



**HOUSTON**  
CHINESE CHURCH  
鐵士頓中國教會

**Resurrection Sunday: He Who Rose From the Dead**

**Preacher: Fred Tow**

**Sunday, April 17, 2022 | 9:15am-10:30am**

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## ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE

9:15 AM – 10:30 AM

Welcome & Call to Worship

Worship in Song

Confession of Sin

Recitation of the Apostles' Creed

Testimonies: *Grace Li & Andy Shen*

Baptism

*Kristi Chen, Vivian Dai, Ian Goh, Grace Li, Ryan Li,  
James Ma, Andy Shen, Catherine Wang, & Caleb Wang*

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture Reading, *Acts 10:34-43*

Worship in the Word, Pastor Fred

"He Who Rose from the Dead" - [Sermon Outline](#)

Worship in Song

Benediction & Doxology

### Baptism

Baptism is the public declaration that a person has placed his or her faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior and identifies with Jesus's death and resurrection as depicted by immersion in water.



### ONLINE

Sermon notes and video recordings can be found here:

[hcc.lv/SermonMeUp](http://hcc.lv/SermonMeUp)



## UPCOMING SERMON SCHEDULE

### Male and Female He Created Them

April 24 | *Genesis 1:27* | Jason Tarn

### Numbered Days

May 1 | *Job 14:5; Psalm 39:4-5* | Jason Tarn

### Alloted Periods and Boundary Places

May 8 | *Acts 17:26-27* | Jason Tarn

### Predetermined Days

May 15 | *Psalm 139:15-16* | Fred Tow

## 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.

**Verse by Verse Bible: Mark** | Rm 411

**Temptations Men Face** | Rm 412/414 \*men only

**Old Testament Survey (Part 2 of 6)** | Rm 113

**Systematic Theology Survey (Part 2 of 3)** | Rm 115

**Lies Women Believe** | Rm 201 \*women only



LUNCH SURVEY

## NO LUNCH SERVICE THIS WEEK

Please note that we will not have lunch service this week. Our regular lunch service will resume on next week (April 24th). After Sunday School, feel free to visit the Bake Sale for Ukraine in the lobby or go out to share a meal and fellowship with others.



# HCC SCIENCE VBS + KIDS' CAMP

August 1-5, 2022 9am-4pm @ Pearland Chinese Church

**elements**  
OF TRUST

Science-Inspired, Christ-Focused, VBS Program

**T** Trust Acts 2:21  
**R** Receive Acts 3:19  
**U** Understand Acts 4:12  
**S** Share Acts 4:32  
**T** Trials Acts 5:29

**VBS:** \$15/child  
**VBS + Kids' Camp:** \$115/child  
\* \$20 off/sibling discount for Kids' Camp  
\* Late fee \$20/child starting July 10th

Kids' Camp class selections (tentative):

- Sports
- Science Projects
- Speed-stacking
- Chess
- Crafts
- Aetherlight
- Cooking
- Lego® projects
- Board Games

Parents will receive an email in July to select Kids' Camp classes.



Register @ [hcc.lv/2022VBS](https://hcc.lv/2022VBS)

9a-12:30p | Morning VBS | Pre-K-Gr. 5 (Fall '22)

12:30p-4p | Afternoon Kids' Camp | Kinder-Gr. 5 (Fall '22)



## **Salvation for All**

Acts 10:1-43

Salvation through Christ is not just for Israel, but for all people. God shows no partiality. Peter receives a vision from God, telling him that the Good News is for Gentiles as well as Jews. He goes to the home of Cornelius, a Roman officer, and tells him about Christ. Cornelius and his family believe and are converted.

1. Preparation for a New Era (vv 1-22)
  
2. Gathering for a New Era (vv 23-33)
  
3. Proclamation of the New Era (vv 34-43)



## UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

**Interested in learning more about Christianity?** | *Today, Apr 17* | 10:30 - 11:00 am | Lobby

If you have any questions about Christianity or today's sermon, we invite you to visit a table in the lobby after service! If you're interested in reading through the Gospel of Mark (an account of Jesus' life and teachings) or other material with someone, please also stop by.

