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# AIC CORE VALUES

**Glorifying God** Above all else, everything we do is for the glory of God. (Romans 11:33-12:2)

# Prayerful dependence

We will look to God for His perspective, His direction, and His enabling at all times and for all things. (Philippians 4:6-7)

# **Biblical teaching**

Relevant Biblical teaching can transform, change, and inspire us to live obedient lives. (Joshua 1:8; Hebrews 4:12)

# **Reaching lost people**

Understanding God values all people, we will seek to fulfill the Great Commission by participating in sharing the good news at home, in our city, and around the world. (Luke 19:10; II Corinthians 5:20; Matthew 28:19-20)

### **Authentic Community**

We desire biblical fellowship by building community through loving and gracefilled relationships. This is where we learn and practice what it means to live out our calling to be disciples. (John 13:34-35; Acts 2:42-47)

## Sacrificial living

We will embrace the vision of our local church by serving, utilizing our spiritual gifting, and giving in a generous and faithful manner.
 (II Corinthians 8:1-5; I Corinthians 12:1-31; John 13:1-17; Romans 12:1)

## Faith-filled living

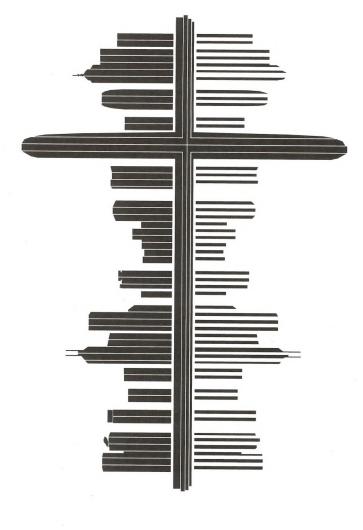
God calls us to take continual steps of faith which often involves change. (Hebrews 11:6)



Glorifying God by Loving Christ, Loving One Another & Reaching the World

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# ALLIANCE International Church





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#### Covid-19 Update...

The recent virus situation in Hong Kong requires that we suspend all in-person meetings at AIC. All services, classes and groups will only meet online.

The Sunday worship will be available live at 10:45am. Links for the service are available at our website and Facebook page. The services will be archived at https://www.aic.org.hk/sermons to view any time after the service closes. Sermon notes, discussion questions, and bulletin announcements are also available at https://www.aic.org.hk/sermons.

As you have a prayer need or want to contact the church about a concern or need please contact one of the pastors or send a message to info@aic.org.hk.

Please be aware that there are many other ministry options available online. Below is a list of the ministries and an email link you can use to find out more.

Children's ministry (twinky@aic.org.hk)

• Youth ministry (doug@aic.org.hk)

• Filipino ministry (dorie@aic.org.hk)

- Community groups, Wednesday evening prayer meeting and adult discipleship classes (stan(@aic.org.hk))

#### Backstage Report – It takes all hands to build our house





A magical make over! Neat, tidy, more storage. Guess! Who's behind the scenes?

#### Do you have a reading plan in 2021?

Check out Right Now Media for some Media Reading Plans and Devotionals:

The Bible - Jody Jesperin - https://www.rightnowmedia.org/Content/Series/392092 Basics of Studying the Bible - Mark Beuving https://www.rightnowmedia.org/Content/Series/365809 Survey of the Bible - Bruce Wilkinson https://www.rightnowmedia.org/Content/Series/36805?episode=1 Clarifying the Bible - Mitch Maher - https://www.rightnowmedia.org/Content/Series/269498

## **ONLINE NEW TESTAMENT SURVEY - BY CHANTY**

Seeking social and spiritual nourishment?

Have trouble weaving through the New Testament? New Testament Survey class begins at 9:30 a.m. every Sunday. The class learns the political and historical background of NT. Starting with reliability of NT & Inter-Testamental period, we will study the Life of Christ (Gospels), Birth and Spread of the Church (Acts) and Epistles in their Context. At the end of the series you would be able to comprehend the overview of NT and know the chronology of the 27 books along with the context, content and concepts.

PRAISE & PRAYER NIGHT Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. When we pray with other people, we can bear one another's needs and grow in spiritual strength. Please plan ahead to make time to join us. You can come and go as your schedule allows. Meeting ID: 7561865352

#### Obituary

## Good Bye... In Loving Remembrance of Dr Edmund Chenng

Our father, Dr. Edmund Cheung, passed away peacefully on the 31st December, 2020. As some of you may already know, Dr. Cheung had been fighting cancer for many years, and we are very grateful to our Lord Jesus Christ for allowing him to live a full life despite his illness. Due to COVID, there will not be a funeral at this time. Instead we will be holding a memorial service in Hong Kong once normal travel to the territory resumes.

We are thankful that you have been a part of the long life that our Lord has given him and we look forward to seeing him again at the end of days.

In Christ, Janice Cheung, Eunice Cheung & Bernice Chee



At Alliance International Church we believe the COMMUNITY GROUP is the best place for sustained life change to occur. In a Community Group, people study God's Word together and discuss the issues and challenges of life. It's also where they pray, care for one another, and connect on a more personal level. Our Community Groups gather:

- On Hong Kong Island, in Kowloon, and in New Territories
- In English, Putonghua, and in Tagalog
  On weekdays and on Saturdays or
- Sundays Contact Pastor Stan for more information

email: stan@aic.org.hk.

send a cheque to the church office – 21 Tak Fung Street, Whampoa. For receipt, email Dorie at dorie@aic.org.hk

transfer to our HSBC Account:

'Alliance International Church' or

## GOD'S WORD CHANGES LIVES!

AFF is taking the challenge to get to know God by reading 200 chapters in 2021. Join them in the Bible 200 – discover the story of God. This month's reading is Deuteronomy Chapter 1-17, and the *memory verse for January is:* 

"Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength." ~ Deuteronomy 6:5 ~

#### Finance

Adult (Sat/Sun) & Children Attendance: Live-streaming General Fund: \$57,100.00 Budget/week: \$89,425.00 Missions & Others: \$6,100.00

General Fund & Other Income: April 2020 to present \$2,969,256.53 Budget for April 2020 to present: \$3,666,425.00 Budget <u>deficit</u> April 2020 to present: <u>\$697,168,47</u>

If you wish to support to AIC ministries, you may