

Please pray:

- ✳ Semiannual Training (December 2020): May the Lord grant us a disposed and soft heart to be trained by Him; may the Lord grant us ears to hear His up to date speaking; may the Lord use this training to speak and advance in His churches; may the Lord gain what He is after in this training.
- ✳ COVID-19 pandemic around the globe: Pray that the Lord will cover all His interests, including the churches and the saints; that the speaking of the ministry will continue in the conferences and trainings; that the saints will continue to meet and minister Christ to build up the Body; and that the white horse of the gospel will ride on victoriously.
- ✳ Pray that the saints would become endeavoring in fruit-bearing, redeeming their time by getting companions, praying for their relatives and acquaintances, writing to them, making appointments, and going to visit them (John 15:16; Luke 10:1-2; 19:5-6, 9-10).
- ✳ Let us not forget petitioning the Lord concerning the saints in southwestern Ontario (mostly from the Mennonite background). They are still pursuing the Lord and love the ministry of the Word. As their places of dwelling are spread across many small towns, let us pray that the Lord will open to us the most central places whereby these saints and their families can gather to have a proper church life – these potential new localities are for the gospel to be preached to those who seek the Lord and know His Word.
- ✳ 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: John 2:23 – 4:54
- ✳ HWMR: Crystallization-Study of Deuteronomy, week 9

Announcements

- ✳ Today, both seniors' and juniors' **Children's Meeting** will be held via Zoom from 11:00AM-11:45AM
- ✳ The 2021 HWMR subscription is now open. The cost will be \$70 for the annual subscription. Please sign up with your district serving ones and pay the \$70 subscription to them directly by Jan. 2.
- ✳ We will have the French prayer meeting on the first and the 3rd Saturday of the month at 4:00 p.m.
- ✳ All church meetings continue to take place online/via conference calls. These include the following: **Lord's Table Meeting** - Will be conducted online or via conference calls by the following districts/groups:
 1. English Central/NDG/West - Dennis L. host
 2. French - Allan Y. host

3. Chinese East 1, 2 & 3 & Central 1 & 3 - Aaron C./John Y. host
4. Chinese South - William L./John C. host
5. Chinese West & North - John Ya. Host

Prayer meeting - By districts/groups

Group meetings - By districts/groups

- ✳ The 2020 December Semiannual Training is starting on Monday at 7:30pm Eng/Fr. For those who have not yet paid, please pay right away.

December 2020 Semiannual Video Training (English/Français)

M	Tu	W	Th	F	S	Lord's
Msg 1	Msg 2-3	Msg 4-5	Msg 6-7		Msg 8-9	Msg 10
Dec 21, 7:30pm	Dec 22, 5pm, 7:30pm	Dec 23, 5pm, 7:30pm	Dec 24, 5pm, 7:30pm		Dec 26, 10am, 1pm	Dec 27, 1:30pm
Msg 11	Msg 12					
Dec 28, 7:30pm	Dec 29, 7:30pm					

Study Schedule (English/Français)

M	Tu	W	Th	F	S	Lord's
	Msg 1	Msg 2-3	Msg 4-5	Msg 6-7		
	Dec 22, 9am – 10:30am	Dec 23, 9am – 10:30am	Dec 24, 9am – 10:30am	Dec 25, 9am – 10:30am		
Msg 8-9	Msg 10					
Dec 28, 9am-12pm	Dec 29, 9am – 10:30am					

Upcoming Events

- ✳ Dec 21-25, Anaheim: **Semi-annual Training**
 - ✳ February 13-14, 2021, Online: **2021 International Chinese Speaking Conference**
- The church website lists more events*

This Week's Activities

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| 20 December LORD'S DAY | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✳ 10am-12pm: Lord's Table & Prophesying meetings via Zoom Meeting ✳ 11am-11:45am: Grade 3-6 children (Seniors) via Zoom ✳ 1:30pm-2:15pm: Grade 2 children and down (Juniors) via Zoom |
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21 Monday	☼ 7:30pm: Semiannual Training , Msg 1
22 Tuesday	☼ 5pm: Semiannual Training , Msg 2 ☼ 7:30pm: Semiannual Training , Msg 3
23 Wednesday	☼ 5pm: Semiannual Training , Msg 4 ☼ 7:30pm: Semiannual Training , Msg 5
24 Thursday	☼ 5pm: Semiannual Training , Msg 6 ☼ 7:30pm: Semiannual Training , Msg 7
25 Friday	☼ 6:30-9:00pm: Various Home Meetings (English/French/Chinese) via Zoom
26 Saturday	☼ 10am: Semiannual Training , Msg 8 ☼ 1pm: Semiannual Training , Msg 9
27 December LORD'S DAY	☼ 10am-12pm: Lord's Table & Prophesying meetings via Zoom Meeting ☼ 11am-11:45am: Children Meeting (seniors & juniors) via Zoom ☼ 1:30pm: Semiannual Training , Msg 10

CONSECRATION

Scripture Reading: Exo. 28:1-2, 40-41; 29:1-25; Lev. 8:14-28; Rom. 6:13, 16, 19; 12:1; 1 Cor. 6:19-20; 2 Cor. 5:14-15

IV. THE WAY OF CONSECRATION (continued)

C. The Offering of Consecration

1. The Sprinkling of the Blood

After the first ram was slain, the second ram followed. What was done with the second ram after it was slain? The first thing that was done was the putting of blood upon the tip of the right ear of Aaron and his sons, upon the thumb of their right hand, and upon the big toe of their right foot. This means that since God has accepted us in Christ, we should acknowledge the blood's separation of our ears, hands, and feet fully unto God. We should declare that our ears, hands, and feet are fully God's. Because of redemption, our ears, which were made for hearing, should now hear for God; our hands, which were made for working, should now work for God. Our legs, which were made for walking, should now walk for God. We apply the blood upon the tip of our right ear, the thumb of our right hand, and the big toe of our right foot. This means that our ears, hands, and feet have all been purchased by the Lord. We should say to the Lord, "Because of Your redemption, Lord, from this day forward, I will no longer consider my two ears to be my own, or my two hands and my two feet to be my own. Because You have redeemed me, Lord, my entire being will henceforth belong to You; it is no longer mine."

Blood is the mark of possession. It is also the symbol of love. Both the "price" spoken of in 1 Corinthians 6 and the "love" spoken of in 2 Corinthians 5 refer to this blood. Because there is blood, love, and possession, our entire being is not our own. The Lord has shed His blood, and we must acknowledge the rightful claim of this blood upon us. Because the Lord loves us, we will confess that our entire being belongs to Him alone.

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