



SHA TIN CHURCH

Church On Fire

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Rev. Dale Hanson

*Priests &
Ministers:
All the
people of
God*

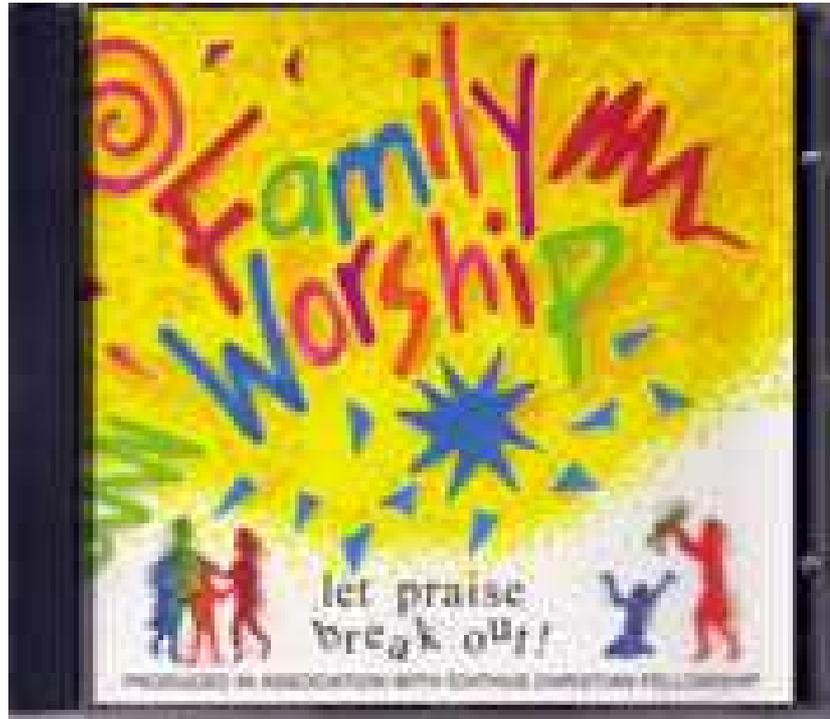
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***The Fruitful Useful
Joyful Life In Jesus***

Easter 6

29th May 2011

We welcome everyone to our service, especially those who are newcomers today. Please make yourself known to us and sign the **Welcome Folder** which is downstairs on the **Welcome Table**. We run a **Children's program** every Sunday – details inside. A room for parents with young children (Rm 4) is available. Please ask an usher if you want to know where these are located. Also you are invited to share **Refreshments** with us downstairs after the service.



THE SHATIN CHURCH VISION

CHURCH ON FIRE

- *passionate worshippers*
- *committed disciples*
- *an international church making a difference for the Kingdom of God*



BULLETIN & SERMON (MP3) AVAILABLE AT
www.shatinchurch.org.hk

Church Secretary

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29th May 2011

Family Worship

Introduction and Welcome		Janakan Arul
Worship	Hail Jesus You're My King Happy Day We Want To See Jesus Lifted High Every Move I Make	Paul Fox & Music Team and Tambourine Team and Marieke Rode-Christoffersen
Confession & Peace		Women's Group
Creed		Women's Group
Announcements		Dale Hanson
Celebration of Special Events	Gavin Brown	
Skit	Holiday of a Lifetime	Revelation Warriors
Reading	Romans 8:31-37	Kayli Del Favero
Bible Skit	If God is for us...	LoGOs & Lifesavers
Memory Verse	Romans 8:31	Lifesavers
Message		David Chou
Intercessions		F.R.O.G. Kids
The Lord's Prayer		
Offertory Song Collection of Offering	Shout (to the Lord)	Paul Fox & Music Team Rainbows
Offertory Prayer		Dale Hanson
Thanksgiving Song	Sa Pagsikat ng Araw (From the Rising of the Sun)	Philippines Fellowship
Closing prayer		Dale Hanson
Closing song	Everyday (it's You I live for)	Paul Fox & Music Team

HEEWOO'S ARRIVAL!

