

## Vancouver Chinese Evangelical Free Church June 18th, 2023 - ESC Worship Service

Call to Worship

Worship in Song

Scripture Reading: Colossians 1:15-20

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon: "What My Indigenous Friends have Taught me about Christianity" (Pastor Jonathan Ng)

Response in Song

Offering and Prayer for Offering

Doxology

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.
- Our next ESC Gathering will be this afternoon, June 18th at 12:45-3:15. The objective of the meeting is for brothers and sisters to encourage one another spiritually by sharing the "psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs" that form them spiritually as per Col 3:16. They are invited to share how they are spiritually formed by the hymns/song of their choice. The format involves sharing the personal meaning of the chosen hymns and singing them together, if possible. The schedule:
  - 1. bring-your-own-lunch (12:45-1:30)
  - 2. hymns sharing (1:30-2:45)
  - 3. Refreshment (2:45-3:15)

Attendees are requested to send the titles of their hymns to Bessy Lau (copy to Hansel Wang) by June 15.

• "Summer Learning in Community" will start June 4th at 11:30 in the Fellowship Hall. This will be a course on prayer, using the Lord's Prayer as our guide. In this class, teacher and author Albert Mohler shows that although the pattern of prayer Jesus provides is few in words, it is massive in meaning. The Lord's Prayer reflects true theology and proper doxology and is a perfect guide for our prayer life. This course will be a series of video teachings, small group discussion and the practice of prayer facilitated by Pastor Joe.

Benediction:

Numbers 6:24-26

"(May) the LORD bless you and keep you; The LORD make His face shine upon you, And be gracious to you; The LORD lift up His countenance upon you, And give you peace. - Amen