

July 1 2018 9:30 am, 11:30 am, 3 pm, 5 pm
633 King's Road, 1/F, 2/F, 10/F



A PRACTICAL MANUAL FOR RELATIONAL HEALTH

With God

Draw near to God, and He will draw near to you.

James 4:8

"Beware of practicing your righteousness before other people in order to be seen by them, for then you will have no reward from your Father who is in heaven.

² *"Thus, when you give to the needy, sound no trumpet before you, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, that they may be praised by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. ³ But when you give to the needy, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, ⁴ so that your giving may be in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you.*

⁵ *"And when you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites. For they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, that they may be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. ⁶ But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you.*

Matthew 6:1-6

For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

Matthew 6:21

RECOMMENDED BIBLE READING PLAN: YOUVERSION APP

Are you new here?

Come to our Newcomers Lunch

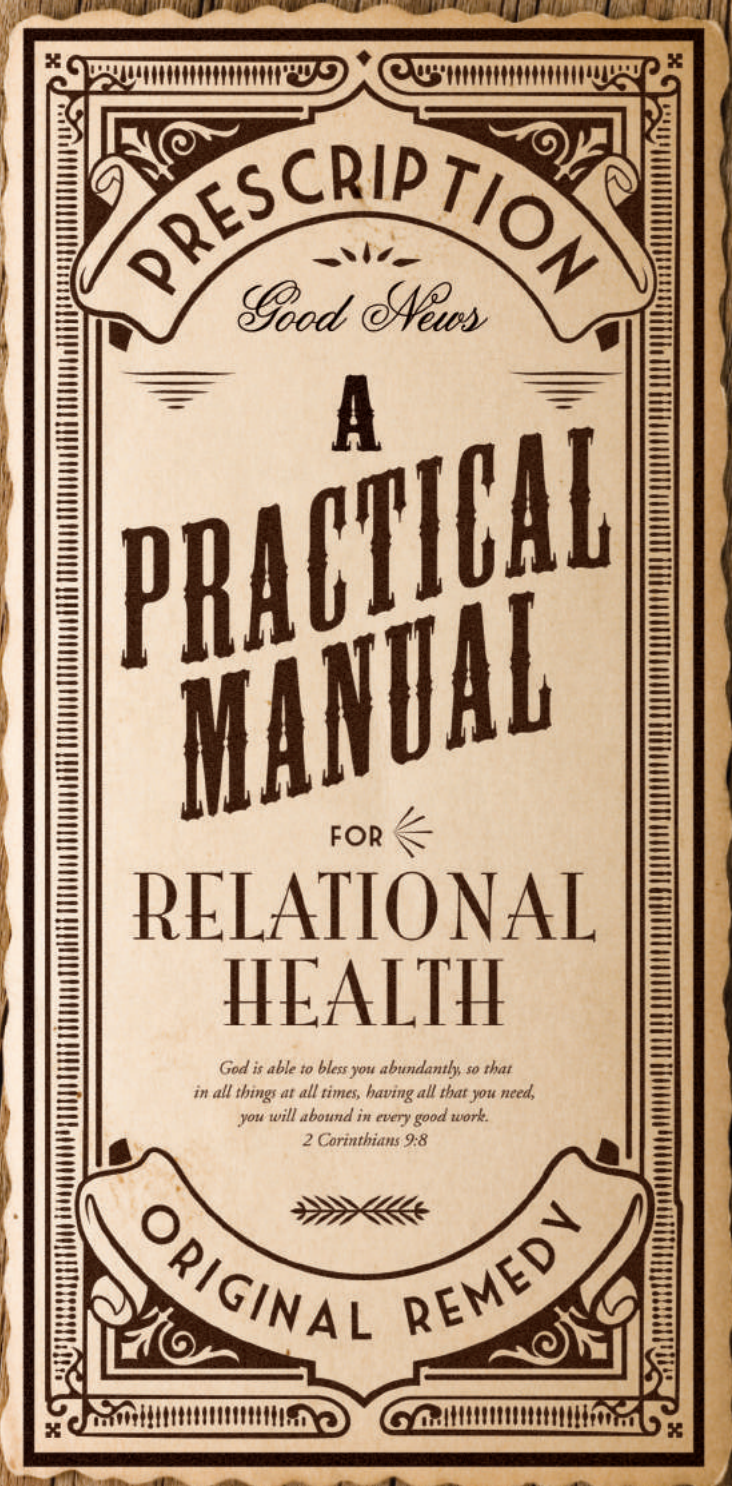
For details, please refer to the bulletin.

Let's get to know each other!

Name

Email

Phone



TEAR OFF THIS CORNER AND PLACE INTO THE OFFERING BAG

HIGHLIGHTS

TODAY PRAYER AFTER SERVICE

We want to encourage the church to set aside time to pray today wherever you are and if you need to pray with people, feel free to approach our prayer volunteers at the front. Kindly leave the sanctuary quietly and respect those who are praying.

TODAY NEWCOMERS LUNCH

If you're new to the church and want to know more about Island ECC, please join us for Newcomers Lunch next Sunday, 1 July, 1:30 pm, 10/F Living Room. Find out more in the bulletin inserts!

