

Anglican Asian and Multicultural Ministries In Canada

Praying through March 2021 during COVID-19 pandemic

- 1. Continue to pray for those with Covid-19, those seriously ill and those undergoing treatment for cancer the Rev. Canon Shihoko Warren, Archbishop Ben Kwashi, Gafcon General Secretary, for the Archbishop of Jos, Nigeria and those whom we know. We continue to ask for God's grace and mercy on all endeavors to heal all people afflicted and the culture and the organized distributions of the Covid-19 vaccine.
- 2. 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. We continue to give thanks for the digital technologies that make clergy to stay connected in such a time as this possible.
- 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, the Rev. Paul Shen, the Rev. Allan Tan, the Rev. Angel Tong, the Rev. Canon Shihoko Warren, the Rev. Eric Wong and the Rev. Walter Wong. Pray for God's grace in the speedy granting of work permit to SMSL's new rector to come to Vancouver as soon as possible.
- 4. We give thanks to the Lord for His grace and mercy for the past twelve months. For His provision from grace to grace, from strength to strength for church ministries, for preaching the Gospel, teaching the Bible and for shepherding His flock.
- 5. Pray for the Church of All Nations, for the Rev. Canon Shihoko Warren, wardens Hitomi Korstanje, Dr. Ken Ting and the congregation. Give thanks to the Lord for his guidance to each leader of their ministries. In this unique situation, continue to give them wisdom and send helpers when reaching out to people who need God's redemption and salvation. Continue to pray for the Rev. Canon Shihoko for effectiveness of treatment and complete recovery.
- **6.** 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.
- 7. Lent 3 Good Shepherd Vancouver Bishop Stephen Leung, the Rev. John Ngai, the Very Rev. Archie Pell, the Rev. Allan Tan, the Rev. Angel Tong, Selina Ho and the Rev. Paul Shen, wardens Vivien Tang and Annie Tang and the congregation. Pray for the AGM to be held today, that decisions made will honor God and advance His Kingdom. Praise God for His grace and mercy in the past year.
- **8.** Pray for **Emmanuel Anglican Church**, Boston, MA Pray for Dennis and Jacky Pang and for a suitable person to lead the church and nurture the members in truth and in unity. Give thanks for their steadfast trust in the Lord and for God's love and care for this group.
- **9.** Pray for **Mission Director**, Valerie Yiu for God's guidance and wisdom as she supports Bishop Stephen in tangible ways in AMMiC.
- 10. Pray for the group of South Asian Christians in Brampton, ON May God give grace to this group of believers to work toward unity and a steadfast love for the Lord.
- 11. Pray for Good Shepherd (Cantonese), Calgary, AB Bishop Stephen, the Rev. Eric Wong, the Church Plant Committee and congregation. Pray for faith and wisdom in face of uncertainties and financial stresses to continue in outreach programs. Pray that closer relationships would be built with new families and that God's Kingdom on earth advanced as GS Calgary witness to Him in the community.
- **12.** Pray for **Good Shepherd (Cantonese)**, **Richmond**, **BC** for the Rev. Anson Ann, warden Wendy Cheng, the church plant committee and the congregation. May the Lord continue to draw people to Christ as GS Richmond shifts to online ministries to witness to and share God's love.
- 13. Pray for St. Matthias and St. Luke Church, Vancouver, BC Bishop Stephen as Interim Rector, the Rev. Chris Ley, the Rev. Walter Wong. Pray for the new Parish Council and for patience to wait for the arrival, in God's time, of the new rector. May God guide SMSL into a broader and deeper blessing of outreaching to the neighborhood for His Kingdom.

