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以基督耶穌的心為心

Let The Mind Of Christ Jesus Be In You

聖靈降臨節暨聖餐主日

Day Of Pentecost & Holy Communion Sunday Service

二零一七年六月四日

The Fourth Day of June 2017

林怡軒牧師 **Reverend Nathan Lim**

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, June 4, 2017

1:00 p.m. English Service with Holy Communion

WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come to worship.

People: We come to worship the God of Queens, Kings and Servants.

Leader: God has called you to this place.

People: We come here looking for the living God.

Leader: Let us seek the living God together.

*PRAISE SONG [Bulletin Insert] "All Hail King Jesus"

OPENING PRAYER

Leader: God of all times and places, in Jesus Christ, lifted up on the cross, you opened for us the path to eternal life. Grant that we, being born again of water and the Spirit, may joyfully serve you in newness of life and faithfully walk in your holy ways; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

People: Risen Christ, you are the vine; apart from you we can do nothing. We live as if this were not true: we entwine ourselves in our business rather than branching out toward others; because we do not ground ourselves in you, we wither. Lord Jesus, forgive us. Restore us to your abiding love, that we may bear fruit worthy of our calling.

SILENT PRAYER

*ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Leader: The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting.

People: We declare, in the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. May the God of mercy who forgives us all our sins, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. Amen.

*PASSING THE PEACE

Leader: Hear the teaching of Christ: A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another as I have loved you. Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another. May the peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us share the peace of Christ with one another.

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

RESPONSIVE READING Numbers 11:24-30 (p. 129)
NEW TESTAMENT Acts 2:1-21 (p. 119)

A TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

SERMON *"The Heartbeat of Christian Growth"*

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S LOVE

***PRAISE SONG [Bulletin Insert]** *"Thou Art Worthy"*

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *"The Apostles' Creed"* (front cover of hymnal)

PRAYER CARD REQUEST & PREPARATION
OFFERING AND PRAYER CARD COLLECTION

Leader: With grateful and humble hearts let us return to God a portion of the blessings of our lives.

***OFFERTORY HYMN** *"Doxology"*

ANNOUNCEMENTS (led by the ushers)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (led by the ushers)

THE SEALING OF GOD'S WORD

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

COMMUNION HYMN # 244 *"Let Us Break Bread Together"*

THE INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD AND THE CUP

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever. Amen

WE BEAR GOD'S LOVE INTO THE WORLD

***PRAISE SONG [Bulletin Insert]** *"He Is Exalted"*

QUOTE OF THE WEEK:

A gift is to be received. The Giver may pay for or create the gift, but the one for whom the gift is intended can do nothing but receive it. Now what do we have so far?

Perfection is required for entrance into Heaven. None of us are perfect. We cannot in any way earn, work for, or merit this required perfection. It must be God's free gift to us.

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***FOURFOLD AMEN**

**Please stand if you are able*

FCPC NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

- 1) Saturday, June 24 - 107th Anniversary Fun Fair...** Invite a friend and come join us on Saturday, June 24, 2017, around 1:30-3:30 pm, for our 107th Anniversary Celebration Festival. Games, movies, gifts and souvenirs will make for an exciting day of fun, fellowship, and activities.
- 2) Sunday, June 25 - Thanksgiving Combined Worship Service...** All are invited to our 107th Anniversary Thanksgiving Combined Worship Service with Guest Speaker The Reverend Dr. Willy K. Ng at 11 a.m. and The Reverend Nathan Lim as Revival Meeting Speaker at 2:30 p.m.
- 3) Invitation to Graduates...** 2017 Graduates (High School, College, Post-graduate) who are church members see bilingual announcement inside bulletin.
- 4) 2017 Summer Children's Program...** The First Chinese Presbyterian Church is offering a 7 weeks program for children grades 1-6. The program will run from July 5 through August 18, 2017, and is held Monday through Friday, 9:00-5:30pm. Lunch is provided. Daily Schedule includes raising academic standards in: Reading/Writing/Spelling/Mathematics/Science/and Social Studies. For more information contact our church office.
- 5) Volunteers for English Worship Service...** are needed each week. Those available please contact Dr. Jackson by Thursday so your name can be placed in the weekly bulletin as Worship Leader, Music Leader, or Usher. Holy Communion Assistants please volunteer before the first Sunday of each month. Thank you.
- 6) Get Connected...** For our full Statement of Faith or to learn more about Presbyterian history and beliefs or to find a full list of available resources check out our website at fcpc.org. You will also be able to read about upcoming announcements, find the weekly Order of Worship, and listen to past sermons. Like our page at <http://facebook.com/fcpcnyc> to get the latest news and connect with other members.

WELCOME

TODAY – June 4, 2017 – *Day of Pentecost - English Worship Service at 1:00 pm*

TODAY'S SPEAKER: Dr. Tony Jackson

NEXT WEEK – June 11, 2017 – *Trinity Sunday – Sunday School Sunday Combined Service 11am*

NEXT WEEK'S SPEAKER: TE Nathan Lim

WORSHIP LEADER: San Leong

OFFERING USHERS: Brian Yap, Kevin Quan, William Tsang, Jonathan Chui,
Kimberly Yap, Connie Leung, Tracy Leung, Jessica Teng

ABOUT US

PASTOR – Rev. Nathan Lim

ENGLISH EVANGELIST – Dr. Tony Jackson

CHINESE EVANGELIST – Hazel Man

SCHEDULE TIMES: 11:00 am Sunday School - 1:00 pm English Worship Service

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A SPECIAL WORD TO OUR GUESTS

FCPC is a fellowship of believers whose supreme desire is to know the Lord Jesus Christ and make Him known to others. We're glad you joined us for worship today. Please know you always have a warm welcome here among us. We pray your time with us will be spiritually uplifting and that you will feel free to inquire about any of the other activities and various fellowships FCPC has to offer. Regardless of your age, there is something for everyone here!

THIS MONTH AT FCPC - FELLOWSHIPS & GATHERINGS

HAPPENINGS	REGULAR MEETING	TIME	CONTACT	NEXT MEETING
Brothers & Sisters In Christ (BASIC)	4th Sunday	2:00 PM	Gilbert Wong & Tony Jackson	June 25 --- 309
Junior Youth Fellowship (JYF)	Weekly	12-12:45 PM	Tony Jackson	Weekly — 4 th Floor
Sunday School (SS)	Every Sunday	11 AM	Doreen Cheung & Vicki Louie-Shek	Grades K-5---2 nd floor Grades 6-12 – 4 th floor 18+----- 309

PRAYERS & PRAISE

- Prayers of thanks to God for His eternal love and care over our lives and for sending His only begotten Son to be our Savior so that we might be forgiven and restored and come into a personal and intimate relationship with God through Christ.
- Prayers for all the upcoming events for Summer and those who will be serving and in the ministries God has entrusted to our care.
- Prayers for our country and our leaders that we may live quiet and peaceful lives and bring glory to God's name through the continual sharing of God's love to all the world.