

24 May 2026, Week 21

Today's Message:

Practice Godliness, Live out Holiness

1 Peter 1: 13-16



Church Theme 2025-2027: Growing Communities, Moving for Christ

Order of Service

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THE YEAR OF OUR LORD

24 May 2026

Welcome	
Silent Prayer	
Prelude	
Silent Hymn	*The Lord is in His Holy Temple*
Call to Worship	*Psalm 103: 1-5, 22*
(Stand) Praise & Worship	
(Stand) Opening Prayer	
(Stand) The Nicene Creed	
Scripture Reading	*1 Peter 1: 13-16*
Sermon	*Practice Godliness, Live out Holiness*
(Stand) Responsive Hymn	*Holy God We Praise Thy Name (UMH 79)*
Offering	
(Stand) Offering Prayer & Hymn	*We Give Thee But Thine Own (HOP 425)*
Welcome & Announcement	
(Stand) Commissioning Hymn	*Only a Holy God (CityAlight)*
(Stand) Benediction	
(Stand) Fourfold Amen	
Postlude	

	24-May-2026	31-May-2026
Church Event	**Aldersgate Sunday**	**Co-Workers Camp + MYF Convention**
Notes		Youth Sunday (5th Sunday)
Call to Worship	Psalm 103: 1-5, 22	Psalm 104: 31-35
Sermon Title	Practise Godliness, Live Out Holiness	
Scripture Reading	1 Peter 1:13-16	
Preacher	Rev James Chin	Ps CHING Chze Pheng
Response Hymn	Holy God We Praise Thy Name (UMH 79)	
Closing Hymn	Only A Holy God (CityAlight)	
Liturgist	Hui Kung Lau	Samuel Wong
Worship Leader	Lydia Sim	Olivia Wong
Liturgy Pianist	Emily Wong	Winnie Wong / Zi Yao
Ushers	Jonny Lee & Lin Ling	TBC
Audio	Evan Yong	TBC
Live Stream (Camera)	Josephine Law	TBC
Slides Design & Control	Enoch Sim	TBC
Offering Counters	Kiw Nyuk Loong & Enoch Sim	Samuel Wong & Samuel Weng
Coffee	**Charlie, Weinie**	**Zavier, Carol**
Refreshments	**Betty Hii, Kuan Hui Tan, Grace Ding**	**Evergreen Fellowship**
Cleaning	TEAM A: Josephine, Wesley, Sean, Ivan, Jarron, Trinty, Jonathan, Clement, Annabelle, Tim, Thaddeus, Natania, Phoebe	English Fellowship

1. **Kitchen ministry. To place your pre-order, (Note: Church lunch is now on every 1st, 2nd and 4th Sunday)**

go to https://gcmc.nz/breakfast




2. Prayer items from Lay Ministry

(a) Pray for our LCEC members. That God will guide, protect and strengthen them to serve Him in various ministries. That the LCEC will serve in unity and function as one team.



(b) Pray for our church building fundraising. God will provide us with the fund to pay for the loan and the cost to upkeep the building. That we will use the church to worship, to train and develop leaders and to reach out to serve each other and the communities.

(c) Pray for each other to keep up with daily devotion and prayer. To build a strong relationship with each other and with God. To cherish what God has given us and to learn to love one another because God first loved us, while we were still sinners. Because we received God love freely we ought to love one another too.

(d) Pray for our pastors, God will watch over them and their family. He will protect them and provide all their needs. Grant them strength and wisdom to carry out their daily tasks of shepherding the church and guiding the various ministries.



3. Our **tithes and offerings** record for 17th May 2026

主日奉献 Offering	中文崇拜 Chinese Service:$ 257.7, 英文崇拜 English Service:$ 146, 儿主 Children Sunday School:$ 12.8, 外币 Forex:$, 银行转账 Online Transfer: $
十一奉献 Tithe	3:$50; 8:$200; 14:$100; 16:$350; 21:$100; 27:$200; 36:$400; 62:$310; 63:$150; 80:$961; 83:$160; 98:$272; 117:$100; 119:$10; 120:$237; 153:$18.64; 180:$190; 214:$130.31; 217:$1000; 224:$100; 156:$100; 162:$160; 112:$100; 105:$250; 226:$50; 231:$10;
建堂奉献 Church Build	3:$30; 16:$150; 25:$200; 38:$500; 50:$100; 55:$1300; 80:$420; 106:$50; 112:$100; 116:$15; 170:$20; 233:$100;
感恩/其他 Thanksgiving/General	64:$100; 100:$40;
新普利茅斯布道所 NPCMMC	58:$200;

	建堂	新普利茅斯布道所	总额
实收	$21,040.00	$1,800.00	$22,840.00

Online	$8,933.95
In Person	$516.50
Total	$9,450.45

<u>Bank Transfer</u>

Here are our account numbers for bank transfer:
Please provide as much detail as possible,

General Offerings: 12-3077-0658357-02
Church Building: 12-3077-0658357-50
English Fellowship: 12-3077-0658357-06

Donations $5 or more are eligible for tax rebates

REFERENCE: building or tithe, thanksgiving, etc.
CODE & PARTICULARS: your name or offering number

LCEC Directory (English Service)

Chair	Betty Hii (betty.hii@gcmc.nz)
Lay Leader	Hui Kung Lau (hk.lau@gcmc.nz)
Treasurer	Clement Tiong (clement.tiong@gcmc.nz)
Praise and Worship	Olivia Wong (olivia.wong@gcmc.nz)
Christian Education	Alice Hii (alice.hii@gcmc.nz)
Mission and Evangelism	Eliza Chin (eliza.chin@gcmc.nz)
Operation	Lydia Sim (lydia.sim@gcmc.nz)
Property	Andrew Liew (andrew.liew@gcmc.nz)
Media and Literature	Samuel Wong (samuel.wong@gcmc.nz)
Social Concern	Lih Reng Foo (lr.foo@gcmc.nz)
English Fellowship Chair	Chris Ing (chris@gcmc.nz)
Youth Fellowship Chair	Natania Ling (natania.ling@gcmc.nz)

5. Church Building Fundraising

HOW TO GET INVOLVED IN CHURCH BUILDING FUNDRAISING



You can support the new church's earthquake strengthening, renovation, and expansion work through financial donations (one-time or periodical donations).

