

REBUILDING THE RUINS

A SERIES IN NEHEMIAH



HOUSTON
CHINESE CHURCH
曉士頓中國教會

Rebuilding with Courage
Preacher: Stanley Chang

Sunday, March 10, 2024 | 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
Assurance of Pardon
Offertory
New & Reactivated Members Welcome
Pastoral Prayer
Scripture Reading, *Nehemiah 6:1-7:4*
Worship in the Word, Minister Stanley Chang
"Rebuilding with Courage" - [Sermon Outline](#)
Worship in Song
Benediction and Doxology

Church Membership

Formalizes a relationship between the church and a Christian through the church affirming their faith and the Christian permitting the church to shepherd them.

UPCOMING SERMON SCHEDULE

Every Sunday at 9:15 AM

Rebuilding The People of God

Mar 17 | *Nehemiah 7:5-73* | Fred Tow

Rebuilding Upon the Word of God

Mar 24 | *Nehemiah 8:1-18* | Jason Tarn

Holy Week: He has Risen; He is not Here

Mar 31 | *Mark 16:1-8* | Jason Tarn

Rebuilding in Repetance

Apr 7 | *Nehemiah 9:1-37* | Melvin Huang



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.

Biblical Finance | Rm 115

Birds & Bees | Rm 113

5 Lies That Ruin Relationships | Trailer 411

Systematic Theology Survey (Part 3 of 3) | Rm 210

Old Testament Survey (Part 3 of 6) | Trailer 412/414

New Testament Survey (Part 3 of 3) | Trailer 514



Rebuilding the Ruins: A Series in Nehemiah

Rebuilding with Courage

Nehemiah 6:1-7:4

Once again, opposition to the restoration of the wall, and to God's city, is faced with opposition from the same adversaries we have encountered throughout Nehemiah. This time, their attacks are focused on Nehemiah himself. In these chapters we see their failed attempts to make Nehemiah stop the good work of God by trying to make him afraid. We'll also see how Nehemiah continues in the face of fear.

1. Fight fear to do The Good Work
2. Fight fear with Your True Identity
3. Fight fear with a Fear of God

UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

Good Friday Service: Your Will Be Done | Fri, Mar 29th | 6:00pm | Sanctuary

This Good Friday, we will gather in a bilingual, combined service to commemorate our Lord's obedience to the point of death on a cross. The Lord's Supper will be observed. Children are welcome in the service. Nursery care is available for ages 3 & under.

Resurrection Sunday Sunrise Service | Sun, Mar 31st | 7:00am | Hermann Park

Join us next to Miller Outdoor Theater (Hermann Park) for our Resurrection Sunday Sunrise Service. Come worship with us at 7am and bring breakfast + picnic blankets to share! English Service will still be held that Easter morning at 9:15am.

Family Life Spring Conference: "Biblical Financial Stewardship" | Apr 5th-6th | HCC

Join us this spring for our family life conference with guest speakers Marilyn & David Butler from Crown Financial Ministries. For more info, visit hcc.lv/money24

Women's Ministry Spring Event | Sat, Apr 20th | 2:00pm-4:00pm | HCC

Join us for our Women's Ministry Spring Event "By His Grace...The Journey Continues." Registration begins March 17th. For more info, email womensministry@hcchome.org.

VBS & Kids' Camp Volunteer Sign-up

Our annual VBS & Kids' Camp is a blast thanks to our fantastic volunteer team. Consider joining this year as a volunteer or coordinator! Volunteers can sign up at hcc.lv/24VBSTeam until April 7th. Training details and requirements are listed on the form.

HCC VBS & Kids Camp | June 17th-21st | HCC

Register for SonSpark Labs Science VBS & Kids Camp at hcc.lv/2024VBS. Cost: \$30 for morning VBS. \$170 for full-day VBS + Kids' Camp (\$25 sibling discount for KC). For questions, contact frankt@hcchome.org.

CHURCH NOTICES

Children's Ministry Internship Opportunity

Children's Ministry has a paid intern position open in summer 2024 for up to three months. The intern will gain experience working with children and learn to plan and lead ministry programs. Individuals eligible to apply should be incoming 11th grade and older. To apply or for more information, contact Mr. Frank at frankt@hcchome.org.

If You Wish to Continue to Support Ethnos:

Please use this link to give directly to our Ethnos Church Plant online: ethnos.churchcenter.com/giving. Any donations you made to HCC for Ethnos prior to today will be forwarded to them.

COMMUNITY NEWS

The Gray Havens: 10 Year Anniversary Tour | Sat, April 13th | 7:00pm | HCC

For tickets, visit: hcc.lv/thegrayhavens. Use special discount code (HCC20) for \$10 off! Volunteers get in free! Contact Theresa at tree2727@gmail.com.

