

Discipleship

According to Mark

HOUSTON
CHINESE CHURCH
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Jesus Raised

Preacher: Henry Ow

Sunday, November 22, 2026 | 9:15 AM – 10:30 AM

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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
Worship in Song
Offertory
Family Dedications
Pastoral Prayer
Scripture Reading, Mark 16:1–8
Worship in the Word, Henry Ow
"Jesus Raised" – Sermon Outline
Worship in Song
Benediction & Doxology

Family Dedication

Christian parents pledge before the church to raise their child in the Lord's discipline and instruction. The church pledges to preach and live out the truths of the gospel so that by God's grace the child would hear the gospel and believe.

UPCOMING SERMON SCHEDULE

Every Sunday at 9:15 AM

The Eternal Word
November 29 | John 1:1-5 | Jason Tarn

The True Light
December 6 | John 1:6–13 | Brian Ng

The Word Became Flesh
December 13 | John 1:14–18 | Jason Tarn

Behold the Lamb of God
December 20 | John 1:19–34 | 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 from 11:00 AM–12:15 PM. Jesus calls us to be disciples, workers, and leaders. Our teaching ministry aims to produce believers who are committed to the call of Jesus.

Habits of the Household | *Rm 115*
Old Testament Survey (Part 1 of 6) | *Trailer 411*
Systematic Theology Survey (Part 1 of 3) | *Room 210*
Faithful With Much: Managing God's Money Across Every Generation During the Great Wealth Transfer | *Rm 113*

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SERMON NOTES

November 22, 2026
Pastor Henry Ow

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Jesus Raised (Mark 16:1-8)

If the Christian faith resembled the roof of a building, then the resurrection of Christ would be one of those load bearing beams holding up the roof. If someone removed this beam, then the roof would come crashing down. Likewise, the Christian faith without the resurrection would crumble. This morning's message will explain the importance of the resurrection to the Christian faith and its implication for our discipleship.

1. [Disbelief] Some believe that the resurrection is untrue

2. [Testimony] But the resurrection is true

3. [Implication] We must follow Jesus on the pathway of discipleship

UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

Membership Classes | *Sundays in November | 11:00AM–12:15PM | Trailer 412*
Want to know what it means to be a member at HCC? Today's class will walk through church membership.

Church-Wide Fire Drill |**TODAY**| *At the end of Mandarin Service*
Please be aware that we will conduct a brief, routine fire drill today at the end of the Mandarin service. Please review the bulletin insert for, instructions, evacuation routes and assembly areas, and follow usher directions during the drill.

No Nursery, Youth, or Awana |*Friday, Nov. 27*
Please be aware that there won't be any nursery, kids or youth programming this next Friday. Small groups and fellowships should plan accordingly.

Mexico Short-Term Missions | *June 26th – July 11th, 2027 | Baja California, Mexico*
We are taking two groups to serve at the FFHM Orphanage next Summer. Trip #1: June 26 – July 4, 2027; Trip #2: July 3 – 11, 2027. For more information about these trips or to sign up (**deadline 12/6**) go to: *hcc.lv/ywamstms*.

F3 Men's Workout Group |*Saturdays | 6:30 AM - 7:30 AM | HCC Rear Parking*
Join us for a FREE F3 workout in the rear parking lot. Please enter through the kitcken-side driveway or the back alley. Contact Jerry at *jerrywang.art@gmail.com* for more questions.

CHURCH NOTICES

Job Opportunity: Missions Pastor
Our church is looking for someone to serve on our staff as a missions minster/pastor. The job profile can be found at *hcc.lv/opportunities*. Please contact us at pastoralsearch@hcchome.org if you are interested in the position.

New Online Giving Option Through Zelle
Give to HCC via Zelle by logging into your bank account and send to *offering@hcchome.org*. In the Message/Memo, include your offering # (if known) or phone number and fund: GF (General Fund), BF (Building Fund), P (Pledge), or CC (2nd Floor Children's Center). If no fund is specified, the donation will go to the General Fund.

Employer Matching Programs
Did you know that some employers may have matching programs in which employers will match your HCC giving donations? You can ask your employer if they have these matching programs. Please be aware that some of these matching programs may have restrictions for how these matching donations can be used (e.g. non-religious community service).

Ministry Staff Office Hours
To provide more opportunities for our congregation to connect with us, the pastors and ministers will begin holding office hours on different Sundays from 1:00 PM–3:00 PM. You can sign up for 30–minute slot(s) at *hcc.lv/officehours*, or email the administrative assistants to schedule a time.

Room Reservation
If you would like to reserve a room, please use the reservation link: *hcc.lv/roomrequest*. All reservations must be made at least two weeks in advance.

Book Stall
Visit our book stall to see what's available! You can also browse and place your orders online ahead of time using the link *hcc.lv/hccbooks* or the QR code.

Pledge Fulfillment
Due to the increase in costs that HCC is incurring with Breeze online giving fees, Breeze online will one be for donations made to the General Fund or the Building Fund. Please fulfill your pledge(s) either using Zelle, check, or cash options.

HOUSTON CHINESE CHURCH FACTS & FIGURES

LAST SUNDAY'S ATTENDANCE AND FINANCIAL SUMMARY FOR NOVEMBER 22, 2026

HCC WORSHIP

337	207	75
ENGLISH	MANDARIN	CANTONESE

PEARLAND WORSHIP

26	38	713
ENGLISH	MANDARIN	TOTAL

HCC SUNDAY SCHOOL

125	54	64	63	84
ENGLISH	CANTONESE	MANDARIN	YOUTH	CHILDREN

PEARLAND SUNDAY SCHOOL

10	22	6	--
ENGLISH	MANDARIN	YOUTH	CHILDREN

NOVEMBER 1, 2026	OFFERINGS	YTD RECEIVED	YTD (DEFICIT)/SURPLUS	
			THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR
HCC GENERAL	$38,709.94	$2,139,575.39	($255,882.99)	($553,250.72)
PCC GENERAL	$1,670.00	$166,466.40		
HCC BUILDING	$61,540.22	$358,051.08		
BUILDING PLEDGE	--	$321,846.57		
RENOVATION PLEDGE	$2,100.00	$836,410.63		
2ND FLOOR CHILDREN CENTER	$700.00	$88,751.86		

Staff Itinerary

Henry Ow: Vacation, 11/24–25, 27
Jason Tarn: Vacation, 11/24–25
Stan Chang: Vacation, 11/24–25
Mauricio Cardona: Vacation, 11/25
Melvin Huang: Vacation, 11/26–27

Lunch Preparation

Newcomers can pick up a free lunch coupon & voucher to book stall at the Welcome Desk!
Joey/Sean & Sechan/Rebecca (this week)
No lunch on Next Week (Thanksgiving)

MISSIONARY SPOTLIGHT

Learn more about our supported missionaries Elfrey & Rosanna!

SCAN HERE FOR HCC BREEZE GIVING

FOR HCC ZELLE GIVING

offering@hcchome.org

In Memo line section write: offering # (if known) or email address and which fund(s) you want the donation to go towards.

- GF (for General Fund)
- BF (for Building Fund)
- P (for Pledge)
- CC (2nd Floor Children's Center)

Example Message/Memo:

- #1234, GF
- john.@gmail.com, BF
- #5678, 100 GF, 100 P

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.