

## Please pray:

- ✿ College Training, Amherst, USA, July 17-23
- ✿ Russia: that despite the new anti-terrorism law that severely restricts religious activity, the saints and churches might be strengthened and enabled to live Christ and proclaim the New Testament economy to all the Russians; that the gates of Hades might not prevail against the built-up churches in Russia.
- ✿ Kitchener and Guelph: that the saints would be burdened for the spread of the gospel; that they would pursue the truth and a life of prayer; that the newly purchased meeting hall and property might be useful for the practical building up of church; for the financial provision to fully pay for the purchase.
- ✿ GTCA Laval: that key homes would be gained in Laval for the Lord's testimony; that saints in Montreal would be burdened to continue shepherding the contacts; for remaining fruit for the practical building up of the Body of Christ.
- ✿ Middle Eastern migrants in Europe: gospel trips in Germany from January to July; grace to the churches in Germany, including saints who are migrating there for this burden; the free mass distribution of care packages and literature; the shepherding of the seeking ones; the 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, both native Germans and Middle Eastern migrants, and their continued shepherding so that they may be remaining fruit for the churches; the Lord's protection of His present move from the attack of the evil one; the financial provision for this move.
- ✿ 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: Lev 23:1 – 26:46 (see website for daily schedule)
- ✿ HWMR: The Crucial Points of the Major Items of the Lord's Recovery Today, week 3
- ✿ Life-Study of Ephesians: Messages 65

## Announcements

- ✿ There will be a gospel/bible distribution trip to Halifax leaving Montreal on July 28 and returning on August 2. The cost is estimated at \$600 per person. This includes accommodations as well as visits to some of the local sites and activities and some of the meals. This

does not include transportation. Anyone interested in joining this trip, please inform brother Martin or sister Monica as soon as possible.

- ✿ This year's Summer School of Truth on Lesson 6—The Bible will be held from August 7–12 at Upper Canada Camp. The registration deadline is July 17. The cost is \$280 per person; this fee is non-refundable after July 24. There will be a fellowship with the parents of the young people next Lord's Day, June 26 regarding the Summer School of Truth.

## Lord's Day Lunch Serving and Clean-up Schedule

<b>July 17</b>	✿ Serving: Chinese south (A) ✿ Cleaning: French: (Chitu, Achille, Allan responsible)
<b>24</b>	✿ Serving: English (A) ✿ Cleaning: All groups
<b>31</b>	✿ Serving: English (B) ✿ Cleaning: English West, Chinese West and Young People (John Y., Boy, Aaron Cha. responsible)
<b>August 7</b>	✿ Serving: Chinese Central (1) ✿ Cleaning: Chinese North and Chinese Central 1 (Jun, Gerry Chan responsible)

## Upcoming Events

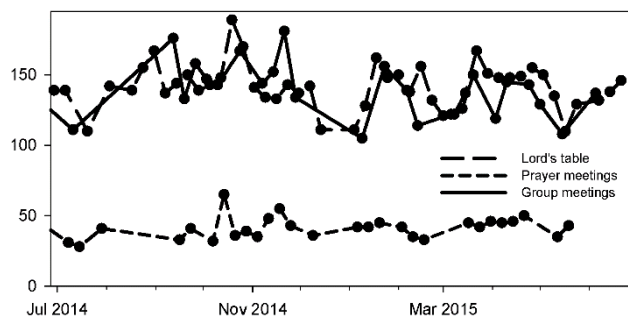
- ✿ Jul 17-23 Amherst, USA: **Eastern College Training**
- ✿ Aug 7-12 Upper Canada Camp, ON: **Eastern Canada Summer School of Truth**
- ✿ Aug 19-21, Meeting Hall: **Local perfecting training**  
*The church website lists more events*

## This Week's Activities

<b>17 JULY LORD'S DAY</b>	✿ 10am – 12:15pm: Lord's table and prophesying meeting ✿ 12:15pm – 1:30pm: Love feast
<b>18 Monday</b>	✿
<b>19 Tuesday</b>	✿ 5:30pm – 9pm, Meeting hall: Summer Video Training, Msg 1, 12 ✿ 7:30-9:00pm: Chinese prayer meetings by districts
<b>20 Wednesday</b>	✿ 7:30pm-9:00pm: Central English/French prayer meeting
<b>21 Thursday</b>	✿ 7:30pm, Meeting hall: Mini-conference with David W.

<b>22</b> <b>Friday</b>	☼ 6:30pm, Meeting hall: Dinner ☼ 7:30pm – 9pm, Meeting hall: Mini-conference with David W.
<b>23</b> <b>Saturday</b>	☼
<b>24</b> <b>JULY</b> <b>LORD'S DAY</b>	☼ 10am – 12:15pm: Lord's table and prophesying meeting ☼ 12:15pm – 1:30pm: Love feast

## Attendance Statistics



## CONFESSION WITH THE MOUTH

**Scripture Reading:** Rom. 10:10; Prov. 29:25; Matt. 10:32-33

### I. THE IMPORTANCE OF CONFESSING WITH THE MOUTH

#### B. Confession with the Mouth unto Salvation

Every new believer must look for opportunities to confess the Lord. Among our classmates, colleagues, friends, relatives, and all those who come into contact with us, as soon as an opportunity arises, we should say to them, "I have believed in the Lord Jesus." The sooner we open our mouth, the better it is. Once we open our mouth, others will immediately know that we have believed in the Lord Jesus. In this way, we will be delivered from the company of unbelievers.

We have seen some people who hesitated in their acceptance of the Lord, but once they stood up and proclaimed, "I believe in Jesus," they became sure. The worst thing that can happen to a Christian is for him to keep his mouth shut. Once he speaks, he takes a firm step forward and becomes secure. Many believers hesitate initially, but as soon as they say, "I believe," they become certain.

#### C. Confession Saving Much Trouble

There is great profit when one confesses with his mouth after he has believed in his heart. It saves him much trouble in the future.

Suppose you do not open your mouth and say, "I have decided to follow the Lord Jesus; I am His now." Others will still consider you the same as they. When they sin or indulge in lustful things, they will consider you to be one of them. In your heart you realize that you are a Christian and that it is wrong for you to be among them. But you cannot reject them, because you want to please them. You may come up with an excuse to turn them down. But the next time they will still drag you along, and you will have to think of another excuse to refuse them. You may come up with excuses once or twice, but the pressure will always come back. So why not put the signboard out from the very first day and confess that you are a believer? You only need to confess once or twice, and others will give up trying to persuade you.

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