda Mui, Esther Mok, Sylvie Tsui, Stephen Po, Candace Chan, Judith Tin, Pat Yeung, Brenda Wong, Polly Tsang, Kin Tsang, Tommy Tsang, Sabrina Cheng, Grace Lau, Iris Au, Angela Tang, Stephen Chan, Jessie Leung, Jasmine Tsang, Rita Lee, Eleanor Chow, Heidi Sin, Ben Mok, Michael Law, Daniel Hui, Irene Lee

Gospel Cell Group Leader: Tommy Tsang

Assistant Group Leaders (21): Philip Leung, Connie Leung, Catherine Ng, Nancy Chan, Peggy Chung, Emily Lau, Esther Jim, Mannie Ng, Eric Yung, Angela Tam, Cynthia Chiu, Patricia Chan, Anita Leung, Sharon Yu, Raymond Chien, Ivy Shum, Candy Miao, Fanny Wong, Tony Fung, Loren Lam, Linda Li

Executive Administrator: Brenda Wong

Coordinators of Family Fellowship:

- ❖ Line Dance – Daniel/Amy Hui; Instructor – Linda Tang
- ❖ Mon Sheong Ministry – Sinnia Yao
- ❖ Toronto Alliance Church Ministry – Quoc Truong
- ❖ “Our Daily Bread” Devotional Program – Quoc Truong
- ❖ Friday Sports Day – Ricky Yu

Special Fellowship Meetings:

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| March 29 | Family Fellowship Meeting and Staff Inauguration – “Be Holy and Useful to the Lord”; Speaker: Pastor Percy Ho; 98 people attended. |
| May 10 | Family Fellowship Group Leader Retreat – “Be Holy and Useful to the Lord”; Speakers: Rev. Stanley Leung, Rev. Albert Chu. 75 people attended. |
| June 28 | “Believer’s Life, From the Heart”; Speaker: Pastor Percy Ho. 134 people attended. |
| September 7 | Song Presentation – “My Faithful Testimony”, led by Rev. Ocean Ng. 28 people attended. |
| September 27 | “Hymn Appreciation”; Speaker: Rev. Ocean Ng. 82 people attended. |
| October 4 | Church-wide Retreat for Care Group Leaders. |
| December 6 | Gospel Meeting and Christmas Celebration Dinner – “Living Hope”; Speaker: Rev. Matthew Chiu. 158 people attended. |

Fellowship Regular Meetings/Ministries (January – December):

- ❖ Monthly small group Bible study on “Psalms”, and the Book of “1 Thessalonians”; average attendance 260.
- ❖ Monthly Gospel discussion; average attendance 20.

Outreach Ministry:

- ❖ Line Dance Class: average 33 participants per week
- ❖ Friday Sports Day: average 18 participants per week



- ❖ Mon Sheong Nursing Home Worship – Mid-group leaders led small groups on the 4th Sunday (January, April, September, December): Average 13 participants
- ❖ Toronto Alliance Church Ministry: On the 3rd Saturday morning (January, March, May, September), 240 sandwiches were prepared for the homeless in downtown Toronto, providing them with food and an opportunity to hear the Gospel.

Please pray for the Family Fellowship:

- ❖ As members are aging, pray that the Lord grant them grace, strength, and enthusiasm to do more of the Lord's work.
- ❖ Pray that the Lord grants group leaders/assistant group leaders care for and nurture their members with enduring love.
- ❖ May the Lord grant heavenly wisdom to committee members, enabling them to share a unified spirit, strategically define directions, lead members into deeper waters, draw closer to the Lord, steadfastly rely on Him, closely follow His footsteps, and never stray from His path.

Grace Fellowship Helen Wong

This year, the fellowship has been peaceful and blessed! We are grateful for the addition of a group of young committee members, who have injected new vitality into the fellowship. We thank Rev. Daniel Wong and Mentor Tommy Yuen for their spiritual guidance, providing great support and encouragement to the fellowship.

