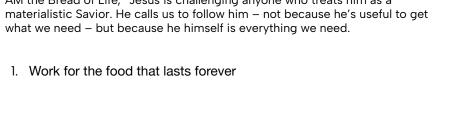


The Seven I AM Statements of Christ

I AM the Bread of Life John 6:25-29

In the Gospel of John, there are seven famous I AM statements where Jesus discloses his true identity as Yahweh (the LORD God) in the flesh. In claiming, "I AM the Bread of Life," Jesus is challenging anyone who treats him as a materialistic Savior. He calls us to follow him – not because he's useful to get what we need – but because he himself is everything we need



2. Come to the Savior that never lets you go

3. Feed on the flesh that gives you eternal life

2025–2026 Nomination Bios

+ elder deacons

2025 Elder/Deacon Meet & Greet

Sun, Oct 13 | 1:45 pm | Trailer 412/414

We will introduce the incoming elder and deacons.
All church members are welcome to participate.

General Membership Meeting

Sun, Oct 27 | 12:30 pm | Sanctuary

This meeting will be held following Sunday School on 10/27 to vote/affirm the deacon/elder nominees for 2025-2026. We need more than 50% of the church members to attend to meet quorum to vote.

2nd Term's Deacons



Anthony Wu Mandarin Fellowship

My name is Jun (Anthony) Wu, my wife is Fan Zhang. We have 3 children: Jeffery, Julia and Jeremy. I am a software engineer at the oil services company Schlumberger. My wife and I were baptized in 2003 at Clear Lake Chinese Church, and we joined Houston Chinese Church in 2004. By God's grace and the love from our brothers and sisters, we grew spiritually and served in various positions in Aihua fellowship. I thank God that He provides this new opportunity for us to serve, I am accept this opportunity to serve Him humbly. Let's work together so that the gospel may reach more people in our community.



Dong Liu
Chinese
Welcoming &
Receiving

My name is Dong Liu and I have been married to Shen Wang for 23 years. We have two children (a boy and girl). I currently teach mechanical engineering at UH. My wife and I were baptized in 2000 at Greater Lafayette Chinese Alliance Church. In 2007, we joined HCC and have been part of the Aihua fellowship ever since. I once served as the fellowship chair and also Deacon of Assimilation (predecessor to Warm and Receiving Ministry). I also served passionately in the Adult Sunday School and UH Student Thank God that He has always led us, allowed us to grow by His grace and our love and care for one another, and participate in His holy work. By God's mercy and with His help, I accept the nomination to serve as the Deacon of Welcoming and Receiving for the 2025-2026 term. I will humbly strive to help new friends and visitors understand our faith and our church, trust in God and glorify His name!



Jack Wang
English
Welcoming &
Receiving

My wife, Rebecca, and I have four children (Bennett 8. Matthias 6, Elliott 4, and Thaddeus 2). I'm currently working as a global demo environment manager in the technology industry. We've been at HCC since 2018 and have been attending the SHARE small group. In the time I've been at HCC, I have served as a small group leader and a children's Sunday school teacher, gone on a mission trip to Nicaragua, helped plan a BASIC (young adults) retreat, occasionally participated on worship team, and served on the welcome team. I'm excited to help HCC continue to develop a warm and welcoming atmosphere to first time (or repeat!) visitors as a demonstration of God's love for them. I also want to make sure newcomers know that they matter by following up and having any of their questions quickly and easily answered.

2nd Term's Deacons



Phong Lam
English Local
Outreach

I am single and currently working as a registered nurse providing care to both pediatric and adult populations. I have been attending Houston Chinese Church since 2015 and am a part of Sam and Esther's community group. The Lord has blessed me with the opportunities to serve as a Young Adult Small Group Liaison when it existed, Young Adult Retreat Co-Community Group Co-leader, Department/Global Outreach member. HCC's and International Outreach through English Leadership Team. Though I am eager to go overseas to live and share who Christ is. I've decided to stay for a time here in Houston. Though I'm nervous about serving as a first-time deacon, I will lean on the Holy Spirit all the more and am excited to see how God will work to equip us and to partner with others to reach our neighbors here at home by remembering always who our God is and who we are in Him, all for His glory-



Dean Yeh
Chinese
Family Life

I am married to Amber, with one son, Benson, and one daughter, Candace. I have been attending HCC since 2009. 1 am currently working as an Engineer. I have attended BASIC fellowship (English) and Mandarin Student Fellowship before. Currently we attend Jiaxin Fellowship, which is the Young Family fellowship in Mandarin Congregation. I have served as a small group leader, as well as in the Worship Department, and I previously had the privilege to serve as the Mandarin Worship Deacon. HCC's church family has been a great encouragement to me and my family in spiritual growth with the Lord. We are very grateful for the encouragement from our brothers and sisters as we journey together in fellowship and in our service to the Lord together. As a father with two voung children. a Christ-centered family life important to me. I am honored to receive the call and I am looking forward to serve and to grow together with the Family Life ministry team.