PLEASE CLICK HERE FOR THE PLEDGE FORM

https://gcmc.nz/en/cb-pledge/

Creditors	Amount	Estimated Pay-Off Duration
Christian Savings (CS) Loan	$1.197 million	11 years
Christian Savings (CS) Loan	$188,000	13 years
Additions & Alterations (Balance Owing)	$490,000	5 years
Interest-Free Loan (GCMC Families)	$5,000	Due Dec 2026
Interest-Free Loan (GCMC Families)	$110,000	Due Dec 2027
Total	$1.99 million	

HOW YOU CAN PARTICIPATE

We encourage every member to prayerfully take part through one or more of the following:

- One-Off Gift
- Monthly Contributions
- Weekly Giving

6. Fellowship Events

Youth Fellowship: 29th May (Break. MYF Convention)

English Fellowship: 29th May (Break. Co-Workers Camp)

7. Ministry of Social Concerns Collection List

- Food: Non perishables (canned tuna, canned soups, canned vegetables, instant noodles)
- Toiletries
- Feminine hygiene products
- Clean winter clothing

MYF Fundraiser



2. DIRECT OFFERINGS ON 17TH & 24TH MAY

OPTION 1 (CASH OFFERINGS):

- PLACE IN ENVELOPE AT USHER'S DESK
- WRITE REFERENCE: "MYF"
- INCLUDE YOUR OFFERING NUMBER

OPTION 2 (BANK TRANSFER):

- TRANSFER TO YF BANK ACCOUNT
- USE REFERENCE: "MYF"
- INCLUDE YOUR OFFERING NUMBER

YF BANK ACCOUNT NUMBER: 12-3077-0658357-07

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9. New English Fellowship Committee

Chairperson: Chris Ing
Vice-Chairperson/Auditor: Grant Shew
Secretary: Emily Wong
Treasurer: Christina Sim
Steward Elect 1: Samuel Wong
Steward Elect 2: Lydia Sim
Bible Study Leader: Hui Kung Lau
Bible Study Facilitators: John Ng, Grace Ding, Grant Shew, & Winnie 师母



10. New Youth Fellowship Committee

Chairperson: Natania Ling
Vice-Chairperson/Auditor: Patrick Bong
Secretary: Carol Chai
Treasurer: Camerone Chin
Multimedia: Hilary Chin
Steward Elect: Elise Yong

Chinese Methodist Church in New Zealand (Annual Conference)

Bishop: Rev. Dr. Lai Liong CHAN Pastoral Advisor: Rev. Joel SIEW

Area	Church	Minister	Time	Location / Contacts
Auckland	Auckland Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Dr. Lai Liong Chan Rev. Philip Wong	10:00am(C) 10.00am(E)	12 Young Road, Mt Wellington, Auckland (09) 837-2002 acmc@xtra.co.nz
	North Shore Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Frederick Tang	2:00pm(C)	67 Eban Ave, Hillcrest, Auckland (021) 2946357 fredericktina@gmail.com
	Greenlane Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Aaron Sim Rev. James Chin	10.00am(C) 10.00am(E)	193 Campbell Road, Greenlane, Auckland (09) 832-6278 aaron.sim@gcmc.nz
Hamilton	Hamilton Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Hammond Ho	2:00pm(C)	120 Masters Avenue, Silverdale, Hamilton (07) 929-4053 pastor@hcmc.nz
	Hamilton Preaching Point		9:30am(C)	4 North City Road, Hamilton (07) 929-4053 pastor@hcmc.nz
Tauranga	Tauranga Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Ling Ai Hwong	2:00pm(C)	56 Chadwick Road, Greerton, Tauranga (07) 544-0024 eunicehwong@tcmc.org.nz
New Plymouth	New Plymouth Chinese Methodist Mission Centre	Ps. Allan Huang	2:30pm(C)	89 Liardet St, New Plymouth (022) 648-9768 npcmmc@gmail.com
Wellington	Wellington Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Simon Goh Ps. Patrick Li	10:30am(C) 10:30am(E)	4 Gordon Street, Avalon, Lower Hutt (029) 0434 5204 sgoh.wcmc@gmail.com
	Lower Hutt Methodist Mission Centre		2:00pm(C)	46-48 Boulcott St, Wellington (029) 0430 6007 sgoh.wcmc@gmail.com
Christchurch	Christchurch Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Dr. Adrain King Rev. Qing Ming Chen Rev. John Ling	10:00am(C) 10:00am(E)	165 Papanui Road, Merivale, Christchurch (03) 355-7728 admin@ccmc.nz
	Upper Riccarton Christchurch Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Qing Ming Chen	4:00pm(C)	3 Brake Street, Upper Riccarton (03) 355-7728 admin@ccmc.nz
Dunedin	Dunedin Chinese Methodist Church	Rev. Da Huang	10:00am(C)	58 Albany Street, Dunedin. (021) 172-5480 huangda1983@hotmail.com
Queenstown	Queenstown Methodist Mission Centre	Rev. Kwang Tau Yeo	*Every Saturday 7:00pm(C)	50 Mcbride Street, Frankton, Queenstown. (020) 470-8136 tau7038@gmail.com