**Bake Sale for Ukraine** | *Today, Sun, Apr 17* | 12:15 pm | Lobby

The HCC youth group is hosting a bake sale to raise relief funds for Ukrainian refugees with World Vision! Come stop by the lobby after Sunday School to check it out!

**MOLO Open Forum** | *Wed, Apr 20* | 8:30 - 9:30 pm | Zoom

Mothers of Little Ones (MOLO) will be having an open forum through Zoom. Contact *Stacy Huang* at [stacyhuang@alumni.rice.edu](mailto:stacyhuang@alumni.rice.edu) for questions.

**Cantonese Spring Picnic** | *Sat, Apr 23* | 10:30 am - 3:00 pm | *Mary Jo Peckham Park (Katy, TX)*

Families & friends are welcome. Adult: \$7, children over six: \$4, 6 & under: free. Please register by 4/17 by emailing *Kitty*: [sidney2\\_wong@yahoo.com](mailto:sidney2_wong@yahoo.com) or *Joey*: [choyijoyey@gmail.com](mailto:choyijoyey@gmail.com).

**Mental Health Matters Conference** | *April 29 - 30* | 7:30 - 9:00pm | *Hybrid Format*

Family Life Ministry is sponsoring a hybrid conference on anxiety and depression, parent-child communication, and stress management. Speakers include psychiatrist Dr. John Hsieh, psychiatrist Dr. Xiao Qing Liu, and Christian counselor Edna Lee. See [hcc.lv/MHM](http://hcc.lv/MHM) for details!

**Thrive Retreat: Living Out Your Faith in the 9-5** | *May 27 - May 30* | **REGISTRATION OPEN!**

The Thrive Retreat is a retreat for young professionals of all walks of life to learn Biblical knowledge and apply it to their respective careers. Learn about various topics including the Modern Day Sabbath, Faithful Finance, Work-Family Balance, Workplace Depression & more and hear from Pastor Joey Chen. Registration is open now until May 15: [thrive.paactexas.org](http://thrive.paactexas.org)

**Weekend to Remember** | *June 10-12* | *Sugar Land Marriott Town Square*

Family Life ministries is hosting a weekend marriage conference in Sugar Land. This is an excellent opportunity to spend quality time with your significant other to grow deeper in your marriage. For more information go to: [www.familylife.com/weekend-to-remember](http://www.familylife.com/weekend-to-remember)

**"Mask-querade" - HCC Daddy-Daughter Dance 2022** | *Jun 18* | 5-8:00pm | *Chapel*

Dads and daughters, come join us for a beautiful evening together with food, dancing, and fun! Bring your daughter, goddaughter, or anyone whom you love and care for like a daughter! Attire: formal; no age restriction. Sign up here by May 18: [bit.ly/3pu5ndi](http://bit.ly/3pu5ndi)

## CHURCH NOTICES

**TODAY! Take-home Easter Boxes for 3-4 year-olds**

To celebrate Jesus's resurrection together, families with children ages 3-4 are welcome to grab a Take-home Easter Box outside the Sanctuary exit as you leave. Please limit 1 per family.

**2022 HCC Science VBS & Kids' Camp @PCC: Elements of Trust** | [hcc.lv/2022VBS](http://hcc.lv/2022VBS)

Registration for VBS + Kids' Camp opens today online! See insert for more details. Want to help with VBS? Sign up to volunteer at [hcc.lv/2022VBSTeam](http://hcc.lv/2022VBSTeam).

**Parent Dedication** | **Register Now:** [hcc.lv/Dedication](http://hcc.lv/Dedication)

Families interested in participating in Parent Dedication can sign up now! Parent dedication will take place during May and June services. Once you have signed up, please submit photos of your child and family to *Tina Zhao* at [tinaz@hcchome.org](mailto:tinaz@hcchome.org). A home visitation is required as part of the Parent Dedication process. Mr. Frank will contact parents with further details.

