



WORKSHOPS

ENGLISH TEENS

Pastor Pete Chung

Workshop #1 (Dec 28th): **Dating is Beautiful! If Done Properly of Course!** E111(T)

What's the big deal about dating? Why does everyone get so heated about it? Why is there so much pressure? Why is admitting to someone you are attracted to and interested such a dangerous thing? Dating can indeed be BEAUTIFUL and AMAZING and fairly SIMPLE! What? Did I just type that? You know it! If done right, I believe everyone should enjoy the treasure that is a dating relationship! Are you ready??? Let's discover together the beauty of relationships and love the way God intended. Stop searching for THE ONE; become THE ONE.

Workshop #2 (Dec 29th): **Dreaming Big: Future Aspirations or Current Reality?** E211(T)

What are you living for? What is your dream? Does your dream look something like this: get into a good university, get a good job, marry the one, raise a great family and live for God (whatever that actually means)? What about Jesus' call for us to make disciples of all nations? What if dreaming big isn't something far off in the future but a reality God is doing RIGHT NOW? But I'm only in high school? SO WHAT?! If you believe God is indeed God, why wait? God wants to do BIG THINGS NOW! Do you believe?

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): **God! Help Me! I Need To Be Poor!** E311(T)

Since we were little kids, we have always been taught to be the best at whatever we do: student, athlete, son, daughter, musician, artist, CHRISTIAN. But what if Jesus' intention for us isn't to be the best but to be desperately poor? What did Jesus mean when he repeatedly said, "The first shall be last and the last shall be first?" What if the key to fully encountering God, the Gospel and ourselves lies in our realization and admittance that we are all just poor? Better yet, should our hearts cry out, "THANK YOU GOD THAT I'M POOR?"

Meray Youssef

Workshop #1 (Dec 28th): **Mission Possible: Impacting Your School For God** E112(T)

You may not realize it, but God has perfectly positioned you on an incredible mission field: your school. This is your territory, your area of influence, and God is calling you to be His hands and feet as He reaches out to the students in your school. Will you help Him? In this workshop, we will talk about ways you can influence your school for Jesus, and lead others on a journey towards God. Plus, we'll encourage you with amazing stories of students like you who have made an incredible difference in their school.

Workshop #2 (Dec 29th): **Evange-what?: Sharing Your Faith After CCCWC** E212(T)

Being here, meeting God, sensing His presence, and being reenergized to serve Him is awesome—but sooner or later, we have to go home to the dreaded "real world"—our school, our family, our church, or our job. But this weekend can be a catalyst to change everything in your life if you're willing to let God do it. Sharing your faith can be scary and intimidating but we can help you get past all that. In this workshop, we'll teach you some principles and give you some practical examples, resources and encouragement to help you take what you've experienced here and bring it home.

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): **There Are No Stupid Questions**
E312(T)

Have you found it difficult to pursue a relationship with God in the midst of your secular high school? Do you have questions about your faith or how to be a positive influence in your school or what it looks like to be a follower of Christ? This workshop is created for you to bring your questions and comments, or simply raise discussion.

Michele Unrau—DRIME

Workshop #1 (Dec 28th): **DRIME #1**
E113(T)

Workshop #2 (Dec 29th): **DRIME #2**
E213(T)

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): **DRIME #3**
E313(T)

DRIME's mission is to "make Jesus inescapable" around the world. By using drama and evangelism, the Gospel is shared in a clear visual way that people of any language or culture could understand. DRIME has taken this message to Brazil, Kenya, Paraguay, Benin, Hong Kong, Thailand, Ethiopia, Russia and more since it began in 1994. Come learn some dramas and hear more about how you can use this tool to reach out in your community or as a mission team. For more information about DRIME, check out www.drime.com or look up DRIME on facebook.

Pastor Paul Wang Jr.

Workshop #1 (Dec 28th): **Born This Way**
E114(T)

Ever wonder why was I born Chinese? And if you were born in North America, why was I born Asian Canadian/American? Out of all the different times and places that God could have brought you and I into this world, we were born into a certain cultural identity: Asian. What could this mean for us? What could it mean for our churches and our communities? Let's start thinking together about how Christ's identity brings us stronger meaning than our ethnic identities alone and how we can use our unique gifts, talents, and resources that he's given each of us as second and third generation Asians.

