WELCOME & CONNECTION CARD

Dear Members, Friends, and Guests,

Our prayer is that you will experience the grace and truth of the Gospel of Jesus Christ through the music, fellowship, and message of Jesus Christ here each week. We want to come alongside you in this journey personally and partner together for the Gospel locally, in and around the Research Triangle for God's glory!

Date:

Because Jesus lives, RCCC English Ministry

Name:

Address:				
Phone: (home)	Phone: (home)		(mobile)	
☐ Local Guest			Out of Town Guest	
Regular Attendee			Member of RCCC	
LIFE STAGE:				
☐ Infant	☐ Youth/Teen		Family	
Nursery	□ College		(children under 18)	
Preschool	☐ Young Adult		` '	
Children	(22-30's)		Adult (50's +)	
I WOULD LIKE MO	RE INFORMATIO	N ON:		
☐ Following Christ	☐ Baptism		Sunday School/Equippir	
☐ Serving	☐ Membership		Small Groups/Fellowship	
Discipleship	□ Other :			
PRAYER REQUESTS	/INPUT:			
Dublic (English Pra	ayer List)			
☐ Private (Pastor/El	ders only)			



Prayer Meeting Ministry Virtual meeting Zoom ID: 349 526 1088; Passcode: 24680 Wednesdays, weekly, 7-8:30pm

Katelin Bartley katelin.bartley@gmail.com

Basketball Ministry Tuesdays, weekly, 7:00pm Ed Lam (big_ed_lam@yahoo.com)
Moni Chow (mmchow06@gmail.com)

SMALL GROUP

Grace Gospel Fellowship Virtual meeting Zoom ID: 349 526 1088

; Passcode: 24680

Wednesdays, weekly, 7-8:30pm

Young Adult Fellowship Saturdays @ 7-8:30pm

Men of Grace Small Group Saturdays 2nd/4th @ 10:00-11:30am Katelin Bartley katelin.bartley@gmail.com

Zoe Tham zoe.tham@gmail.com

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OFFERING REPORT (4/13-4/19/2022)

General	\$23,225.00	Actual General Income YTD	\$174,547.88
Missions	\$260.00	Actual Mission (FPO) Income YTD	\$ 4,070.00
Building	\$300.00	Actual Building Income YTD	\$ 1,200.00
Benevolent		Actual Benevolence	\$ 1,000.00
Misc.		Actual Total Contribution YTD	\$180,817.88
Total	\$23,785.00	Actual General Fund Expenses YTD	\$121,457.69
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Attendance 4/17 (live streaming and in person): Mandarin/Cantonese: 244 English:100

Raleigh Chinese Christian Church

English Worship Service
April 24, 2022

11:15am - 12:30pm

To Reach the Chinese Community for Christ to transform them into fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ by becoming a Reverent, Christ-centered, Caring Community that glorifies God.



2022 Church Theme: Rebuilding the Church on the Foundation of Christ

Nehemiah 2:17 EHEAIANS2:20

Church Pastoral Staff			
Interim Lead Pastor	Rev. Paul Chang; pljchang@gmail.com		
Cantonese/Mandarin Volunteer Pastor	Rev. Alan Setiawan alanIsetiawan@yahoo.com		
English Pastor	Rev. Rob Stansberry; robthestans@gmail.com		
Youth Pastor	Rev. Jerry Miller; jmillerrc3@yahoo.com		
Cantonese Volunteer Minister	Minister Raymond Ting siumanting@gmail.com		
Mandarin Volunteer Minister	Minister Huang Chen huangchen@nc.rr.com		
Other Co-Workers see church website: raleighccc.org			

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Where Were You Born?

Text: Psalm 87:1-7

Interesting Outline

Dr. Marvin Tate gives an interesting outline of it:

A. "in you [feminine]," 87.3

B. "there," 87.4

C. "in her," 87.5

B'. "there," 87.6

A'. "in you [feminine]," 87.7

The verb "to be born" appears three times (87:4, 5, 6), all are in perfect aspect. The collective spiritual woman is the theme.

Secret Code: Love as the Foundation (87:1-2)

Glorious Things Are Said of You (87:3)

Verse 4 is a direct revelation by God, and the two verses before and after it are spoken by the prophet-psalmist.

The words in verse 3 are very significant, they are what the psalmist heard God said in heaven. The "glorious things" here are the contents of verses 4-6.

All Tribes on Earth Are Blessed (87:4-6)

The Fountains Are in You (Psalm 87:7)

Zion's Spiritual Mother (87:5a)

The Septuagint translated Psalm 87:5 with peculiar divine inspiration! It reads as below:

Zion's mother says,

This one, that one are both born in her.
And the Most High himself will strengthen her.

Zion, the city of God, is the mother!

How Did Fuchida Come to Christ?