Currently, the fellowship has approximately 160 members, and it is lively and prosperous. Glory to the Heavenly Father!

Activities Summary:

Monthly (First Sunday) lunch and various programs:

Message Sharing: "Relying on the Lord with All Your Heart!", "A Day of Joy and Abundance!", and Devout Prayer, etc.

Speakers: Rev. Stanley Leung, Rev. Albert Chu, Rev. Steven Folts, and Howard Yeung

Other themes: Missionary Sharing (Missionary Work in Tianshan and Laos), Bible quizzes, Thanksgiving testimony, "Stroke Prevention" by Dr. Tak Leung Chan, "Good Sleep, Anti-Aging" by Wah Chi Tam, Chinese Herbalist.

Spiritual and Bible Study Activities:

- ❖ "Bible Study Tea Party" twice a month, conducted online, led by Rev. Daniel Wong, Timothy Yeung, and Doris Pang, studying the Gospel of Luke.
- ❖ Rev. Ginny Chak led the study of the Book of James and other Bible characters.



- ❖ Talks by the Senior Citizens' Association: "A Happy Senior Year", "A Good Talk about Pain", "Home Safety", and "Keeping Your Brain Young: Understanding Cognitive Impairment".
- ❖ Monthly Bible study and a senior citizens' course, "A Journey into the Wilderness".

Caring:

Active serving in care groups, visitation in hospital, nursing homes, and elders living alone, phone caring.

Active participation in church activities:

"Celebrating the Lunar New Year", "Singing on Stage", Fellowship Retreat, Retreat for Caring committee and Group Leaders, Christmas Celebrations, and etc.

Fellowship Structure:

Pastor:	Rev. Daniel Wong
Counselors:	Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Yuen
Chairperson:	Helen Wong
Assistant Chairperson:	Maller Lee (Administration), Monica Lin (Caring)
Treasurer:	Sandra Fok, Mabel Chow
Secretary:	Frances Pang, Rebecca Au
Devotion:	Rev. Daniel Wong
Caring:	Monica Lin
General Affairs:	Mandy Wong, Philip Fok

Group Leaders:

- Group 1: Roselle Ho, Anita Kong, Rebecca Au
- Group 2: Lolita Ng, Kathleen Wong, Ring Fan
- Group 3: Doris Pang, Mei Chow, Monica Lin
- Group 4: Esther Tong, Grace Shum, Rebecca Yu
- Group 5: Grace Chow, Camry Lam
- Group 6: Lily Lee, Joyce Cheung, Mabel Chow, Wai Chun Yeung

Year-End Summary and Hope:

In retrospect on 2025, the fellowship was full of grace and protection! Hope that the fellowship will continue to prosper in the future, and pray that God will grant this group of older members who can continue to serve and become role models for the next generation, so that the Lord's name may be glorified.

"Planted in the house of the Lord; they will flourish in the courts of our God. They will still bear fruit in old age, they will stay fresh and green." (Psalm 92:13-14)



Esther Fellowship Joanne Wong

Objectives

Esther Fellowship is for women who want to study Old Testament, pray and care for others.

Meetings are held every Wednesday morning from 10 am to 12 pm in G200. The fellowship is divided into 5 small groups, each with a prayer leader. We study the Bible together and pray for the church, pastors, fellowship members, as well as missionaries and those being persecuted.

Committee Members

Pastor: Rev. Kim Poon; Advisor: Elder Catherine Yung
 Secretaries: Linda Kan, Mimie Chow, Bridget Tam
 (Also handling external secretarial work: Joanne Wong, Miriam Cheng)
 Caring: Connie Leung, Linda Kan, Bridget Tam, Joanne Wong

