

Christian Principles in the Workplace

EPHESIANS 6:5-9

EPHESIANS 6:8

**“KNOWING THAT WHATEVER GOOD ANYONE DOES,
THIS HE WILL RECEIVE BACK FROM THE LORD,
WHETHER HE IS A SLAVE OR FREE.”**



Evangelical
Community
Church

MARCH 17, 2024

TODAY - MARCH 17, 2024

Welcome to ECC!

Welcome to our Sunday worship service at Evangelical Community Church. This is where we pray, sing, and learn from God’s Word. If you have any questions, please email our church leaders.

If today’s message has moved your heart, you may download the audio mp3 recording at www.ecchk.org. If you wish for someone to pray for you, please send a prayer request to weeklyprayer@ecchk.org.

ECC kindly requests that attendees refrain from taking photos or videos during services and events to ensure a fully present experience.



Order of Service (10:30am)

Call To Worship	Greg Ng
Worship in Song*	Greg Ng
New Testament Reading— Matthew 20:20-28	Chris Lo
Pastoral Intercessory Prayer	Pastor Adam McCulloch
Sermon Text Reading	Greg Ng
Worship through the Word	Pastor Adam McCulloch
Worship through Prayer of Thanksgiving*	Jackson Cheng
Announcements	Greg Ng
Benediction	Pastor Adam McCulloch

*If you would like to enjoy the music used for this week’s worship, please use the QR code to open our playlist.



Happening Today

9:00am	Adult Sunday School	4/F Metropole MC
9:15am	Youth Sunday School	6/F Metropole
10:30am	Worship Service	4/F YMCA, Hall
10:30am	<i>Children’s Ministry Sunday School:</i> Team Ruth (ages 3-6). Team Joshua (ages 7-8), Team Paul (ages 9-10), Team Timothy (ages 11-12)	6/F Metropole 4/F Metropole MC
12:30pm	Church Lunch <i>followed by</i>	4/F Metropole MC
2:00pm	AGM & Church Chat <i>(Childcare is available on 6/F Metropole during AGM/Church Chat)</i>	

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Please visit our website and find us on Facebook by scanning the QR codes.

General News and Upcoming Events

Easter Welcome Lunch & Beach Baptism

We will have an Easter Welcome Lunch for Pastor Shannon Brown and his family on March 31, 2024 at the 4/F MC right after worship service. After lunch, we will then proceed to have a beach baptism at Repulse Bay. Busses will be provided to Repulse Bay. If you're interested in attending please register at the welcome table or scan the QR code.



ECC's 2024 Annual General Meeting and Church Chat—Today!

Today, March 17, 2024, 4/F Metropole MC

Contact: info@ecchk.org | Lunch 12:30pm | AGM: 2:00pm | Church Chat 3:00pm

The Annual General Meeting (AGM) of ECC for 2024 will take place today at 2:00 pm at the 4/F Metropole MC. Following the AGM formalities, there will be a Church Chat where you can get updates from the Elder Board and pray for the church. Lunch will be served at 12:30 pm before the start of the meeting,. Childcare will be provided.

Good Friday Service

We would like to invite you to join us for the Good Friday service, which will take place on March 29th at 5:00 PM. The service will be held at 4/F Metropole MC. This is a great opportunity for you to gather with your community and reflect on the significance of this day. We look forward to seeing you there!

Ladies' Tea Fellowship

Come join us for the Ladies Tea Fellowship on April 14th at 2:00pm, 4/F Metropole MC. Connect with fellow women and be inspired through God's Word. Take a break from your daily routine, make new friends and enjoy tea and snacks together. This event is a valuable addition to your calendar. Please mark your calendars and save the date!

Mongolia Short Term Mission Trip (MOC)

Trip Dates: July 14-20 | Contact: moc@ecchk.org

Would you like to share your love among the children by volunteering at a five-day summer camp in the Mongolian countryside? The trip is scheduled for July 14-20 this year. We hope you can join us this summer! If you're interested and want to know more about the camp, please contact MOC.