We continue to pray for Heewoo as he prepares to come to us in August. Pray for him as he concludes his time in London and then spends some time with family in July.

He should arrive in early August and he is scheduled to preach on his first Sunday with us, August 7th. John Menear, the Vicar of St. Andrew's, will be with us on that Sunday to welcome and commission Heewoo together with the church committee.

Please pray for the arrangements for his travel and accommodation that we are in the process of finalizing.



A WELCOMING CHURCH?



One of the challenges every church faces is to welcome the guest, the newcomer and the stranger in the name of Jesus. Many of us are encouraged by the warm welcome we receive from friends here at Shatin Church and we thank God for this!

How can we extend this kind of friendship to even more people, especially those who are newcomers? A few suggestions:

1 why not use "The Peace" to greet people you do not know and ask their name? Perhaps set aside one Sunday every month where you will avoid talking to your friends and try to minister encouragement with a warm greeting to someone you have not spoken to before. You could make a point of saying "hello" again at the end of the service and inviting them to join us for refreshments.

2 can you join the team of welcomers or ushers ("greeters") to welcome

*Welcome
To our Church*

people on one Sunday a month?

3 can you help our team who serve refreshments after the service?

SHATIN CHURCH COMMITTEE 2011-2012

The Church Committee are David Chou, David Hunter, Evelyn Yan, Jon Keelty, Matthew Peacock, Paul Fox, Susie Young, and Warren Islip.



PARENTS WITH YOUNG CHILDREN



We are delighted that so many families with young children are part of our worshipping community. During the service we make classroom 4 available for parents and young children under the age of two to use; the service is relayed through loudspeaker and there is at least one person available to help you with the care of your child. We hope this allows a parent to hear what is going on and have some help in caring for their child during the service. This is not as such a "crèche", as we ask one parent to remain with your child, but we hope it will help us all to benefit as much as possible from our experience of worship at Shatin Anglican Church.

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



WEDDING JOYS

We pray for our church members Kan and Mathew who were married at St. Andrew's last Saturday.



Pastor Dale officiated at the ceremony and Pat was able to attend the service - courtesy of being pushed up the slope at the church in a wheel chair!

Dale will also be officiating at the marriage of James and Anna 1.45pm, Saturday, June 11th, also at St. Andrew's. Church members are welcome to attend this joyful occasion.

Pray for these couples at this exciting point in their lives, for God's continuing guidance and blessing.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Matthew and Young Peacock on the safe arrival of their first grandchild.

Matthew tells us:

Michelle's baby boy Alex was born last Thursday morning [UK time], 7 lb. 12 oz., Mum and baby are both doing very well, Young and I are so happy!



CHURCH DVD

DVD on the following events are now available for order, at \$10 each (plain holder without printing on discs) -

1. STC Advent 4 with Nativity Play 20-12-2008 (length c. 55 mins)
2. STC Advent 4 with Nativity Play 20-12-2009 (length c. 55 mins)
3. Youth Sunday 5-12-2010 (length c. 96 mins)

Projects awaiting edit (DVD not YET available)

4. Christingle 12-12-2010
5. Advent 4 Carolling and Reading Service 19-12-2010
6. Christmas Day Communion 25-12-2010
7. Baptism 26-12-2010

In view of some enquiries as to the accessibility to my email address to make order for the DVD, I would like to remind you that my email address is as follows - edwinchoo7@gmail.com

The confusion may be the two consecutive oo in the email address. Please note that the first o is an alphabet and second o is a digit (like 07 in 2007).

I would appreciate if you could re-send your order to me or to the church secretary. And I'm sorry for any inconvenience or frustration caused.