- **14.** Lent 4 Holy Trinity (Filipino), Edmonton, AB for the Rev. Robert Gomowad, Hon. Priest, the Rev. Lynette Kent, Hon Assistant, Brother Bob Gal and the congregation. Pray that the church plant be strengthened with faithfulness and trust in the Lord for each day.
- **15.** Pray for **AMMiC Board of Directors:** The Rt. Rev. Stephen Leung, Wendy Cheng, Ruth Lin, the Rev. John Ngai, the Rev. Angel Tong, the Rev. Canon Shihoko Warren and S.K. Yung as they meet tonight. May God broaden AMMiC's vision and add to its wisdom in making decisions for missions in the area.
- **16.** Pray for the **Rev. Robert Gomowad** for grace and strength to pastor the believers entrusted to him in Holy Trinity Edmonton as they continue to meet the challenges in this time of pandemic.
- 17. Pray for Selina Ho, evangelist at Good Shepherd Vancouver, for God's grace as she continues to lead the Taste of Life Ministry in creative and effective ways to support the people in the restaurant industry.
- **18.** Pray for the Rev. Chris Ley serving the English speaking congregation at SMSL Church; for blessings of extra strength and wisdom during this unusual time to care for the people of SMSL.
- **19.** Pray for **the Rev. John Ngai**, serving the Cantonese speaking congregation at **Good Shepherd Vancouver**, that God will bless him with Biblical insights as he teaches the people at GSVan.
- 20. Pray for the Rev. Paul Shen leading the Mandarin ministry at Good Shepherd Vancouver. Pray for God's protection and guidance for members of the Mandarin Young Adults fellowship, for new Christians and seekers who show a desire to return to the Church. Pray for all who will be attending the Catechism class held from Feb to March. May the Lord himself gathers his flock.
- **21.** Lent 5 Pray for the Rev. Allan Tan in his ministry to the English speaking congregation at Good Shepherd Vancouver. Pray for God's guidance and creativity in planning goals and activities for the youth and the English speaking congregation.
- **22.** Day 1: Virtual Spring Break Gospel Camp "When I Grow Up" March 22-26, 10am to 11:30am for Mandarin speaking children ages 5 to 12. Pray for the children enrolled in this camp to meet Jesus. Pray that the presentations will run smoothly each morning without audio or video issues and for the wellness of all presenters and participants, that all the children have fun throughout this week.
- 23. Pray forthe Rev. Angel Tong, at Good Shepherd Vancouver. May God bless her with joy in the Lord as she serves the Cantonese and Mandarin ministries. Pray for insight and sensitivity to God's leading to a new church plant in Greater Vancouver. Day 2: Virtual Spring Break Gospel Camp.
- 24. Pray for Vancouver area AMMiC clergy who meet this morning for Bible study and sharing. May each clergy be receptive to the Holy Spirit at work in each heart to defend and for encouragement. Day 3: Virtual Spring Break Gospel Camp.
- 25. Pray also for the Rev. Eric Wong, Assistant Curate, Good Shepherd Calgary. Pray for grace and strength in witnessing for the Lord in the Cantonese speaking community. May God bless the works of his hands. Day 4: Virtual Spring Break Gospel Camp children will open their hearts to God's love and rescue.
- 26. Day 5: Virtual Spring Break Gospel Camp Pray that the children will receive Jesus as their Savior and continue to follow Him.
- 27. Pray for the Rev. Walter Wong, Deacon, SMSL, serving the Cantonese speaking members, to be filled with patience and wisdom from above.
- 28. Palm Sunday Pray for the Electoral Nominating Committee (ENC) appointed by ANiC Council to prepare for a list of qualified candidates for two episcopal elections coming up in 2021 and 2022 and chaired by the Ven. Paul Charbonneau, Executive Archdeacon.
- **29.** Pray **for the youth** in our congregations and church plants, that they may be discipled in the Faith and may be evangelists to their friends.
- **30.** Pray also for **AMMiC staff & volunteers** Mission Director, Valerie Yiu, Ministry Co-ordinator, Alvin Ng (part-time), Bishop's Assistant, Nona Tong (honorary) and volunteers.
- **31.** Pray for God to grant **revival** in our midst first in our hearts, then in our churches, and then in our nations. May He make us salt and light in our communities.

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