

Anglican Asian & Multicultural Ministries in Canada Praying through March 2024

- We give thanks for the exemplary godliness and faithfulness of our Diocesan Bishop, the Right Rev. Daniel Gifford and Cathryn, Area Bishops, the Right Rev. Stephen Leung and Nona, Bishop elect the Ven. Mike Steward and Marianne, Episcopal Vicar and Founding Diocesan Bishop, the Right Rev. Donald Harvey and Trudy, Assisting Bishops, the Right Rev. Ronald Ferris and Jan, the Right Rev. Trevor Walters and Dede, the Right Rev. Charlie Masters and Judy and the Right Rev. Malcolm Harding and Marylou. Pray for Bishop-elect Mike Stewart and his consecration scheduled on March 23, 2024.
- AMMiC Youth Musical Platform (Cantonese) YHF workshops for 2024 ongoing every Saturday 3:30pm to 5:30pm. Pray for connections to be forged and strengthened with those recently came from Hong Kong. Pray for Anita Wong instructing the Dance Technique workshop series for 3 consecutive Saturdays, that she has health, strength and discernment. Dance Technique workshop D1#1.
- 3. 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, the Rev. James Kim, Ray Kwok, David Leung, 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, Anson Tang, the Rev. Angel Tong, the Rev. Anita Wong, the Rev. Eric Wong, the Rev. Walter Wong and the Rev Angus Wu. May God's hedge of protection and grace envelope each family every day.
- 4. Pray for the AMMiC Board of Directors meeting tonight: The Rt. Rev. Stephen Leung, May Cheng, Wendy Cheng, Ruth Lin, Anita Wong, the Rev. Angus Wu and S.K. Yung.
- 5. Pray for Good Shepherd (Chinese), Burnaby, BC Bishop Stephen, the Rev. Angel Tong & the core group. Pray that a team of committed Christians who are like-minded, and have the same vision to develop a missional church, will continue to be built and strengthened. Pray for financial independence and health where members are committed to tithing and sacrificial giving.
- 6. Give thanks for the **Rev. Esther Ann Beaulieu** in Dauphin, Manitoba. May God use this His servant mightily to bless the Metis and First Nations people with grace and peace.
- Good Shepherd (Cantonese), Calgary, AB Bishop Stephen, Evangelist David Leung and the core group. Pray for the right candidate for the part-time Children & Youth Ministry project. May God bless the work of evangelist David Leung in teaching and caring for the members of this church plant. GAL2024 #5
- Pray for Good Shepherd (Cantonese), Richmond, BC the Rev. Anson Ann, Wardens Edward Liu and Ka Man Ng, Rosanna Lo and the congregation. Pray that the Lord will increase the joy and unity in the celebration of Chinese New Year on Feb 11th. Pray for vestry on Feb 25th with provision of replacement and addition of council members.
- 9. Pray for 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, the Rev. Anita Wong and Wardens Vivien Tang and Annie Tang, the Parish Council and the congregation. May God continue to bless the works at GSV so that the seeds of the Gospel will sprout and grow. YHF Dance Technique workshop D1#2.
- 10. Pray for Mandarin Mission at Good Shepherd Vancouver the Rev. Paul Shen and the core group. Give thanks for the work of the Holy Spirit in this mission. May God empower each brother and sister to hold firm their faith as they, in the company of the Holy Spirit, journey through hard times in the face of physical, spiritual, relational and financial challenges.
- 11. St. Matthias & St. Luke Church the Rev. Angus Wu, the Very Rev. Archie Pell, the Rev. James Kim, Anson Tang, the Rev. Walter Wong, Wardens Leo Chan & Edward Chan, the Parish Council & the congregation. May God use the Parish Council members to advance His kingdom. During Lent pray that God will guide each member to deepen their relationship with Him through self-reflection in quiet time. Pray also for the Lord to effectively use the 2 new ministries: Disciple 2for2 & Startup+. Pray for the health of church members and their families, especially those who have recently lost loved ones.
- 12. Pray for the **Taste of Life Ministry** led by **Selina Ho**, evangelist at Good Shepherd Vancouver. May the brothers & sisters in the food service industry deepen their understanding of God through their weekly Bible study and worship. Pray that the Holy Spirit strengthen the resolve and passion for evangelism so that every opportunity will be seized to share the life transforming gospel of Jesus with friends in the restaurant and food service industry.

