

Pastoral Newsletter

Dear Church Family,

Christ is our example, and if He modeled love by taking in those with broken lives, unsavory histories, and lowly origins, we have little excuse to live differently.

There are worries of safety, there are worries of outside influence or corruption, and there are worries for identity. We desire a space where we can more freely and comfortably worship God since we have so many other aspects in common; it's easier to feel like family. So then, for all the effort we put into protecting our gathering at the church building and building it up with upgrades and expansions, we have the rest of the week when we should be helping others feel like beloved family. If we wish to claim Sundays as our day of rest and equipping at church, then we had better be heading into the week to do the hard work, and I'm not just talking about our jobs or our schooling.

I pray that the Holy Spirit will fully and remarkably use your willing service to minister to one another, but also especially to a world that desperately needs ministering.

Honored and Gratefully Yours,
Minister Petros



Evangelical Chinese Church of Seattle – Seattle English

2/22/2026

Call to Worship
Worship through Praise
Congregational Prayer & the Lord's Prayer
Worship through the Word
Worship in Response
Welcome and Announcements

Offering is a part of our worship to God.

Free-will offering boxes are located at the sanctuary entrance and exits.

Online Offering: <https://eccseattle.org/en/give/>

Message from Elder Paul Eng

“Serving Together”

1 Peter 4:8-11; Galatians 6:7-10

*Missed a sermon or want to share it? Listen to it at
www.eccseattle.org/en/sermons*

	TODAY	NEXT WEEK
SPEAKER	Paul Eng	Solomon Liu
MODERATOR	Ling Hong	Victor Lee
WORSHIP	Amanda Shu	Faye Wu
A/V TECH	Ray Li, Titus Goh	Benjamin Hoang, Andrew Chen
LIVESTREAM	Evan Leung, Edison Leung Michael Lee	Timothy Perng, Julia Wang Kylie Cheung
DOOR ROTATION	SEA-English	

Prayers for Our ECC Community

PRAISES AND PRAYERS

SEATTLE YOUTH MINISTRY

- During the Christmas season, the youth wrote encouraging notes to support the missionaries at Dayspring Outreach Ministries, Greg Von Tobel from Prisoners for Christ, and Sean Miller, who ministers with Child Evangelism Fellowship (CEF). YF and YSF also joined the Redmond youth for a Christmas celebration in December. It was a great time of worship, fellowship, food, and a white elephant gift exchange.
- YSF has an open prayer room every Monday and Thursday each week to share devotions and prayers.
- For Sunday school, YF learned about their identity in Christ during the fall. YSF learned about virtues.
- Please pray for the youth as they return from YSF Retreat, a weekend of encountering God through messages and small groups, that they remember they are rooted to God, to love, and the Christ-following community.
- Pray for the youth as they participate in the 40 Days of Community campaign. Pray they will be transformed by learning more deeply the meaning of community and why all believers in Christ should participate.
- Keep in your prayers for the youth to make connections with their counselors and that they will be open to being mentored or discipled.

PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES

Danny Geng is serving with China Outreach Ministries in the Seattle area. Their mission is to give Christ to China's future leaders. We're grateful that the Lord brought Danny through the valley of the shadow of death! He experienced a scary heart condition, and he wrote about persecution faced by student leaders. Through these trials, everyone experienced the power of united prayer and God's mighty grace. We also thank the Lord for growing the college fellowship, and for inspiring students with a passion for studying the Bible. As students rotate out, we pray that God will raise up new leaders each academic year to carry on the ministry. Lastly, we ask the Lord to keep disciples steadfast in their faith in the face of persecution, and for God's provision as Danny experiences a financial shortfall in his ministry. May the Lord supply all his needs.

PRAY FOR THE WORLD

- Please pray for the millions traveling for the Lunar New Year this week. May the Lord grant traveling mercy and bless the gatherings of families and friends. May the Holy Spirit open hearts and minds to experience God's love through reconnecting and rebuilding relationships.
- Please pray for the billions of Christians who have begun to observe the season of Lent, beginning with Ash Wednesday (February 18). May the Holy Spirit use this time to prepare Christians around the world to observe and celebrate Christ's work on the Cross and His resurrection from the Empty Tomb.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

CAMBODIA SHORT-TERM MISSIONS SHARING (IN ENGLISH)

TODAY (SUN) | 1:00 PM | REDMOND CANTONESE WORSHIP HALL



Come and see how God's love is at work in Cambodia. You're invited to join our Cambodia STM sharing and hear how God opened hearts in powerful and unexpected ways as we served 500+ children and youth at the Pleroma primary and secondary schools, Home for Girls, and community center.

D6 CONFERENCE

3/6-7 (FRI-SAT) | 9 AM -5:30 PM | NORTHSORE CHURCH, KIRKLAND

If you are interested in attending the D6 Conference, please contact Xiao Huang (hsmilecn@yahoo.com) to sign up. First-time attendees are always free! You can find more details here: <https://d6family.com/d6conference/northwest/>

NOW HIRING - IT MANAGER POSITION

We are looking for an experienced **IT Manager** to oversee and maintain our church's technology infrastructure. If you or someone you know may be interested, please visit the church website (<https://eccseattle.org/en/open-positions/>) for more information and application details. Any questions, please email resume@eccseattle.org.

ECC REDMOND CANTONESE CONGREGATION – PASTOR/MINISTER OPENING

ECC is looking for a full-time **Cantonese pastor/minister** to shepherd the ECC Redmond Cantonese congregation. The ideal candidate will be spiritually mature with at least 5 years of church-related ministry experience, a seminary graduate with a Master of Divinity degree or equivalent, and familiar with both Chinese and North American cultures. To apply, please send a completed Employment Application Form and a CV to resume@eccseattle.org.

SAVE THE DATE: 2026 VBS (SEATTLE CAMPUS)

This year's Summer Vacation Bible School (VBS) at the Seattle campus ("Rainforest Falls: Exploring the Nature of God") will be held in the mornings from July 13–17. We encourage parents to reserve these dates so their children can enjoy a joyful and welcoming environment while learning God's word.

STAY HEALTHY DURING COLD + FLU SEASON

Friendly Reminder: We care about your health and safety and the safety of others. If anyone is not feeling well (cough, runny nose, fever, diarrhea, etc.), please **STAY HOME**, even if you do not have COVID-19. This includes both adults and children. Thank you!

2026 ECC CALENDAR <i>(For the yearly calendar, please check www.eccseattle.org)</i>	
3/6-7 (FRI-SAT) 9:00 AM - 5:30 PM	D6 Conference (Northshore Church, Kirkland)
3/29 (SUN) 11:15 AM	Seattle Campus Baptisms
4/3 (FRI) 7:30 PM	Joint Good Friday Service (Sanctuary)