

***** **Announcements:** *****

- On 9/10-9/11, there will be a revival meeting at church. The speaker is Pastor Enoch C.S. Pan. The topic is "One in Spirit". If you can understand Mandarin, we encourage you to attend. If you would like to learn more about Pastor Pan, please see <http://www.akow.org/ourdirector.php>
- The Deacon Board is considering accepting a seminary intern to help pastor with various church English ministries. An official propose will be presented at September DB meeting. For details please contact DB chairperson Shih-Ku.
- The Deacon Board is accepting nominations for deacons. We will be electing 3 TM deacons and 1 EM deacon. Qualifications for deacons are on the nomination form. Please fill it out and give the forms to Deacon Shih-Ku, Willa or Eunice. You can also email to info@seattlefcc.org. The deadline is 9/2.
- Please pray for the searching process of the Taiwanese Ministry Pastor.

Mission

- On 9/25 at 7:30pm, Rainbow Missions will have "Living Your Rainbow Dream" music & sharing concert at Bread of Life Christian Church in Seattle (1331 118th Ave SE, #150, Bellevue). The concert will be in Mandarin.
- On 9/17 at 4:30-8:30pm, we will have a Moon Festival Night Market for mission fundraiser. Program includes Taiwanese night market food, carnival games, mission sharing and raffles. This is a good opportunity to participate in mission and outreach, everyone is encouraged to volunteer and to invite families and friends. Please contact Rebecca Ma at 425-590-9243 or Eunice Wu at 206-853-9410 for details.

Connection

- Congratulations to Isaac Chang and Sally Chen. They had their wedding on 8/21. May God bless their marriage.
- On 9/10 at 10:00am-11:30am at GNAC, we will have a workshop-"How to apply for college". This workshop is for high school students who will apply for college soon. We will invite current college students and graduates to share their advices and tips. Please invite high school students you know and parents to attend.
- Please pray for the couples that are expecting: Jeremy & Eunice; Daniel & Mavis.
- Please pray for Gail Chen, Pastor Walt's sister-in-law, who's diagnosed with breast cancer. Please pray for God's peace and healing to be with the whole family.

***** **Upcoming Events** *****

- 8/14-9/2: New Deacon Nomination
- 9/10-11: Revival Meeting
- 9/17: Moon Festival Night Market
- 9/25: Mission Sharing Combined Service @ 10am; Church-Wide Clean Up

***** **Pastor Office Hours, Fellowships & Small Groups** *****

Pastor Walter Office Hour	Mon & Sat 1-5pm, at GNAC; Wednesday 1-5pm at SFCC
Fellowship & Small Groups:	Meets At:
Youth Group (Jr. High, High School) Walt Chen: pastorwalt@seattlefcc.org	No meetings until 9/10.
College Mat Lee: mythicalphantasm@gmail.com	Fridays, 5pm, at church.
Timothy (Young Adult, Mandarin) Sally Chen: sallychen8@hotmail.com	Fridays, 7:30pm.
MBS (Men's Bible Study) Walter Chen: pastorwalt@seattlefcc.org	No meeting in August
Family Fellowship Jack and Jessica: doodoo729@yahoo.com	Sundays, contact Jessica for details.

***** **Service Helper** *****

	8/28/11	9/4/11
Speaker:	Walter Chen	Walter Chen
Ushers:	Daniel C, Alex H	Alex H, Joy
M.C.	Mat	Jeremy
Tech:	Lawrence, Ted	Lawrence, Ted
Projector:	Lawrence, Ted	Lawrence, Ted
Lunch Crew:	Timothy	MBS + S.A.L.T
Children's Ministry	Eunice/Sandy, Amy, Sharon	Eunice

Last Week	TM/ Children	EM/ Children	Total
Attendance	77/ 0	26/ 10	113
General Fund	\$1,126	\$185	\$1,311
Short Term Mission	\$1,000		\$1,000

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One in the Spirit

Sunday Services:

- 10:00 am 台語禮拜 Taiwanese Worship Service
兒童/青少年 Children & Youth Ministry
- 12:00 pm 英語禮拜 English Worship Service

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Order of Worship
August 28th, 2011

Prelude
Welcome and Praise
Offering
Announcement
Message The Ultimate Test
Response song
Benediction

Genesis 22:1-18

¹ Some time later God tested Abraham. He said to him, “Abraham!”

“Here I am,” he replied.

² Then God said, “Take your son, your only son, Isaac, whom you love, and go to the region of Moriah. Sacrifice him there as a burnt offering on one of the mountains I will tell you about.”

³ Early the next morning Abraham got up and saddled his donkey. He took with him two of his servants and his son Isaac. When he had cut enough wood for the burnt offering, he set out for the place God had told him about. ⁴ On the third day Abraham looked up and saw the place in the distance. ⁵ He said to his servants, “Stay here with the donkey while I and the boy go over there. We will worship and then we will come back to you.”

⁶ Abraham took the wood for the burnt offering and placed it on his son Isaac, and he himself carried the fire and the knife. As the two of them went on together, ⁷ Isaac spoke up and said to his father Abraham, “Father?”

“Yes, my son?” Abraham replied.

“The fire and wood are here,” Isaac said, “but where is the lamb for the burnt offering?”

⁸ Abraham answered, “God himself will provide the lamb for the burnt offering, my son.” And the two of them went on together.

⁹ When they reached the place God had told him about, Abraham built an altar there and arranged the wood on it. He bound his son Isaac and laid him on the altar, on top of the wood. ¹⁰ Then he reached out his hand and took the knife to slay his son. ¹¹ But the angel of the LORD called out to him from heaven, “Abraham! Abraham!”

“Here I am,” he replied.

¹² “Do not lay a hand on the boy,” he said. “Do not do anything to him. Now I know that you fear God, because you have not withheld from me your son, your only son.”

¹³ Abraham looked up and there in a thicket he saw a ram caught by its horns. He went over and took the ram and sacrificed it as a burnt offering instead of his son. ¹⁴ So Abraham called that place The LORD Will Provide. And to this day it is said, “On the mountain of the LORD it will be provided.”

¹⁵ The angel of the LORD called to Abraham from heaven a second time ¹⁶ and said, “I swear by myself, declares the LORD, that because you have done this and have not withheld your son, your only son, ¹⁷ I will surely bless you and make your descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky and as the sand on the seashore. Your descendants will take possession of the cities of their enemies, ¹⁸ and through your offspring all nations on earth will be blessed, because you have obeyed me.”

Sermon Title: The Ultimate Test

Sermon Series: The adventure with the father of faith

Sermon Passages: Genesis 22:1-18