



**OAKRIDGE
CHRISTIAN
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MISSION SUNDAY

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March 17th, 2024
9:30 a.m.

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

CALL TO WORSHIP

“Psalm 29:1-5, 9-11”

Tim Tam

¹ Ascribe to the Lord, you heavenly beings, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength. ² Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; worship the Lord in the splendor of his holiness. ³ The voice of the Lord is over the waters; the God of glory thunders, the Lord thunders over the mighty waters. ⁴ The voice of the Lord is powerful; the voice of the Lord is majestic. ⁵ The voice of the Lord breaks the cedars; the Lord breaks in pieces the cedars of Lebanon ... ⁹ The voice of the Lord twists the oaks and strips the forests bare. And in his temple all cry, “Glory!” ¹⁰ The Lord sits enthroned over the flood; the Lord is enthroned as King forever. ¹¹ The Lord gives strength to his people; the Lord blesses his people with peace.

SONG OF PRAISE

#291 “Thine Is the Glory”

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Tim Tam

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Tim Tam

SONG

#255 “Down at the Cross”

N.T. READING

“Matthew 25:31-46”

Grace Wong

³¹ “When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, he will sit on his glorious throne. ³² All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate the people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. ³³ He will put the sheep on his right and the goats on his left. ³⁴ “Then the King will say to those on his right, ‘Come, you who are blessed by my Father; take your inheritance, the kingdom prepared for you since the creation of the world. ³⁵ For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, ³⁶ I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.’ ³⁷ “Then the righteous will answer him, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? ³⁸ When did we see you a stranger and invite you in, or needing

clothes and clothe you? ³⁹ When did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?’ ⁴⁰ “The King will reply, ‘Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.’ ⁴¹ “Then he will say to those on his left, ‘Depart from me, you who are cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels. ⁴² For I was hungry and you gave me nothing to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, ⁴³ I was a stranger and you did not invite me in, I needed clothes and you did not clothe me, I was sick and in prison and you did not look after me.’ ⁴⁴ “They also will answer, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or needing clothes or sick or in prison, and did not help you?’ ⁴⁵ “He will reply, ‘Truly I tell you, whatever you did not do for one of the least of these, you did not do for me.’ ⁴⁶ “Then they will go away to eternal punishment, but the righteous to eternal life.”

“Luke 10:25-37”

Richard Wong

²⁵ On one occasion an expert in the law stood up to test Jesus. “Teacher,” he asked, “what must I do to inherit eternal life?” ²⁶ “What is written in the Law?” he replied. “How do you read it?” ²⁷ He answered, “‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind’; and, ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’” ²⁸ “You have answered correctly,” Jesus replied. “Do this and you will live.” ²⁹ But he wanted to justify himself, so he asked Jesus, “And who is my neighbor?” ³⁰ In reply Jesus said: “A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, when he was attacked by robbers. They stripped him of his clothes, beat him and went away, leaving him half dead. ³¹ A priest happened to be going down the same road, and when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. ³² So too, a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³ But a Samaritan, as he traveled, came where the man was; and when he saw him, he took pity on him. ³⁴ He went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he put the man on his own donkey, brought him to an inn and took care of him. ³⁵ The next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper. ‘Look after him,’ he said, ‘and when I return, I will reimburse you for any extra expense you may have.’ ³⁶ “Which of these three do you think was a neighbor to the man who fell into the

hands of robbers?”³⁷ The expert in the law replied, “The one who had mercy on him.” Jesus told him, “Go and do likewise.”

This is the WORD of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Dr. Hans Lin

“Go and do likewise...to one of the least of His”

COMMISSIONING FOR ALPHA VOLUNTEERS

SONG OF RESPONSE #458 “Take My Life, and Let It Be Consecrated”

OFFERING

SONG

#77 “Be Still My Soul”

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 6th to 27th we are hosting a Lenten support series on Wednesday nights from 7:00pm to 8:00pm in the 2nd floor lounge. All are invited.
4. Ada Con went home peacefully to our Father in Heaven on March 10th at 12:55p.m. Her funeral service will be held on Thursday, March 28th, 1:00 pm at Oceanview Funeral Home in Burnaby. The viewing is on Wednesday, March 27th, from 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm. Thank you for all your prayers and support!
5. There will be no Sunday School on March 17th & 24th. Classes will resume on Easter Sunday, March 31st with an Easter Party!
6. Session is meeting tomorrow evening to discuss transition processes and responsibilities when Rev. Wong retires at the end of June.
7. On Maundy Thursday March 28th there will be a potluck from 6:30pm to 7:30pm in the MRP room with a symbolic foot cleaning. (No nuts)
8. On Easter Sunday March 31st there will be an artistic sculpture done by inspiration from the scriptures Isaiah 25:6-9, Mark 16:1-8 and the sermon wedding by Jeanette Lee in collaboration with Jacqueline Cleland to show new ways to connect with Christ's Resurrection.

9. AGM will be held on Apr 7th at 10:45am at the church. Light refreshment will be provided. Please note that the communion will take place on Easter Sunday Mar 31st instead.
10. 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.
11. 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 7th at 7:30pm.
12. 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.
13. Pastor Morgan's Retirement Farewell Party will be held in Neptune Palace Seafood Restaurant at Marine Gateway on Saturday, June 8th from 5:00pm to 9:00pm. Ticket price: \$120 per person. Please contact Elder Garland Chow or Elder Diana Wong for purchase inquiry.
14. Doug Day Camp is being hosted by Richmond Presbyterian Church on April 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th 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/>
15. 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/>
16. 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 3rd to 7th in Brock University in Ontario. Registration is between April 15th to May 31st and more information is available on <https://presbyterian.ca/canadian-ministries/lift-2024/>.
17. Would you like to "Share Life" with your friends and family through Alpha? Please invite them to join our Alpha program from April 6th – June 29th on Saturdays at 6-8pm. Please also pray together for this ministry every Thursday 7:30–8:30pm by clicking the "Alpha Prayer Time" zoom link on our church website.
18. Please join us for a light snack immediately after OCM. The refreshment will be available in front of the kitchen next to the Multi Purpose rooms.

FELLOWSHIP & REFRESHMENT

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS:

PARTICIPANTS	TODAY (3/17)	NEXT SUNDAY (3/24)
Worship Leader	Tim Tam	Remy Fu
Speaker	Dr. Hans Lin	Rev. Dr. Ross Lockhart
Reader	Grace & Richard Wong	TBD
Music	Tim Tam & Remy Fu	TBD
Ushers	Athena Chu & Christina Wong*	Jimmy Yee* & Mary Yee
Offering Counters	Sue Yuen and Holly Siu	Sue Yuen and Holly Siu
Data Entry	Francine Shuen & Alice Wong	Alice Wong & Garland Chow
A/V	Jimmy Yee	Jimmy Yee

LAST SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES RECORD:

ENGLISH ATTENDANCE	CHINESE ATTENDANCE	TOTAL OFFERING
27	52	\$6,834.30

This Sunday Flower is donated by Arnold & Shirley Con.

SERMON NOTES

Title – Go and do likewise...to one of the least of His

Scripture – Matthew 25:31-46 & Luke 10:25-37

Notes/Questions:-

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