2025 Bible Study Programs:

January & February: Old Testament Overview (Maria Wong)
 March & April: Ash Wednesday (Pastor Wendy Kong)
 New Testament Overview (Rev. Kim Poon)
 Lent Spiritual Journey (Rev. Kim Poon, Rev. Vanessa Lo, Elder Catherine Yung and Maria Wong)
 May: Study of Jacob (Pastor Percy Ho)
 June & July: The Book of Esther (Rev. Kim Poon, Rev. Vanessa Lo)
 August: Biblical Topics: "How did David Overcome His Difficulties?"
 (Rev. Matthew Chiu)
 September: Topical Teaching (Maria Wong)
 Study of Habakkuk (Rev. Vanessa Lo)
 October: Thanksgiving Theme – "Reflection and Prayer"
 Study of Judges (Pastor Wendy Kong)
 November & December: Ezra & Nehemiah (Elder Serena Lau)

Average Attendance:

(January-March online) about 50 people;
 (April-December in-person meetings) about 40 people

Other Activities

August: Summer outings, tea party
 September: Visitation - Middlefield Yee Hong Nursing Home
 October: Thanksgiving Sharing and preparation of Cultural Snacks at the Mission Conference



- July/October: Development of Visitation Ministry: Grateful for Elder Catherine Yung and Rev. Kim Poon who contacted and arranged meetings with committee members and fellow sisters, visiting some fellowship members out of love for the Lord Jesus. We were all deeply moved with joy.
- December: We hold an annual Christmas-themed meeting and an appreciation lunch for pastors and staff.

Sisters-in-Christ Fellowship **Avis Lai**

Committee Members:

Pastor:	Rev. Vanessa Lo
Chairperson:	Avis Lai
General Affairs:	Jean Leung
Secretary:	Mary Heung
Devotion:	Emily Lau, Joan Leung
Caring:	Kathleen Wong

We are a working sisters' fellowship. In-person meetings: Summer (April-September), every Friday evening: 8 pm-10 pm. Location: Church basement rooms 1 & 2. Winter meetings (October-March), every Friday evening, 8 pm-10 pm via Zoom. Average weekly attendance: 11-20 people.

Meetings include Bible studies. This year we have completed Galatians and Ephesians, and are now studying Philippians. Thanks to Rev. Vanessa Lo, Joan Leung and Mrs. Kathleen Wong for their detailed explanation of biblical truth, encouraging us to study the true meaning of the Bible and to love God's word more deeply. We ask the Holy Spirit to help us to keep His words in our hearts and to remind us to be holy!

Theme: *"We love because God first loved us."* (1 John 4:19)

Key Verses:

"For it is written: 'Be holy, because I am holy.'" (1 Peter 1:16)

"You also, like living stones, are being built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood, offering spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ." (1 Peter 2:5)

Our programs are diverse like studying the Bible, pray and sing hymns, learning different knowledge e.g., how to share the Gospel; short-term missions; long-term missions; sharing of evangelistic ministry by international workers, and how they work with God. In addition, fellowship leaders, brothers and sisters were invited to share topics on medicine, health,



taxation, and social welfare services, nutritious soups, dessert making. Other fun activities include hiking in the countryside; lunch; dinner gatherings, and sharing life stories.

“Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit, but in humility consider others better than yourselves. Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others.” (Philippians 2:3-4)

“And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work.” (2 Corinthians 9:8)

We put this into practice by serving in: Church evangelistic counselors; Evangelism Explosion team members; shopping mall evangelism; Sunday worship ushers; Vacation Bible School volunteers; Toronto Alliance Church; Jesus Evangelistic Outreach, choir, cooking team; children’s Sunday school; a team of prayer warriors. Praise the Lord! We have a part in His work!

We welcome new friends to join this fellowship studying the Bible, having devotions, pray, and serving the Lord together. Thank God! He loves us! We follow the Lord with one heart, love Him with all our lives, and live humbly.

Thank the Lord Jesus who obeyed Father’s will became flesh and was willing to die on the cross to redeem our sins! Thanks to the Father! The Lord Jesus rose from the dead. By believing in the Lord Jesus, who is the way, the truth, and the life, we can be reconciled with God, become His children, and enjoy the blessing of eternal life!

