

## News / Announcements

1. We thank **brother Noel Tse** for the message today. May God bless him and his family. Please pray for **Pastor Gabriel Lam**, our speaker for May 17<sup>th</sup>. May God lead him in preparing the sermon.
2. Our 2009 daily **Bible reading schedule** for next week (Sun-Sat) is: Songs 3 ~ 8; Acts 1.
3. We will have **church prayer meeting** on Wed (May 6<sup>th</sup>) 7:30pm at church office, the chairpersons: Linda Gu & Tianyu Feng. We will particularly pray for the campus ministries. Welcome you to come.
4. Because Pastor Paul is attending a marriage retreat this weekend, the **Holy Communion** in May will be postponed to next Sunday, and will be officiated by Rev. Jonathan Teo.
5. We will have **joint service on Mother's Day** (next Sunday), followed by potluck lunch. Please bring 1 or 2 of your favorite dish to church and join us.
6. Our church's children will be dancing for their mom on Mother's Day (May 10<sup>th</sup>) during the joint worship. To help their performance, we need volunteers including: stage setting up (6 people), videographer (1 person), and photographer (1 person). Please contact Sophia Lai or Rachel Wu if you are willing to help out.

## Prayer Items

1. Pray for the 5 couples who attend the "marriage enrichment retreat" in Cornwall this weekend: Allan & Kid, Tian Bo & Qu Shan, Ko-Yung & Kai Huei, Ian & Joyce, Pastor Paul & Sophia.
2. Please pray for the 4 couples who are attending the pre-marital class. May the Lord prepare the way of their marriage. Especially Pray for Robert Xiong and Maggie Wang, who will have the wedding ceremony on May 16<sup>th</sup> (Sat.) 1pm at All Saint's Church (317 Chapel. St.).
3. Please pray for the sisters who are pregnant: Lingzhen Dong, Echo Hong, Youwen Li.
4. Pray for our former senior pastor John Wong and his wife Irene, especially pray for Mrs. Wong's health. May God give her strength & heal the illness.



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## ENGLISH WORSHIP MAY 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2009

### 2009 Church Theme: Run for Jesus (Philippians 3: 14)

- + Run for gospel & witness
- + Run for deeper relationship with God
- + Run for our new building at East Gate site

#### The executive plans:

- + Each person reads one chapter of Bible everyday
- + Each family leads one person to Christ in 2009
- + Each cell group organizes one community outreach event in 2009
- + Each cell group participates in one short-term mission in 2009

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Call to Worship and Opening Prayer	Kevin Estabrooks
Singspiration:	Noel Tse
Offering	Kevin Estabrooks
Scripture Reading: Matthew 18 : 1 ~ 4	Kevin Estabrooks
Message: " A Lesson in Humility"	Noel Tse
Responsive Song	Noel Tse
Scripture Memorization: Matthew 18 : 4	Kevin Estabrooks
Welcome and Announcement	Kevin Estabrooks
Closing Prayer	Kevin Estabrooks

### May 17<sup>th</sup> Roster

Speaker: Pastor Gabriel Lam

Chairperson: Andy Statia

Song leader: Sophia Lai

## Scripture Reading

<sup>1</sup> At that time the disciples came to Jesus and asked, "Who is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven?" <sup>2</sup> He called a little child and had him stand among them. <sup>3</sup> And he said: "I tell you the truth, unless you change and become like little children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven. <sup>4</sup> Therefore, whoever humbles himself like this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

**Matthew 18 : 1 ~ 4**

## Scripture Memorization

At that time the disciples came to Jesus and asked, "Who is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven?"

**Matthew 18 : 4**

## Message Note

## Events

1. We will have **church mini-retreat** on May 9<sup>th</sup> (Sat.) 9:30am ~ 4:30pm at Brother David Pan's home in Gatineau. Our guest speakers are Rev. Jonathan & Ruth Teo. Please submit your registration form (available inside usher's box) & fee (\$5) to Paul Zhou by May 6<sup>th</sup>.
2. There will be a "**Career Choice & the will of God**" workshop at EACO (4 Thorncliff Pl.) on May 22<sup>nd</sup> (Fri) 7:30 ~ 9:00pm. The speaker is George Chu. Free admission.
3. There will be a **Joint Mission Conference** held on July 1<sup>st</sup> ~ 5<sup>th</sup> at St. Catherine (Brock University). Please contact Pastor Paul if you are interested, or check the website: [www.jmc2009.org](http://www.jmc2009.org) for details.