Workshop #2 (Dec 29th): **The Crazy Glue in the Chinese Church**
E214(T)

Traditional Chinese churches tend to focus on building their teenagers faith on a cognitive and internal level. From what we have seen over thirty years in North America, it is a select group, typically the 'good' kids that seem to find stickiness in the Chinese church. Let's brainstorm together, asking Jesus what is the glue that He used with the disciples? How did Jesus get strangers and even enemies to become deep friends who loved each other, and loved God, and made a difference together in world history? Let our conversation be open and willing to see that God knows a better way for us all to find a strong bond that can only come from Him.

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): **The Space12 Story: Being Connected to The Community**
E314(T)

I would like to share with you the story of what can happen when a forward thinking Church can bless their young people to dream big dreams for their communities. This is our story. Space12 is our humble effort to live and be the church to a broken part of our city. Let's have a conversation together on identifying and getting you plugged into the broken places in your city.

ENGLISH ADULTS

Pastor Joel Black

Workshop #1 (Dec 28th): **Hearing God (Part I): How does God speak to us today?**
E120(A)

As followers of Christ we all desire to hear God speaking to us. So why is it so hard? You may have questions about hearing God's voice or find it difficult to discern what He is saying to you. This series of three workshops will answer these and other questions about hearing God's voice and leave you with valuable tools you need to grow in your relationship with God.

Workshop #2 (Dec 29th): **Hearing God (Part II): Why can't I hear God speaking to me?**
E220(A)

As followers of Christ we all desire to hear God speaking to us. So why is it so hard? You may have questions about hearing God's voice or find it difficult to discern what He is saying to you. This series of three workshops will answer these and other questions about hearing God's voice and leave you with valuable tools you need to grow in your relationship with God.

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): **Hearing God (Part III): How can I discern God's voice?**
E320(A)

As followers of Christ we all desire to hear God speaking to us. So why is it so hard? You may have questions about hearing God's voice or find it difficult to discern what He is saying to you. How do you know it's His voice and not something else?" This series of three workshops will answer these and other questions about hearing God's voice and leave you with valuable tools you need to grow in your relationship with God.

Rev. Ted Ng

Workshop #1 (Dec 28th): **Next Gen Ministry—Past Perils and Broken Promises**
E121(A)

The silent exodus of next generation has been going on in the Chinese church for decades. It's time to face the music and tell the truth about this. Confession is not only good for the soul—it is necessary in order to find healing and hope. This workshop invites next generation participants to share and examine with one another the frustrations and hurts as well as the positive experiences in the Chinese church in order to find healing and follow God in the present. It is about honestly facing the past but also moving forward into the future. Bring your baggage as well as an open mind.

Workshop #2 (Dec 29th): **Next Gen Ministry—Present Tense**
E221(A)

What are the issues that will make the difference between a thriving next generation congregation within a Chinese church or a dying one? Is our church a healthy environment for the next gen? This session is designed to deal with the core values that will sustain next generation ministry in the Chinese church and may be of interest to those in English and Cantonese/Mandarin congregations who want to evaluate their church situations.

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): **Next Gen Ministry—Possibilities**
E321(A)

Is there a future for the next generation in the Chinese church? Are we going to keep doing the same old thing or are there avenues we can explore that God is inviting us to? This is a workshop on examining the multiple options available in sustaining the missional ministry of the next generation both within and beyond the Chinese church for the kingdom. It is meant to instill a sense of hope as well as explore practical directions.

Christopher Yuan

Workshop #1 (Dec 28th): **Testimony** **E122(A)**

What many would consider their worst nightmare has become a reality for Christopher Yuan. While attending dental school, he began living promiscuously as a homosexual and experimenting with illicit drugs. Within a few years, he was expelled from dental school, imprisoned for drug dealing and discovered that he was HIV positive. But God has turned his nightmare into an exciting and inspiring story of redemption, grace and transformation.

Workshop #2 (Dec 29th): **Love & Homosexuality: Affirmation or Obedience?** **E222(A)**

There is nothing greater than love. How can Christians deny the love between two people? Does love really demand the affirmation of homosexuality? Setting aside the six disputed passages on homosexuality, Christopher uses personal experience, biblical theology and the entire canon of Scripture to show how true love compels us toward obedience and holiness. Correctly using love, has been the most powerful way to respond to gay-affirming theology.

