

Please pray:

- ✿ Video training in Montreal, December 22 to January 12.
- ✿ GTCA 2016 in Canada, Jan 26 to Feb 6: for the 2016 GTCA move, in Laval, QC, Mississauga, ON and Abbotsford, BC; that many FTTA trainees and surrounding churches would rise up to meet the need during the two-week Winter distribution; that many may respond to the Bibles and literature given out, that many unbelievers will get saved and much remaining fruit will result from this move.
- ✿ Middle Eastern migrants in Europe and North America: the Lord's continued leading concerning how the churches should respond; the FTTA gospel trip in January and February; the free mass distribution of care packages and literature; the shepherding of the seeking ones; the release and participation of brothers and sisters with an adequate knowledge of the truth and a proficiency in the Arabic and Farsi languages; the salvation and gaining of the Lord's chosen ones, especially the useful ones and the young ones; the Lord's protection of His present move from the attack of the evil one, Satan.
- ✿ 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: Matt 8:23 – 10:42
- ✿ HWMR: The Main Contents of the Lord's Recovery, week 5
- ✿ Life-Study of Ephesians: Messages 36

Announcements

- ✿ Recently, we began a new cleaning schedule with designated responsible ones in each group. Please see the clean-up section of the newsletter for the new grouping and new schedule.
- ✿ The bookroom and library need the inventory done for the end of the year. Any saints available to help can come, Jan. 2, 2016 at 1 pm, to the bookroom.
- ✿ We will begin the new HWMR subscription starting in January once we are done with the current HWMR. The price is \$60. The responsible ones for the HWMR in each group will record all those who want to renew or be added to the subscription. We encourage all saints to sign up so we know how many books we need and in what language.
- ✿ Schedule for English and French Winter Video Training:
 - Tue Dec 22, 29 - 7:30 pm - Messages 1, 7 (prayer meeting at 7 pm)

- Thu Dec 24, 31 - 7 pm - Messages 2, 8
 - Fri Dec 25, Jan 1 – 4 pm and 7 pm - Messages 3,4 and 9, 10
 - Sat Dec 26, Jan 2 - 7 pm - Messages 5, 11
 - Lord's day Dec 27, Jan 3 - 11 am - Messages 6,12
- There will be a study time in the mornings of
- Fri Dec 25, Jan 1 – 9 am
 - Sat Dec 26, Jan 2 – 9 am
- ✿ Schedule for Chinese Winter Video Training:
 - Saturdays: Jan 2 and 9,
2:30pm-4:00pm message 1,7
 - 4:30pm-6:00pm message 2, 8
 - 7:00pm-9:00pm message 3, 9
 - Sundays: Jan 3 and 10
11:00am-12:30pm message 4,10
 - 1:45pm-3:15pm message 5,11
 - Tuesdays: Jan 5 and 12
7:30pm-8:00pm prayer meeting
 - 8:00pm-9:30pm message 6,12

Lord's Day Lunch Serving and Clean-up Schedule

December 27	✿ Serving: East Chinese ✿ Cleaning: Chinese North and Chinese Central 1 (Jun responsible)
January 3	✿ Serving: Chinese North ✿ Cleaning: Chinese East (Xie, Guorong responsible)
10	✿ Serving: Chinese South A ✿ Cleaning: Chinese South (Xuecheng, Shishan responsible)
17	✿ Serving: English A ✿ Cleaning: Chinese Central 2 and Chinese Central 3 (Qiang, Wenxiong responsible)

Upcoming Events

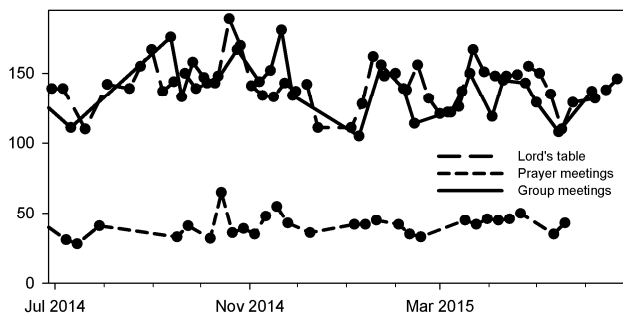
- ✿ Dec. 22–Jan. 3, Meeting hall: **English/French Video Training**
- ✿ Jan 2-12, Meeting hall: **Chinese Video Training**
- ✿ Feb 12-14, Anaheim, USA: **International Chinese-speaking Conference**
The church website lists more events

This Week's Activities

27	✿ 10am – 11am: Lord's table and prophesying meeting
DECEMBER LORD'S DAY	✿ 11am – 12:15pm: English/French video training, message 6
	✿ 12:15pm – 1:30pm: Love feast

28 Monday	✻
29 Tuesday	✻ 7pm: English/French prayer meeting ✻ 7:30pm: English/French video training, message 7 ✻ 7:30-9:00pm: Chinese prayer meetings by districts
30 Wednesday	✻ 7:30pm-9:00pm: Central English/French prayer meeting
31 Thursday	✻ 7pm: English/French video training, message 8
1 JANUARY Friday	✻ 4pm: English/French video training, message 9, 10 ✻ Various home meetings (English / French / Chinese)
2 Saturday	✻ 7pm: English/French video training, message 11
3 JANUARY LORD'S DAY	✻ 10am – 11am: Lord's table and prophesying meeting ✻ 11am – 12:15pm: English/French video training, message 6 ✻ 12:15pm – 1:30pm: Love feast

Attendance Statistics



Leading men to Christ

Scripture Reading: Rom. 1:16; 10:14; 1 Tim. 2:1, 4; Mark 16:15

II. GOING TO MAN ON GOD'S BEHALF (continued)

C. Being Sincere in Attitude

Do not delve into many teachings. Try to speak more facts. At the same time, be sincere in attitude. Saving a man's soul is not a light matter. I once saw a person who wanted to lead others to the Lord. He was willing to pray, but his attitude was wrong. He joked around as he spoke about the Lord. Whatever spiritual power he might have had was lost through his jokes. As a result, he could not lead anyone to the Lord.

One has to be very sincere in his attitude. He must not be flippant or funny in his attitude. He has to let others see that this is the most serious matter in the whole world.

D. Praying for the Opportunity to Speak

You also need to pray unceasingly for God to provide you with the right opportunity to speak. When you pray, God will give you the opportunity.

One sister gathered a group of women together once a week and led them in a Bible study. The women all worked in the same company, and none of them believed in the Lord. One of them was very particular about her dress. She was very proud and would not listen to anything the sister said. The sister took notice of her and prayed for her. She asked God to give her the opportunity to speak to the woman. One day she felt a desire to invite the woman over for tea. Since this woman loved to socialize, she accepted the invitation. When she came, the sister encouraged her to believe in the Lord. She replied, "I cannot believe. I like to gamble, and I love pleasure. I do not want to lose these things. I cannot believe in Jesus." The sister said, "If a person wants to believe in the Lord Jesus, she has to stop gambling. Anyone who wants to believe in the Lord Jesus must give up vainglory. You have to give up these things if you want to believe in the Lord Jesus." The woman said, "The price is too high. I cannot afford it." The sister said, "I hope you will go back and consider it." After she said this, she continued to pray for her. The woman returned home and knelt down to pray. After she prayed, she suddenly said, "I have decided to follow the Lord Jesus today." She changed suddenly. She could not explain it, but her heart just turned. She changed her attire; she no longer dressed the same as before. Wonderful things followed one after another. Within a year many of her colleagues were brought to the Lord one by one.

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