

## IN THE LORD'S SERVICE – THANK YOU

	This Week	Next Week
Worship Leader	Marty	Tony Wai
Music Leader	Anthony Y	Genetta
Bible Reader	Michelle Tsang	Nathan
Ushers	Soo Land, Jean	Joanna, Rachel, Kristal
Techno	Harvey, Sunsun	Robert, Celia
Cup of Tea	Serene, Sheryl, Francis	Janet, Michelle W, Weng Wai
Dishes		

## HOME GROUPS

	Leader	Meeting time	Location
<b>CANTONESE GROUP</b>	Albert Ko	Saturday fortnightly @ 4pm	@ Alex Wong Toi's Contact Albert Ko 021 753 912
<b>CANTONESE ALBANY GROUP</b>	Peter Zen	1st & 3rd Friday @ 8pm	@ Peter Zen's 021 280 8663
<b>GREENLANE GROUP</b>	Glenda Choy	Thursday fortnightly @ 8pm	@ Glenda Choy's 021 148 7956
<b>ISAAC GROUP</b>	Lydia Lam	Friday weekly @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 105 Vincent Street, City
<b>LADIES' HOME GROUP</b>	Glenda Choy	Wednesday fortnightly @ 10.30am	@ Glenda Choy's 524 9391
<b>NEWMARKET GROUP</b>	Robert O'Callahan	Wednesday fortnightly @ 6:30pm	@ Robert O'Callahan's office - Level 7 5 Short St Newmarket 021 783 289
<b>REMUERA GROUP</b>	Ken Cheung	2nd and 4th Saturday @ 10am	@ Quin Gee's Contact Ken 021 431 607
<b>TERTIARY GROUP</b>	Genetta Shew	Wednesday weekly @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 105 Vincent Street City
<b>WEST AUCKLAND GROUP</b>	Betty Ling	2nd and 4th Saturday @ 5pm	@ Betty & Kuan's Contact Robert W Ph 525 0220

# AUCKLAND CHINESE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

105 Vincent Street, Auckland City



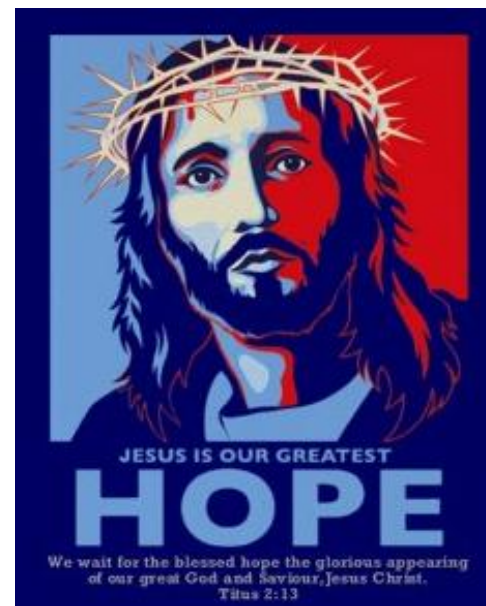
## ENGLISH MINISTRY BAPTISM SERVICE

21st October 2012

**Speaker:** Pastor Mark Maney

**Theme:** Samaritans, Buffalos, and the mind boggling beautiful Gospel

**Sermon Passage:** Titus 2:11-14



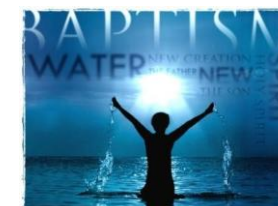
A warm welcome to Peter's family and to all visitors to this morning's service.

