



Welcome!

I'm glad you're here today! There's a good chance a lot of your friends are on vacation right now. You're probably seeing envy-inducing pictures on your social media feed of friends in Venice or Vancouver, enjoying great food and awesome sights. And you're here.

But hey! Here is a great place to be! And we're providing a vacation mood for you in the coming 6 weeks as we delve into a new sermon series. With standalone messages designed to be practical and engaging, (and the air-con turned up!) we hope you'll make the most of your time in Hong Kong.

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BOLD FAITH OUR FOUR GOALS

The Bold Faith fund campaign is an initiative to establish a permanent venue in Hong Kong to advance God's kingdom. The objective is to raise sufficient funds to procure and own a building to enable our church to multiply ministries and serve our city well.

BRING PEOPLE TO WORSHIP JESUS

OPTIMISE TRAINING AND LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

LOVE THE CITY

DEEPEN RELATIONSHIPS AND COMMUNITY

Bold Faith Fund [Target \$1 Billion]

Received	\$97.8M	Outstanding Pledged	\$32.9M
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Total Fund \$130.7M

GENERAL OFFERING

YEAR TO DATE (47 WEEKS)

-1.6% deficit on giving

Budget	\$66.0M
Giving	\$65.0M
Variance	-\$1.0M

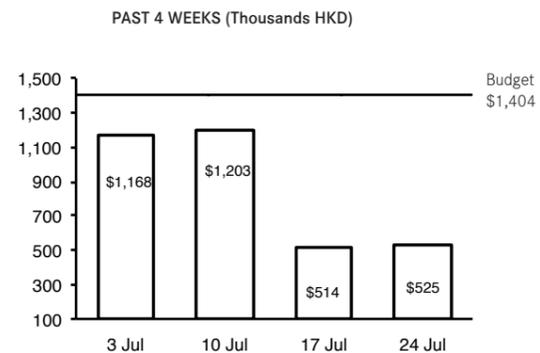
GIVING TO ISLAND ECC

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
 - 'Friends of Hong Kong Charities Inc.' for US citizens

Enquiries:
giving@islandecc.hk

FISCAL YEAR SEP 2016 - AUG 2017



WEEKLY	3 Jul	10 Jul	17 Jul	24 Jul
Budget	1,404	1,404	1,404	1,404
Giving	1,168	1,203	514	525
Variance	(236)	(201)	(890)	(879)

hello



HELLO SUMMER

New Chapters

July 30, 2017 9:30 am, 11:30 am, 3 pm, 5 pm
633 King's Road, 1/F, 2/F, 10/F

Are you new here?
Come to our Newcomers Lunch
6 August 2017
1:30 pm, 11/F Living Room C

HIGHLIGHTS

TODAY-AUG 6 **QUENCH SUMMER SALE**

Our annual Quench Summer Sale will be held on the last Sunday in July and the first Sunday in August! Don't miss this great opportunity to save (cash only) and continue to enjoy summer with some great reads from Island ECC! Today and 6 August, 1/F in Quench.

AUG 12 **MOVIE NIGHT: THE SHACK**

Join with others for a fun evening at the movies right here at Island ECC. We will be viewing The Shack, with its unique look at how God cares for each of us deeply. Admission is free and popcorn will be served. Register online at islandecc.hk/movie-night. 12 August, 6 pm, 10/F Auditorium.

AUG 27 **KIDS CLUB PARENT MEET AND GREET**

All Kids Club parents are invited to a fellowship to meet staff and small group leaders during the first 30 minutes of the 9:30 am, 11:30 am, or 3 pm service in 9/F Worship Hall. We look forward to sharing more about our curriculum and plans for the upcoming school year! 27 August, 10/F Classroom. Please RSVP at kidsclub@islandecc.hk.

OCT 13-14 **SAVE THE DATES: "BEING ONE" SINGLES CONFERENCE**

What if we're not living to our complete potential because we believe there's something else out there for us? Our upcoming Singles Conference, Being One, will explore how to live our best lives now by harnessing our God-given potential of being present, being fulfilled, and being one. Save the dates and stay tuned for more details in the coming weeks!

CLASSES

AUG 13-27 **DISCOVERING THE WAY GOD MADE YOU**

God has given each of us different gifts that we can use in service of others. Using a range of assessments in this course, you will explore your unique strengths, as well as discover how to apply them in church and workplace contexts. 9:30 - 11:30 am, 10/F Classroom.

