

## IN THE LORD'S SERVICE – THANK YOU

	This Week	Next Week
Worship Leader	Robert O	Marty
Music Leader	Anthony	David
Bible Reader	Samuel	Melissa
Ushers	Clement, Iain	Francis, George
Techno	Harvey, Kel	Harvey, Mel
Cup of Tea	Quin, Celia, Soo Land	Michelle Lam, Sheryl, Jean
Dishes		

## HOME GROUPS

	Leader	Meeting time	Location
<b>CANTONESE GROUP</b>	Albert Ko	Saturday weekly @ 4pm	@ Albert & Emily Ko's 021 753 912
<b>CANTONESE ALBANY GROUP</b>	Peter Zen	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Friday @ 8pm	@ Peter Zen's 021 280 8663
<b>COLLEGE &amp; CAREERS GROUP</b>	Mark Maney	Wednesday weekly @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 105 Vincent Street City
<b>GREENLANE GROUP</b>	Glenda Choy	Thursday fortnightly @ 8pm	@ Glenda Choy's 021 148 7956
<b>ISAAC GROUP</b>	Lydia Lam	Friday weekly @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 105 Vincent Street, City
<b>LADIES' GROUP</b>	Glenda Choy	Wednesday fortnightly @ 10.30am	@ Glenda Choy's 524 9391
<b>NEWMARKET GROUP</b>	Robert O'Callahan	Thursday weekly @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 105 Vincent Street City 021 783 289
<b>REMUERA GROUP</b>	Ken Cheung	2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday @ 10am	@ Quin Gee's Contact Ken 021 431 607
<b>YOUNG FAMILIES' GROUP</b>	Mark Maney	Saturday monthly @ 2pm	Contact Mark 021 309 544

# AUCKLAND CHINESE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

105 Vincent Street, Auckland City



## ENGLISH MINISTRY SERVICE

18<sup>th</sup> August 2013

**Speaker:** Pastor Mark Maney

**Sermon Title** - An Encouraging Message

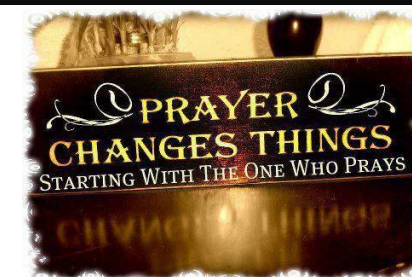
**Sermon Passage:** Hebrews 3:7-14



A warm welcome to all visitors to this morning's service.  
You are invited to stay for a cup of tea after the service.

## PRAYERS

- Welcome and Induction Service for Micah (Rev Tang) and family
- Mark and family – for their ministry and leadership at our church
- ACPC Annual Congregational Meeting: That we will be encouraged by the past year and inspired for the coming year.
- Consistent, regular and encouraging personal Bible study and prayer time for all of us



## POT LUCK DINNER AND FELLOWSHIP NEXT SUNDAY

Mark your diary for the next Sunday's Pot Luck Dinner, games and fellowship night from 6pm to 9pm. See you there!

## AUGUST – SEPTEMBER CALENDAR

- Sunday, 25<sup>th</sup> August 2013 at 6pm Pot Luck dinner, games and fellowship
- Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> September 2013 at 10.30am – Communion Service
- Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> September 2013 at 12pm Annual Congregational Meeting
- Sunday, 15<sup>th</sup> September 2013 at 10.30am Combined Service to welcome Rev Micah Tang and family
- Wednesday, 18<sup>th</sup> September 2013 at 7pm Rev Micah Tang's Induction by PCANZ

## HISTORY OF ACPC

Have you explored the ACPC website? The Parish Profile makes for interesting reading.

*In 1923 the Overseas Mission Board of the PCANZ appointed Rev. William Mawson, a New Zealand missionary to China, to revive the Auckland Chinese Mission which then covered a large part of the North Island. Its place of worship was the Gospel Hall at 43 Cook Street, a property which the Church purchased in 1924. Later a manse was purchased at 105 Vincent Street.*



The Parish Council has decided that we will have a 90<sup>th</sup> year celebration dinner on Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> October 2013 – venue to be decided.

Mark your calendar – come and make this event a joyful and joyous occasion!!!

## CHURCH BOOKINGS

For your information, all church chapel, hall and new building bookings are made by contacting Jean Wong on [sojewong@gmail.com](mailto:sojewong@gmail.com). You may like to check the church website first to see if the time you wish to book is available and to read the Church Booking requirements.

## HALL COMPUTER AND SOUND SYSTEM

The hall computer and data projector have been upgraded. We aim to provide the best facilities possible for our services. In the past, the music team has experienced difficulties on Sunday just before the service, with required computer and sound system settings having been changed.

The hall computer is now for the use of worship services only and to be operated only by designated techno people and music leaders.

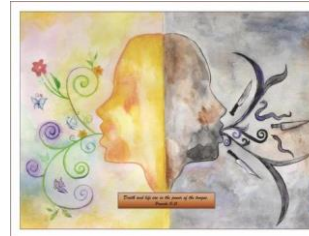
## FREE WIFI

We are now providing FREE Wi-Fi Hotspot for our members. Simply grab an Internet Access Voucher, from your Smartphone Wi-Fi connection, choose ACPC-Hotspot and then open your browser. You will be asked

for username and password: enter information provided on Internet Access Voucher (on hall table), and that's all - enjoy surfing.

## THE ANSWER TO YOUR WORRIES

'Death and life are in the power of the tongue...' [Proverbs 18:21](#)



Your words either work for you or against you.

The Bible says, 'Death and life are in the power of the tongue, and those who love it will eat its fruit.' The old saying, 'You'll eat your words,' is more than a meaningless cliché, it's the truth!

Jeremiah the prophet writes, 'Your words were found, and I ate them, and Your word was to me the joy and rejoicing of my heart...' (Jeremiah 15:16 NKJV).

The Psalmist writes, 'They cried out to the Lord in their trouble, and He saved them out of their distresses (worries). He sent His word and healed them...' (Psalms 107:19-20 NKJV).

God's Word is the medicine that heals worry. So what God has to say about the issue must be what you have to say about it too, otherwise you're contradicting Him and disconnecting yourself from the source of all blessing.



If you're wise, you will surround yourself with like-minded people who speak God's Word into your life, and limit your time with those who have no interest in it. If you want to grow the right kind of fruit, you must have the right climate. And the words you speak (and listen to) determine the climate of your life, the direction in which it goes, and the results you get. There is no 'secret' to success.

The Bible says that when you learn to 'meditate day and night' in God's Word, you will 'prosper in all [you do]' (Psalms 1:1-3 NLT). So the answer to your worries is in God's Word!

From Word for Today by Bob Gass

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