



AWAKEN HOUSTON

THE DEAD SHALL RISE



HOUSTON
CHINESE CHURCH
休士頓中國教會

In Response to a Faith-Filled Request

The Preacher: Jason Tarn

Sunday, March 16, 2025 | 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

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture Reading, *2 Kings 4:18-37*

Worship in the Word, Pastor Jason Tarn

“In Response to a Faith-Filled Request” - [Sermon Outline](#)

Worship in Song

Benediction & Doxology

Benediction

God's blessing on His people. The minister reminds us of His blessing on the Church; upon receiving the benediction, we are to go forth and bless others.

UPCOMING SERMON SCHEDULE

Every Sunday at 9:15 AM

Motivated by Jesus' Compassion

March 23 | *Luke 7:11-17* | Jason Tarn

Empowered by His Word

March 30 | *Luke 8:40-56* | Henry Ow

It is Never Too Late

April 6 | *John 11:1-44* | Jason Tarn

Unlocked by His Death

April 13 | *Matthew 27:32-54* | 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 6 of 6) | Rm 113

Shepherding a Child's Heart | Rm 115

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

UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

All Church Prayer Service | Sunday, April 13th (Second Sundays) | 5:00pm | Chapel

To mobilize more regular, corporate prayer, among all three congregations, we are piloting a new All Church Prayer Service that aims to take place monthly at 5pm every second Sunday of the month. Our first service will be held on Palm Sunday, April 13th. The **one-hour prayer service** will include singing, readings, testimonies, and guided prayer. It will be conducted up front in English, but everyone is welcome to pray aloud in their heart language. A **potluck** will be held immediately afterwards from 6-7pm. The potluck theme for April: *Soups & Salads* (including chili and congee). Children are welcome in the service. Nursery care is available for ages 3 & under.

AWAKEN Resources

Sign up for Awaken devotionals hcc.lv/devos and join HCC's Awaken GroupMe at hcc.lv/awakengroupme to stay connected and encourage one another in this Lenten Season. For more information, visit awakenhouston.org

Good Friday Service | Friday, April 18th | 6:00pm | Sanctuary

Join us on Good Friday for 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 | Sunday, April 20th | 7:00am | Hermann Park

Our annual sunrise service (open to all congregations) will be held again Easter Sunday on top of the hill by Miller Outdoor Theater. Come worship with us at 7am and bring breakfast + picnic blankets to share! Church services will still be held that morning at their regularly scheduled times.

CHURCH NOTICES

Children's Ministry Internship Opportunity

Children's ministry has a paid intern position open in summer 2025 for up to three months. The intern will gain experience working with children and learning to lead and plan ministry programs for children. Individuals eligible to apply should be incoming 11th grader and older. To apply, contact Mr. Frank at frankt@hcchome.org

FAMILY LIFE EVENTS

Mothers of Little Ones | Wednesday, March 19th | 9:30am-11:30am | Fire Truck Park

MOLO (Mothers of Little Ones) will be having a playdate this Wednesday at Fire Truck Park! Playdates are 1st and 3rd Wed of the month. For questions, or inclement weather, please contact Yi Wang at eeex101@gmail.com

"Seeds of Hope" | Wednesday, March 26th | 8:30pm-9:30pm | Zoom

There will be a Q&A with three ladies who will share their experience with difficulty conceiving, issues with fertility, miscarriage, adoption, egg donation, and IVF. Event open to all women (e.g. single, no kids, adult kids, all women). Please submit questions beforehand at: hcc.lv/seeds. Contact Yi Wang at eeex101@gmail.com

Fathers of Little Ones (FOLO) Gathering | Saturday, April 5th | 9:30am-11:00am

FOLO is having its next gathering at Whitt Johnson Park (6540 Wakeforest Ave). Bring the kids for a time of fellowship and fun! For questions, or inclement weather, contact Alan Bennett at ab@alumni.rice.edu

