



# OAKRIDGE CHRISTIAN MINISTRY

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March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
9:30 a.m.

*Welcome to Worship, we are glad to have you worshipping with us!*

CALL TO WORSHIP

“1Corinthians 2: 9”

John Con

However it is written: No eye has seen, no ear has heard, no mind has conceived, what God has prepared for those who love Him:

SONG OF PRAISE

“Lord You Have My Heart”

PASSING OF THE PEACE

John Con

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Athena Chu

SONG

“Above All”

N.T. READING

“John 3:14-21”

Linda Con

<sup>14</sup> Just as Moses lifted up the snake in the wilderness, so the Son of Man must be lifted up, <sup>15</sup> that everyone who believes may have eternal life in him.” <sup>16</sup> For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. <sup>17</sup> For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him. <sup>18</sup> Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe stands condemned already because they have not believed in the name of God’s one and only Son. <sup>19</sup> This is the verdict: Light has come into the world, but people loved darkness instead of light because their deeds were evil. <sup>20</sup> Everyone who does evil hates the light, and will not come into the light for fear that their deeds will be exposed. <sup>21</sup> But whoever lives by the truth comes into the light, so that it may be seen plainly that what they have done has been done in the sight of God.

“Ephesians 2:1-10”

<sup>1</sup> As for you, you were dead in your transgressions and sins, <sup>2</sup> in which you used to live when you followed the ways of this world and of the ruler of the kingdom of the air, the spirit who is now at work in those who are disobedient. <sup>3</sup> All of us also lived among them at one time, gratifying the cravings of our flesh and following its desires and thoughts. Like the rest, we were by nature deserving of wrath. <sup>4</sup> But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, <sup>5</sup> made us

alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions—it is by grace you have been saved. <sup>6</sup> And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus, <sup>7</sup> in order that in the coming ages he might show the incomparable riches of his grace, expressed in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus. <sup>8</sup> For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God— <sup>9</sup> not by works, so that no one can boast. <sup>10</sup> For we are God’s handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

**This is the WORD of the Lord.**

*Thanks be to God!*

SERMON	“For God so Loved the World”	Nehemia Neuhisa
SONG OF RESPONSE	“Oh How He Loves You and Me”	
OFFERING		
SONG	“In Christ Alone”	
BENEDICTION	Rev. Morgan Wong	
HALLELUJAH MOMENTS	Jacqueline Cleland	
ANNOUNCEMENTS		

1. Inviting you all to stay for sermon discussion at the Fireside Room.
2. Sign-up sheet for the flowers donation is on the bulletin board if interested.
3. March 6<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> we are hosting a Lenten support series on Wednesday nights from 7:00pm to 8:00pm in the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor lounge. All are invited.
4. There will be no Sunday School on March 17<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>. Classes will resume on Easter Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup> with an Easter Party!
5. Session will be holding dedicated Session meetings on March 18<sup>th</sup>, April 22<sup>nd</sup>, and May 27<sup>th</sup> to discuss transition processes and responsibilities when Pastor Morgan retires at the end of June. An Interim Moderator will be appointed by Presbytery to moderate Session.
6. On Maundy Thursday March 28<sup>th</sup> there will be a potluck from 6:30pm to 7:30pm in the MRP room with a symbolic foot cleaning. (No nuts)

7. AGM will be held on Apr 7<sup>th</sup> at 10:45am at the church. Light refreshment will be provided. Please note that the communion will take place on Easter Sunday Mar 31<sup>st</sup> instead.
8. For Lent, we are donating new and unopened socks, deodorant, females hygiene products, toothpaste and toothbrush to Union Gospel Mission after Easter. A donation box is at the foyer.
9. Leo's Adult Bible Study will be taking a break for the month of March. Study of the Book of Jeremiah will resume on Sunday Apr 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm.
10. Fire drill for OCM will take place on Sunday April 14<sup>th</sup> at about 10:30am.
11. We're seeking volunteers to serve in the BOM to manage our church's finance and maintain the church space. If you had such training and interested to serve in this capacity, please contact Andrew Wong (convenor) or Rev. Morgan Wong for more details.
12. Pastor Morgan's Retirement Farewell Party will be held in Neptune Palace Seafood Restaurant at Marine Gateway on Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup> from 5:00pm to 9:00pm. Ticket price: \$120 per person. Please mark your calendar for this important evening!
13. Doug Day Camp is being hosted by Richmond Presbyterian Church on April 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> from 9:30am until 4:30pm for ages 9-13. More information is posted by the visitor sign in book. Registration is available on <https://www.campdouglas.ca/>
14. Camp Douglas Summer Camp registration is opened for the sleep away summer camps. More information is posted by the visitor sign in book. Registration is available on <https://www.campdouglas.ca/>
15. LIFT is nation wide Presbyterian Church supported gathering with three streams at the conference: Youth (Completed grade 9-18 years of age), Young Adults (19-25 years of age) and Leadership (18 years+). The event is from July 3<sup>rd</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> in Brock University in Ontario. Registration is between April 15<sup>th</sup> to May 31<sup>st</sup> and more information is available on <https://presbyterian.ca/canadian-ministries/lift-2024/>.
16. Praise the Lord! Dr. Timothy Tam and Dr. Samuel Tam have been elected as New Fellows for the International College of Dentists last Friday. Yesterday, Dr. Isaac Tam received a Merit award from BC Dental Association. May God richly bless them that they be strong witnesses for the Risen Christ through their professions.

17. Session agreed to condense our bulletins. From now on, the bulletins will only include the titles and no more lyrics of songs. The power point presentation remains the same with songs' lyrics.

## FELLOWSHIP & REFRESHMENT

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### WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS:

PARTICIPANTS	TODAY (3/10)	NEXT SUNDAY (3/17)
Worship Leader	John Con	Tim Tam
Speaker	Nehemia Neuhisa	Dr. Christine Wang & Dr. Hans Lin
Reader	Linda Con	TBD
Music	John & Linda Con, Victor Ling, Doris Young	Tim Tam & Remy Fu
Ushers	Athena Chu & Linda Tan*	Athena Chu & Christina Wong*
Offering Counters	Sue Yuen and Holly Siu	Sue Yuen and Holly Siu
Data Entry	Marleen Wong & Garland Chow	Francine Shuen & Alice Wong
A/V	Jimmy Yee	Jimmy Yee

### LAST SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES RECORD:

ENGLISH ATTENDANCE	CHINESE ATTENDANCE	TOTAL OFFERING
28	52	\$4,065

## SERMON NOTES

Title – For God so Loved the World

Scripture – John 3:14-21 & Ephesians 2:1-10

Notes/Questions:-

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