

Vancouver Chinese Evangelical Free Church January 14, 2024 - ESC Worship Service

Call to Worship

Worship in Song

Scripture Reading: Matthew 6:5-14

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon: "Learning to Pray" (Pastor Chris Lam)

Response in Song

Offering and Prayer for Offering

Doxology

Community Time and Announcement

- Welcome! If you're new to our worship service, welcome to our church! You are invited to stay for snacks and refreshment at the Fellowship Hall after today's service. If you like us to connect with you, please email us at hello@vcefc.org so that someone from the care team can reach out to you.
- We will be sending a short term mission team to Panama this Summer to help run an English Camp in support for the local churches. It is an overnight English youth camp that also focuses on the gospel. The English lessons will be VBS style, using Bible stories, songs and sharing of the gospel. The chance to improve one's language skills is the draw for many non-Christian parents and youths.

| Mission Dates (June 7-17) |   |
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| Camp Dates:               | Mon to Fri, June 10-14                              |
| On-site Training:         | Sat to Sun, Jun 8-9 (STMs to arrive by Fri, June 7) |
| Local Outreach Event:     | Sun, June 15  |

Application deadline: Mon, February 12, 2024.

If you are interested in joining the short term missions team, please contact Pastor Joe at <u>hello@vcefc.org</u>

More information is available at the church website: <u>https://vcefc.org/1033/wp-content/uploads/PanamaEC2024-Informational.pdf</u>

\* There will be a short information session for those who are interested on Sunday January 14 at <u>2pm</u> at the church's chapel.

- For those who are interested in getting baptize at our Easter service or for membership transfer, please contact Pastor Joe at hello@vcefc.org . Class will be starting soon.
- ESC Third Sunday Sunday, January 21 after Sunday school (12:45pm) Activity: Chinese Food Lunch and Dumpling Making at 1:45pm Cost: Lunch - \$10 for adults, free for children 12 and under.

Dumpling making - Free

Join us as we fellowship and experience God's love over lunch, sharing, and making dumplings together. Registration for the event will be in the fellowship hall

 Sunday school class: December - February: <u>The Book of Genesis</u> Genesis has been subjected to misinterpretation ever since Christianity shed its Jewish root within 200 years after Christ and is misused for polemical purposes against scientism. The objective of this course is to rediscover its pivotal place in the Bible—as the book of origins and the foundation of our understanding of human predication and the need for salvation.

## 11. Benediction:

## 1 Thessalonians 3:12-13

May the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, as we do for you, so that he may establish your hearts blameless in holiness before our God and Father, at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all his saints. - Amen