OUTREACH

AUG 13 **TAIWAN MISSION TRIP SHARING SESSION**

The Taiwan Mission Team returned to the village of Jinlun, Taitung, for the fifth summer in early July to share the love of Christ with the aboriginal community. Come and hear testimonies of how the team was guided by prayers to deliver 3 different tracks to 3 different age groups in the village. 2/F Auditorium, 1:30-3:00 pm.

NOV 4-11 **SHANXI MISSION TRIP**

Info Session: Today

We will be sending a team to a neighbourhood village school in Shanxi. Despite religious red tape, the school has been practicing the Christian values of love and respect. By interacting with the locals and loving them through your actions, you will influence and impact China's next generation. Join the Info Session today to learn more. 1:30 pm, 10/F Classroom.

The Ark on Race Day



OPPORTUNITIES

COORDINATOR OF OUTREACH

We are seeking to hire a full or part-time Coordinator of Outreach. If you have a big heart for missions, possess excellent administrative skills, are fluent in English, and would like to serve with this dynamic team, please email your CV and cover letter to hr@islandecc.hk.

COORDINATOR OF CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

If you have a heart for children, have relevant experience, enjoy organising, and can put in a lot of care and detailed preparation for our weekly Sunday Kids Club and special events, we would love to hear from you. Please send a cover letter and CV to hr@islandecc.hk.

ASSISTANT ACCOUNTANT

We are looking for someone proficient in MS Excel/Pivot tables, PowerPoint, charts and relational database analysis to join the Finance Team and assist the Director of Finance. Good communication, presentation and English writing skills needed as well as strong mathematics and multi-tasking abilities. Please send your CV and a cover letter to hr@islandecc.hk.

COORDINATOR OF WOMEN'S MINISTRY - 5 MONTH CONTRACT

This is a full-time position for 5 months from 1 September. We are seeking someone with a heart for the women of the church to support the director in planning and executing this ministry. Taking initiative and excellent communication and administrative skills are required. To apply, please send your cover letter and CV to hr@islandecc.hk

ISLAND YOUTH VOLUNTEERS

Do you like playing games, eating delicious food, sharing your faith, and helping the next generation succeed? We are looking for small group and Sunday volunteers to partner with us in serving the next generation. For more information, email youth@islandecc.hk.

KIDS CLUB VOLUNTEERS

Training Dates: 20 August or 23 August

Kids Club is recruiting regular Sunday volunteers for the upcoming school year starting September 3. We need a Welcome Team, Small Group Leaders, and Large Group Leaders for storytelling, worship, and AV. If you have a heart to serve our kids, please contact us at kidsclub@islandecc.hk or drop by 9/F Welcome Desk for more information.

NEW TO ISLAND ECC

1

MEET US AT THE CONNECT COUNTER

We are so glad that you're here today and would love to get to know you! Visit the Connect Counters on 1/F, 2/F and 10/F. Volunteers are there to answer any questions you might have about Island ECC and its different ministries and events.

2

VISIT OUR WEBSITE

Check out islandecc.hk, where you'll have access to information about all our ministries and events, as well as a broad spectrum of resources - including weekly blog posts and video podcasts of sermons.

3

GET PLUGGED IN

We'd love to get to know you better! If you'd like to connect with any of our specific ministries, or have questions, please feel free to contact us via the following emails.

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*For other questions,
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New Chapters

After the death of Moses the servant of the Lord, the Lord said to Joshua son of Nun, Moses' aide: ²"Moses my servant is dead. Now then, you and all these people, get ready to cross the Jordan River into the land I am about to give to them - to the Israelites. ³I will give you every place where you set your foot, as I promised Moses. ⁴Your territory will extend from the desert to Lebanon, and from the great river, the Euphrates - all the Hittite country - to the Mediterranean Sea in the west. ⁵No one will be able to stand against you all the days of your life. As I was with Moses, so I will be with you; I will never leave you nor forsake you. ⁶Be strong and courageous, because you will lead these people to inherit the land I swore to their ancestors to give them.

⁷"Be strong and very courageous. Be careful to obey all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go. ⁸Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful. ⁹Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go."

Joshua 1:1-9

A Fact:

A Promise:

An Attitude:

A Habit:

A Purpose:

 TEAR OFF THIS CORNER AND PLACE INTO THE OFFERING BAG
Want to learn more about us?
Name _____
Email _____
Phone _____