“Therefore this what I will do to you, Israel, and because I will do this to you, Israel, prepare to meet your God.” (Amos 4:12)

May the Holy Spirit help us to walk daily in the Lord’s love, to fear Him, to pursue a holy life, and to be witness to the wondrous redemption of God the Father. Lord! Thank you and praise you with all our hearts. Glory to You. We pray in the victorious name of Christ Jesus, Amen!

NT Women Bible Study Group Sabrina Cheng

Praise the Lord! This year (2025), 4 new members joined NT Bible Study Group.

Every week, we have Bible study either in person in church, and/or online via Zoom meeting. God is leading our group with His grace, love and almighty power. May all the glory and praise be to God.

Committee:

Pastor:

Rev. Vanessa Lo



Chairperson:	Sabrina Cheng
Secretary:	Kathy Cheung
Caring:	Linda Li, Sania Ngai
Recreation:	Elaine Chan
General Affairs:	Karen Yiu

Group Purpose:

Guideline – “Ephesians 4:2-3”

“Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace.”

2025 Bible Verse – “1Peter 1:16, 2:5”

“Be holy, because I am holy.

You also, like living stones, are being built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood, offering spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.”

2025 Attendance:

Prayer group: 5-6 groups with 4-5 people per group

Average attendance: 75% (20-23 people)

Summary of 2025 Activities:

- ❖ Complete Bible study: the Books of Acts, John, Luke
- ❖ Sharing: Every week one member will share a song and devotion
- ❖ Thanksgiving sharing
- ❖ Small group prayer
- ❖ Choir presentation at worship service on July 13

2026 Outlook:

- ❖ Encourage members to devote themselves and learn to please God
- ❖ Strengthen members through prayer and sharing
- ❖ By the grace of God, members continue to attend Bible study

Agape Fellowship Grace Ng**Ministry Team Members:**

Rev. Vanessa Lo, Catherine Yung, Sabrina Cheng, Rain Shen, Vicky Lai,
and Grace Ng

Ministry Goal/Theme:

To serve single mothers and widows within our church community.



2025 Program/Activities:

Jan	Chinese New Year Celebration (Committee)
Feb	Bible Study - "Jonah 1" (Catherine Yung)
Mar	"Healing in Christ" (Rev. Vanessa Lo)
Apr	Bible Study - "Jonah 2" (Sabrina Cheng)
May	Mother's Day Message (Debbie Lai)
Jun	Bible Study - "Jonah 3" (Vicky Lai)
Jul	Summer Outing (Committee)
Aug	Bible Study - "Jonah 4" (Rain Shen)
Sep	Healthy Life Stretching Therapy (Yuki Cheng)
Oct	"Leading our Children to God and facing challenges in raising our next generation" (Rev. Kim Poon)
Nov	Finance and Relationships (Rev. Vanessa Lo)
Dec	Christmas Celebration (Committee)

All monthly gatherings were held in person on the 4th Sundays of each month except for February (3rd Sunday). The length of each program was about 3 hours starting at 1:00 pm with lunch, theme song, theme Bible verse, hymns, main program and prayers. We tried to bring forth the needs within our members and prayed for all during each meeting.

Communications among members were via the WhatsApp group platform, "Agape Sisters". We followed the boundaries provided by the Board of Elders, with Catherine Yung, Vicky Lai, and Grace Ng as the administrators.

The same committee members continued to serve on board for another year with Grace Ng as the chairperson, together with team members: Sabrina Cheng, Rain Shen, and Vicky Lai. Each committee member was responsible for leading a Bible study in the year from the Book of Jonah. We tried to strike a balance between biblical words, practical walks, spiritual growth and wellness within our program design. As an addition to our team, we welcomed Pastor Wendy Kong. We thank God for His abundant provision.

Attendance was between 8 to 25 sisters. We have 5 care group leaders who are responsible for reaching out to all members throughout the year.

Starting in 2025, we have opened our fellowship to include the widows within our church community and so far, we have 4 new members under our care.