Monthly Prayer Meeting

Come and join our monthly prayer meeting at 2:00pm at the 4/F Metropole MC where we will focus on praying for the needs of persons within and outside of our church family. Our next meeting will be on 7th April.

Newcomer's Lunch

We would like to extend an invitation to those who are new to ECC or has attended worship services a few times to our upcoming Newcomer's Lunch on 21st April at 4/F Metropole MC. We are thrilled to meet you and build connections as a community of believers. More details will be posted soon.

One 2024: Hearing The Word

February 14 - March 31 2024

The One Hearing the Word Campaign is a yearly endeavor by Faith Comes By Hearing Asia to unite churches in Hong Kong through the Word of God. This year the focus will be reading through the book of Matthew. If you are interested in participating please use the QR code to find out more.



Short Video on Family Worship

Learn about family worship according to the Bible and how to do it by watching a short video with Dr. Donald Whitney. Scan the QR code to access the video.



Ongoing Ministries

Adult Sunday School (AdSS)

Sunday School: 9:00am at 4/F Metropole
Building Contact: grow@ecchk.org



Come and join our Adult Sunday School, where we explore into practical topics relevant to our daily lives. Next quarter's topic is centered around the "Suffering". If you're interested in attending the class, please register at the Welcome table or simply scan the QR code above.

Date	Class	Topic
March 24, 2024	13	The Secret of Contentment
April 7, 2024	1	A Bible Theology at Work
April 14, 2024	2	The Problem With Work
April 21, 2024	3	A New Boss: How Jesus's Work Changes Our Work
April 28, 2024	4	A New Goal: Success is Faithfulness

Children's Ministry

Contact: Rebecca/ children@ecchk.org / CM WhatsApp 9786 3057

Our Children's Ministry aims to nurture children and deepen their understanding of God and His Word. **Registration** is compulsory. If you have not registered your child yet, you may scan the QR code to register.

Parents are required to "**Check In**" their children for Sunday School every Sunday morning by scanning the QR code. We need to do this to ensure safety and accurately count the children before heading to the MC.



Filipino Ministry

Contact: Ellen Ibarra / ellen.ibarra@ecchk.org / 5545 7746

The Filipino Ministry is committed to offering a spiritual refuge for overseas Filipino workers. We aim to provide a loving environment where individuals can grow in their knowledge of God. Our community warmly welcomes anyone searching for a relationship with God, feeling homesick or lonely, and searching for a surrounding community of believers.

Saturday Group	11:00am	Come and join our Bible study and fellowship at the Metropole MC
Sunday Group	8:30am	Join us for BYO Breakfast and Prayer time, 4/F Metropole MC
	12:45pm	No Fellowship Today
	2:00pm	No Fellowship Today

Men's Gathering

Fridays, 8:00pm - 9:00pm, via Zoom | Contact: smallgroups@ecchk.org

Our Men's Group meets every Friday night via Zoom for a time of Bible study and fellowship. Please email to sign up and to keep in touch on future studies, fellowship and more.

Prayer Meeting

Wednesdays, 6:30pm - 7:30pm, via Zoom | Contact: weeklyprayer@ecchk.org

Wednesday Prayer Meeting is on via Zoom. Please go to our website's Ministries section and click "Prayer" to request a prayer visit, or to submit prayer requests. Please subscribe to the weekly prayer list using the QR code.



Small Groups Ministry

Contact: smallgroups@ecchk.org

Looking to get plugged into our church community? Joining a small group is a great way to get involved in ECC's family. Check out our website and contact us for more information.

Wednesday Women's Bible Study

Contact: Judy/ judyleibowitz@yahoo.com or eccwwbs@gmail.com

Please join us for a time of fellowship and prayer every Wednesday at 10:30am on the 4th floor of the Metropole Building.

