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Jesus Christ Came To Save Sinners

1 Tim 1:12-20 ESV

PERSONAL AND LIFE GROUP REFLECTION QUESTIONS

1. How is the Gospel of Jesus Christ central in your spiritual disciplines? Are there styles, forms or other things that God is revealing to you that you are more devoted to than to relationships with Jesus Christ? Ask for revelation, repent and come to Christ.
2. Are there disciplines that increase love, purity, good conscience or sincerity of faith that God is calling you to embrace so that you relate with Jesus more deeply? What are they? If not, ask God for some.
3. What do you find admirable about a brother or sister's relationship with Jesus? What disciplines or behaviours have cultivated that relationship?

Announcements and Upcoming Events

Welcome! Are you new to CCAC or perhaps you want to communicate with the church.
Fill out our new welcome form at: bit.ly/welcometoccac and we will get back to you! If you are a baptized Christian and desire to become a member at our church, you can transfer your membership. Talk with [Chris Leong](#), and fill out this membership transfer application and submit it to [Pastor Jon](#).

Survey for Reopening
<https://www.calgarychinesealliance.org/reopen-survey>

Communion will be serving on Next Sunday, please remember to prepare the elements, like bread and juice, as we take time to remember Jesus' sacrifice for us.

CCAC COVID-19 Reopening Updates:

- Cantonese and English Sunday services are starting to broadcast the service live from church
- The church reopen task force will require more time to prepare for the logistic and to setup training sessions with brothers and sisters who will be serving on the worship service. The BOE agrees to **postpone the date to August 9** for allowing a limited number of congregants to be physically present at church for worship service
- Due to the difficulty to transition between Mandarin and Cantonese Sunday services with physical gathering, the BOE agrees to delay the broadcasting of the service from church and reopening of the physical gathering of Mandarin Sunday service to a later date

Due to ongoing **water drainage issues** on the North side of the church, the BOE discussed with the Admin Committee to approve exploring the replacement of the existing HVAC units and fixing the landscaping, up to a cost of \$100,000. This amount has already been budgeted for 2020. The BOE accepted the proposal and would like to seek if anyone is capable and interested to perform the work. Please reach out to [Pastor Jason](#) for further details before **August 2, 2020**.

The Youth Sunday School team of teachers are looking to expand their team. In the Fall, we will be using Zoom video conferencing to deliver the lessons. If you are tech savvy and want to get to know our church's youth, please contact Alfredo at alfredowong99@gmail.com or by phone at 403-464-7999.

NEW CCAC Website
CCAC has launched a new website ccac.life (English and Cantonese versions are up now; Mandarin is coming soon) It is much more user friendly, with a number of new features and pages. We are still in the process of adding to it in the coming weeks, so check back often! The old website will still be operational for the next month or so to transition. If you have any questions or suggestions, please contact **Haley Truong** or **Pastor Jason** or use the Contact Form found in the new website.

Away Camp 2020 will be AT-HOME! We are planning activities for the weekend of August 21-23. Sign-up your **Grade 4 to Grade 8** youths to get updates, online at tinyurl.com/ccacawaycamp20. Registration closes Aug 19.

Children's Ministry Blog - Find all the latest news and resources by checking tinyurl.com/kidminBlog.

- **Kidz Online** (Saturday 4pm fellowship) will now be 1st and 3rd Saturdays of Summer Months online
- **Kidz Sunday School** will also continue the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month at 11am

ROCK 2020-21 is looking for counselors
We're looking for disciples who are called by God to help God to transform youth into Christ-centered, Spirit-Empowered, Mission-focused, multiplying disciples of Jesus Christ. Would you pray about being a

counselor or worker in the Student Ministry? Please contact Abe Trinh (abraham.trinh@gmail.com) by August 7

Reaching out

CCAC cares about you and is starting up a few ministries to help reach out! Click on these if you want to serve on the [Outreach Team](#) or have [needs you want to communicate](#). **Andrea Wong** (andreaknwong@gmail.com) or **Andy Tang** (andytang4@gmail.com) would love to connect

Here are some on-going implementations of CCAC COVID-19 Reopening:

- A **Reopening Task Force** has been formed to think through the many different considerations and decisions that must take place in the coming weeks and months. Please pray for this committee, led by Elder Gordon Kwok, as they begin to consider what needs to be done. The health and safety of our church members is our priority, and we want to take this responsibility very seriously
- **The church building will continue to remain closed** until the Task Force has prepared a reopening plan. It is now limited only to staff members, cleaning services, and individuals who are involved in the reopening preparations
- **Life Groups and smaller fellowship gatherings** are allowed to meet together outdoors and in other public or private locations, **as long as everyone is compliant to the guidelines set out by Alberta Government and AHS**
- **The church parking lot is also available for LG** and fellowship gatherings, as long as guidelines are being followed. No access to the church building will be available until further notice. **Only one group at a time. Please book through the church office with Agnes Leung via [email](#) or phone**
- Online worship services will continue until the end of 2020, even as we consider the timeline for relaunching our physical worship gatherings
- More [information](#) about the public health and safety guidelines

If you have any questions regarding the reopening of the church, please contact **Elder Gordon Kwok** (kwokgordon@gmail.com) or **Rev. Jason Fan** (jason.fan@calgarychinesealliance.org). Please pray for CCAC as we all continue to trust God during this difficult time.

CCAC's online giving

Electronic Giving is up and running. You can follow the instructions at www.calgarychinesealliance.org/eng/giving/ in order to give.

☐☐☐ **Prayer items** ☐☐☐

Pray for the world happenings: Pandemic and phase 2, 3 opening in province; frontline workers

Pray for VBS 2020

Pray for the BOE, Reopening Task Force and COVID-19 Special Committee as we seek the best way to open up the church and keep everyone safe.

Pray for Julian Ho (Dennis & Jennifer) who was diagnosed with leukaemia since the middle of February. He is currently staying at the Children's Hospital for treatments and will be there until at least July. Please pray that he responds well to the treatments, and that Julian and his parents experience God's peace and presence during this difficult time.

Pray for Pastoral Positions to be filled

CCAC is looking for two Pastors to be hired. One for the position of Children's Ministry Pastor. The other for Student Ministries Pastor. Please pray that God would lead the right person to be the Pastor. That they would be full of God's love and gifted in the right ways for this time. Pray for the leaders who would meet them to discern God's call about a Pastoral candidate. Pray also for God's deep grace and provision for the many Children's and Student Ministry workers as they continue to love and minister to many children, youth and youth adults

Pray for the brothers and sisters who are serving in the mission field all around the world:

Nicole Leung, David and Mimie Fong.

☐☐☐ **Life Groups** ☐☐☐

Online Lifegroups and Fellowships are meeting through the Zoom Technology. Please contact the life group leaders individually for more information on how to connect.

TBD Lifegroup - Wednesdays 7pm (TBD will be taking a break during the month of August) ccac.tbd@gmail.com

Wednesday Night Lifegroup - Wednesdays 7:30pm ccac.wlg@gmail.com

Thursday Night Lifegroup - Thursdays 7PM tsangnoel@gmail.com

2-4-5 Lifegroup - Meeting every 2nd and 4th Fridays of the month amahcal@gmail.com

ROCK Fellowship - Grade 7-12 Fellowship, Summer Break (resume in the Fall) ccac.rock@gmail.com

Lifehouse Fellowship - University and College Fellowship, Fridays 7:30pm [Lifehouse facebook](#)

Naomi - Summer events:
o Saturday, July 18th (Naomi Connect Outdoor Gathering - Daytime)