

Please pray:

- ✿ Political situation in Canada and Quebec according to 1Ti 2:1-4: I exhort therefore, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercessions, thanksgivings be made on behalf of all men; on behalf of kings and all who are in high position, that we may lead a quiet and tranquil life in all godliness and gravity. This is good and acceptable in the sight of our Saviour God, who desires all men to be saved and to come to the full knowledge of the truth.
- ✿ University Bible studies: that many of our students would attend campus Bible studies at McGill, Concordia and École de technologie supérieure (ÉTS) to feed on His word together each week; that many new ones would also attend, including French-speaking students at ÉTS.
- ✿ Canada Elders and Responsible Brothers Conference, October 23-25, Montreal: that the Lord would gather brothers from throughout Canada open His heart's desire to them concerning how the churches should cooperate with each other to carry out His leading; for the spread of the testimony of His recovery to many key cities in Canada; that many homes in Montreal may be open to receive the blessing of the blending with the visiting brothers.
- ✿ Europe: for the radio broadcasts in the UK, Sweden, and Spain and the continuing distribution of the New Testament Recovery Version and other free ministry publications in all the European languages; for the shepherding of the seeking ones and their entering into the church life.
- ✿ Pray for various local needs, including saints in Montreal, contacts, and those in need of care and shepherding.

Weekly Readings

- ✿ Holy Bible Recovery Version with footnotes: Zech 1:1 – 9:17
- ✿ HWMR: Crystallization-Study Of Exodus, week 6
- ✿ Life-Study of Ephesians: Messages 25

Announcements

- ✿ Sister Marta M. in Toronto passed away on Monday October 5. Please pray for her family. A memorial meeting will be held on Saturday October 17 at 2 PM in the Toronto meeting hall. All saints are invited.
- ✿ We need saints to open their homes to offer hospitality for the upcoming Canada brothers meeting here in Montreal from October 23-25. This will be for serving brothers coming from all over Canada. If you are able to provide hospitality, please inform the responsible brothers in your

- district. It will be for 2 nights (Friday and Saturday) along with 2 breakfast (Saturday and Lord's Day).
- ✿ The new fire alarm system has been installed. There will be a fire drill one day to go over the evacuation procedures for each area of the hall. Please pray for the Lord to provide for the full payment for the system.
- ✿ Please note that the hymnals at the entrance of the main hall are for visitors to use. Any saint who meets regularly who needs a hymn book should please purchase one from the bookroom, or have some fellowship to help obtain a permanent one.
- ✿ The Fall Young People's Retreat will be held on November 13-15, 2015 at Upper Canada Camp. The cost is \$120 per person. However, the church will subsidize \$30 for each person registered to bring the cost down to \$90 per person plus transportation cost. Please sign up with Aaron Chao.
- ✿ Please sign up in the bookroom for the 2016 Chinese Gospel Calendar. Deadline to sign up is Oct. 25, 2015.

Lord's Day Lunch Serving and Clean-up Schedule

October	✿ Serving: English B
11	✿ Cleaning: East + South
18	✿ Serving: East Chinese ✿ Cleaning: Whole meeting hall cleaning
25	✿ Serving: West Chinese ✿ Cleaning: North + West
November	✿ Serving: North Chinese
1	✿ Cleaning: Central

Upcoming Events

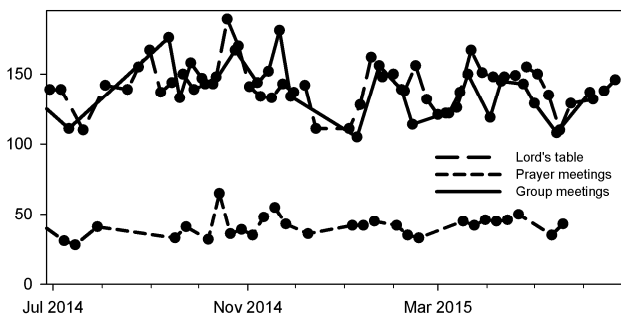
- ✿ Oct. 23-25, Montreal: **Canada Brothers Meeting**
- ✿ Oct. 30-Nov. 1, Antigua, West Indies: **Annual International Conference**
- ✿ Nov. 26-29, Jacksonville, USA: **International Thanksgiving Conference**
- ✿ Dec. 21-26, Anaheim, USA: **Winter Training**
More events are listed on the church website

This Week's Activities

11	✿ 10am – 12:15pm: Lord's table and prophesying meeting
OCTOBER	
LORD'S DAY	✿ 12:15pm – 1:30pm: Love feast
12	✿
Monday	
13	✿ 7:30-9:00pm: Chinese / West English prayer meetings by districts
Tuesday	
14	✿ 7:30pm-9:00pm: Central English/French prayer meeting
Wednesday	

15 Thursday	☼	
16 Friday	☼	Various home meetings (English / French / Chinese)
17 Saturday	☼	10am: Meeting Hall outdoor maintenance - grass cutting, and landscaping
18 OCTOBER LORD'S DAY	☼	10am – 12:15pm: Lord's table and prophesying meeting 12:15pm – 1:30pm: Love feast

Attendance Statistics



Witnessing

Scripture Reading: Acts 9:19-21; 22:15; 1 John 4:14; John 1:40-45; 4:29; Mark 5:19

III. THE IMPORTANCE OF WITNESSING

.I D. Experiencing the Misery of Eternal Separation

Many people have not heard the gospel because you have not yet testified to them. The consequence of this is eternal separation; it is not merely temporal parting. This is too crucial. A brother was once invited to another person's home for dinner. As he was very learned and eloquent, he spoke quite much on intellectual subjects. Another elderly friend who lived nearby was also present at the dinner. Since both were very intellectual, they talked for a long time. It was getting late, and the host invited them to stay overnight. The elderly friend's room was directly opposite to this brother's room. Not long after they retired to their rooms, the brother heard the sound of something falling to the floor. When he went to the other room, he saw the friend lying on the floor, dead. Other people started rushing into the room. The brother said sadly, "If I had known that this was going to happen, I would not have spoken what I

spoke two hours ago! I would have pointed out eternal matters. I did not spend even five minutes speaking to him about salvation. I did not give him an opportunity. If I knew what I now know, I would have tried my best to tell him about the Lord's crucifixion for him. But it is too late! If I had told him these words at dinner time, you would have laughed at me for speaking at an inopportune time. But it is too late for him. I hope that you will listen now. Every person needs to believe in the Lord Jesus and in His cross!" There is an eternal separation; this separation is not just temporary. What a tragedy! Once the opportunity is gone, a man will be eternally barred from heaven! We must seek out every opportunity to testify to others.

D. L. Moody was very good at leading men to salvation. He once made up his mind to preach the gospel to at least one person a day, whether or not he was giving a message on that day. One day he went to bed, and then he remembered that he had not preached the gospel to anyone yet. What should he do? He changed his clothes and went out again to look for someone he could speak to. It was already midnight when he looked at his watch; the streets were empty. Where could he find anyone at such an hour? The only person he could speak to was a policeman who was on duty: "You must believe in the Lord." The policeman was in a bad mood over something at that moment, and he scolded Moody angrily, saying, "Do you not have something better to do than persuade me to believe in Jesus in the middle of the night?" Moody went home after sharing a brief word with him. But the policeman was touched by Moody's word. A few days later he visited Moody and was saved.

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