TODAY YOUTH TO JOIN MAIN SERVICE

Island Youth goes to camp next week, so we will not be having youth services on July 1. All Island Youth students are encouraged to worship on 1/F, 2/F or 10/F at 9:30 am and 11:30 am services. See you next Sunday!

JUL 11 TASTE OF MF: CULTURE AND RELATIONSHIP

Come join us as we embark on a night as we discuss, share and learn on the topic of culture and our relationships in our life and beyond. Tuesday, 10 July 7-9:30 pm (Buffet diner starts at 7 pm), 10/F Auditorium, For more info, email men@islandecc.hk

JUL 13 MEN'S FRATERNITY: GUYS NIGHT OUT

Enjoy brotherhood while sampling some fine craft beer. This is a great opportunity to invite friends outside of church to get connected. Friday, 13 July, 7 - 10 pm, Cheung Sha Wan. For more information, email men@islandecc.hk.

JUL 17 ALL STAR VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DINNER

We want to celebrate our passionate Sunday volunteers – our amazing all-stars! If you've served in the past year, please join us for a fun-filled appreciation dinner. Get your ticket at any Connect Counter!.

OUTREACH

TODAY YUNNAN MISSION TRIP SHARING SESSION

God chose the theme of "Father's Love" for our Yunnan Mission Trip this year. This love not only encouraged the children we taught at elementary school and home visits in Yunnan, it also inspired our team and the local partners. Come hear about their life-changing journey at the team sharing session. Today, 1 July, 1:30 - 3 pm, 10/F Classroom.

JUL 8 HOME VISITATION VOLUNTEER TRAINING

Regular home visitation is one of Hope of the City's focus area. We believe the needs in our city can only be met through consistent and healthy relationship building. Join us in a training to learn how to care for the physical, mental and spiritual needs of the deprived. Sunday, 8 July, 1:30 - 3 pm, 10/F Living Room. To register, email volunteer@hopeofthecity.com.

SEP 16-22 SHANXI MISSION TRIP

Info Session: 8 July / Registration Deadline: 24 July

This year, Island ECC will send a team to a village school and its neighbourhood in Shanxi. While the gospel cannot be openly shared, the school has been practicing Christian values. Find out how the school has been blessed and how you could join us. Come to the info session on Sunday, 8 July, 1:30 - 3 pm, 10/F Classroom.

CLASSES

To register and for more information on the following classes, go to islandecc.hk/classes

JUL 8 REASONABLE FAITH

We are often faced with profound questions: Is faith rational? Is God's existence open to proof? What about religion and science, or evil, even life after death? Join this 4-week class with Martin Radford to explore these questions and discover cool, effective answers. The material will be philosophical but fun and satisfying. Sunday, 8 July, 11:30 am - 1 pm, 7/F Classroom.

JUL 11 WALK THRU THE BOOK OF JAMES

The book of James is an extremely practical book in the Bible. It asks the question: what is the relationship between my faith and my daily life. This 4-week class is facilitated by pastor Albert, starts Wednesday, 11 July, 7:30 pm, 11/F Classroom. For more info, email classes@islandecc.hk

OPPORTUNITIES

If you are interested in the opportunities below, send your CV and a cover letter to hr@islandecc.hk. Go to islandecc.hk/about-us/employment-opportunities for more information.

DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN MINISTRY

We are looking for a friendly and energetic person with a heart to serve children and their families. This role will carry out ministry programs with the purpose of encouraging children's spiritual growth and promoting healthy family relationships. A passion for people, strong organisational and communication skills are needed.

ACCOUNTANT & ACCOUNTING COORDINATOR

We are looking for a full-time experienced Accountant to perform a wide range of accounting functions. The applicant should possess solid experience in accounting software, strong attention to detail, and good analytical skills.

PART-TIME CONNECTING MINISTRY ASSISTANT

We are looking for an enthusiastic, energetic and outgoing person with good administrative skills to provide practical help and logistical back up in supporting our volunteer teams for Sunday services. A love for the church and people is essential plus fluency in English and attention to detail. Serves 2:30 - 6:30 pm every Sunday.

COORDINATOR OF OUTREACH

We are looking for a full-time coordinator to join the dynamic Outreach Department to work with our mission teams and local outreach initiatives. The position requires a heart for and understanding of missions, and overseas mission experience is beneficial. The applicant should have a passion to serve, be comfortable interacting with others, and possess excellent administrative skills.

GIVING TO ISLAND ECC

We encourage those who consider Island ECC their church home to prayerfully give a percentage of their income to the church on a regular basis.

Cheques payable: 'Island ECC Ltd' for HK tax receipts or 'Friends of Hong Kong Charities Inc' for US tax receipts.

Enquiries: giving@islandecc.hk

GENERAL OFFERING

YEAR TO DATE (43 WEEKS)

Budget

Giving

Variance

\$62.7M

\$66.3M

\$3.6M (5.7%)

LAST 4 WEEKS UPDATE Thousands HKD

WEEKLY	4 June	11 June	19 June	25 June
Budget	1,458	1,458	1,458	1,458
Giving	1,083	1,196	777	1,141
Variance	(375)	(262)	(681)	(317)