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): **Single Minded—Living Single & Content.** **E322(A)**

Many Christian singles feel like second-class citizens. Persistent questions from parents and friends pressure singles to get married, because doesn't marriage bring happiness? But what does the Bible say about singleness? What does it mean to be called to singleness? Can one be single and truly content?

粵語講座講員

葛琳卡博士 **Dr. Katherine Kot**

Workshop #1 (Dec 28th): 愛主路上的障礙 **C111**

當你去回應主的愛的路上, 你是否感到乏力? 聖經上要盡心、盡性、盡意愛主你的神, 是否有時感到無力去做? 會否在事奉上漸漸內心感到 burnt out 和被內咎充斥, 更令自己質疑自己的信心和委身, 更加氣餒? 這工作坊會透過情緒的理論, 去幫助你認識自己模式, 如何成為你與神關係的障礙及提供成長方向的出路!

Workshop #2 (Dec 29th): 照亮與神關係的障礙 **C211**

更深探討「愛主路上的障礙」工作坊所提出與神關係的障礙, 藉著繪畫及小組分享, 更清晰自己與神關係是甚麼的障礙, 及其障礙的源由!

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): 在失望中遇見神 **C311**

透過與神關係的障礙, 進入心靈的失望與失落, 經歷耶穌的安慰和力量, 讓你重新得力, 經歷更深的主愛, 因而愛主更深!

余子麟博士 **Dr. Alan Yu**

Workshop Part 1 (Dec 28th) & Part 2 (Dec 29th): 從頭學崇拜 Workshop 1: **C112** / Workshop 2: **C212**

作為基督徒, 我們最基本的信仰責任之一, 便是每星期日返崇拜。但是, 卻甚少有人教我們如何返崇拜。你可能曾問: 返崇拜, 是很自然不過的事情罷! 那也要人教? 情況其實就好像談戀愛。當然, 不用教, 年輕男女也會談起戀愛來。但若果有人教導他們談戀愛的正確心態和技巧, 他們便可以少走不少冤枉路吧。其實敬拜也是一樣。今日, 或許我們對崇拜有諸多的不滿足, 又或許我們對崇拜無甚感覺, 又或許我們自覺對崇拜沒有問題... 無論如何, 也是時候來從頭學習如何參加崇拜吧!

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): 敬拜與醫治

C312

我們不能否認的是，這個年代的人，無論在肉體和心靈上都比上一代人更加破碎。醫治的事工成為了教會不可忽視的需要。我們或許對醫治事工感覺陌生，但其實每個信徒都熟悉的敬拜，就是實踐醫治事工的一個重要場境。透過敬拜，我們可以領人來到主面前，直接經歷生命的醫治和更新。本工作坊會介紹在福音派神學中敬拜和醫治事工的神學和聖經基礎，並實際上如何在教會中開展敬拜醫治的事工。

鄭彼得牧師 **Rev. Peter Teh**

Workshop #1 (Dec 28th): 透過苦難，經歷天父奇妙 (出1:7-2:10)

C113

三一神論除了是深奧的教義之外，亦對基督徒的靈命成長有莫大的幫助。雖然有時苦難會影響基督徒與神的關係，但其實我們更能透過苦難去經歷天父的信實、奇妙與大能。

Workshop #2 (Dec 29th): 透過事奉，經歷與主同工 (可6:30-38)

C213

細察三一神在福音書中的相交，會為基督徒的事奉生活帶來亮光。我們要效法基督那捨己愛人的生命，首先要將自己看事物的角度和眼界開闊。

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): 透過辨識，經歷聖靈作為 (結37:1-14)