- 13. Pray for AMMiC Lay Training School: The Seventy Disciples School: Holistic Prayer Healing (Cantonese) by Dr. Joseph Luk, starting April 8 May 6, 2023 Mondays from 7:30pm 9:30pm and Sat May 11/24 9am to 1pm. This will be biblical teaching, prayer practice, therapy and spiritual renewal. Pray for the registration process and the preparation by Dr. Joseph Luk and for Mazy Wu, Academic Director.
- 14. Praise God for the Rev. Allan Tan, Pochia and Forrest, in his ministry in the English-speaking congregation at Good Shepherd Vancouver in preparing candidates in catechism, for baptism and confirmation. GAL2024 #6
- 15. Praise God for the **Rev. Angel Tong** and Luke, that God continues to strengthen, protect and grant them love and wisdom to serve the Burnaby church plant.
- Praise God for the Rev. Angus Wu and Mazy and their daughters. May God bless their labour in the service for God with fruitfulness. YHF Dance Technique workshops D1#3.
- 17. Praise God for Ray Kwok, the Rev. Anita Wong and Raphael and Renaud. May God bless the work of their hands with many families hearing the Gospel through their ministry to children.
- **18.** Praise God for the **Rev. Anson Ann**, Charis and their children. Pray that he continues to draw strength from God alone as he pastors the people at Good Shepherd Richmond & deals with different challenges.
- 19. Praise God for the Very Rev. Archie Pell and Caron, for their godly examples to the members of SMSL Church especially his teaching ministry for the English speaking congregation through Sunday sermons.
- **20.** Praise God for Evangelist **David Leung** taking on the ministry at GS Calgary. May God bless David with joy and peace as he settles in this role.
- **21.** Praise God for the **Rev. James Kim** and daughter, for his response to God's call to serve in the Anglican tradition. May God bless him with strength and wisdom as he plans and prepares for the planting of an Anglican Korean Church.
- 22. Praise God for the Rev. John Ngai and Ellen, and their two sons as they serve the Cantonese speaking congregation at Good Shepherd Vancouver in teaching, discipling and visitations.
- 23. Consecration today, March 23, 2024, of the Ven. Mike Stewart as Suffragan Bishop in ANiC at 11am at St Matthew's Anglican Church, Abbotsford, BC. YHF Stage Production & Management workshops S1#1
- 24. Pray for AMMiC staff & volunteers: Ministry Director, Alvin Ng, Bishop's Assistant, Nona Tong (honorary), Academic Director, Mazy Ng and volunteers for their faithful services. Pray also for AMMiC's retired and bivocational clergy.
- **25.** Praise God for the Rev. **Paul Shen** and Elena, Titus and Priscilla. May God bless the Rev. Paul with new insights in caring for the sheep of his flock.
- 26. Praise God for the Rev. Walter Wong and Francis, for dedicated service to the congregation at SMSL.
- 27. Let us pray for the election of the next Archbishop of ACNA to be held in June 2024. We give thanks to the Lord for blessing Archbishop Foley Beach with His grace and mercy, for His leading from grace to grace, from strength to strength, for preaching the Gospel, teaching the Bible and for shepherding His flock.
- 28. <u>Maundy Thursday</u> This day commemorates the Lord's example of servant ministry. ANiC clergy in Metro Vancouver renew ordination vows to continue to be inspired by God's love and empowered by the Holy Spirit to serve God and His people with joy.
- 29. Good Friday The faithful are reminded of the role which their own sin played in this suffering and agony, as Christ took all sin upon himself, in obedience to His Father's will. By the Cross we are redeemed, set free from bondage to sin and death. The Cross is a sign of God's never-ending love for us. It is a sign of life, in the midst of death.
- **30.** Holy Saturday Pray for persecuted Christians around the world, especially Christian women in Islamic and war-torn countries.
- **31.** Easter/Day of Resurrection Let us share the joy of our Savior's triumph and be strengthened by His grace to walk in newness of life.