

Anglican Asian and Multicultural Ministries In Canada

Praying through December 2020 during COVID-19 pandemic

- Give thanks for our Diocesan Bishop, the Right Rev. Charlie Masters and Judy, Area Bishops, the Right Rev. Stephen Leung and Nona, the Right Rev. Trevor Walters and Dede, Episcopal Vicar & Founding Diocesan Bishop, the Right Rev. Donald Harvey and Trudy, Assisting Bishops, the Right Rev. Malcolm Harding and Marylou, the Right Rev. Ronald Ferris and Jan and Missionary Bishop Andy Lines and Mandy. We give thanks for the AMMiC 2020 AGM on Nov 30, 2020.
- 2. Continue to pray for those undergoing treatment for cancer the Rev. Shihokon Warren, Archbishop Ben Kwashi, Gafcon General Secretary and Archbishop of Jos, Nigeria. We thank God for Bishop Trevor Walters, Mr. Norman Tan (father of the Rev. Allan Tan) and Mrs. Shirley Wong (wife of the Rev. Eric Wong) who are recovering at home. We ask for God's grace and mercy on all endeavors to contain the spread of Covid-19 virus and the healing of all afflicted people.
- 3. Give thanks for AMMiC Clergy and evangelists the Rev. Anson Ann, the Rev. Esther Ann Beaulieu, the Rev. Timothy Fong, Bob Gal, the Rev. Robert Gomowad, Selina Ho, the Rev. Lynnette Kent, the Rev. Chris Ley, the Rev. Tom Lo, the Rev. John Ngai, the Very Rev. Archie Pell, the Rev. Emmanuel Sadarak, Paul Shen, the Rev. Allan Tan, Angel Tong, the Rev. Shihoko Warren, the Rev. Eric Wong and the Rev. Walter Wong. Pray for God's grace in the speedy granting of work permit for SMSL's new rector to come to Vancouver.
- **4.** Pray for **Bethel South Asian Church, Brampton, ON** Warden Erick Irshad and the congregation. May God give grace to this church plant to work toward unity and a steadfast love for the Lord. Pray for search of a priest –in-charge.
- Pray for the Rev. Esther Ann Beaulieu in Dauphin, Manitoba. May God provide grace and strength so that the ministry among Metis and First Nations people may bring Him honour and glory.
- Second Sunday in Advent: Peace Pray that all people will be filled with the peace that the world cannot take away.
- 7. Pray for the Church of All Nations, for the Rev. Shihoko Warren, wardens Hitomi Korstanje, Dr. Ken Ting and the congregation. We give thanks for the Rev. Archie Pell for pastoral emergencies, Kelly Lamb as acting ministry leader and Yuko as administrative and ministry coordinator. Pray for the raising up of the next generation of leadership to be laborers for His harvest. Continue to pray for the effectiveness of treatment for the Rev. Shihoko.
- 8. Pray for Emmanuel Anglican Church, Boston, MA Pray for this church plant, Dennis and Jacky Pang and the core group. Give thanks for their steadfastness and immovable faith in the Lord and for God's love and care for this group.
- 9. Pray for Good Shepherd (Cantonese), Calgary, AB Bishop Stephen, the Rev. Eric Wong, the Church Plant Committee and congregation. Give thanks to God for Mrs. Shirley Wong's speedy clearance of blood clots and healing of her foot. Pray for the Saturday School teachers and helpers to show God's love to the students and their families and lead them to Christ.
- 10. Give thanks for Children Ministry Director, Valerie Yiu. Pray for effective training as she hosts a Children' Ministry Training workshop for the Good Shepherd, Calgary Saturday School teachers tonight from 7:30pm 9pm Mountain Time.
- 11. Pray for Good Shepherd Vancouver Bishop Stephen Leung, the Rev. John Ngai, the Very Rev. Archie Pell, the Rev. Allan Tan, evangelists Angel Tong, Selina Ho and Paul Shen, wardens Vivien Tang and Annie Tang and the congregation. May God bless the congregation with His presence and strength in their faith journey. Pray for nurturing of friendships and fellowship in the youth group with their leaders. Praise God for raising up new leaders for Sunday School and Awana children ministries.
- **12.** Pray for **Holy Trinity (Filipino), Edmonton, AB** for the Rev. Robert Gomowad, Hon. Priest, the Rev. Lynette Kent, Hon Assistant, Brother Bob Gal and the congregation. May God bless the church plant of Holy Trinity with Hope, Peace, Joy and Love.

