

SHA TIN CHURCH

Church On Fire

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"For This Cause: The King & His Kingdom

Please ask an usher if you want

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Also you are invited

Refreshments with us downstairs after the service.

know where these are located.

Crèche (Rm 4) is available.

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and sign

make yourself known to us

Please

newcomers today.

Welcome Folder which is downstairs on the Welcome Tabl

run a Children's program every Sunday – details inside.

We welcome everyone to our service, especially those who

Holy Communion

14th October 2007



-THE SHATIN CHURCH VISION-

To build a GROWING,

INTERNATIONAL, CELL GROUP BASED, CITY WIDE CHURCH with

INTEGRATED MINISTRIES of WORSHIP,

EVANGELISM, EQUIPPING,

FELLOWSHIP and

SERVICE

To be: The BIGGEST LITTLE CHURCH in HONG KONG

Our Motto: "CHURCH ON FIRE"

Church Secretary:

Joyce Lin

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14thOctober 2007 HOLY COMMUNION

Opening Praise O Heaven is in my heart Paul Fox

Come let us sing for joy to the Lord

Lord my heart cries out Jesus, lover of my soul

Open the eyes of my heart Lord

Greeting & Welcome Young Peacock

Reading John 15:17 – 16:4 Lori Wollen

Declaration of Faith I Believe The Apostles' Creed

Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

May Almighty God,

who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith,

pardon us and set us free from all our sins,

strengthen us to do his will, and keep us in eternal life;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Greeting of Peace

Collection of Tithes and Offerings My Lord, what love is this

(Communion assistants come forward:

Susie Y, Lourdes b, Vanaja J, Matthew P & John DF)

Offertory Prayer

Thanksgiving Prayer

Disciples' Prayer

Holy Communion Veni Sancte Spiritus

Lord have mercy on us

Post Communion Prayer

Blessing

The Children and leaders go Kids program

Announcements

Intercessions Wendy Blackmur

Sermon Love & Hate Dale Hanson

Thanksgiving We'll walk the land

Dismissal Leader: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: In the name of Christ. Amen.

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Reprise

BULLETIN & SERMON (MP3) AT OUR WEBSITE

Please note that you can easily find our weekly bulletin & sermon from our website: www.shatinchurch.org.hk, please check it out if you want the information or you miss the sermon on Sunday. In future, we may start printing less hard copies of the bulletin so as to save the environment.

SIGN UP TO HELP WITH SUNDAY ROSTER

We need volunteers to help with some ministries on Sundays. Please kindly sign up your name on the sign up sheet if you can help. When you join, you will not have to do it every week - there will be a roster. Please note that signing up does not guarantee you will be able to serve. Some ministries requires you do an audition, internship or probational period first.

NO FRIENDSHIP SUNDAY IN OCTOBER

There will not have any Friendship Sunday in October. The service on 21st Oct (next Sunday) is a normal Morning Worship.

SERMON SERIES

14th October: "Love and Hate" John 15 v18 - 16 v4
21st October: "The message of the Spirit" John 16 v5-16

28th October: "It's not what you know but who you know" John 16 v17-33

4th November: "The heart of Jesus" John 17 v1-19 11th November: "Unity that testifies" John 17 v20-26

MEN'S GROUP

Men, it is a great time to join us. Come on out!

Venue: Monte Vista Club House, Ma On Shan

Time: Meeting starts at 8:pm sharp (please note the Sharp!) to 9:30 end.

Day: Mondays
Contact: Brent Hauser
Phone: 9633-1665

Email: <u>brent.hauser@gmail.com</u>

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

The Ladies Bibles Study group meets:

Venue: Monte Vista Club House, Ma On Shan

Time: 7:30 - 9:30 pm

Day: Mondays

Please see Young Peacock or Janet Hauser for directions.

NOTE: Please do not bring any food, snacks, or drinks (except water) into the Church Hall or any classroom or onto the school sport playground. According to the school rules, Food & Drinks are only allowed in the Covered Area downstairs.

CHURCH CAMP 2007

Dear Sha Tin church

All thanks and praises to our Almighty God! At the same time, we thank those who made the church camp happen by your presence and loving support. We hope that through this camp God reassured His call to you as a family member of Sha Tin Church, and of His Kingdom.

We also thank, and pray for God's continuous strength, wisdom and joy for the PA team (Paul & members), worship team (Jon & members), Vanessa who led games, prayer team leader Vanaja, Irene who gladly spent time with children, and many more sisters and brothers who served behind the scenes so faithfully. May God keep richly blessing you all!

Finally, thank you to Pastor Dale & Pat for their support, encouragement and patience as they settle in to Sha Tin church.

From Young and Carmen

KINGDOM KIDS

REMINDER TO PARENTS

If you have not done so, please complete and return the Registration Form for your child to Evelyn Yan, thank you. We need the infomation to know who is responsible for your child and who to contact if we have queries, and to allocate your child to a small group.