Pastoral Staff, Administrative Staff, Elders & Deacons

Pastoral Staff and Ministry workers

Senior Pastor

Rev. Stanley Leung

Assistant Pastors

Rev. Aaron Owen

Rev. Albert Chu

Rev. Amy Wong

Rev. Chris Perumalla (PT)

Pastor Jacky Lam

Pastor Jonathan Choy

Rev. Jones Lee (till February 28, 2025)

Rev. Kim Poon

Rev. Lily Li

Rev. Ocean Ng

Pastor Percy Ho

Rev. Rosa Leung

Rev. Samuel Or

Pastor Stephen Chan

Rev. Stephen Lee (till October 31, 2025)

Rev. Steven Folts

Pastor Wendy Kong

Ministry Workers

Jeremy Lo

Lay Pastors

Rev. Daniel Wong

Rev. Vanessa Lo

Administrative Staff

Executive Administrator (PT):

Miranda Hsien

Office Administrator:

Priscilla Tam

Church Office Secretary (PT):

Siu-Wai Kwok

Church Office Staff (PT-Sat):

Samantha Chang

Children Ministry

Administrative Assistant:

Janet Chow



Ministry Administrative Assistant: Alice Lam
Church Maintenance Worker: Samuel Leung
Active Adult Ministry Assistant (PT): Xenia Chan

Caretaker (PT): Andrew Au Yeung, Benjamin Lee, Linus Hsien,
Manix Leung, Victor Tam

Financial Clerk (PT): Sylvia Cheung
Web/Media Assistant (PT): Grace Tsoi

Gormley Campus

Administrative Assistant (PT): Eric Lee
Office Administrative Assistant (PT): Matthew Kan

Board of Elders Officers (2025/2026)

Chair: Rev. Stanley Leung
Vice-Chair: David Chan
Secretary: Amy Au
Treasurer: Grace Kwong

Committee Chairs (2025/2026)

Christian Education:	Patrick Chak
Children's Ministry:	Sampson Kwan
English Ministry (Main Campus):	Gary Lo, Joyce Hui
Evangelism Ministry:	KeHua Zhang
Family Ministry:	Serena Lau
Fellowship Ministry:	Grace Kwong
General Management:	Landy Luo
IT/Multimedia:	Landy Luo
Mandarin Ministry:	Jason Leung, Grace Luk
Mission Ministry:	Tommy Yuen
Pastoral Care:	Albert Lee
Prayer Ministry:	Catherine Yung
Visitation Ministry:	Quoc Truong
Welcome/Newcomer Ministry:	Fanny Au
Worship Ministry:	Rev. Stanley Leung
Gormley Campus:	David Chan, Amy Au
Gormley Campus English Ministry:	Dr. Bill William Etzkorn

Deacons (2025/2026)

Audio Visual Ministry:	Kin Woo
Care Group Ministry:	Mark Lo
English Ministry (Main Campus):	Derek So



Evangelism Ministry:	Louis Hung, Eric Lam, Zoe Chan
Financial Secretary:	Raymond Lo
Head Usher:	Kenneth Yan
Head Cashier:	Eric Yung
IT:	Vincent Yan
Mandarin Ministry:	Ben Mok, William Zhou
Missions:	Natalie Tsui
Multimedia Ministry:	Patrick Wong
Sacred Music Ministry:	Richard Poon
Visitation Ministry:	Ricky Yu
Welcome/Newcomer Ministry:	Hazel Kwan, Joseph Man, Tony Pang
Worship Ministry:	Becky Hong

Gormley Campus Deacons

Audio Visual:	Jeanne Tso
Christian Education:	Ronnie Wong
Pastoral Care:	Mrs. Maria Lee (till October 31, 2025), Esther Tang
Pastoral Care (English Ministry):	Stanley Chau
Worship/Sacred Music Ministry:	Esther Tang

Task Force

Rezoning (19th & Kennedy):	Simon Lee (Chair), Treasurer
Church Building Site:	Simon Lee (Chair), Treasurer
Privacy Officers:	Simon Lee, Derek So, Pastor Stephen Chan, Rev. Jones Lee (till February 28, 2025)