C313

明白人所擁有之神形象的聖經教導，會增強我們的個人成長及教會生活。透過辨識聖靈的作為，我們就更能去過一個被聖靈掌管의 豐盛生命。

羅志明牧師 **Rev. Xavier Law**

Workshop #1 (Dec 28th): 向前輩致敬：宣教先鋒血淚史

C114

回顧宣教歷史，重溫各地宣教先鋒的信心與順服； 重溫學生運動，盼激發教會新一代參予普世差傳。

Workshop #2 (Dec 29th): 「宣教的上帝」與「教會的使命」

C214

宣教使命不能沒有神學根基；本講座將帶領大家從創世記到啟示錄的救贖歷史來看上帝的宣教故事，也一起探討我們這一代人的使命任務。

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): 千里之行，始於足下：如何辦好『短宣』？

C314

近年來，「短宣」在華人教會中漸漸成為風氣，有沒有想過它的正面與負面影響呢？而「短宣隊」的成敗也在於有沒有在短宣前好好訓練和短宣後好好檢討反思，那如何辦好它？你又有否想過參予行動或出隊呢？

曾思瀚博士 **Dr. Sam Tsang**

Workshop #1 (Dec 28th): **Spirituality of Jesus' Parables in Luke**

C115

Workshop #2 (Dec 29th): **Spirituality of Jesus' Parables in Luke II**

C215

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): **Spirituality of Jesus' Parables in Luke III**

C315

Summary:

“Spirituality” is the popular word for the non-religious in postmodern vocabulary. What about the believer? This workshop moves us into the world of Luke and back again. Jesus told many parables,

each with its own unique meaning and twist. This workshop will explore the meaning and implications such parables have for the modern person who seeks to live in a “spiritual” manner.

從路加福音看耶穌比喻的靈命塑造 (I) (II) (III) “靈性”是一個經常用語，但對於基督徒又有甚麼特別的意思呢？耶穌用了許多比喻作教導，而且每一個比喻都有它們獨特的意思和含義。這工作坊會帶你遊走路加的時代，從路加福音中探索這些比喻對追求靈命成長的現代人有甚麼意義和用意。

國語講座講員

王治宙牧師 **Pastor Wang Zi Zhou**

Workshop #1 (Dec 28th): 後現代思潮與新世紀運動

M111

以理性與科學為基礎的現代思想通過社會的實踐，以其徹底的失敗而讓人反思並進而拒絕對權威的信仰與依賴；與此伴隨，在無所適從的社會現實中，人們開始強化自我意識，強調多元共存……走向另一個極端，並建立起新的信仰理念以與其新的人生觀念相協調。這些新的思想要素極大地影響了當代人的信仰與生活，是每個基督徒必須面對的時代挑戰。

Workshop #2 (Dec 29th): 生命進深三步曲

M211

主耶穌昇天之時，門徒指著國度的復興而請求主耶穌的教導，主耶穌對他們說：“……但聖靈降臨在你們身上，你們就必得著能力；並要在耶路撒冷、猶太全地和撒瑪利亞，直到地極，作我的見證。”基督徒的生命也像一個屬靈的國度，有著一個走出自己的小我，走進世界，走向天國的不同生命過程。“生命進深”三步曲幫助您在屬靈生命成長的不同階段樹立坐標，充滿信心地走向天國。

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): 異端與異教

M311

現代社會由於後現代思潮的興起和與“新紀元”合拍的宗教大一統運動的產生，人們對異端與異教界線的劃分似乎越來越混淆不清。其實，關於異端與異教的劃分與屬靈上的警戒，早在使徒時代都已受到門徒們的高度重視，也是基督教信仰近二千年以來時刻都在反省與改邪歸正的真理問題。該講座希望通過對信心歷史的回顧與真理原則的分享，幫助弟兄姊妹正本清源，在未世之時靠主恪守真道，傳揚主純正的福音。

謝瑞龍牧師 **Rev. Leo Chia**

Workshop #1 (Dec 28th): 義人之根 (基督徒生命根基建造)

M112

信主只是一個開始，成聖的過程是需要時間和工夫的，本課程闡明信徒建立穩健信仰根基的方法。

Workshop #2 (Dec 29th): 靈修簡單說 (基督徒靈命成長之道)

M212

透過十多年教導信徒靈修的經驗，深入淺出的把屬靈操練之秘訣闡明。目的是希望學生們都能靈命更新、與主的關係能更加美好。

Workshop #3 (Dec 30th): 神的呼召? (基督徒與神的呼召)

M312

神有呼召我嗎？信徒怎麼知道神對他的呼召是什麼呢？我們如何明白神的心意呢？