The first three items are not stock clearance. They are fresh issues, though two date back to 2008 and 2009. The delay was due to mechanical changeover and then breakdown of my video editors. If you have children performing in the Nativity Play of the Advent 2008 and 2009 and you would like to revisit the occasion, this is your last chance to order them. In two weeks' time, items 1 to 3 will be removed from the list.

DATE FOR THE DIARY – JULY 1 DAY OF PRAYER

On Friday, July 1 (a holiday) we will be holding a time of prayer from 10am to 3pm at the premises of Resurrection church in Sai Kung.

This proved a highly successful venue the last time we held such a gathering. We plan to arrange a coach and there will be more details to follow.

Book this time now!

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR PRAYER

Please direct queries to the contact person for the event

Date	Event	Contact Person
29 May	STC Family Service	Evelyn Yan / David Chou eveyan@gmail.com davha1226@gmail.com
5 June	STC Kingdom Kids & Solid Rock Prayer Walk	Evelyn Yan / David Chou
21, 22 June	Evangelism Training by Matt Old [venue to be confirmed]	Julie Groves jgrovesnz@yahoo.com
24 July	STC Farewell for Dale & Pat	Matthew Peacock ENMATT@cityu.edu.hk
1-2 Oct (sleepover)	STC Church Camp at Breakthrough Village	Susie Young susieyoung@hotmail.com

TAX RECEIPTS

Tax receipts for planned giving available today at the back of the church.

CALLING ALL MUSICIANS AND SINGERS



Calling all musicians and singers!

The trumpeters and musicians joined in unison to give praise and thanks to the LORD. **Accompanied by trumpets, cymbals and other instruments, the singers raised their voices in praise to the LORD and sang:** "He is good; his love endures forever."
2 Chronicles 5:12-14

Can you sing? Play an instrument? Do you have a heart for worship and service?

If the answer is yes then we would like to encourage you to use your talents and musical gifts in service as part of our vibrant worship team!

If you are interested in joining our growing team of musicians in the worship team we would love to hear from you! Don't hide your talents under a basket – step out in faith and use your God-given abilities in service to Him!

Please contact Robert Rigadon: robrig55@hotmail.com, Paul Fox: paulfox@a.polyu.edu.hk, or Jon Keelty: jkeelty@cais.edu.hk to let us know you are interested so we can provide you with more information!

REFRESHMENT TEAM – STRONG ARMS NEEDED

We are seeking a strong people (male or female!) for helping our refreshment team members carry the hot water container we use to prepare drinks after the service. If you can help us; please contact Refreshment Team Leader: Carol Wong for details : woncarol@gmail.com

DAYTIME WOMEN'S GROUP

MEETS ON THURSDAY MORNING



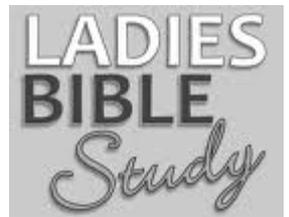
A Daytime Women's Group meets on Thursday mornings. If you might be interested in joining us, please email Pat Hanson for further details. patricia.hanson@virgin.net

EVENING WOMEN'S GROUP

MEETS ON MONDAY EVENING

We are continuing our study on the first half of the book of Isaiah in the next few weeks. The final meeting before the summer holidays will be on 6th June.

Contact Janet Hauser at janhauser@gmail.com for further details.



MA ON SHAN FRIDAY FAMILY FELLOWSHIP

MEETS ON FRIDAY EVENING

This fellowship group meets on Fridays from 8:15-10:30pm. We have praise and worship, bible study (adults and kids), prayer and fellowship time during the meeting. For further information, please contact Tracy at leoniecy@yahoo.com.hk.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

MEETS ON MONDAY EVENING

Every Monday evening a small group of men get together to fellowship and learn more about what it means to be an "Authentic Man". We are starting the third and most exciting chapter in the Men's Fraternity trilogy! This 18-week series is entitled "The Great Adventure" and looks at how we can get back to the plan that God has for us to lead an exciting and purposeful life as men. It is a very rewarding and challenging series. We hope that you can come along and learn more about God's design for us - as well as meeting and getting to know more of your church family!

