

IN THE LORD'S SERVICE – THANK YOU

	This Week	Next Week
Service Leader	Serene	Tony Wai
Music Leader	David	Nancy
Bible Reader	George	Alvin
Ushers	Francis, George	Robert O, Blake
Techno	Mel, Jireh	Harvey, Robert
Cup of Tea	Suan, Michelle T, Quin	Brendon, Jenny, Cindy,
Dishes		

HOME GROUPS

	Leader	Meeting time	Location
COLLEGE & CAREERS GROUP	Pr Mark Maney	Every Wednesday @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 021 309 544
GREENLANE GROUP	George Lowe	Thursday fortnightly @ 8pm	@ Glenda Choy's 021 7335 9838 (George)
LADIES GROUP	Glenda Choy	Wednesday fortnightly @ 10.30am	@ Glenda Choy's 524 9391
NEWMARKET GROUP	Robert O'Callahan	Every Tuesday @ 7.30pm	@ Newmarket 021 783 289
REMUERA GROUP	Ken Cheung	2 nd and 4 th Saturday @ 10am	@ Quin Gee's Contact Ken 021 431 607
ST HELIERS GROUP	Marty Bing	Tuesdays fortnightly @ 8pm	@ Marty Bing's 021 753 406
YOUNG FAMILIES GROUP	Pr Mark Maney	Saturday monthly @ 2pm	Contact Pr Mark 021 309 544
CANTONESE GROUP	Albert Ko	Saturdays fortnightly @ 4 pm	See notice board for more details on the Cantonese and Mandarin home groups
ALBANY CANTONESE GROUP	Peter Zen & Edith Poon	1st & 3rd Friday @ 8pm	
MASSEY CANTONESE GROUP	Rev M Tang	1st & 3rd Wed @ 10am	
ISAAC GROUP	Lydia Lam	Every Friday @ 7.30pm	

AUCKLAND CHINESE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

105 Vincent Street, Auckland City



ENGLISH MINISTRY SERVICE

13th July 2014

Speaker: Robert O'Callahan
Sermon Title: Jesus is Lord ... of the Internet
Sermon Passages: Matthew 5:21-22



*A warm welcome to everyone, especially visitors to the service today!
 Please stay for a cup of tea after the service.*

PRAYERS

- Rev Tang and Pr Mark's ministry at ACPC – for wisdom and encouragement in their leadership of the church.
- Safe travel for Mark, Charlotte, Roseanna, Alaric and Guinivere
- Success for those looking for steady employment
- The people in New Zealand who have suffered flooding and destruction of their homes in the recent storms
- The people in Christchurch still facing uncertainty over their homes, businesses and employment
- For peace in war-torn areas of the world.



PASTOR MARK ON LEAVE

Pastor Mark is on leave in Canada until the end of this week. For emergencies, please contact Marty Bing, Ph5755128 or Jean Wong Ph 6255189.

SERMON NOTES

IMPORTANT CHURCH CONTACT INFORMATION



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THE IMPORTANCE OF FELLOWSHIP

'...You are members of God's family.' EPHESIANS 2:19

Nathaniel Hawthorne said, 'No man, for any period, can wear one face to himself and another to the multitude, without finally getting bewildered as to which is the true one.' We like to wear masks in public, yet, only as we open up to one another can we truly change and grow. '...If we live in the light...we can share fellowship with each other...' (1John 1:7 NCV).

One author writes: 'The world mistakenly thinks that intimacy occurs in the dark, but God says it happens in the light. Darkness hides our issues, but, when we are able to bring them out into the light, they lose their power, we find forgiveness, our wounded areas are healed and we begin to make progress.'

We're afraid of transparency, yet it's the only way to become spiritually and emotionally whole. None of us is as strong individually as all of us are collectively. We're more consistent in our faith when others walk with us and encourage us.

Over and over in the New Testament we're told to be devoted to one another, submit to one another, forgive one another, bear one another's burdens, honour one another, accept one another, teach one another, serve one another, encourage one another, pray for one another and love one another.

You're not responsible for everyone in your church, but you are responsible to them. God expects you to do whatever you can to serve them.

Paul challenged the believers in Rome, saying, '...I want us to help each other...Your faith will help me and my faith will help you' (Romans 1:12 NCV). That's what it's all about!

from Word for Today by Bob Gass

