

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

- Today is the second Sunday of Advent. Let's prepare our heart in this season of Advent.
- We have a congregational meeting on 1/8 to elect deacons and inaugurate new deacons and PICs. This will be a combined service. Service starts at 10am.
- PICs for 2012 are as follows:

Caleb: Joseph Hsieh	Joshua: Ching Hung
Waymaker: Jimmy Hsieh	Bellevue: CR Lin
Seattle: Tim Wen	Grace: Sue Chen
Peace: R.C. Lien	Mission: Tim Wen
FF: Tom & Dong Hui Chang	Timothy: Cathy Yang
MBS: Walt Chen	College: Jim Liang
Youth: Walt Chen	Children: Eunice Wu
Choir: Dannett Liu	Conductor: Pamela Huang, Joyce Shen
Adult Sunday School & Library: Sophie Yang	

Education

- From 12/11, we will start a 12-week Alpha course co-worker training every Sunday 5pm at GNAC. The class will be taught by Tai-Chang Chen in Mandarin. If you are interested and can understand Mandarin, you can sign up with Sophie at mlb@seattlefcc.org. There is a flyer on the reception desk.

Serving

- There will be a coworkers retreat on 12/10, 11am to 3pm, at GNAC. All deacons and new/existing PICs are highly encouraged to attend. Lunch will be provided. Please RSVP with Mike Shen.
- We are recruiting new coworkers for various serving tasks. If you are interested in serving but don't know where to start, please contact Daniel Chen for more information.

Mission/Charity

- There are still two slots left in "Adopt A Ministry" program this year. If you would like to nominate a ministry, please submit your nomination to the Deacon Board.

Connection

- Congratulations to Mavis and Daniel. Baby Yordan Josiah was born yesterday.
- This Christmas, the church has prepared to go caroling on 12/24. If you would like carolers to visit your home, please contact David Shen or Pamela Huang.
- TM is starting a host family program for students that are new to Seattle this year. The idea is for each host family to adopt a student and to provide care and support. If you are interested in participating in this ministry, please contact Karin Kuo or Mike Shen.

- December Birthdays: Belle, Howard C., Jessica, Jeremy, and Howard Y.
- Please pray for the couples that are expecting: Ruth & Tzevan; Emily & Alan; Dong Hui & Tom.
- Please pray for people who are sick and God's peace and healing to be with the whole family: Gail Chen (Pastor Walt's sister-in-law) and Cathy Yang's father.

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

12/11: Alpha course co-worker training (12 weeks)
 12/25: Christmas Combined Service @ 10am
 1/8: Congregational meeting

***** **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	Saturdays, 6pm, at GNAC
College Jim Liang: jim.liang14@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	Wednesdays, 8pm.
Family Fellowship Jack and Jessica: doodoo729@yahoo.com	Sundays, contact Jessica for details.

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

	12/4/11	12/11/11
Speaker:	Walt Chen	Solomon Liu
Ushers:	Alex H, Joy	Scott, Jamie
M.C.	Mat	Walt
Tech:	Ted, Lawrence	Ted, Lawrence
Projector:	Ted, Lawrence	Ted, Lawrence
Lunch Crew:	MBS + S.A.L.T	YG+FF
Children's Ministry	Eunice, Peter, Isaac,	Eunice, Peter, Zelina

Last Week	TM / EM / Children
Attendance	74 / 48 / 26
General Fund	\$1765 / \$491.88 / -

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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
December 4th, 2011

Sermon Series: **The Season of Advent: Joy**
Sermon Title: **The 1st Christmas Carol**
Sermon Text: **Luke 1:46-55**

C. God's adequacy (v. 53)

Prelude
Welcome and Praise
Offering
Children's message
Announcement
Advent Reading
Message
Response song
Benediction

“The 1st Christmas Carol”

A. God's nature (v. 48-50)

1. God is mighty

2. God is holy

3. God is merciful

B. God's purposes (v. 51-52, 54-55)

Luke 1:46-55

⁴⁶ And Mary said: "My soul glorifies the Lord

⁴⁷ and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

⁴⁸ for he has been mindful of the humble state of his servant. From now on all generations will call me blessed,

⁴⁹ for the Mighty One has done great things for me-- holy is his name.

⁵⁰ His mercy extends to those who fear him, from generation to generation.

⁵¹ He has performed mighty deeds with his arm; he has scattered those who are proud in their inmost thoughts.

⁵² He has brought down rulers from their thrones but has lifted up the humble.

⁵³ He has filled the hungry with good things but has sent the rich away empty.

⁵⁴ He has helped his servant Israel, remembering to be merciful

⁵⁵ to Abraham and his descendants forever, even as he said to our fathers."