The venue is the office of "Onoko" - a great informal venue which is a great place to relax and get to know each other.

We would love to invite any men (of any age!!) to join us in learning more about God's plan for us as *real *men!



Location: Onoko Office, 622 Topsail Plaza, 11 On Sum Street, Shek Mun.

Time: 8:00pm - 9:30pm

Email *jonkeelty@hotmail.com* for more information!

TAI PO FRIDAY FAMILY SMALL GROUP

MEETS 2 FRIDAYS IN A MONTH

This group meets up two Friday's a month for food, fellowship and study from 5:30-8pm. If you're interested, please contact Tom Kamau (68712100) or Karl Udy (98348593).

SOLID ROCK

FOR YOUTH (AGE 11 - 18 OR STILL IN HIGH SCHOOL) MEETS EVERY SATURDAY

Come join us in a time of fellowship/worship and chilling at our FoTan venue. Please visit [Facebook.com/solidrock.hk](https://www.facebook.com/solidrock.hk) for more information OR for more information contact David Chou (david.chou@onoko.com) for direction/details about Solid Rock.



KINGDOM KIDS

"Kingdom Kids" welcome all children aged 3-11 (as at the end of August). The Kids start off in the hall with Sunday Worship at 10am before going to separate rooms for their own programme. On Communion Sundays, the Kids and leaders rejoin the congregation for Holy Communion.

- Rainbows (3-5 years old) - Room 103
- F.R.O.G. Kids (6-7 years old) - Room 102
- Logos (8-9 years old) - Room 101
- LifeSavers (10-11 years old) - Room 105



The names and contact details of the Kingdom Kids leaders are on the back of the bulletin. For more information, please contact the Children's Ministry coordinator, Evelyn Yan (evevyan@gmail.com)

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 and service. If you are 11-14 years old, come and join the RW's Sunday group meetings. We meet as a small group on the first, third and fourth Sundays, and join the worship service on the second and fifth Sundays of the month. On occasion, we will join the worship service on special Sundays such as Youth Sunday Service or when special speakers are preaching.

- June 5 RW Sunday (10 - 11:45 a.m.)
- June 12 Join Worship Service (Greeters/Ushers)
- June 19 Small Group (Pearl Chan)
- June 26 Small Group (Susie Young)

OUR UPCOMING SERVICES

Sunday June 5th Grace to Trust (Psalm 25)

OUR GIVING

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

- 1) Generation Ministries (Asian Children)
- 2) Clarissa Gafoor (Crossroads)
- 3) Christian Action (Domestic Helpers Program)
- 4) Christian Action (Chung King Mansions Service Centre)
- 5) Youth With A Mission (Sports Services International)
- 6) Karl & Amy Udy (Campus Crusade for Christ)
- 7) Shatin International Giving Fund
- 8) African Enterprise
- 9) Lifeway Bible Church Inc
- 10) Dancalan Christian Fellowship
- 11) Carlos Choi (with St. Stephen's Society in Cebu)
- 12) Christian Solidarity Worldwide
- 13) Carol Schrecker (Romanian Gypsies)
- 14) Misha Del Favero (Dancalan, Philippines)
- 15) Entheos – Craig Gibbon



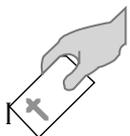
We give away 15% of all offerings to ministries outside of Shatin Church.

4th quarter 2010 Mission Giving for each organisation ~~HK\$5,485-~~ has been sent on 24 Feb. 2011. Total 2010 Mission Giving to each organization was: HK\$20,992-.

PRAYERS FOR THE 6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Risen Christ,
by the lakeside you renewed your call to your disciples:
help your Church to obey your command
and draw the nations to the fire of your love,
to the glory of God the Father.