On December 7, 1941 Sunday, Mitsuo Fuchida led a squadron of Japanese planes to bomb Pearl Harbor. He sent the secret code "Tora! Tora! Tora!" ...

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Who led Fuchida to the Lord? Peggy, the daughter of the martyred missionary couple, and DeShazer, the bomber of the Doolittle Raid and POW severely ill-treated by the Japanese. Thru' them the mysterious river of life flows unto Fuchida. "Glorious things are spoken of thee, O city of God." (87.3) Amen!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1. We welcome everyone to our Church Gathering, and especially welcome those who are new. Please use our online welcome form to fill in your information and prayer requests, OR just speak with one of our church leaders. We are happy to get you connected. Here is the link: https://www.raleighccc.org/main/contact-us/
- 2. Face masks are still mandatory for all in-door activities. Please see more details on the Website at: https://www.raleighccc.org/main/information-for-reopening-church/.
- 3. RCCC Community Night April 29, 7:30-9:30pm. Join us for a great night of fellowship, snacks, and a movie. We'll be showing Sabina:Tortured for Christ, based on the true story of Sabrina and Richard Wurmbrand founders of The Voice of the Martyrs. Rated PG13. Please invite your friends and neighbors to this outreach night. Snacks will be served after the movie.
- 4. The new "Growing" Sunday School class has started since April 10. This class focuses on helping us to grow deeper in our faith and in our impact with others. This class is scheduled from 9:30 to 10:45 AM in room A122. The class will be video recorded and the link will be provided after the class. Follow up meeting to the class is scheduled every Thursday from 7 to 8 PM (Zoom ID: 349 526 1088 Passcode: 02468).
- 5. The church is giving away non-N95 masks in 10-PC on Sundays.
- **6.Youth 30 Hour Famine Project and Goal "Ukraine Crisis"** Our Youth are raising funds for Samaritan's Purse Ukraine Crisis Response through the end of April. Prayerfully consider going to samaritanspurse.org to donate directly to their "Ukraine Crisis Response." If you donate online, please let Pastor Jerry know so that he can add your donation to the 2022 Youth Group goal. You can also give a check made payable to Samaritan's Purse and place it in the special Youth Offering container in the church lobby. Thank the Lord that \$5,188.08 has been donated so far.

CHILDREN'S INFO. (KINDERGARTEN −5TH GRADE)

Children's Ministry offers both in person and online programs. **Friday program resumes beloved AWANA.**

Children's ministry offers a new in-person preschool class for 3- & 4-year-olds on Sundays 11:15–12:30.

Programs are all in the old building: In person children's Sunday School 9:30-10:45am In person children's Sunday worship 11:15am-12:30pm Online children's Sunday worship 11:00am-11:45 am In person Friday night AWANA 7:30-9:30pm

The Children's Ministry Committee members are: Sunday Worship/School - Kaili Sawyer; Friday Program; Mike Liu; Special Programs: Mo-Yuen Chow. If you have any questions or want to volunteer, please email to children.rccc@gmail.com or contact them individually.

Registration: Please follow the link below and complete an online form soon.(https://www.raleighccc.org/main/children-programregistration2021-22/) Teachers will send lesson summary and reminders to registered parents, so parents can communicate with teachers and help their children by reinforcing the lesson.

Church Gathered: Order of Service				
Welcome and Announcements				
Worship By Singing	Music Team			
Worship By Praying Together				
Pastoral and Congregational Prayer	Pastor Chang			
Worship By Trusting & Hearing Christ				
Sermon	Pastor Chang			
Worship By Responding to Christ				
Offering				
Benediction	Pastor Rob			

^{*}After a moment of silent meditation, please welcome one another. Drop off Connection Card in drop box.

YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Youth Parent/Leader Prayer Youth parents and leaders are encouraged to join us for prayer on this Thursday, April 28, at 7:30 p.m. through Zoom.
- Disciple-Makers and Youth Sunday School Teachers Needed If you feel called to be a Disciple-Maker or Sunday School Teacher for our Youth, please contact Pastor Jerry or our Youth Deacon, Ed Lam, for further info on how you can get involved.
- 3. **This Friday's Youth Group**—Join us on this Friday, April 29, at 7:30 p.m. in the MPR for our movie night.
- 4. **New Youth QT Plan** The Bible: Fake News or Good News April 26-May 1 In this six day plan, discover what the Bible is all about, how it's meant to be used, and its powerful benefits to our lives. Contact Pastor Jerry to join this week's plan.
- 5. Wednesday Youth Prayer Online Join us on this Wednesday, April 20, from 7:00-7:40 p.m. through Zoom for Youth Prayer.
- 6. Youth Sunday School In-Person and Online Join us every Sunday from 9:30-10:45 a.m. for in-person Youth Sunday School classes on the 2nd floor of our new building. We also have an online class from 9:00-9:45 a.m. every Sunday.

UPCOMING SERMON

5/1/2022 Pastor Rob