**No Children's Programs on 4/29**

There will be no AWANA on Friday, April 29. There will still be nursery childcare for ages 3 and under during the Mental Health Matters conference. Small groups, please plan accordingly.

**GIVE: Helping Ukrainian Refugees** | [donate.worldvision.org](http://donate.worldvision.org)

Give to the *Ukraine Crisis Fund* by World Vision to support Ukrainians fleeing from the war.

**Home Life Center Book Drawing Winner**

Congratulations to *William Chan* for winning the book drawing for *His Needs, Her Needs!*

# HOUSTON CHINESE CHURCH FACTS & FIGURES

## LAST SUNDAY'S ATTENDANCE AND FINANCIAL SUMMARY FOR APRIL 10, 2022

HCC WORSHIP

PEARLAND WORSHIP

278

ENGLISH

72

CANTONESE

173

MANDARIN

67

YOUTH

65

CHILDREN

19+77

ENG + MAND

21

CHILDREN

772

TOTAL



HCC SUNDAY SCHOOL

82

ENGLISH

38

CANTONESE

87

MANDARIN

PEARLAND SS

37

ADULT



APR 10, 2022

OFFERING

YTD RECEIVED

THIS YEAR'S YTD (DEFICIT)/SURPLUS

LAST YEAR'S YTD (DEFICIT)/SURPLUS

GENERAL FUND

\$28,224.50

\$598,338.43

(\$62,527.29)

(\$105,900.49)

HCC BUILDING

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\$16,795.00

PEARLAND BUILDING

\$184.00

\$22,702.71



### Job Opportunities: *Staff Needed*

We are looking for a **full-time Youth Minister (Pearland Campus)**, as well as these part-time positions: **IT Coordinator**, **Nursery Coordinator**, and **Nursery Caregiver**. Contact us at [pastorsearch@hcchome.org](mailto:pastorsearch@hcchome.org) to apply or find out more at [hcc.tv/HCCJobs](http://hcc.tv/HCCJobs)

### Staff Itinerary

**Jason Tarn:** conference, 4/19 - 4/21

**Linh Phan:** conference, 4/19 - 4/21

**Yaohui Lu:** conference, 4/19 - 4/21

**Stanley Chang:** conference, 4/19 - 4/21

**Christine Chang:** conference, 4/19 - 4/21



### Baptism

TODAY we will witness the baptisms of **Kristi Chen, Vivian Dai, Ian Goh, Grace Li, Ryan Li, James Ma, Andy Shen, Caleb Wang, and Catherine Wang**. Please congratulate them and welcome them into our HCC family!



### HCC Positive COVID-19 Test Self-Reporting

If you have tested positive for COVID, please fill out the "HCC Positive COVID-19 Test Self-Reporting" form at [hcc.tv/covidreport](http://hcc.tv/covidreport) to help with contact-tracing efforts.



### PRAYER

Join us as we pray for our long term workers in this month's Global Outreach Spotlight: [hcc.tv/GoPrayApril](http://hcc.tv/GoPrayApril)



### COVID PROTOCOL

**\*\*Yellow Zone\*\***

Masks are now optional for all individuals, but still highly recommended for those who are unvaccinated or immunocompromised.

## 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 Visitor's Welcome form: [hcc.tv/welcome](http://hcc.tv/welcome) OR stop by our welcome desk in the lobby for a gift. We will contact you with on ways to connect with our community!

### Sign Up for Our Newsletter | [hcc.tv/news](http://hcc.tv/news)

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



Please submit English bulletin announcements and inserts to Elise Tan at [englishadmin@hcchome.org](mailto:englishadmin@hcchome.org) by Wednesday noon for approval. Any announcements received after Wednesday at noon will be put in next week's bulletin.