



Unity Through Humility Preacher: Stanley Chang

Sunday, February 12, 2023 | 9:15am - 10:30am

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#### ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE

9:15 AM - 10:30 AM

Welcome & Call to Worship

Recitation of the Apostles' Creed

Worship in Song

Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

Offertory

**Pastoral Prayer** 

Scripture Reading, 1 Corinthians 4:1-21

Worship in the Word, Minister Stanley Chang

"Unity Through Humility" - <u>Sermon Outline</u>

Worship in Song

Benediction & Doxology

#### **Call to Worship**

The call to worship exhorts
God's people to turn from
worldly distractions and to focus
hearts, minds, and actions on
revering him.



#### UPCOMING SERMON SCHEDULE

Every Sunday at 9:15 AM

#### **A Disciplined Church**

February 19 | 1 Corinthians 5:1-13 | Jason Tarn

#### A Discerning Church

February 26 | 1 Corinthians 6:1-11 | Fred Tow

#### **A Holy Church**

March 5 | 1 Corinthians 6:12-20 | Henry Ow

**A Healthy Marriage** 

March 12 | 1 Corinthians 7:1-16 | Jason Tarn



#### ONLINE

Sermon notes and video recordings can be found here: hcc.lv/sermons





#### **ENGLISH ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Join us for Sunday School classes at 11:00am -12:15pm. Jesus calls us to be disciples, workers, and leaders. Our teaching ministry aims to produce believers who are committed to the call of Jesus.

Old Testament Survey (Part 5 of 6) | Trailer 411 New Testament Survey (Part 2 of 3) | Trailer 412/414 Systematic Theology Survey (Part 2 of 3) | Rm 115

The Measure of a Man | Rm 113



#### **LUNCH PREPARATION**

Joe & Sam + James & Wendy's Community Groups (this week)
Cambridge Fellowship (next week)

## **World Vision**

# TURKEY & SYRIA

# Earthquake Response



On February 6, 2023, a 7.8 magnitude earthquake struck Turkey and Syria, toppling buildings and killing more than 22,000 people. Thousands more are injured, as the devastating quake hit a wide swath of the region, leaving people homeless during the coldest month of the year.

We are partnering with the organization World Vision, who are already responding by providing aid to the most vulnerable children and families. They are helping people get access to temporary shelters, heaters, clean water, critically needed healthcare, childcare centers, and more. Let us continue to pray for the impact on these children and families, as well as for protection over our front-line staff and all the relief workers' needs. If you would like to make a donation, you can write a check or go to the link below:

# **DONATE BY CHECK**

- Payable to: World Vision
- Include a note on the check: SC# 3060023; Turkey & Syria Earthquake W10002882
  - Mail to:
    World Vision
    PO Box 70383
    Tacoma, WA 98481-0383

## OR SCAN HERE



hcc.lv/TurkeySyriaWV





# BAKE SALE

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12 BETWEEN SERVICES & LUNCH SUPPORT THE YWAM CHICO ORPHANAGE IN VICENTE GUERRERO, MEXICO

# PUBLIC THEOLOGY LECTURES



# christianity & the arts

NEXT LECTURE: FRIDAY, FEB 17

Join us for a lecture on Christianity and music, featuring Christian artists *Robbie Seay, Jillana Jones,* & *Robbie Madison*. We will begin with meditation in the Psalms, followed by a moderated conversation between the three musicians. Each musician will also share their music with us at the end.

Childcare will be available. We hope you can join us for this very special event!

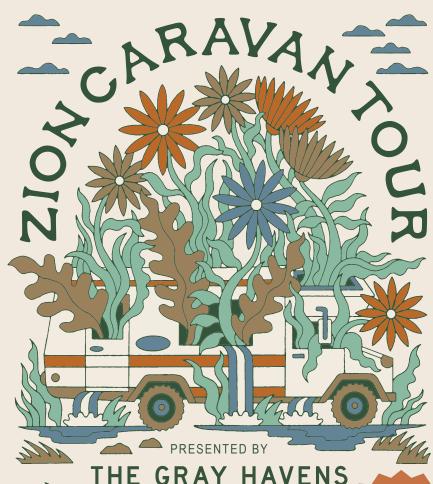






FRI, FEB 17 @ 7:30 PM 10305 S. MAIN STREET | HOUSTON, TX hcc.lv/PTLs





**GRAY HAVENS** 

WITH SPECIAL GUESTS

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MARCH 23 AT 7:30 PM (DOORS 7 PM)

