

## Welcome to Sunday Worship!

We are glad you're here! If you are visiting with us, our Deacons and Pastor Don would like to meet you. Our ushers are ready to answer any questions that you may have. Join us for youth, young adult and adult Sunday School classes after worship! We hope you are enjoying the warm fellowship of First Chinese Baptist and pray that the good news of the Risen Christ is in your life!

**Validated parking** for 3 hours is available to all visitors and members at St. Mary's Garage on the corner of California (entrance) and Kearny Streets. Bring your ticket to one of our ushers for a sticker. After 3 hours, the fees are: \$2.00 for 1 hr; \$4.00 up to 2 hrs; \$6.00 up to 3 hrs. If you plan to park 6 hours or more, a sticker is not necessary since your maximum fee will be \$7.00.

Come by 9:00 and there is usually free street parking below Kearny Street. It's easy to worship at FCBC in the heart of Chinatown where new friendships are developed with Jesus Christ and with each other!

### Prayer Concerns & Celebrations

~ **June Prayer Focus:** Pray for the safety and goals of our many summer plans: Day Camp, Sports Ministry, Summer Retreat, Youth Camp, Family Camp, church picnic, vacations, travels, and times for rest and enjoyment and pray for our generosity and compassion when local and global disasters happen as we give to the One Great Hour of Sharing world relief offering this month.

~ Give thanks for the generous support from many who made the solar project a reality!

~ Pray for the major cleanup of the oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico that is destroying God's creation.

~ Praise God for our partnership with the Chinatown YMCA to renovate the Y's gymnasium for the purpose of strengthening both organizations to continue serving and ministering in our community.

~ As our nation continues to be in two wars, protect those who are serving on our behalf as well as those who are caught in the crossfire of violence. Pray for God's peace and reconciliation in the world.

### Vision/Mission Statement

The First Chinese Baptist Church, San Francisco is a multi-generational bilingual bicultural church. Through the power of the Holy Spirit, we are called to be a people so transformed by God's gracious love in Jesus Christ that we joyfully commit ourselves in worship, witness, discipleship, and ministry.

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*An American Baptist church founded in 1880*

## The 10:20 English Worship

June 27, 2010

### Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

#### Welcome & Family News

##### Prelude

I'm Just a Poor Wayfaring Stranger

Tammy Waldrop

Hand Bells; Sarah Wong, *director*

##### \*Call to Worship

One

How amazing is the power God gives us.

How manifold are the works of our Creator.

People

**The breath of God fills us with confidence.**

**The Holy Spirit creates new life within and among us.**

##### \*Opening Hymn

#40 For the Beauty of the Earth

##### \*Opening Prayer

**Powerful God, whose ways are beyond our knowing, we long to grow spiritually. We are thirsty for the living water you promised to those who seek. We are eager to catch the Spirit, to be set on fire with confidence and trust to use the gifts you have given. Let the power of the Spirit come to this gathering of your people.**

**Inspire us to witness to your love and prophesy in your name. Give us courage to speak of your deeds of power, and to take the risks of daring discipleship. Amen.**

##### Dedication of the Solar Project

One

"In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth...God said, 'Let there be light'; and there was light. And God saw that the light was good" (Genesis 1:1-4).

People

**We dedicate this solar project in the name of God who first created light.**

One

When we know the Lord in our hearts, we will know our way because the Lord "who gives the sun for light by day and the fixed order of the moon and the stars for light by night" (Jeremiah 31:35) will lead us.

People

**We dedicate this solar project in the name of God who made the sun, the moon and the stars.**

One

As people of faith and integrity, Jesus taught us that, "You are the light of the world. A city built on the hill cannot be hid. No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house" (Matthew 5:14-15).

People

**We dedicate this solar project in the name of God who commissioned us to be the light of the world.**

One

Our solar project was only made possible by the commitment of time and expertise and financial contribution from Clarence Chan, Curtis Poon and the many people who gave generously in memory of Diana Ming Chan. In

Ephesians 5:8, it says, “For once you were darkness, but now in the Lord you are light. Live as children of light—for the fruit of the light is found in all that is good and right and true.”

