

Today, **Elder Elizer Sacay**, Conference Vice President for Asian Pacific Ministries, is here to preach in our church. He will express appreciation on our behalf for Pastor and Mrs. Yuen's service in the past 10 years.

### **Today's offering is for our church's Combined Budget.**

➤ What is the difference between **Tithe** and **Freewill Offering**?

(1) God is the ultimate provider for His children. He is the reason we have food and clothes, a job to provide those things, and essentially life every single day. **Tithe** is the first 10% of your income that is recognition of everything God has given you.

(2) **Freewill or love offerings** are a reflection of how we feel we have been blessed. Showing God our appreciation for His love and goodness towards us by giving according to what we have been given. In the New Testament Christ laid down the principle of true stewardship—that our gifts to God should be in proportion to the light and privileges we have enjoyed. He said, "For everyone to whom much is given, from him much will be required; and to whom much has been committed, of him they will ask the more" (Luke 12:48).

### **CHURCH LIFE**

#### **1. TODAY**

- **9:00 a.m.** Welcome to join us for a **special prayer** time in the Sanctuary.
- **10:00 - 10:40 a.m.:** **Chinese Bible Study Class** for our new friends is held in the pastor's office.
- **12:30 p.m. Church Potluck:** All members and visitors are cordially invited to stay and join us for a wonderful meal.
- **Chinese New Year Celebration** will be held this evening at 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. Come and join the church family for an evening of fun, food and fellowship in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring your ticket with you! Also, do keep it with you till the end of the event to participate in the lucky draw. (All tickets are sold out).

#### **2. UPCOMING EVENTS**

- **Welcome to Ten Days of Prayer 2018!** Feb. 28 – Mar. 9, 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. in the Sanctuary. There will be no prayer meeting of Saturday evening.

We will examine the apparel of the Old Testament high priest to see what we can learn for our lives.

"Everything worn by the priest was to be whole and without blemish. By those beautiful official garments was represented the character of the great antitype, Jesus Christ. Nothing but perfection, in dress and attitude, in word and spirit, could be acceptable to God. He is holy, and His glory and perfection must be represented by the earthly service. Nothing but perfection could properly represent the sacredness of the heavenly service" (*DA*, p. 709).

Everything that the priest wore and did was intended to leave a certain impression upon the people: "Everything connected with the apparel and deportment of the priests was to be such as to impress the beholder with a sense of the holiness of God, the sacredness of His worship, and the purity required of those who came into His presence" (*PP*, p. 351).

During these days of prayer, we will discover some spiritual lessons symbolized by the priest's garments.

Please reserve these 10 days (Feb. 28 – Mar. 9) for special times of prayer and watch the hand of the Lord work powerfully in your life!

- The regular Wednesday evening prayer meetings on 2/28 and 3/7 will be canceled. They will resume on 3/14.
- We want to say a heart-felt "Thank You" to all the people who came last week to help cleaning the fellowship hall in preparation of the New Year celebration.



### **TODAY**

**Greeters:** Mr. & Mrs. Say Hean Khoo

**Kitchen Cleaning:**

English Sabbath School Members

### **NEXT SABBATH**

**Sermon:** Pastor Akira Chang

**Translator:** Jean Mataya

**Organist:** Elsie Chan

**Pastoral Prayer:** Mei-Yi Jiao

**Special Music:** Jia Lee

**Greeters:** Sam & Ellen Yung

**Kitchen Cleaning:**

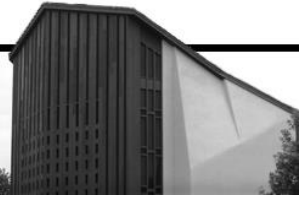
Chinese Sabbath School Members

### **SUNSET**

**Today:** 5:41 p.m.

**Next Friday:** 5:46 p.m.

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**Vision Statement**

United in Christ's Love,  
**We REACH UP**  
to God,  
**REACH OUT**  
to the communities  
and the world,  
and to  
**REACH ACROSS**  
to touch the lives of others.

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**Adult Sabbath School**

9:20 a.m. – 10:40 a.m.

Song Service Lucille, Joyce, Judy  
Welcome Lucille Li  
Prayer Joyce Wong  
Combined SS Lesson Study Pastor Akira Chang  
Translator Jean Mataya

**S.S. lesson online**

<http://absg.adventist.org/Standard.htm>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-Ro8NE0JBBU>

**Worship Service**

10:50 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Announcement Pastor Akira Chang  
Prelude Cora Coo  
Call to Worship Congregation

**# 495 Near to the Heart of God**

Worship in Music Joyce Lin & Connie Ung  
Opening Hymn Congregation

**# 7 The Lord in Zion Reigneth**

Opening Prayer Mani Lee  
Prayer Response Congregation

**# 684 Hear Our Prayer, O Lord**

Tithe & Offering Congregation  
Offertory Jasmine Luh, violinist

**The Holy City**

Special Music Jasmine Luh, violinist

**Hallelujah! What a Saviour**

*Arr. by Kristin Campbell*

Sermon Pastor Elizer Sacay

**Walking Where Jesus Walked**

Closing Hymn Congregation

**# 306 Draw Me Nearer**

Benediction Pastor Elizer Sacay  
Benediction Response Congregation

**# 690 Dismiss Us, Lord, With Blessings**

Translator Pastor Akira Chang  
Postlude Cora Coo