\$25 ADV / \$35 DOOR / \$12 AGES 4-12 (LIMITED)

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the Gray Havens Music.com

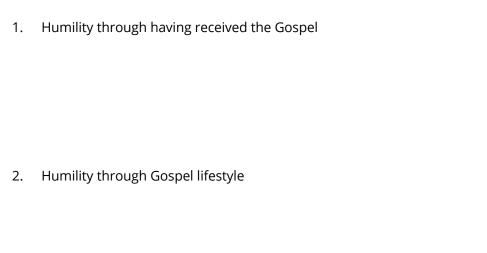


#### FEBRUARY 12, 2023 MINISTER STANLEY CHANG

#### 1 Corinthians: A Letter to a Troubled Church

Unity Through Humility 1 Corinthians 4:1-21

Paul wraps up his exhortation to the church in Corinth to be a unified church here in chapter 4. Behind the division from following different leaders was the desire to distinguish themselves from others and rise higher than others. They had inflated views of themselves. Puffed up in arrogance. So how do they go back to being a unified church? Through humility. So how do we pursue humility?



3. Humility through Gospel power of transformation

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES**

Baptism & Membership Class | Sundays in February | 11:00 am - 12:15 pm | Trailer 416 Ready to proclaim your faith through baptism? Class today is on baptism, and classes on Feb 19 & 26 will walk through HCC membership. Contact <a href="mailto:englishadmin@hcchome.org">englishadmin@hcchome.org</a> to sign up.

Care Package Distribution | TODAY! Sun, Feb 12 | After Service | Lobby

Pick up a care package after service today in the lobby to give to a neighbor in need as you commute this week. Care packages include socks, water, snacks, and other items that may help people asking for assistance at street corners.

Bake Sale for YWAM Chico Orphanage | TODAY! Sun, Feb 12 | After Service | Lobby Support the YWAM Chico Orphanage in Vicente Guerrero, Baja California, Mexico by enjoying milk tea, breakfast tacos, desserts & more after service today!

**Super Bowl Watch Party** | *TODAY! Sun, Feb 12* | *5:00 - 9:30 pm* | *James Gao's House*The Community of Young Adults is hosting a Super Bowl watch party! You don't have to know football to come. Come join us for a time of fellowship and fun! RSVP: *hcc.lv/SuperBowlLVII* 

Mothers of Little Ones | Wed, Feb 15 | 9:30 - 11:30 am | Whitt Johnson Park
MOLO (Mothers of Little Ones) will be having a park play date this Wednesday at Whitt
Johnson Park! For questions, please contact Amber Wolters at amberdwolters@yahoo.com

Public Theology Lecture | Fri, Feb 17 | 7:30 - 9:00 pm | Sanctuary

Our next lecture is on Friday, February 17. Christian musicians *Robbie Seay* of *robbieseayband.com*, *Robbie Madison*, and *Jillana Jones* will be presenting. Childcare will be available.

Community of Young Adults | Sat, Feb 25 | 7:30 - 9:00 pm | Youth Room

Come join the Community of Young Adults for our inaugural event! Our mission is to cultivate a community of God loving and compassionate young adults who live gospel-centered lives in Houston and beyond. We will be sharing more about how we seek to achieve this mission, as well as enjoying a time of fellowship and getting to know each other. Hope to cya there!

**Food Drive for Christian Community Service Center** | *Sun, Feb 26* | *After Service* | *Lobby* We will be collecting food pantry items for the Christian Community Service Center on Sunday, 2/26, between 10:45-11:15 am in the lobby. List of food pantry needs can be found here: <a href="mailto:tinyurl.com/HCCFoodDrive2023">tinyurl.com/HCCFoodDrive2023</a>

SAVE THE DATE! Women's Ministry Spring Event | Sat, Apr 1 | 9:00 - 11:00 am | Chapel HCC ladies, we invite you to join us for the upcoming "Strengthening Your Spiritual Core" event on Sat, 4/1 at HCC. Join us for a time of fellowship with other ladies! We will see how a strong spiritual core (and physical core) are key to our spiritual and physical lives. Registration begins 2/18. More details to come! Questions? Email womensministry@hcchome.org.