NEW YEAR

Kingdom Kids have started this year's topic: Living a Life of Worship. The programme times are:

Every Sunday: 10:00am in the hall followed by:-1st Sunday of each month: G02 for Small Groups 2nd Sunday of each month: G02 for Large Group 3rd Sunday of each month: G02 for Small Groups 4th Sunday of each month: G02 for Large Group

If you have any queries or need more information on the Children's ministry, please contact the Church Office or any of the leaders named on the back page of the bulletin.

Blessings

From the Kingdom Kids Team"



TYPHOON & STORM — If the Typhoon Signal 8 or the Black Storm Warning is hoisted, all service or meetings at Shatin Church are cancelled. Please check your radio before setting out for Church in bad weather.

REVELATION WARRIORS

Revelation Warriors is the Sunday Youth Program for 11-14 year old youths at Shatin Church. It is geared toward preparing youths for full participation in the Church community in worship & service.

Our current format is as follows:

1st Sunday of the month (RW SUNDAY)

RW's meet for the full Sunday morning from 10am - 12:15pm. Our program includes Praise and Worship, Bible Study, Sharing, Ice-breaker, and Prayer.

2nd Sunday of the month (SERVING)

Starting Nov, 07, RWs will join the Welcome Team meeting welcoming Church members and attendees. Regular RW small group meeting will follow at appr. 10:30 a.m.

3rd Sunday of the month (JOIN WORSHIP SERVICE)

RW's join the worship service. No small meeting is scheduled.

4th Sunday of the month (SMALL GROUP)

RW's meet after announcement for small group meeting.

5th Sunday of the month (JOIN WORSHIP SERVICE)

When a 5th Sunday occurs, RWs will join the church's family service.

This month's schedule is:

Oct. 7 th	small group meeting after church announcements (Room 6)
Oct. 14 th	small group meeting after church announcements (Room 6)
Oct. 21^{st}	RWs join worship service, no small group meeting
Oct. 28^{th}	small group meeting after church announcements (Room 6)

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SOLID ROCK

SOLID ROCK MEETS EVERY SATURDAY

Solid Rock at Maranatha House. The details are:

Hired Buses: Leave Chik Wan Street, Tai Wai near the KCR at 4:00 and 5:00 pm

Youth Band, please take the 4 pm bus for practice

Return: We will return to Shatin at around 9:00 pm

Bring: Money for McDonalds (or whatever) with your friends

afterwards (This is up to your parents.)

Age Limit: Everyone age 11 to 18 (or still in high school) is welcome

"OASIS" YOUTH ADULT ZONE (AGE 18-35)

PASSIONATE WORSHIPPERS: PREACHERS OF THE GOSPEL: PRAYERFUL BELIEVERS
Oasis meets every Wednesday night at 8:00 p.m. in SKH Tsang Shiu Tim Secondary School (hall stage).

Oasis Meeting Schedule

Passionate Worshippers (Heb. 13:15-16)		
Preachers of the Gospel (Matt. 28:19-20)		
Prayerful Believers (1 Thessalonians 5:17)		
Date	Topic	
Oct.17	Receiving God's Answer to Our Prayers	
Oct. 24	(Preparation for Young Adults Friendship Sunday on 18 th Nov)	
Oct. 31	(Outing)	

PHILIPPINES FELLOWSHIP

Schedule

14th October: Regular meeting in Room G02

19th October (Friday-SH): Outing to Lion Rock, we will meet at 9:00 am at

Tai Wai KCR Station. We will have a potluck lunch, so

please bring a dish to carry up.

28th October: Maranatha House meeting

PLANNED GIVING

F YOU ARE ATTENDING SHATIN CHURCH, WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO JOIN IN "PLANNED GIVING" (WHERE YOU RECEIVE A NUMBER FOR ANONYMITY AND CAN GIVE BY BANK TRANSFER OR MONTHLY ENVELOPE). THOSE WHO REGISTER FOR PLANNED GIVING RECEIVE TAX RECEIPTS AT THE END OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR. IF YOU WISH TO GIVE TO THE LORD THROUGH THE CHURCH PLANNED GIVING SCHEME, THE FORMS ARE ON THE WELCOME TABLE DOWNSTAIRS. FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE EMAIL THE CHURCH TREASURER, LINDA TSE ON lindac@nwtbb.com OR CALL 9372 5600. CHEQUES SHOULD BE WRITTEN TO "SHATIN ANGLICAN CHURCH". PLANNED GIVING IS TAX DEDUCTIBLE. THANK YOU!

CHURCH PRAYER REQUESTS

"Dear Lord,

We pray that You would enlarge the Territory and "Borders" of Shatin Church.
In Jesus' name. Amen."

"I urge then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for EVERYONE."

1 Tim 2:1

FOR THE SICK & THOSE IN NEED

▼ For any people at Church feeling stressed and overloaded at work. For help, wisdom, and courage to find a good work / life balance.