**People** We dedicate this solar project in the name of God who calls us to be children of light and do what is good, right, and true.

**Prayer of God’s People** (We invite your prayer concerns and celebrations.)

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name;  
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors;  
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

**Receiving of Our Tithes, Gifts, and Pledges**

**Offertory Prayer** The Mountains Shall Ring Peace Douglas E. Wagner (b.1952)  
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

**Anthem** Lay Your Troubles in the Lap of the Lord Spiritual by Jackie O'Neill  
Say Amen! Gospel Ensemble; Joy Shih Ng, *director*; Becky Lessler, *accompanist*

Troubles don't worry me, I've found a friend who's always there to listen to me.  
Troubles don't bother me, He's there for me whenever I please.  
All I need to do to tell my troubles to my friend is bow my head and pray.  
So put aside your worries, and trust the Lord to help  
and you'll find your troubles meltin' away.  
Lay your troubles in the lap of the Lord and he will see you through, everybody!  
Lay your troubles in the lap of the Lord and it won't be a worry to you  
When you trust in the Lord to take care of all your burdens.  
And you'll find your life will be blessed  
So put your troubles down, and pick up your new life  
And follow Him to show you what's best.

**Scripture Lesson** Acts 2:1-4; 10:44-48

**Message** God's Power & Light Company Pastor Don Ng

**\*Hymn of Dedication** #24 God, You Spin the Whirling Planets

**\*Benediction**

**Postlude** The Heavens Declare the Glory of God Benedetto Marcello (1636-1739)

\*Please stand for those who are able.

Today's flowers are given by Kenneth Kwan.  
Ushers: Sheu Au, Angel Ng, Celina Ng & Alan Fong  
Organist: Joy Shih Ng

**One Great Hour of Sharing**

Emergency relief is needed around the world whenever disaster happens. When we give to the OGHS offering, American Baptists come to the aid of victims of earthquakes, tsunamis, and hurricanes. 100% of all gifts are delivered to the crisis area. Our 2010 goal is \$4200; after 3 Sundays, we have received \$2487.00. Please use the enclosed envelopes to make your gift.

**10:30 Summer Series: Worship and Discipleship**

Get ready for July 4th, our opening day for this year's Summer Series. From July through August, we have a lineup of excellent speakers who will present practical tips and tangible ways that we can live out worship and discipleship daily. Again this year, we will feature an optional certification for those interested. The sessions start promptly at 10:30AM at Cameron House.

July 4 ~ Introduction: Worship and Discipleship ~ Chris O.

July 11 ~ Personal Worship ~ David Lee

July 18 ~ Worship in the Family ~ Dave Fong

July 25 ~ Worship in the Workplace ~ Eunice Chung

August 1 ~ Discipleship and Stewardship ~ Lucinda Hsu

August 8 ~ Discipleship and Decision-making ~ Corey Chan

August 15 ~ Discipleship and Social Justice ~ Jason Kuo

August 22 ~ Concluding Thoughts ~ Chris O.

For more information, please contact Pastor Chris O. or Kenneth Tom.

**11:30 Summer Series: Taking Your Work to Church**

For 7 Sundays, 11:30-12:30 at Culbertson Hall, Cameron House, this year's Summer Series will highlight, "Taking Your Work to Church"—an opportunity to learn about interesting work done by people at our church. God created each person with unique and special gifts and what better way to celebrate those gifts than to hear from seven friends about what they are doing with theirs. In our discussions, you will be able to reflect on how God is using your gifts for your vocation too! Plan to attend all 7 sessions!

July 11

Steve Lessler on Networking

July 18

Shannon Kong on Editing and Publishing

July 25

Don Lam on Interior Design & Architecture

August 1

Curtis Poon on Solar Energy

August 8

Evan Lessler on Running a T-Shirt Small Business

August 15

Nelson Wong on Public Works & Engineering

August 22

Jon and Joyce Ng on Running a Massage Small Business

In Ephesians 4:11-13, Paul wrote, “The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until all of us come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to maturity, to the measure of the full stature of Christ.”

