

IN THE LORD'S SERVICE – THANK YOU

	This Week	Next Week
Worship Leader	Glenda	Tony Wai
Music Leader	Daniel	Rea
Bible Reader	George	Robert O
Ushers	Samuel, Tiffany	Tony Wong, Robert F
Techno	Harvey, Ian, Sunsun	Michael, Jeff
Cup of Tea	Sheryl, Emily, Glenda	Stuart, Theresa, Michelle W
Dishes		

HOME GROUPS

	Leader	Meeting time	Location
CANTONESE GROUP	Albert Ko	Saturday fortnightly @ 4pm	@ Alex Wong Toi's Contact Albert Ko 021 753 912
CANTONESE ALBANY GROUP	Peter Zen	1 st & 3 rd Friday @ 8pm	@ Peter Zen's 021 280 8663
GREENLANE GROUP	Glenda Choy	Thursday fortnightly @ 8pm	@ Glenda Choy's 021 148 7956
ISAAC GROUP	Lydia Lam	Friday weekly @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 105 Vincent Street, City
LADIES' HOME GROUP	Glenda Choy	Wednesday fortnightly @ 10.30am	@ Glenda Choy's 524 9391
MEADOWBANK GROUP	Tony Wai	Wednesday (3 weekly) @ 7pm	Contact Tony Wai
NEWMARKET GROUP	Robert O'Callahan	Wednesday fortnightly @ 6:30pm	@ Robert O'Callahan's office - Level 7 5 Short St Newmarket 021 783 289
REMUERA GROUP	Ken Cheung	2 nd and 4 th Saturday @ 10am	@ Quin Gee's Contact Ken 027 481 5096
TERTIARY GROUP	Genaetta Shew	Wednesday weekly @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 105 Vincent Street City
WEST AUCKLAND GROUP	Betty Ling	2 nd and 4 th Saturday @ 5pm	@ Betty & Kuan's 021 502 178

AUCKLAND CHINESE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

105 Vincent Street, Auckland City



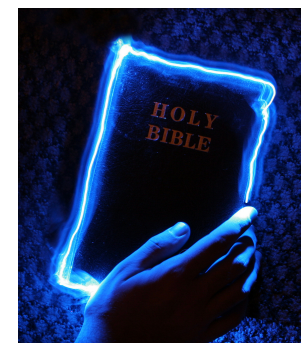
ENGLISH MINISTRY SERVICE

12th February 2012

Speaker: Pastor Mark Maney

Theme: Tinkered Tailored Scripture Lie: What is the Bible?

Bible Reading: 2 Timothy 3:10-17



*We wish a very warm welcome to everyone to this morning's service.
Please stay for morning tea after the service.*

REGISTER NOW FOR ACPC CHURCH CAMP 9 – 11 MARCH

at Peter Snell Youth Village, 1212 Whangaparaoa Rd, Auckland

Church Camp flyers and registration forms are available today.

As well as two teaching sessions from Pastor Mark, we'll have some new craft activities, sporting challenges, time at the beach together, good food and excellent company.

Please give your completed registration form and registration fee to Soo Land by Sunday, 26th February – but the earlier the better.

PRAYERS

The Lord hears the prayer of the righteous. Proverbs 15:29

- ✚ Pastor Mark and this series of sermons on the authenticity of the Bible
- ✚ The congregation – that we will have a discerning ear and heart in the teachings of the Bible
- ✚ Registrations for the combined Church Camp in March
- ✚ Those of us not in home groups - that we will be inspired and will make time and commitment to join a home group

READ YOUR BIBLE!

Your word is a light to my path.
Psalm 119:105 NKJV

When asked, 'What book has most influenced your life?' most people say the Bible. Yet fewer than 14% of us read it every day. How come? Here are some of our most common excuses:

1. 'I've no time.' Really? Many of the books in your Bible can be read in 10 to 45 minutes, some in less than 20 minutes. By taking a chapter a day you can complete the book of Proverbs in a month and the Epistle of James in five days.
2. 'I don't know where to begin.' If starting in Genesis and working your way through seems overwhelming, break it into bite-sized pieces. Pick a Gospel and read the life of Christ. Just get started!
3. 'It's not exciting.' Do you like romance? Read the book of Ruth. Looking for adventure? Try Judges or Acts. Enjoy poetry? Explore Song of Solomon. From history to how-to, it's all in Scripture.
4. 'Isn't going to church every week good enough?' Billy Graham says, 'The Bible is the road map for life, and while your pastor can highlight the best route to take, you learn how to navigate life's twists and turns for yourself.'

5. 'It makes me uncomfortable.' When you don't know what God's Word actually says, it's easy to equate it with negative experiences and hypocrisy you've observed, then throw out the baby with the bathwater.

No question, the Bible makes you face hard truths: '... it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart' (Hebrews 4:12 NIV). It gives you a check-up from the neck up.

But you'll discover who you are, what you're called to do, and become empowered to do it!

From *Word for Today* by Bob Gass



HOW DO I CONTACT PASTOR MARK?

There are several ways of getting in touch with Pastor Mark - you can catch him on:

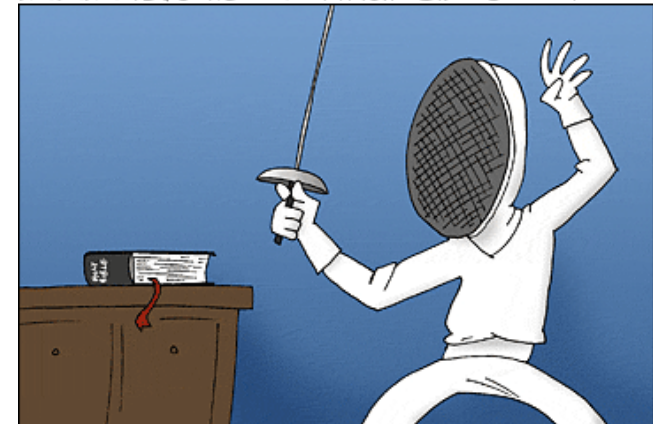
- Email: markpmaney@gmail.com;
- Cell Phone (preferred): 021 309 544; or
- Church Manse: 908 8200



Apart from emergencies, please do not contact Pastor Mark on Mondays, which are his days of rest in lieu of Sunday.

SERMON NOTES!

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Zac was interested in reading the Bible, but wasn't taking any chances with the rumours of its double-edged sword potential.

Hebrews 4:12