2nd Term's Deacons



Chris Lu English Youth Ministry

I am married to Katie, and my two sons are Titus (14 yo) and Ayden (12 yo). I work for Concentra doing mostly occupational medicine with some urgent care and primary care medicine as well. I started attending HCC around 1992 (freshman year at Bellaire High School) and have been a member of Phil & Jennifer Chii's small group for the past 10+ years. Past ministry service at HCC includes leading music teams (children's worship, BASIC fellowship, and Sunday services); teaching Children's Ministry, Youth Group, and English Adult Sunday School; serving as a Family Life Committee member Family Life and 2023-2024; deacon and serving offertory usher. It is an honor to serve my church family as a deacon, and I think God is calling me to the Youth position because both my sons are in the youth group and I would like to serve in meeting the needs of the other youth as well. I am thankful that as part of the church council I can participate in the decision-making processes as a whole for our church family, and specifically as we proceed with the development of the new building and land next door.

1st Term Deacon



Justin Chang General Affairs

I have been married to Rebecca Chua for just over Born and raised in Austin. graduated from UT Austin, and moved to Houston grad school in 2011. I am now a remote design engineer for software system semiconductor company specializing in designing accelerators for ΑI and scientific computing workloads. I started attending HCC in 2011 and regularly attended several different small groups over the years, most recently joining Sean and Juddie's Friday community group. Throughout the years I have served in various ways such as playing drums for English worship since 2012, running our church flag football leagues since 2013, co-organizing BASIC Retreat in 2014, and leading kitchen operations for Sunday lunches ever since this ministry kicked off in 2022. Serving in these capacities and living in a bilingual marriage enabled me to establish strong relationships with members of both the English and Congregations. God gave me this calling to become a deacon for our culturally diverse church body, and I am especially looking forward to the ways I can help facilitate HCC's continued grow as we transition with the new HCC building project.

1st Term Deacon



Jawching Liu Chinese Youth Ministry

My name is Jawching Liu. I got married to my wife Hui Zhao in 1999 at Houston. We have a son (Samuel) and two daughters (Anne and Grace). I retired in 2022 from the UT MD Anderson Cancer Center and currently am stay home daddy. I started attending HCC gatherings in 1997 and have been the mandarin young professional fellowship, mandarin young family fellowship and have served as the Children Ministry Deacon. I currently participate in the Agape Fellowship and serve as the Chairman. With God's grace and calling, I am honored to be nominated for the Youth Ministry Deacon. I pray that our Youth Ministry would help youth and their families become Godloving and compassionate disciples of Jesus Christ among all nations.

1st Term Elder



Brian Na

Hi church family, my name is Brian Ng. The life verse that I currently live by is to "Know Him, Be Known by Him, & to Make Him Known." That's my hope and desire for my own life and that of my family. That same hope extends to you as well that our approach to every aspect and relationship in our lives may flow out of the fellowship that the Triune God has graciously called us into through Christ Jesus. It is by that same grace that God has blessed me with my wife, Joni, and our 6-year old son, Ezra. As we have been investing in the community at HCC, God has continued to grow my desire to equip others in their spiritual formation journey. One way has been through leading the Wednesday night community group (CG) called S.H.A.R.E since 2015 which has been a sanctifying and growing process. There have also been opportunities for me to co-teach Sunday School classes alongside other gifted and passionate teachers, as well as guest-preach at HCC's college ministry and at other churches on a few occasions. Over the years, God has been challenging me and Joni to be more intentional to be equipped and to equip other believers through one-on-one discipleship relationships. As God continues to faithfully connect us with others for discipleship, He also prepared me to take the lead in the HCC coaching ministry starting in 2023 that serves to provide coaches to shepherd and equip CG leaders as they serve their respective members. In terms of vocation, I have been working full-time as a Project Engineer at Neuman & Esser, and studying part-time as a seminary student at Dallas Theological Seminary (DTS) in pursuit of the Master of Theology (ThM) degree. The decision to step into eldership again was a step of faith in that the God who calls will also provide the means to pursue that calling faithfully.