

Anglican Asian & Multicultural Ministries in Canada

Praying through June 2023

- We give thanks for the exemplary godliness & faithfulness of our Diocesan Bishop, the Right Rev. Daniel Gifford & Cathryn, of Area Bishop, the Right Rev. Stephen Leung & Nona, & Episcopal Vicar & Founding Diocesan Bishop, the Right Rev. Donald Harvey & Trudy, Assisting Bishops, the Right Rev. Ronald Ferris & Jan, the Right Rev. Trevor Walters & Dede, the Right Rev. Charlie Masters & Judy & the Right Rev. Malcolm Harding & Marylou. Remember especially Bishop Charlie and Judy during this time of his health concerns.
- We give thanks for AMMiC Clergy & evangelists the Rev. Anson Ann, the Rev. Esther Ann Beaulieu, the Rev. Timothy Fong, Bob Gal, Selina Ho, the Rev. Lynnette Kent, Ray Kwok, the Rev. Tom Lo, the Rev. Alvin Ng, 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. Eric Wong, the Rev. Walter Wong & the Rev Angus Wu. Enable them to always be steadfast, unmoveable & always abounding in God's work because their labors will never be in vain which are in God.
- Let us continue to persevere in prayer by beseeching God for mercy & an end to the destructive & devastating decisions in the Ukraine & Russia.
- 4. Trinity Sunday St. Matthias & St. Luke Church Confirmation by Bishop Stephen. Pray for the Rev. Angus Wu, the Very Rev. Archie Pell, the Rev. Walter Wong, Wardens Johnny Leung & Edward Chan, the Parish Council & the congregation. Pray for discipleship training & spiritual growth of the candidates confirmed today by the laying on of hands by Bishop Stephen. Give thanks to God for a well attended start of the Digital Ministry Training, and pray for guidance for summer activities, including SMSL Anniversary on July 2, 2023.
- 5. The Seventy Disciples School: The Pre-marital Counseling (PC2023) Course continuing on Mondays through to June 26, 2023 from 7:30 9pm taught by Dr. Joseph Siu in Cantonese online PC2023#5.
- 6. Give thanks for the Rev. Esther Ann Beaulieu in Dauphin, Manitoba. May God use this His servant mightily to bless the Metis & First Nations people with grace & peace. Pray that she will lean on God alone for strength in quietness & trust.
- 7. Pray for Good Shepherd (Chinese), Burnaby, BC Bishop Stephen, the Rev. Angel Tong & the core group. Pray for the outreach activities, workshops for the new immigrants, and family ministry.
- 8. Good Shepherd (Cantonese), Calgary, AB Bishop Stephen, the Rev. Eric Wong, the Church Plant Committee & congregation. VBS is set for Aug 18 20, 2023, registration starting now. Ask God to give wisdom on how to reach out to more new families to share the good news of God's love.
- Good Shepherd (Cantonese), Richmond, BC the Rev. Anson Ann, Wardens Edward Liu and Ka Man Ng
 and the congregation. Pray for God's provision of a more suitable worship venue for GSR's ministry needs and
 expansion.
- 10. Good Shepherd Vancouver Bishop Stephen Leung, the Rev. John Ngai, the Rev. Paul Shen, the Rev. Allan Tan, the Rev. Alvin Ng, Selina Ho, Ray Kwok and Wardens Vivien Tang and Annie Tang, the Parish Council & the congregation. Pray for the search of an Associate Priest. Pray for those preparing for the English Congregation Retreat on July 8 and the "Yee Haw" VBS July 28 20, 2023, for meeting God and being edified. Pray God will greatly use the children ministries to nurture unbelieving families as the children rehearse and prepare for the Sep public performance.
- 11. 2023 Joint Summer Conference, Jun 30 Jul 3, 2023 at Summit Park, Abbotsford. Jointly for GS Vancouver, GS Richmond and GS Calgary pray for the planning and preparation work: Cantonese theme "Our Future Vision of Faith", speaker Dr. Ka Lun Leung and the Mandarin theme "Living with Love", speakers Ms. Deborah Chiang and the Rev. Ryan Wang. Pray that those who participate in the Joint Summer Conference during the Canada Day long weekend will have an uplifting experience.
- 12. The Seventy Disciples School: The Pre-marital Counseling (PC2023) Course continuing on Mondays through to June 26, 2023 from 7:30 9pm taught by Dr. Joseph Siu in Cantonese online PC2023#6.
- 13. AMMiC Youth Musical Platform (Cantonese) Process Drama: Give thanks to God for the smooth running of the rehearsals and sufficient resources for the entire project. Continue to ask for wisdom for everyone so that each can spread the gospel through script creation, character building & rehearsals.
- 14. Pray for the AMMiC Board of Directors: The Rt. Rev. Stephen Leung, Wendy Cheng, Ruth Lin, the Rev. Angel Tong, Anita Wong, the Rev. Angus Wu & S.K. Yung. Give thanks for the planning and co-ordination of the Ministry Conference in September 2023.