- **13.** Third Sunday in Advent: Love Praise God for his meticulous love for us by sending his son to us in human form to be our model.
- **14.** For **St. Matthias and St. Luke Church**, Vancouver, BC Bishop Stephen as Interim Rector, the Rev. Chris Ley, wardens Edward Chan and Leo Chan, the Parish Council and congregation. Praise God for His faithfulness in the provision of a location for worship and ministry and a new rector. May God bless the congregation with unity and a deeper love for the church in this particular time of change.
- **15.** Pray for **Good Shepherd (Cantonese)**, **Richmond**, **BC** for the Rev. Anson Ann, the church plant committee and the congregation. GSR is welcoming another new immigrant family coming from Hong Kong. Please pray that we'll be hospitable and help them settle down smoothly.
- 16. Pray for evangelist Paul Shen leading the Mandarin ministry at Good Shepherd Vancouver. Pray for the Mandarin Young Adults fellowship, a brand new fellowship since middle Oct, whose members are university students or newcomers to the workforce, and are serious seekers. May God be with Paul as he prepares for ordination to become a Transitional Deacon.
- 17. Pray for Angel Tong, evangelist at Good Shepherd Vancouver, for wisdom and strength as she supports the Cantonese and Mandarin ministries. May God bless her as she prepares for ordination to become a Transitional Deacon.
- 18. Pray for Good Shepherd Vancouver's Children's Christmas Celebration online tonight.
- 19. Pray for AMMiC staff & volunteers Children's Ministry Director, Valerie Yiu, Ministry Co-ordinator, Alvin Ng (part-time), Bishop's Assistant, Nona Tong (honorary) and volunteers.
- 20. Fourth Sunday in Advent: Joy may God strengthen the faith and hearts with joy for adults and children who come to know God through the birth of Jesus. Ordination of Paul Shen and Angel Tong to the diaconate at noon at Good Shepherd, Vancouver.
- **21.** Pray for the **Rev. Robert Gomowad** that he experiences God's great love on him and his family, in physical and spiritual protection, favor and success.
- **22.** Pray for **Selina Ho**, evangelist at Good Shepherd Vancouver, for God's grace as she continues to lead the **Taste of Life Ministry** during this difficult time of pandemic.
- 23. Pray for the Rev. Chris Ley serving the English speaking congregation at St. Matthias and St. Luke Church; for blessings of strength and wisdom as he keeps time with the Lord and balances his time between pastoral duties and family needs.
- **24.** Christmas Eve May the hope, peace, love and joy brought to us by the birth of our Saviour Jesus be with us and our families this Christmas and always.
- 25. Christmas Day Praise our God for the Incarnation, for sending his Son to be our Saviour, the Light of the World.
- 26. Pray for the Rev. John Ngai, serving the Cantonese speaking congregation at Good Shepherd Vancouver, that God will protect him and his family from all illnesses and for spiritual growth for his family members.
- **27.** Pray for the Rev. Allan Tan, for extra grace and strength during this challenging time. May God bless Mr. Norman Tan with healing and complete recovery now at home.
- 28. Pray for AMMiC's Mandarin Mission project as we seek God's direction and provision for church plants.
- 29. Pray that God would put a stop to the killing and persecution of Christians all over this world.
- **30.** Pray for God's blessings on **AMMiC** in the New Year and give thanks for all His blessings on each congregation and each member during 2021.
- **31.** We continue to commit to the Lord all health care workers and all government authorities for wisdom as they make decisions for the welfare of the people in these troubling times. "Father, we ask of you this day, come and heal our land. Knit our hearts together, that your glory may be seen in us. Then the world will know that Jesus Christ is Lord." ('One Voice' Lyric by Robert Gray).

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