FOR OUR LEADERS

- ▼ Please pray for more small group leaders for Kingdom Kids (Our Children's Ministry).
- **♥** Please pray for all our Church Committee, Ministries & Cell Leaders.
- ▼ For the Prayer & Fundraising Committee for the "Church Ministry Centre" as they work.
- Pray for God's guidance and His mighty helping hands to be with Pastor Dale and his wife Pat.

FOR THE CHURCH

- **▼ Shatin Church** for church growth, and for protection. For all our Leaders.
- ▶ Pray for God to give us a Church Office and Ministry Centre in His place & time.
- ▼ For courage and initiative in Cell-based outreach events.
- ▼ For Cell Leader Training to be developed in STC in future.
- ♥ Pray for God to provide more excellent visiting Youth Speakers, Bands, and Events for Solid Rock. Give thanks for His provision of visiting teams & speakers in the past.
- ▼ Weekly Prayer Meeting at the Islip's home.
- ▶ Please pray also for guidance and provision of leadership for the next STC Alpha Course.
- ▼ For members to have confidence to share the gospel with their friends.
- ▶ Shatin Church pray for deep inspiration and understanding of God's written word and love of Jesus, unity and harmony, and commitment to Jesus.
- ♥ God to raise more PA team members and projection team members.

FOR SCHOOLS AND UNIVERSITIES

- ▼ For University lecturers and school teachers for diligence rest, strength and times of refreshment.
- ▼ For All our students for help in exams, strength in their faith, confidence in their own abilities, strong Christian support groups, good friendship and clear direction.

FOR THE WORLD

- ▼ For the AIDS situation worldwide roughly 200,000 people die of AIDS each month in Africa alone.
- ▼ For the Congo, Sudan, Indonesia, China, North Korea, Vietnam, Burma, Laos etc for all who face torture, persecution and oppression.

OUR GIVING

WE SUPPORT - 2007

Please pray for the people and organisations we support with Our Giving:

China / Communist Asia	Hong Kong	International
Generation Ministries (Asian Children)	4) Clarissa Gafoor (Crossroads)	9) All Nations Believers Church (Tanzania)
2) WEC International (Chinalink)	5) Christian Action (Domestic Helpers Program)	10) African Enterprise
3) Mekong Evangelical Mission (Laos & Thailand)	6) Christian Action (Chung King Mansions Service Centre)	11) Lifeway Bible Church Inc
	7) Philip Murphy (Chai Wan Street Kids)	12) Carol Schrecker (Project Exodus - Romanian Gypsies)
	8) Youth With A Mission (Sports Services International)	13) Carlos Choi (with St. Stephen's Society in Cebu)
		14) Christian Solidarity Worldwide
		15) STC International Giving Fund

We give away 15% of all offerings to ministries outside of Shatin Church.

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JOINT ALPHA WEEKEND



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Date & Time	Friday, 9th November 7:30 p.m 10:00p.m. Saturday, 10th November 9:30 a.m 5:00 p.m. [8:30am - 9:20am Christian Aerobics & Light Breakfast (Optional)]	
Venue	SKH Tang Shiu Kin Secondary School (9 Oi Kwan Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong)	
Costs	HK\$280	
Registration deadline: Monday, 5th November, 2007		

1. Live talks given by Dr. Jackie Pullinger

A little-know fact: Jackie was involved in the praying and interceding for God to move in a mighty way at Holy Trinity Brompton that eventually led to the revival of the church and the start of Alpha at HTB. Come and be encouraged by the vision-holder.

2. "Helping One Another" campaign

Nicky Gumbel has always said that people should not be kept from attending an Alpha Weekend due to short of funds. We are encouraging churches/individuals to give to help those who may find it difficult to pay for the costs of the Alpha Weekend. Ask the Alpha office for the "Helping One Another" Campaign Form or go to www.alpha.org.hk whether you would like to GIVE or to RECEIVE.

3. A Time to Rejoice

The Alpha Weekend consists of a time of fun and fellowship. To add to the colours and to display your creativity, churches or groups are encouraged to wear the same colour Tshirts/Polo shirts. This is of course optional.

4. A breath of fresh air

We have made arrangements with the Jockey Club which is next door to Tang Shiu Kin School to be the venue of our light lunch. This we believe will allow everyone a chance to stretch our legs and refill our lungs.

5. The power of prayer

Most importantly, the Alpha Weekend is a time when the guests on Alpha (and not a few helpers and leaders) experience the mighty work of the Holy Spirit which bring about changes and rededication of one's life. Powerful and amazing testimonies of past Alpha Weekends tell us that God will continue to move and work in a mighty way.

There will be Prayer Ministry Team on hand to minister to us. HOWEVER, If you are a Leader or Helper and are yet to sign up for the Joint Alpha Prayer Ministry Training, tarry no more, go to <u>"The Alpha Joint Prayer Ministry Training" on 19th October</u>.