- 15. Pray for Mandarin Worship at Good Shepherd Vancouver the Rev. Paul Shen & the core group. Praise God for guiding this mission group to grow in maturity, spiritually & financially. Pray that the Rev Paul & his co-workers will be good servants & stewards. effective ministers of Jesus Christ.
- **16.** Pray for the **Taste of Life Ministry** led by **Selina Ho**, evangelist at Good Shepherd Vancouver as they meet on Tuesday, Jun 27, 2023 to celebrate their 14th Anniversary in an outdoor gathering. May the Holy Spirit prepare each heart to bring about a fresh encounter with God, to have lives changed and dedicated to Him.
- 17. Pray for our Electoral Nominating Committee (ENC), chaired by Executive Archdeacon Paul Charbonneau, as they seek the Lord's will concerning candidates for the office of suffragan bishop serving in western Canada to be elected at our diocesan synod later this year, especially for the Rev. Anson Ann and Joyce Lee, representing AMMiC.
- **18.** Pray for the planning and preparation work by the House of Bishops, ANiC council and staff for **Diocesan Synod 2023** to be held from Nov 15 to 17, 2023 in Vancouver, BC, at Good Shepherd Vancouver, for the logistics of the synod & the election of another suffragan bishop.
- 19. The Seventy Disciples School: The Pre-marital Counseling (PC2023) Course continuing on Mondays through to June 26, 2023 from 7:30–9pm taught by Dr. Joseph Siu in Cantonese online PC2023#7.
- 20. Pray for the Rev. Anson Ann & Charis, that he be filled & empowered by the Holy Spirit to be an effective minster of Jesus Christ. Bless him with grace & strength as he serves God by shepherding the people at GS Richmond & in the ANiC Diocesan Council & the Biblically Grounded Priority Team.
- 21. Pray for the Rev. John Ngai & Ellen, as he plans & prepares for the 2023 Summer Conference. Pray for the Rev. Allan Tan, & Pochia, in leading the English Congregation Retreat. Pray for the Rev. Paul Shen, & Elena, to be filled grace & strength as he guides & pastor the Mandarin speakers. Pray for the Rev. Alvin Ng & Jenny, in his role as technology coordinator for worship & ministry. Pray for Ray Kwok & Anita, his leading the Couple Group, the Children Praise Ensemble, the Little Shepherds Chinese Musical Theatre, the Little Shepherds Chinese Reading Theatre & the Dodgebee adult & student classes. May they focus only on Jesus Christ in their ministries.
- 22. Pray for the Rev. Eric Wong & Shirley as he faithfully ministers & disciples the people of his church plant, and for boldness in preaching the Word. May God bless him richly with peace & joy in all his undertaking for His glory.
- 23. Pray for the Rev. Angus Wu & Mazy, the Very Rev. Archie Pell & Caron, the Rev. Walter Wong & Francis, that they take priority in drawing close to God daily as they minister to newcomers, young families & young adults in their spiritual growth.
- 24. Pray for the Rev. Angel Tong & Luke, as Priest in Charge of Good Shepherd Burnaby Chinese Church, and their team, that God strengthens, protect & grant them wisdom to serve in this ministry.
- 25. Pray for AMMiC's The Seventy Disciples School Academic Director, Mazy Ng, that the mission and vision of the School to provide financially affordable, basic biblical theological teaching and ministry training relevant to the current multi-ethnic context and ministry needs in Canada for raising up lay leadership and Vocational Deacons (Anglican) to serve God and his Kingdom be realized. Pray for the courses planned for Fall of 2023 and Spring of 2024
- 26. The Seventy Disciples School: The Pre-marital Counseling (PC2023) Course concluding session tonight from 7:30 9pm taught by Dr. Joseph Siu in Cantonese online PC2023#8. May God use mightily the students as they serve those preparing for marriage.
- 27. Pray for all baptismal and confirmation candidates to receive the Holy Spirit by the laying on of hands by Bishop Stephen, and to be bold witnesses for Jesus. Taste of Life 14th Anniversary celebration today.
- 28. Clergy and Ministry Staff Day: pray for AMMiC clergy who meet this morning for Bible study and sharing, to encourage and build up one another.
- 29. Give thanks for AMMiC staff & volunteers: Ministry Co-ordinator, Alvin Ng (part-time), Bishop's Assistant, Nona Tong (honorary), Academic Director, Mazy Ng, Ministry Assistant, Bonita Wan & volunteers, for their faithful services. Pray also for AMMiC's retired and bi-vocational clergy.
- 30. Joint 2023 Summer Conference (Cantonese & Mandarin) "Our Future Vision of Faith" with Dr. Ka Lun Leung / "Living with Love" with Ms. Deborah Chiang, the Rev. Ryan Wang – Day 1 at Summit Park Jun 30 to July 3rd, 2023.