HCC FAMILIES

No Nursery/YOUTH/AWANA this Friday, 3/15

There will be no childcare, youth, or AWANA due to spring break. Fellowships and small groups should plan accordingly.

HOUSTON CHINESE CHURCH FACTS & FIGURES

LAST SUNDAY'S ATTENDANCE AND FINANCIAL SUMMARY FOR MAR 3, 2024

HCC WORSHIP

PEARLAND WORSHIP

273

ENGLISH

84

CANTONESE

189

MANDARIN

50

YOUTH

103

CHILDREN

77

COMBINED

19

CHILDREN

795

TOTAL



HCC SUNDAY SCHOOL

PEARLAND SUNDAY SCHOOL

102

ENGLISH

77

CANTONESE

86

MANDARIN

12

ENGLISH

23

MANDARIN

-

YOUTH

8

CHILDREN

MAR 3, 2024	OFFERINGS	YTD RECEIVED	YTD (DEFICIT)/SURPLUS	
			THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR
HCC GENERAL	\$32,425.64	\$286,441.09	(\$168,798.92)	(\$119,507.51)
PCC GENERAL	\$7,807.00	\$35,494.38		
HCC BUILDING	\$430.00	\$6,387.54		
HCC PLEDGE PAYMENTS	\$200.00	\$155,532.63		
RESTRICTED COMM SERVICE GRANTS	\$7,500.00	\$7,500.00		

MEMBERSHIP INTRODUCTIONS

TODAY, current members are invited to affirm our new membership candidates: *Cecilia Liang, Sara Sii, Catherine Wudiyono, and Stephen Zhu* as well as our reactivated members: *Peter & Janis Bell Lim, and Harvey & Linda Phillips*. Please welcome them to the HCC family!

STAFF ITINERARY

Jason Tarn: Vacation/Outside Speaking, 3/7-14
Thomas Wang: Vacation, 3/13-19

LUNCH PREPARATION

Newcomers can pick up a free lunch coupon & voucher to book stall at the Welcome Desk!

Teddy & Sharon/Kirk & Jemima (this week)
Jiaxin/SYPF (next week)

PRAYER

Join us as we pray for our long term workers in this month's Global Outreach Spotlight:
hcc.lv/pray24

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PPGF GIVING CODES

Without a giving code, your donation will default to the General Fund. Use these numbers in the cents amount to designate a fund (e.g. \$250.25 for a pledge fulfillment).

"25" - Fulfilling your Building Project pledge
 "22" - Designate to the HCC Building Fund

ABOUT US

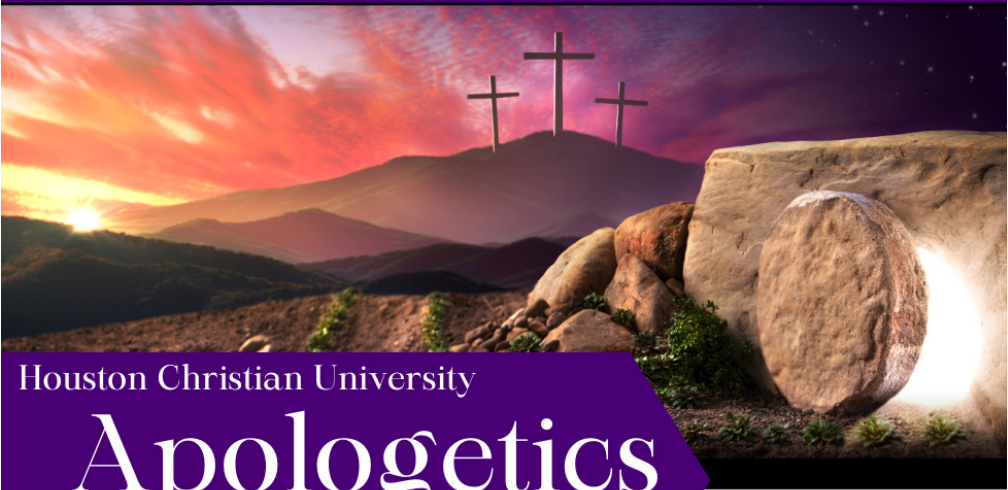
New or Visiting HCC?

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.lv/Welcome 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 | hcc.lv/news

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

DEFENDING EASTER



Houston Christian University

Apologetics Day



Saturday, March 23, 2024

Houston Chinese Church

10305 S Main St

Breakout Sessions in English & Chinese



William Lane Craig



Jason Tarn



ChunMing Fong



Mike Licona

