

IN THE LORD'S SERVICE – THANK YOU

	This Week	Next Week
Worship Leader	Tony Wai	Robert W
Music Leader	James	James
Bible Reader	Soo Land Wong	
Ushers	Clement/Iain	Sheryl/Annie/Benson
Techno	Harvey/Ian/SunSun	Ian/Sun Sun
Cup of Tea	Stuart/Theresa/ Michelle L	Janet/Michelle/Weng Wai
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 021 431607
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

25th March 2012

Speaker: Pastor Mark Maney

Theme: Is there anyone behind the curtain?

Bible Reading: Hebrews 1:1-4



We extend a very warm welcome to everyone to this morning's service and morning tea.

PRAYERS

- ✚ Pastor Mark and family, and Mark's ministry at ACPC
- ✚ An ordained minister for the Cantonese Ministry
- ✚ Our community outreaches at Merge Café... St David's Foodbank, Project Co-op and Urban garden.
- ✚ Tiny Toones fundraising dinner tonight at church
- ✚ Our family and friends who are in hospital or in need of imminent surgery or who are unwell.

ACPC 2012 EASTER SERVICES

Good Friday 6th April:

- ✚ Service of reflections led by Pastor Mark at 8pm

Easter Sunday 8th April:

- ✚ Dawn Service - 5.00am at summit of Mt Roskill
- ✚ Combined Service 10.30am at ACPC



FUNDRAISING FOR TINY TOONES AT ACPC TONIGHT

5.30pm Silent auction begins then Buffet Dinner with a Cambodian Flavour Entertainment & General Auction with Spot Prizes
Tickets \$35pp, 5-12yo \$10, under 5 free
Contact Glenda after church or at 021 148 7956

ENTERTAINMENT BOOK 2012/2013

If you would like to purchase a 2012/2013 Entertainment Book, please see Glenda Choy after church or email her at choyfamily@gmail.com. The book costs \$65, of which \$13 will go towards the church.

ACPC OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE THE COMMUNITY

You are the light of the world. A city on a hill cannot be hidden.
Matthew 5:14

ACPC is placed in a strategic CBD position, which offers us tremendous opportunities to contribute to and serve in the inner city community and beyond. The church is looking outwards and we have located areas where as Christians, we can make a difference in this world. You may feel called to serve God in one or more of these church outreaches.

MERGE CAFÉ IN K' ROAD

Provides cheap nutritious breakfasts and lunchtime meals for the homeless and those on a low budget. ACPC helps out every fortnight on Saturdays, 9-10am and 10am-11am and the following Sunday from 9.00-10.00am. We help with wiping down tables, sweeping, mopping and welcoming customers with a warm greeting. Would you like to join the roster? See Nathan or Daniel – they would love to hear from you.



ST DAVID'S FOODBANK

The food is provided for people in need referred by Presbyterian Support Social Service organizations - families, the elderly and the disabled... The distribution is closely monitored.

We shall be collecting food (dried pasta, noodles, canned vegetables and fruit, biscuits, cereal) for the St David's Foodbank on the **first Sunday of each month**. The foodbank also needs help with funds to purchase fresh food... so please leave all donations in the collection box upstairs in the hall. If you have a contact for reasonably priced food, please see Jean.

BEING A FRIENDLY NEIGHBOUR

And how about random acts of kindness to our neighbours? There may be times when you feel like popping into the Police Station or other places near church with some home baking, or goodies from a bakery. They would be much appreciated I'm sure.



URBAN GARDEN

A suggested plan has been drawn up by a landscaper for a flower, vegetable and herb garden at the back of the church. This is an exciting project where church members and members of the CBD community can get together to look after this garden. (See noticeboard for a suggested plan.)

PROJECT CO-OP (COACTIVE)

We shall be providing manpower for people in need of help around the garden or house. Through Presbyterian Support, we have a project to help a disabled Mt Roskill lady with her property: cleaning outside windows, pulling out some strong, stubborn Mt Roskill weeds, and pruning a money tree.



Would you be able to contribute your expertise or muscle-power? Or provide some refreshments on the working bee day and chat to the resident? See Robert O'Callahan and the Newmarket Home Group. They would welcome your company and assistance.

JESUS CAME TO SERVE

Don't focus so much on what you love to do that you neglect what needs to be done. A 3:00 AM diaper change fits in very few sweet spots! Visiting your sick neighbor might not come naturally to you. Still, the sick need to be encouraged, garages need sweeping, and diapers need changing.



The world needs servants. People like Jesus, who "did not come to be served, but to serve." Jesus chose remote Nazareth over center-stage Jerusalem, his dad's carpentry shop over a marble-columned palace, and three decades of anonymity over a life of popularity. Jesus selected prayer over sleep, the wilderness over the Jordan.

I'd have gone with angels. I'd have built my apostle team out of Gabriel and Michael. Not Jesus. He picked people! When they feared the storm, he stilled it.

When they had no food for the multitude, he provided it.

Jesus came to serve! So should we.

HOW DO I CONTACT PASTOR MARK?

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