PLANNED GIVING



If 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 call the church office or email the Church Treasurer, Kenneth Au on kenausing@yahoo.com. Cheques should be written to "Shatin Anglican Church". Planned Giving is tax deductible. Thank you!

Today we give thanks for the wide range of ages and backgrounds that make up Shatin Anglican Church. We pray for all the ministries that build us up, encourage us and reach out to others.

Pray for our unity in the Lord Jesus and pray that in the time of transition to a new pastor God will be doing His work and fulfilling His purposes among us.

John 17:20 *“My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, 21 that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me. 22 I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one: 23 I in them and you in me. May they be brought to complete unity to let the world know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me.”*

We continue to pray for Wendy as she awaits news of the timing of the heart surgery she awaits. Pray for Wendy, Anna and the whole HOLF family at this time, especially that Wendy will be able to pace herself wisely and not do too much.

Give thanks for Pat's continuing recovery and pray for her complete healing and restoration to health and strength.

Pray for church member Karl Heinz in hospital at the moment, for God's healing and a return to health and strength of body, mind and spirit.

Pray for Heewoo as he prepares to come to Hong Kong in early August and we make the necessary preparations for his arrival.

Pray that God will stir up in us a spirit of prayer that we may be able to “abide” in Jesus and so produce the fruit that is promised to emerge from our deep union with Christ.

John 15 v1 *“I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener. 2 He cuts off every branch in me that bears no fruit, while every branch that does bear fruit he prunes so that it will be even more fruitful. 3 You are already clean because of the word I have spoken to you. 4 Remain in me, and I will remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me.*

15:5 *“I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing. 6 If anyone does not remain in me, he is like a branch that is thrown away and withers; such branches are picked up, thrown into the fire and burned. 7 If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be given you. 8 This is to my Father's glory, that you bear much fruit, showing yourselves to be my disciples.”*

We continue to pray for the middle east and the political and social unrest there. We pray particularly for the Christians in many countries who have lived peacefully as a minority that peace, the rule of law and justice will remain in times of instability.



Please note that **NO PARKING** is allowed in the school ground!

Thank you!

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The Parenting Teenagers Course (New) 及青少年篇 (新課程)

2 July 2011, Saturday

2011年7月2日 星期六

8:30 am - 5:30 pm

Island ECC, 1/F 633 King's Road, Quarry Bay, HONG KONG
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Registration Fees 費用

Individual 個人 每位 HK\$ 200 each
Couple 夫婦 每對 HK\$ 300 each
*Special 優惠 每位 HK\$ 150 each

* Church and teaching staff and Parents and Teachers Association committee members are entitled to a special rate. 優惠人士包括教牧同工、教師、家教會職員

Registration Deadline 截止報名日期: 16/6/2011

Who is the Conference for?

- Anyone who wishes to strengthen family relationships with practical and effective tools
- Anyone who wishes to bless couples to build a strong foundation for a life-long marriage
- Anyone who wishes to support parents to build a warm and harmonious family

特會為誰而設?

- 任何想以實用及有效的工具加強家庭關係的人
- 任何想助人建立持久婚姻關係的人
- 任何想助家長建立溫馨及和諧家庭的人



Speakers 講員

Nicky & Sila Lee

李力奇及李希拉牧師夫婦

Co-authors of The Marriage Book and The Parenting Book
Developers of The Marriage Course, The Marriage Preparation Course, The Parenting Children Course and The Parenting Teenagers Course

《婚姻書》及《養育孩子》兩書作者
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及養育孩子課程創辦人

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BIBLE READING

Romans 8:31 What, then, shall we say in response to this? If God is for us, who can be against us? 32 He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all—how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things? 33 Who will bring any charge against those whom God has chosen? It is God who justifies. 34 Who is he that condemns? Christ Jesus, who died—more than that, who was raised to life—is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us. 35 Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or danger or sword? 36 As it is written:

“For your sake we face death all day long;
we are considered as sheep to be slaughtered.”

37 No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. 38 For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, 39 neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.