



WCAC Weekly

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Note from the Pastor

It was a night in 2014 that I first received a phone call from Pastor Tim in my home in Ottawa. The other end of the phone was a slow and firm noise. We talked about 10 minutes regarding the arrangement to visit WCAC. My first impression of Pastor Tim was that he is man of few words.

Since 2014, this first impression has not changed, but as I work with him side by side, I found he is a quite different pastor than the workers I had worked with before. He does not speak much, but when there is need, he is the first one to roll up his sleeves

to jump in. He was willing to provide transportation to seniors, cook dinner for Campus Ministry, and clean up after lunch. His servant leadership is a great example for me.

In his 17 years serving in WCAC, he developed Mandarin ministry from a small fellowship to its current scale. Pastor Tim and Eva are the major influencers for a group of faithful co-workers who work with them to serve the Lord. Pastor Tim is going to retire in a few days. Praise the Lord for putting such wonderful leader in WCAC to build up a firm Mandarin speaking ministry. I would

like to bless Tim and Eva with Paul's encouragement "Brothers, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus. Philippians 3:13-14"



Pastor Abraham Niu

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Coming Events

Online Sunday Service—watch stream at WCAC.CA

English Ministry:

Sunday Service

Livestream starts at 9:30 AM

Prayer Meeting

Thursday 8:00 PM through Zoom

English Sunday School

Sunday at 10:30 AM

Join Zoom Meeting

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81599862778?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81599862778?pwd=eWNTUWNNMmRwbXhuRlN1Mjd1bXZiQT09)

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Meeting ID: 815 9986 2778
Password: 532874

Cantonese Ministry:

Sunday Service

Livestream SCAC service starting at 9:30 AM

New link posted at

<https://www.scac.org/>

Prayer Meeting

Saturday 4:00 PM through WebEx and WhatsApp.

Prayer items:

1. Brothers and sisters can keep growing in Christ as meeting go online.
2. Pray for migrant farm workers that impacted by Covid-19
3. Pray for church reopening planning.

Mandarin Ministry:

Sunday Service

Livestream start at 9:30 AM

Speaker: Weitian Chen

Topic: Jesus is the light, truth and life.

Verse: Joh 14:1-6

Next Sunday

Speaker: Pastor Abraham

Topic: Forgiving

Verse: Colossians 3:12-14

Prayer Meeting

Thursday 7:30 PM WebEx

Children Sunday Service
9:00 AM stream began at
WCAC.CA

A loving and always young heart—Pastor Timothy Wang -By Adam Yang

Which Bible character could be used to describe Pastor Tim? I would say Peter. Pastor Tim is a quick thinking, quick to act type of pastor. I still remember the first time when we came to WCAC in 2004, it was a chaotic Sunday. We didn't know that church had moved to a current location about a year ago and it took us an extra hour to find the church. And because we just moved to Windsor and had lot of things to unpack, we didn't stay long and left right after the service. The next day was Monday, an off-day for pastors, which is a norm that nobody should bother the pastor with anything that day. Pastor Tim showed up at our door step and paid us a visit. He took a family picture for us and offered to help us to settle down. This is Pastor Tim, a 24/7 God's servant.

In the past 17 years, he really puts Jesus' command of "loving one another. 1 John 3:16" in to action constantly. Windsor is

border city where lots of Chinese use it as a spring board to seek opportunities in the States. There are many people who moved to US because their jobs required it and left their senior parents in Canada. Since Windsor is the city right at the border, many seniors move to Windsor which is the closest they can get to their children. Pastor Tim dedicated lots of time not just to take care of the seniors, but truly love them with Christ's love, it happened several times that when seniors were left behind by their children who move to US due to immigration situation. Pastor Tim just took them in until they were approved for senior housing. It is not just few days! The whole process normally takes months.

Pastor Tim is also a humble servant. He is a risk taker and sometimes moves so fast that it is out of step with co-workers' comfort zone. Yes, I argued with him a

lot over ministry issues, but he never used the authority of a pastor to force his opinion. And going forward, I will always miss his attitude of constantly seeking better ways to serve. During the pandemic, he discovered Zoom has dynamic background function. He is the first in Mandarin Ministry to adopt green screen and in one sermon, he appeared to be preaching on a beach! What more can I say? Just join me to wish Pastor Tim greatly used by the Lord going forward.



C&MA International workers: Danny and Vera Kuranji

Danny and Vera were both born, raised, and married in Serbia. During their first year of marriage, they immigrated to Canada; all four of their children are Canadian citizens. Sara and Tamara live in Canada with their families, and Filip and Amanda live in Serbia with their families.

Although Danny and Vera were raised as Christians, they experienced a spiritual renewal during their first years of living in Canada. It was during this time that they felt God calling them to re-

turn to their homeland with the intention of sharing the Gospel. They left their business in Canada behind and returned to Serbia in 1986.

Unrest and war in the region have



given them many opportunities to help and serve in practical ways, including talking to thousands of people about Jesus.

The fruit of the Kuranjis' ministry is bountiful. They have led refugees, people living in poverty, and those without hope to Jesus. They also minister to the terminally ill and their families, a ministry that has opened many opportunities to touch individuals and families. The Kuranjis also run successful rehab centres for men and women who are addicted to drugs.

Update from WCAC Epidemic Response Team-Special Event This weekend

Celebration for Pastor Tim

To celebrate Pastor Tim moving into the next season in his life, the church will have a farewell drive-through activity at the front door of WCAC at 6/27 (Saturday) from 6:00 PM to 8:00PM. Please come and shout out your appreciation to pastor Tim and his family.

June 27 Miracle Food Drive

The June 27 Miracle Food Drive is a whole Windsor/Essex wide community event to support the local food banks and help out for the people that in need under current pandemic.

You can participate by packing the donation items such as non-perishable food and Personal Hygiene items in a box and leave it on your front porch by noon at 6/27 (Saturday). You can also

put some windows or lawn display to show support of this event. It is not only demonstrate that we as a region are a strong community but also an action to love our neighbors as Jesus told us.

