Announcements

Recommendation to Mask Indoors

The COVID-19 community level is high for Maricopa County and the CDC recommends masking indoors at this time. Thank you.

• Youth Summer Missions | July 8th-15th

The group will be using part of our facilities on two weekends, 8th, 9th, 15th & 16th, please pray for their trip.

- FCBC Churchwide Monthly Prayer Meeting | July 30
- On July 31, Pastor Dillon will be coordinating a **baptism service** for us during the morning. If you have individuals awaiting baptism, please contact the church office.

• Annual Co-worker's Meeting | Aug 6th 9:00am

We will plan to begin this year's meeting on August 6 at 9:00am. Please place this in your calendar now. Thanks.

• The Next Church Council Meeting | August 13

Please refer to Pastor Don or email to <u>office@fcbcphx.org</u> as you might find any business matters to be urgent.

- **Dr. Eric Kuykendall** will be preaching for the English and Chinese Congregations on July 24. Dr. Kuykendall is serving in France with the International Mission Board of the SBC and previously served as a pastor of Monterey Park Chinese Baptist Church. His wife, Sujong, will be with us as well.
- Dr. Eric Kuykendall & Sujong will meet with the Chinese Fellowship on the evening of July 22 at 6:30pm in the FLC. Some type of simple dinner will be available in the FLC.
- Dr. Eric Kuykendall and Sujong will meet with the English
 Fellowship on Saturday, July 23, at 10:00am to discuss mission's
 service and needs for all who wish to learn and participate. Please
 bring friends and come on time to the FLC for this gathering.

• Summer Volleyball is back!

The summer volleyball league is underway on Tuesday nights from 7 – 10 PM. The league will conclude on August 2nd and there will be a tournament following regular season play.

FIRST CHINESE BAPTIST CHURCH OF PHOENIX, AZ SUNDAY WORSHIP JULY 17TH, 2022

Join us for worship services on campus or online

English at 9:30AM | Chinese at 11:00AM Livestream available: fcbcphx.org/sermons



FCBC Order of Sunday Worship

Welcome & Prayer | Gloria Revallo

Worship Music | Praise Team

Sermon | Pastor Terry Wong

Scripture | Matt 6:9-10

Response Music | Praise Team

Closing Prayer | Pastor Donald Gardner

Upcoming Preaching Schedule:

July 17th : Pastor Terry Wong - EN & Pastor Michael Lin- CN

July 24th: Pastor Eric Kuykendall - EN & CN



Title: Un-Complicate Your Life

Preacher: Pastor Terry Wong

Matt 6:9 "This, then, is how you should pray: "Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, 10 your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. NIV

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Pastor's Word: "Cross-generational Communication"

I'm not certain that the term <u>Cross-generational Communication</u> is often used in common conversation but it does represent a challenge to our current society on a daily basis. We all find ourselves interacting with persons that are of significant age difference from ourselves. As a result, the older generations are forced into understanding and respecting the thinking, culture, technology, and ideas of a younger generation quite different from themselves. The younger generations have a similar need to respect and appreciate the experience and wisdom that only a lifetime of years can provide.

One of my sons, Micah (简叔恩), has just found a new job working in technology. Talking with him about the nature of the job and the fact that he'd be doing everything remotely sounded a bit like he was "speaking an alien language to this old man!" Certainly, I "understandish" what he is going to be doing but the bottom line is that our world is changing and so are the approaches and needs of many things in our society. As a 30+ year old, my son is no longer just a "son" of my wife and I but he is an adult of his own generation! I can hope that his decisions and Christian character guide his actions but I can't spend my time trying to function as a parent to a grown man. No, this isn't easy to release but the fact is that trying to hold on to influencing his decisions without his request for assistance or input is simply not realistic. Indeed, my attempts to help or guide his thoughts now may well be lost on him.

I'm so thankful that I can still remember the relationship that my mother and I had when I was younger. Just like with my son, sometimes I smiled and listened to my mother but that "listening" didn't really mean I was going to do all my mother suggested! Yep, I was just like my son and, while I respected my mother, a young adult is still an adult...not a child!

In Scripture, we can see that Jesus was in his younger 30s as he reached out to people of varying ages and varying educational levels. He may have been, to some people, a young person but His age limited NOT His vital ministry. Let us worry less about differences in our generations and seek to learn from all those around us...regardless of age!