#### **CHURCH NOTICES**

#### **Church Planting Update**

The new English-speaking church plant coming out of HCC will be named **Ethnos Church**. "Ethnos," meaning "nation" in Greek, reflects the church plant's desire to reach the nations that have come to Houston with the gospel of Jesus Christ.

#### **Devotional Kits for Lent (2/22 – 4/9)**

HCC is preparing devotional materials in English for HCC families and English adults. The devotionals will be available for pick up on 2/19 (Sun) in the lobby. For the family kits, families registered with HCC will have priority.

#### **SERVE!** Volunteers Needed for Audio Team

We are now looking for brothers and sisters from our English congregation to serve on the audio team to run A/V for worship service. If you've ever wondered what goes on behind the scenes or

have an interest in learning something new, come take this opportunity to join our audio team! If interested, please contact *Dean Yeh* at <a href="mailto:denobug@gmail.com">denobug@gmail.com</a>.

#### **Building Pledge Campaign Update**

Praise God, we received 141 pledges towards our building campaign which brings us to a total of \$11.5M committed to our building project. If you would like to make a pledge, please use the QR code on the right or visit <a href="https://dc.lv/MakeAPledge">https://dc.lv/MakeAPledge</a>.



#### **HOUSTON CHINESE CHURCH FACTS & FIGURES**

LAST SUNDAY'S ATTENDANCE AND FINANCIAL SUMMARY FOR FEBRUARY 5, 2023

HCC WORSHIP

317 59 208 42 96 80 10 812

ENGLISH CANTONESE MANDARIN YOUTH CHILDREN ENG+MAND CHILDREN TOTAL

HCC SUNDAY SCHOOL

54 55 68 68 6 NO ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL LAST WEEK DUE TO PEARLAND TOWN HALL MEETING

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FEB 5, 2023	OFFERING	YTD RECEIVED	YTD (DEFICIT)/SURPLUS	
			THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR
HCC GENERAL	\$23,157.27	\$121,308.18	(\$37,898.02)	(\$15,490.04)
PCC GENERAL	\$585.00	\$17,753.00		
HCC BUILDING	-	\$10,513.11		
HCC PLEDGE PAYMENTS	\$500.00	\$19,100.50		
PCC BUILDING	\$100.00	\$3,459.19		
ETHNOS CHURCH PLANT	-	\$700.00		



ENGLISH

#### **Staff Itinerary**

Henry Ow: vacation, 2/6-2/18 Tim Lai: vacation, 2/14

CANTONESE

MANDARIN

Joseph Cheng: guest preaching, 2/12 Frank Tan: vacation, 2/13-2/21

Now Hiring: Chinese Administrative Assistant & Other Roles

HCC is hiring a *Chinese Administrative Assistant*. Fluency in Mandarin is required; part-time/full-time status is flexible. We are also looking for the following: *IT Coordinator*, *Nursery Caregiver*, and *Pearland Youth Minister*. For details, go to <u>hcc.lv/opportunities</u>



#### PRAYER

Join us as we pray for our long term workers in our Global Outreach Spotlight:

hcc.lv/GoPrayDec22



#### COVID PROTOCOL

Green Zone: Low Risk
Masks are welcome but not
required. If you are exposed to
someone with COVID-19, test
positive, or have symptoms of

COVID-19, you should wear a mask.

#### ABOUT US

#### **New or Visiting HCC?**

If you are a newcomer or visitor we would love to connect you with our church community! Take a moment to fill out our Vistor's Welcome form: <a href="https://welcome">https://welcome</a> OR stop by our welcome desk in the lobby for a gift. We will contact you with ways to connect with our community!

#### Sign Up for Our Newsletter | <u>hcc.lv/news</u>

Subscribe to our weekly newsletters with announcements, opportunities, and updates.



Please submit English bulletin announcements and inserts to Elise Tan at <a href="mailto:englishadmin@hcchome.org">englishadmin@hcchome.org</a> by Wednesday noon for approval. Any announcements received after Wednesday at noon will be put in next week's bulletin.