



# WCAC English Ministry

~July 20<sup>th</sup> 2025~

“Every year Jesus’ parents went to Jerusalem for the Festival of the Passover. <sup>42</sup> When he was twelve years old, they went up to the festival, according to the custom. <sup>43</sup> After the festival was over, while his parents were returning home, the boy Jesus stayed behind in Jerusalem, but they were unaware of it. <sup>44</sup> Thinking he was in their company, they traveled on for a day. Then they began looking for him among their relatives and friends. <sup>45</sup> When they did not find him, they went back to Jerusalem to look for him. <sup>46</sup> After three days they found him in the temple courts, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. <sup>47</sup> Everyone who heard him was amazed at his understanding and his answers. <sup>48</sup> When his parents saw him, they were astonished. His mother said to him, “Son, why have you treated us like this? Your father and I have been anxiously searching for you.” <sup>49</sup> “Why were you searching for me?” he asked. “Didn’t you know I had to be in my Father’s house?” <sup>50</sup> But they did not understand what he was saying to them. <sup>51</sup> Then he went down to Nazareth with them and was obedient to them. But his mother treasured all these things in her heart. <sup>52</sup> And Jesus grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man.”

LUKE 2:41-52

## MISSIONARY NEWS:

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### Albert and Elaine Lu, Taiwan

#### Current Priorities

We are partnering with a group of local churches of the Taiwan Alliance Church Union to start a new church-plant in the county of Chiayi. We aim to have strategic involvement in missions mobilization of Taiwan C&MA churches.

#### Vision

LORD, for Your glory, grow reproducing communities of disciples, transformed by Christ, transforming working class Taiwan and the world. 『主阿，為了祢得榮耀，求祢成立被

基督更新並不斷的增長的門徒群體，以及更新台灣的基層階級以及世界.』

## **Bio**

Although Albert and Elaine are both second generation Chinese North Americans, they came from very different backgrounds. Elaine grew up in an American Chinese Alliance church and felt called to China after graduating from university. Albert grew up in an ancestral worship family and later came to faith during graduate school. They met in seminary and felt that God gave them a burden for both the North American church and for overseas missions. God led them to serve as Missionary Apprentices at First Alliance Church of Toronto, working with Chinese new Canadians. After a two-year apprenticeship, Albert served another six years as a worship and outreach pastor before God called them to go overseas, opening the door for them to go to Taiwan. They have four children: Elise, Liana, Nathaniel and Micah.

Albert and Elaine are currently in partnership with the Taiwan Alliance Church Union to start a new church-plant in the county of Chiayi. They believe God has called them to a five-pronged ministry: 1) Extraordinary Prayer 2) Holy-Spirit-led Evangelism 3) Deepening Discipleship 4) Church Planting and Development 5) Community Caring and Presence.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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### **Sunday School**

We have classes for Grades 5-6, 7-8, and 8-12, and also a University/adults class. Children's Sunday school is also running at the same time in the Chapel basement.

### **Fellowship**

Join us in the fellowship hall for a time of fellowship between English service and Sunday school. If you are interested in bringing something to share, talk to Anna and Chris Choi.

### **Baptism August 17th**

Baptism class begins July 20<sup>th</sup>. See Pastor Rob to sign up.

### **50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration August 30<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup>**

This year we will hold a celebration at WCAC for the 50 years of ministry that the Lord has conducted through us in Windsor. Stay tuned for details.

**50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration Luncheon August 31<sup>st</sup>, 12:30pm**

Please see Kristie or Willie to purchase tickets. Adults 12 years and older \$30, Children 4-11 \$15. Children age 0-3 are free.

## **FELLOWSHIP NEWS**

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**Jr. High**

Meets at WCAC rectory basement Saturdays at 7:30pm

**Carmel**

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Stay tuned for details

**Cornerstone**

Meets every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday, see Chris or Lei for details

**Emmanuel**

Men's/Women's Bible study and fellowships. Ask any adult members for details.

## **CHURCH INFO**

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**Board minutes**

The board meeting minutes are available upon request to members. Just ask an elder or pastor.

**Offering**

Feel free to give to what we are all doing here at WCAC. You can fill an envelope out and place it in the offering bag. Or, for online giving, instructions can be found at [wcac.ca](http://wcac.ca) on the English main page offering button.

**Contact info**

Go to [wcac.ca](http://wcac.ca) to find contact info for all of our pastors and directions to our church building.

## **HELPFUL LINKS**

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**Alliance Statement of Faith**

<http://thealliancecanada.ca/beliefs/>

**Give to the work of our missionaries**

<https://thealliancecanada.ca/give/>

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20,000 videos on Bible study, kids shows and leadership workshops/teaching. Click the link below and sign up for your free account. <https://www.rightnowmedia.org/account/invite/wcac>

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