### PETER'S BAPTISM

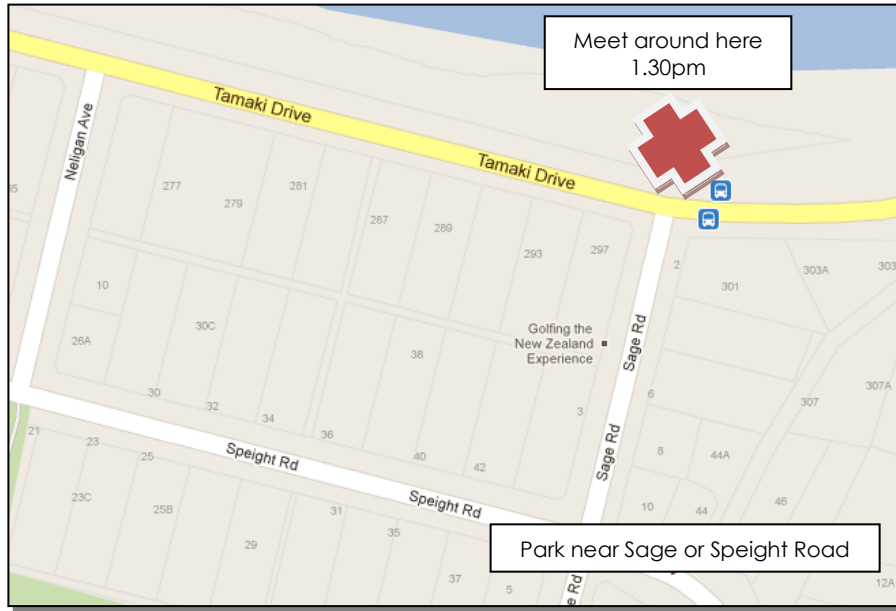
*"We may never be martyrs but we can die to self, to sin, to the world, to our plans and ambitions. That is the significance of baptism; we died with Christ and rose to new life."* Vance Haver

Our congratulations and best wishes to Peter Ting today... please meet at Kohimarama Beach (see map) by 1.30pm as Peter is baptised in the Waitemata Harbour.

Please join Peter as he takes this important step in his Christian walk.



## KOHIMARAMA BEACH – PETER'S BAPTISM SPOT



### NEW PARISH COUNCIL 2012-2014

Members of the new Parish Council elected at the AGM last Sunday are Marty Bing, Genætta Shew, Tina Mok, Simon Lam (who were on the previous Parish Council), Jean Wong, Robert O'Callahan, Stephen Tsang, Albert Ko, Andrew To and Alan Wong.

### PRAYERS FOR OTHERS

*"Delight thyself also in the Lord; and He shall give thee the desires of thine heart."*  
Psalms 37:4

- Praise and thanksgiving and blessings on Peter on his baptism into God's family today
- Pastor Mark and his ministry at ACPC
- An ordained minister for the Cantonese Ministry
- Thanks for the commitment of members of the new Parish Council and wisdom to discern God's will for ACPC.
- Continued healing and strength for Uncle Alex Wong Toi and Harry Fong and others who are unwell - and support for their families



### HOW DO I CONTACT PASTOR MARK?

Email: markpmaney@gmail.com;  
Cell Phone (preferred): 021 309 544; or  
Church Manse: 908 8200

### SPECIAL SERVICE ON SUNDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER

A special service, at which Rev Tang from Hong Kong will be preaching, will be held on Sunday, 4<sup>th</sup> November 2012 at 10.30am, followed by morning tea and lunch. We look forward to everyone attending.

### MONTHLY POTLUCK, FELLOWSHIP AND GAMES EVENING

Sunday, 28<sup>th</sup> October at 6pm... for a good time of warm fellowship.

### TOTAL COMMITMENT

Then you will receive praise, honour, and renown. Deuteronomy 26:19

Imagine how honoured you would feel if a president or prime minister decided to visit you and spend the night at your house. You wouldn't leave dirty dishes piled up in the sink, clothes strewn across the floor, and a ring around the bathtub. No, you'd give the place a radical makeover!

And you wouldn't make them sleep in the garage, the box room or the attic; you'd vacate the master bedroom and give it to them. Your goal would be to honour them in every way because their presence had honoured you.

Now read this: 'You have declared today that the Lord is your God. And you have promised to walk in his ways, and...do everything he tells you. The Lord has declared today that you are his people, his own special treasure, just as he promised, and that you must obey all his commands. And if you do, he will set you high above all the other nations he has made. Then you will receive praise, honour, and renown...' (v17-19 NLT).



Let's take this a step further. When Old Testament priests entered the ministry they went through a rite called 'consecration.' From that moment on they belonged exclusively to God and were committed to obey Him in all things.

You say, 'What does any of this have to do with me?' A lot: if you want God to use you, to honour and promote you, you can't marginalise or compartmentalise Him. You must commit yourself to doing His will! And that includes your time, your talent, your treasure, your body, your mind, your spirit, and your all. God wants 'total commitment.'

From *Word for Today* by Bob Gass