HCC VBS & Kids' Camp Registration | June 16th-20th | HCC

Register for HCC VBS & Kids Camp at hcc.lv/vbs2025. Cost: \$30 for morning VBS (9am-12:30pm). \$170 for Kids' Camp (12:45-4:30pm). Regular registration will close on 5/11. Afterwards a late fee of \$10 (VBS) and \$40 will be assessed. For questions, contact frankt@hcchome.org

HOUSTON CHINESE CHURCH FACTS & FIGURES

LAST SUNDAY'S ATTENDANCE AND FINANCIAL SUMMARY FOR MARCH 9, 2025

HCC WORSHIP

PEARLAND WORSHIP

250	80	212	68	85	}	24+46	12	}	777
ENGLISH	CANTONESE	MANDARIN	YOUTH	CHILDREN		ENG+MAND	CHILDREN		TOTAL



HCC SUNDAY SCHOOL

PEARLAND SUNDAY SCHOOL

71	65	73	}	8	22	10	7
ENGLISH	CANTONESE	MANDARIN		ENGLISH	MANDARIN	YOUTH	CHILDREN



MARCH 9, 2025	OFFERINGS	YTD RECEIVED	YTD (DEFICIT)/SURPLUS	
			THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR
HCC GENERAL	\$4,986.50	\$318,892.63	(\$161,665.29)	(\$158,366.98)
PCC GENERAL	\$2,955.00	\$44,246.00		
HCC BUILDING	\$2,730.00	\$77,772.79		
ORIGINAL PLEDGE PAYMENTS	\$3,200.00	\$225,974.12		
RENOVATION PLEDGE PAYMENTS	\$2,000.00	\$82,177.11		



LUNCH PREPARATION

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

Preston & Josh/Wilson & Dena (this week)

Living Spring/Agape (next week)



CONGRATULATIONS

Josh Barber & Guo Hu on their daughter, **Tang Tang (Oriana Barber)**, born on March 12, 2025.



STAFF ITINERARY

Henry Ow: Short-Term Missions, 3/15-22

Thomas Wang: Vacation, 3/18-19



PRAYER

Join us as we pray for our long term workers in this month's Global Outreach Spotlight:

hcc.lv/pray25

SCAN HERE FOR HCC FINANCIAL GIVING FUNDS



← PPGF GIVING CODES

Your donation will default to the General Fund, unless you use a code to designate a fund (e.g. \$250.25 for a pledge fulfillment).

"27" - Fulfilling your Renovation Pledge

"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. 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.



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RECRUITING DANCERS!

For the musical performance this year, ACTS Ministries is recruiting performers who like to dance (9th graders to young adults).

No dance background required.

If you're interested, please contact **Iris Li** at irisli2020@gmail.com

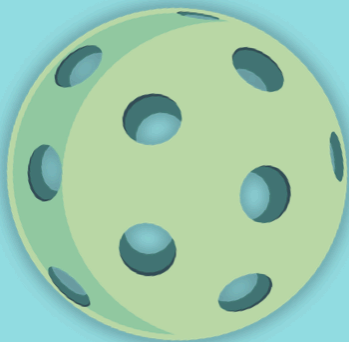
Rehearsals will start on March 30th, mostly Sundays.

Performances on November 21-22 at Stafford Centre.





HCC WOMEN'S MINISTRY



Pickleball & Friends

HOUSTON
PICKLEBALL
CENTER

SATURDAY
APRIL 5
9:15 AM - 11:30 AM

COST: \$6

FOLLOWED BY
OPTIONAL LUNCH
(LOCATION TBD)

ALL SKILL LEVELS
(BEGINNER'S CLASS
AVAILABLE - LIMITED)

REGISTER BY
MARCH 23



ALL CHURCH PRAYER SERVICE

SUNDAY, APRIL 13TH AT 5PM



Join us for a guided hour of
corporate Worship & Prayer
with a potluck afterwards!



Nursery available for ages 3 and under
April's Potluck Theme: Soups & Salads

Service conducted in English but all are welcomed