

MULTIPLYING FOLLOWERS OF JESUS

MATTHEW 28:18-20

2020.9.20



Chinese Evangelical Free Church of Los Angeles

SUNDAY WORSHIP



CALL TO WORSHIP & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rick Zuniga

WORSHIP IN SONG

Kento Sie and worship team

PASTORAL PRAYER

Rick Zuniga

SCRIPTURE READING: JONAH 2:1-10

MESSAGE (JONAH SERIES)

“Deliverance from Distress”

Ken Ly

SONG OF RESPONSE

Kento Sie and worship team

BENEDICTION

Ken Ly

CONDOLENCES

We are saddened by the unexpected passing of Raymond Wong on 9/16/2020. Please pray for the Lord's comforting presence and peace upon his mom, Stella during the journey through grief.

CHURCH REOPENING UPDATES

The Covid-19 Response Team (CRT) sees a need to postpone our English outdoor worship date (10/3) after further consideration of various factors, including the progress of helpers' readiness, Missions Conference preparation, and the possibility of LA County moving to a less-restrictive tier next month, allowing indoor worship. CRT believes that reopening after Missions Conference works best for all serving teams. It is a difficult decision indeed as we long to worship with you in person again soon. Thank you so much for your patience and understanding. Will keep you posted when we have a new reopening date. Covet your prayer.

J-CURVE SEMINAR: DYING & RISING WITH JESUS (Sat, Sept 26, 10:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.)

The apostle Paul traces a pattern in Jesus' life which, like the letter "J", goes down into death and then up into resurrection. This *J-Curve*[®] pattern is the shape of the normal Christian life—but it's not the shape most of us expect our lives to take. Cost is \$20 per person and \$5 for students. Sign up with Pastor Lily (lilychan@cefcla.org).

Payment options:

1. By check, pay to CEFCLA. Memo line: EM seminar. Send check to the church office, attention to Twiner.
2. By Paypal, go to CEFC website <http://web.cefc.org/en/offering/> . Put down EM seminar under note.

CHURCH COMMUNITY

NOMINATIONS FOR 2021 CHURCH BOARD POSITIONS

- (1) Four positions will be open for election this November: Community Concern Chair (2 year term), Evangelism Chair, Facility Chair and Fellowship Chair (2 year term)
- (2) If you are a CEFC member and would like to nominate a qualified CEFC member for one of these positions, please contact one of the Nomination Committee members (Hui Tam, Gina Li, Quyen Ngo, Tianmei Ren, Warren Yue, Pastor Fred Eng), or by email CEFCNomination@cefcla.org or call the Church Office.
- (3) During the nomination period (9/20 to 10/11) copies of the nomination package will be available from the Church Office or via email from the Nomination Committee. This package contains the nomination form, length of term, information about the process, description and qualifications for each position, and questions and answers regarding Board operations.

Please pray for the Lord to raise up leaders to serve in the Church Board.

2020 RE:NEW FAITH SEMINAR

Will be held this Friday (9/25) @7:30pm—9:30pm. This is an annual youth seminar organized by Presence Ministry. Topic this year: Strengthening our Spiritual Lives in the New Normal. Our own Pastor Ken and Pastor Christopher Spolar (Youth & Young Adult Pastor of CBMCLA) will share practical ways on how we can remain strong spiritually while staying safer at home. Our youth group will join the event. Find out more details at: <https://renewtheresponse.org/>

CANDIDATES FOR MEMBERSHIP TRANSFER

Mandarin: Jianping (Hanna) Yu, Chenggong (Caleb) Zhang. *[As stipulated in our church constitution, names of applicants shall appear in the bulletin for two consecutive Sundays and if there is no written objection, the applicants shall be received into membership].*

CHURCH COMMUNITY



KARATE CLASS DISCONTINUED

Upon prayerful review and dialogues with the Karate class teaching team, Community Concern Committee (CCC) and the church leadership had decided to discontinue the class which had been taking place at CEFC for years. The decision is based on the health and safety of the church patrons at CEFC, especially in this unforeseeable pandemic period. We greatly appreciate the dedication of the class teaching team headed by James Tung for all these years. Pray that the seeds of the gospel planted through the class will grow and bear fruit in God's timing. For questions, please contact Pastor Suixiong Pan at suixiongpan@cefcla.org.

ON MISSION

with *Jesus*

2020 MISSIONS CONFERENCE

October 11.18. 25.

“DOWNWARD MOBILITY”

Let's prepare our hearts through prayer. Pray for

- All adult worship speakers as they prepare and pre-record their message.
- All adult workshop preparation. Besides workshops prepared by the speakers, there will be two workshops offered respectively by Dr. James Lau (CM live on 10/18) and Pastor Stephen Chandra (EM pre-recorded).

EM Speakers

Dr. Rob, Radius International

Michael Wong, Open Doors USA

Rev. Henry Tan, Campus Crusade for Christ International

CM & MM Speakers

Pastor Stephen Tang, Friends of Grace

Rev. Chu, missionary

Elder Daniel Wong, Luke Services International

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OUR MISSION

We glorify God by spreading the Gospel through words, deeds and relationships transformed by the Gospel – from ourselves, to our families, our city and the ends of the earth.

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