what's happening in august @ acpc						
Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	7.30pm	10.30am	8.00pm		10.00am	10.30am
	Newmarket	Ladies'	Greenlane		Remuera	Service
	Group	Group	Group		Group	3-5pm
		6.30pm				Table Tennis
		Young				
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	7.30pm	6.30pm	7.30pm			10.30am
	Newmarket	Young	Christian			Communion
	Group	Adults'	Spirituality			Service
	8pm	Group	for			3-5pm
	St Heliers		Inquisitive			Table Tennis
	Group		Sceptics			
22	23	24	25	26	28	29
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	Newmarket	Ladies'	Greenlane		Remuera	Service
	Group	Group	Group		Group	3-5pm
	-	6.30pm			-	Table Tennis
		Young				6-9pm
		Adults'				Monthly Pot-
		Group				luck &
		-				Games

To visit our home groups contact...

Greenlane: George Lowe 021 739 838 Ladies: Glenda Choy 524 9391 Newmarket: Robert Fong 027 274 2570 Remuera: Ken Cheung 021 431 607

St Heliers: Marty Bing 021 753 406

Young Adults: Rob O'Callahan 021 783 289



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praying for others

- Rev Tang & Rev Vogel as they minister at ACPC – for wisdom & God's guidance in leading our ministries.
- ACPC congregations that we are strengthened by the Holy Spirit & transformed by God's personal direction to us through His Word.
- For those living & working in the CBD – May we, as God's hands & feet be sensitive to the needs of our community. May we be used to help, serve & bring God's hope to them in love.
- Those involved in mission trips this month – that God may continue to bless the logistics of the trip, as well as the health of those who travel.





Tale of Two Cities

Ezekiel 17

Rev Phillip Porter

A very warm welcome to everyone, especially visitors, to the service today!
Please join us for morning tea afterwards.

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Serving @ acpc

Service Leader

Music Leader

Bible Reader

Ushers

Techno

Cup of Tea & Dishes

This week

Rob O'Callahan Ant Yan Nathan Chan Tony & Matthew Wai Ricky Yap, Harvey He Adriana Kim, Jenny Wong, Jackie Yeung

Next week

Tony Wai
Jackie Yeung
Brendon Fraser
Suan Tan, Soo Land Wong
Michael Yu, Darren Koo
Michelle Lee, Yanna Ho,
Cindy Lowe

Yanna Ho, that owe over desir

Reaching out each week @ acpc

<u>Chinese Chess/Checkers, table tennis and</u> <u>English conversation:</u>

Thursdays 2 - 4pm

Table tennis:

Sundays 3 - 5pm weekly

A good way to develop your table tennis skills in a friendly, stress-free atmosphere.

Where does mission occur? Wherever God tells you



If God tells you to go... go!
If God tells you to stay... stay!
Annie Chen

Many thanks to all those that worked so hard, attended and/or bid at Friday's Fundraising Dinner for One2One East Timor. A truly blessed night, where we are happy

to report that around \$8,000 was raised for medical & dental supplies for East Timor.

Sermon Notes



Keep our church clean & tidy

We are part of the church family, so please make sure that any dishes you use on Sundays or during the week are washed, dried and put away before you leave – thanks!!!



Common People with Uncommon Goals

We require at least Now to Him Who, by (in consequence of) the [action of His] power that is at work within us, is able to [carry out His purpose and] do superabundantly, far over and above all that we [dare] ask or think [infinitely beyond our highest prayers, desires, thoughts, hopes, or dreams].

Ephesians 3:20



God uses common, ordinary, everyday people who have uncommon goals and visions. That is what I am—just a common, ordinary person with a goal and a vision. But just because I am common and ordinary does not mean that I am content to be

average. I don't like that word. I don't want to be average. I don't intend to be average. I don't serve an average God, therefore, I don't believe I have to be average—and neither do you.

Average is basically okay. It is not bad, but it is also not excellent. It is just good enough to get by, and I don't think that is what God wants us to be. I believe that any common, ordinary, everyday person can be mightily used by God. I believe that we can do great and mighty things—things that will amaze even us—if we believe that God can



use us and if we will be daring enough to have an uncommon goal and vision. And what I mean by uncommon is something that doesn't make sense to the mind. We have to believe God for it.



In Ephesians 3:20 we are told that God is able to do exceedingly, abundantly, above and beyond all that we could dare to hope, ask, or think, according to His great power that is at work in us. God does it through us according to His power, but it is done through us, so we have to cooperate. That means we need to be daring in our faith and in our prayers. Some of us are not believing for enough. We need to stretch our faith into new realms. We need to be uncommon people with uncommon goals.

Joyce Meyer