**Youth Camp 2010—Live it Loud!**

Another exciting year of Youth Camp is coming up, August 1-7. The theme is *Live It Loud!* focusing on learning more about worship and discipleship. Our guest speaker is Marcus Randolph, the Director of Junior High Ministries at Abundant Life Christian Fellowship. So come join the fun! Please sign up soon and take advantage of the many discounts available including: early bird discount by June 13, active FCBC youth and Day Camp discount, and first time camper discount. Also, there's a new discount this year, \$10 off for every first-time camper referred that attends camp this year, so

invite your friends. More information and registration materials are available online at <http://www.fcbsf.org/> (along the left hand column under "Youth Camp - August 1-7, 2010.")

### **2010 Senior Retreat**

On the theme, "The Abundant Life: Nurturing Relationships, Accepting Mortality, Cultivating Spirituality," this Fall's Senior Retreat at Redwood Glen will once again feature a variety of group experiences and presentations led by Walter Owyang on "Nurturing Relationships," John Chuck on "Accepting Mortality," and Don Ng on "Cultivating Spirituality." Registration materials are available for you to sign up with Joel Jang.

### **Eyeglasses Needed**

FCBC will be participating in a two-week medical mission trip to Vietnam in November, and want your old eyeglasses and sunglasses. They can be in any condition and from any time era. In the vestibule there is a box to put your donation eyeglasses into. We will be collecting them through July 2010. If you have any questions, please contact Kenley Mew or others on the Mission Committee.

### **Breakfast Vacation**

Joe Chan and his crew of Gil Qoung, Melanie Low, Elaine Tom, Walter Tom, Charlene Fong, Alan Fong, and many others will be taking a vacation from cooking breakfast from August 1–Sept. 5. We thank them for providing us delicious meals and coffee and will look forward to having breakfast at church this Fall.

### **Help Us to Be Green**

San Francisco requires us to separate our trash into separate bins. Please read the signs over each of the 3 different kinds of bins before dropping items in. For green compostables, please put all paper towels and food scraps. After a meal or an event, please tie up the compostables bag and bring it to the first floor and place the bag in the large green bin. For the blue bin, place all recyclables. For the black bin, put all trash that are not recyclable including plastic bags. Thank you for your cooperation in helping us be green!

### **Today at FCBC**

8:00 Breakfast at Church  
9:10 English Worship—Pastor Don Ng preaching  
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Dedication of the Solar Project  
11:30 Cantonese Worship—Pastor Peter Lee preaching  
12:30 Family Camp Planning, Pastor Don's office  
1:30 CE, Library  
5:00 2010 Holy Land Pilgrimage Reunion, Far East Café

### **This Week**

6/28 3<sup>rd</sup> Week of Day Camp  
6/29 Church Staff Meeting, 10:00

### **Next Sunday—July 4th**

8:00 Breakfast at Church  
9:10 English Worship—Pastor Emeritus James Chuck preaching  
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11:30 Cantonese Worship—Pastor Peter Lee preaching  
12:30 Social Committee, Pastor Don's office

### **Upcoming Events**

7/23-25 Chinese Summer Retreat, Alliance Redwood  
8/1-7 2010 Youth Camp, Redwood Glen  
8/29 All-Church Outdoor Worship & Picnic, Ortega Park, Sunnyvale  
9/4-6 Family Camp, Happy Valley  
9/16 Grand Reopening of the Chinatown YMCA  
10/5-7 Senior Retreat, Redwood Glen  
10/10 130<sup>th</sup> Church Anniversary Celebration & Luncheon, 1:00, Empress of China

### **2010 Church Theme on Worship & Discipleship—Unshaken Worship**

Since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us give thanks, by which we offer to God an acceptable worship with reverence and awe.

(Hebrews 12:28)