Youth Ministry

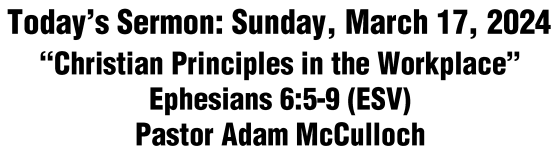
Contact: Nathan Wong at youth@ecchk.org or WhatsApp 6359 1192

If you are between the ages of 13 and 18, we invite you to our Sunday school at the 6/F Metropole MC at 9:15am. For upcoming programs and activities, please contact Nathan. Please scan QR code to register.



Friendly Reminders:

Ministry Leaders: Bulletin announcements must be submitted to bulletin@ecchk.org **no later than 2:00pm, Wednesday.** Please refer to **For-Ministry-Leaders** on our website for guidelines. Late submissions will not be entertained. Thank you.



⁵ Bondservants, obey your earthly masters with fear and trembling, with a sincere heart, as you would Christ, ⁶not by the way of eye-service, as people-pleasers, but as bondservants of Christ, doing the will of God from the heart, ⁷rendering service with a good will as to the Lord and not to man, ⁸knowing that whatever good anyone does, this he will receive back from the Lord, whether he is a bondservant or is free. ⁹Masters, do the same to them, and stop your threatening, knowing that he who is both their Master and yours is in heaven, and that there is no partiality with him.

1. A Biblical Understanding of Slavery
2. Rules for Employees
3. Rules for Employers

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Financial Updates

FY2023/24 (April 2023 - March 2024)

Annual Budget \$8,374,985
Mission Partners Support (part of the annual budget) \$433,000

Last Week's Giving

General Fund \$182,517
Mission Fund \$700

FY2023/2024 (April 2023 - February 2024)

General Fund Offering \$4,447,560
Other Incomes \$449,912
General Expenses \$6,568,498
Mission Fund Offerings \$147,620
Mission Partners Support Expenses \$519,404

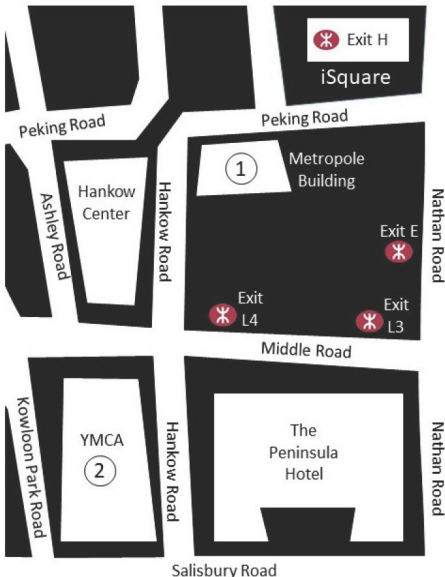
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Check can be made payable to **"Evangelical Community Church Ltd."** Please cross out the bearer and do not post-date checks. For US citizens wishing a US tax receipt, please ensure that your check is at least US\$100 (HK\$800) made out to **"Friends of Hong Kong Charities, Inc."** with any designations written on the offering envelope (available at the Welcome Table) - NOT on the check itself.

Prayer and Family News

Contact: familynews@ecchk.org

- Pray that husbands and wives would understand the theological basis of marriage. Pray that they would understand that their marriages are telling a story about God. Pray that husbands would love their wives as Christ loves the church. Pray that wives would submit to their husbands as the church submits to Christ.
- Pray for the upcoming Baptism ceremony on March 31. Pray that God would encourage James Wright as he publicly identifies with Jesus through baptism.
- Pray for our worship services. Pray that God would speak to us through the preaching of the word. Pray that our worship services would be marked with reverence and awe.
- Pray for the Church of Good and Faithful Servants, a local prison ministry in Hong Kong. Pray for their outreach team which serves drug addicts in different parts of Kowloon through offering meal boxes and evangelism.



ECC Locations

- 1 ECC Office
6/F, Metropole Building,
53 Peking Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon

ECC Ministry Center
(Metropole MC)
4/F, Unit 401-403, Metropole Building,
53 Peking Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon

- 2 YMCA
(Sunday Worship Service)
4/F, Assembly Hall,
41 Salisbury Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon