12/03/2017 English Announcement

- 1. *We welcome everyone at this Church Gathering, especially those that are new. We pray that you will experience the hope, faith & love of Jesus Christ.
- 2. *Communication Cards can be dropped in the offering bag or in the back corner of the MPR on the way out in the silver box.
- 3. *Please sign up for the equipping class "Sunday School" by responding to the insert or communication card .
- 4. *The second session today will be our annual congregational meeting. We will vote on "2018 Operations Budget", "Deacon Nominees for 2018-2019 Mandarin Jianying Li and XuTing Wang, new children deacon, Becky Xie. And vacant for Cantonese, Secretary and Finance deacon", "Elder Al Chen to active eldership" and "CMSC (Children Minister/(Director) Search Committee".
- 5. *On December 10, 9:30 am there will be Christmas Cantata Service. This is a wonderful opportunity to come together through the music worship as one body in Christ.
- 6. *On December 10, 11:15 am there will be Baptism and Holy Communion Service. Please join us.
- 7.*Use social media for God's Glory www.raleighccc.org/englishfacebook@raleighccc.
- 8.*Audio & Visual: There is an URGENT need for tech-servants to be part of a rotation with AV. Thomas (thomas.k.pham@gmail.com) can provide training, please let Thomas Pham know ASAP if you are willing.
- 9.***FPO** (**Faith Pledge Offering**) is dedicated to the support of Global Missionaries. FPO offering received up to date(11/26) is 54,550, which is still not enough for supporting 20 Missionaries per our 2017 FPO budget of \$59,530. Please pray for our FPO offering. If your Sunday offering is dedicated to FPO, please specify "FPO" on your Check.
- 10.*Christmas Love Offering to Pastoral Staff This is the season to show our appreciation to our pastoral staff. If you wish to show your appreciation you may contribute to a pool of collections that will be distributed to the staff (Pastor Tran, Pastor Lin, Pastor Gary, Pastor Jerry and Minister Liang) to include Pastor Liang and brother Andrew Liau. You may contribute to (1) an undesignated pool that will be distributed proportionately to the staff and/or (2) give to a specific staff member by designating your gift to that person. GIFTS ARE NON-TAX DEDUCTIBLE PER IRS REGULATIONS. The last Sunday that you can contribute is Sunday, December 17. The gifts will be presented on Sunday, December 24, 2017. Please contribute to the love offering by writing a separate check from your regular tithes and offering. Write on the memo line of the check "Christmas offering" or "Christmas offering for (name of staff)" and the amount if more than one person. Thank you for remembering the staff during this holiday season. In addition to your generosity, the church will be providing a gift as well.
- 11.If you want to be on our church distribution list, please send your email address to church secretary(secretary.rccc9266@gmail.com) or Showen Yeh (showenyeh@gmail.com).

Youth Announcement

- 1. **Baptism and Youth Baptism Class**—If you have accepted Jesus as your Lord and Savior and would like to get baptized on next Sunday, December 10, please speak with Pastor Jerry today so that he can arrange with you to go through the Youth Baptism class. Also, if you would like to accept Jesus as your Lord and Savior, please contact Pastor Jerry (jmillerrc3@yahoo.com; Cell 919.961.8859).
- 2. Wednesday Youth Prayer—Join us on this Wednesday, December 6, from 7:30-8:30 p.m. for prayer. We will start a new monthly prayer series using the book and DVD, "The Circle Maker," by Pastor Mark Batterson.
- 3. Youth Art Exhibit November 5-December 3 Grades 6-12—You are encouraged to view the different art work from our students that will be displayed in the back of the MPR from November 5-December 3.

4. Join the Advent Conspiracy—During the season of Advent from November 26-December 24, you are encouraged to Worship Jesus Passionately, Spend Less on Yourself, Give More of Yourself and All that the Lord has Blessed You with, and to Love Everyone in the same way the Lord Jesus loves us. For more info, visit www.adventconspiracy.org

Children Announcement

- 1.Piggy Bank Mosquito Net ministry Children has collected the donation of \$194 for Mosquito Net ministry which will be enough to buy 19 mosquito nets. We will donate the money to Samaritan's Purse to buy the nets for people living in developing countries to prevent the spread of malaria. Thanks to our parents for encouraging our kids to participate in the missions project.
- 2. New semester of children Sunday school began already. We're looking for people who have passion, love and interest in serving in the children ministry. Please contact sister Becky Xie.

Upcoming Sermons

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Pastor Gary Lee