**July 16, 2023**

**Welcome!** *We are so glad you joined us today.*

 *We pray that you will be blessed!*

Speaker: Pastor Eric

Message: The Foundation of Fellowship

Text: 1 Corinthians 13

*12 For now we see only a reflection as in a mirror; then we shall see face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I am fully known.*

Announcements:

1. Urgent prayer request for Philip who is in ICU. Please pray for complete healing and relief;
2. Pastor Mongens and Abigail are on the missions trip to the Philippines from July 11-18 and visiting family until the 27. Any church or personal needs, please contact Pastor Eric;
3. The Philippines missions team just finished their ministry with the disabled families with Joni and Friends. They are now conducting the youth camp with the IFL youth. Please pray for the team: Lilibeth, Shirley, Pastor Mongens, Abigail, Kat, Ruby, Alberto and Julie, Wilfran;
4. VBS July 24-28 (5:45-7:30 pm): Registration fee will be $20 ($15 early bird before 7/10). Details and register at http://fecarcadia.org/children. Please sign-up to help at the children’s section of Fellowship Hall.
5. Young adult Bible study today after service;
6. Children’s Ministry wants to empower those as young as 13-year-old and seasoned adults to work with our children. Two training dates (Sundays 7/30 & 8/13 1:30-4:30pm; lunch will be provided) for specialized, practical training in children’s ministries not found in Bible colleges or Christian universities. If you have a heart for reaching children for Christ, discipling them and desire to learn techniques and methods, then join this super seminar!
7. Adult Sunday school @ 10:30 am, study the book of REVELATION;
8. Our prayer meeting is on Zoom! Please join Wednesdays (8-9:30 pm) to pray for the world, our missionaries, our country and our needs:

Meeting ID: 865 2394 9892 Passcode: PRAY

1. Our church deficit is $21,580. Thanks for your financial support;
2. Please pray for:
* Philip; Lilibeth’s dad; Lynn (knee); Philippine missions



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*A joint & integrative ministry of spirituality, missions, social concern and Church Planting*

 ***FECA Theme for 2023: “Rekindling the Passion for Outreach”*** July 16, 2023

1. **"Encountering God" Spiritual Exercise**

"Encountering God" is a nine-week spiritual exercise helping you experience God more deeply every day. Through daily reflection and prayer, scripture meditation, five seminars, and five spiritual direction sessions, we will help you build a deeper relationship with God. Each group meeting includes worship, teaching, and sharing. Contents of teaching: Silence and Meditation; Lectio Divina; Spiritual Direction; Journaling; Examen; Barriers in Spiritual Direction; Feelings; Consolation; Desolation; Listening to God; Discernment. Registration: Chit-Sang Tsang (chitsang@yahoo.com) before **7/30/2023**.

1. **FECA Governing Board Meeting**

The FECA Governing Board will meet on 7/18 (Tuesday) at 7:30 p.m. via Zoom. Please pray for sensitivity to the Holy Spirit’s leading and divine wisdom in their planning and execution.

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| **Last Sunday's Worship In-Person Attendance and Offering** |
|  | ***Glendale*** | ***SGV*** | ***Diamond Bar*** | ***ACC*** | ***Arcadia*** |
| ***SGV*** | ***HOA*** | ***Arcadia*** | ***GCDC*** |
| ***Mandarin*** | 95 | 217 | 50 | 94 | -- | 32 | 21 |
| ***Cantonese*** | 17 | 107 | -- | 80 | -- | 95 | -- |
| ***English*** | 133 | 49 | -- | -- | 109 | 50 | -- |
| ***Youth*** | w/English | 36 | 9 | 19 | -- | 23 | -- |
|  **Total: 1,236** |
|  | ***Glendale******SGV*** | ***SGV*** | ***Diamond Bar*** | ***ACC*** | ***Arcadia*** |
| ***General Fund*** | 28,522.93 | 10,515.00 | 5,703.82 | 12,333.29 | 9,048.00 |
| ***FECA Mission Fund*** | 1,855.00 | 230.00 | 2,100.00 |  -- | 900.00 |
| ***Others*** | 808.00 | 4,037.00 | 130.00 | 15.05 |  -- |
| ***06/23 Sur./Def.*** | 12,282  | 23,749  | (23,028) | (16,378) | 4,047  |
| ***01-06/23 Sur./Def.*** | (31,181) | 55,102  | (80,143) | 36,462  | (21,580) |