## **2018 OCTOBER NEWSLETTER**

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"I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayers for all of you. I always pray with joy because of your partnership in the Gospel from the first day until now."

Phil 1:3-5



Down the last wall of Victoria Hall by this early October.

## Praise and Thanksgiving:

- Thank God for membership transfer and 6 baptismal candidates for Christmas baptism in church, especially for the Faith Foundation Course when truth is shared therein.
- (Outreach) The Lord continues to harvest in the Detention Centre ministry,
  where twelve had made their decisions for Christ (Hallelujah!!) since Chinese
  New Year, of which 6 baptized during the celebration of this Mid-Autumn (or
  Harvest Moon) Festival last month, two confessed are being followed up, two
  deported and two released without baptism in the Detention Centre.
- (Outreach) There was about 60 new students, from Mainland China and from Hong Kong together, coming to our BCCF's Welcome Dinner on Brunel campus on last Friday Sep/28, though we admit that this is a challenging era for Chinese students in campus ministry.
- It was valuable for Gus and Annie in meeting up with the Global Chinese
  Language Coordinator (GCLC) in Hong Kong by mid-August. Gus will assume
  the role as Chinese Language Coordinator for Europe.
- Thank God for Annie's permanent status as professional teacher in UK since September, which will facilitate her teaching in any English School in UK or in Europe. She continues with a class of 30 students, of multi-cultural and faith

backgrounds, in this school year, anticipating less pressure and workload to enabling her more time to serve in the church. We praise God for that deliverance.





Brunel University Fresher Week activities and Welcome dinner for new students.





The Gate House at Harmondsworth Detention Centre of the IRC-Heathrow.



Meeting with AOHK staff in Hong Kong about SMI (Simply Mobilizing International)

Chinese Language Coordination Globally and in Europe.

## Prayer Items:

- The reforming of LCAC-Building Committee which means for a new challenge and yet a new hope for a church building that we may acquire, build/renovate, and use. Pray for the Committee and the ordained direction which will lead our people onto His Agenda.
- Our deacon Claudia who had lost her husband Alan last month during a Baltic voyage. Pray for her and family to retain hope in Christ, and for Alan's funeral service a testimonial opportunity for the glorification of His Name.
- Pray for humbleness and obedience of our people, and pray for spiritual
  growth and revival among members in LCAC. Pray for the church Retreat by
  end of October when we live, learn, play and fellowship together.
- (SM-UK) Pray for both SM courses, Chinese-TUS (The Unfinished Story) and English-ETI (Empowered to Influence) to be offered in Wales in November and in next January respectively, that Gus will train up another generation of facilitators in Cardiff.
- (CMA-GB) Pray for the new Director Rev. Mike Baraniak taking the place of Philip Margesson, when Philip is spending the last precious family time with his ailing wife Fran in this moment. Please lift them up in your prayers.
- Pray for Gus as he will travel to and speak in Mission Conference weekends in Vancouver in November. Pray for journey mercy and divine wisdom and strength to serve His Purpose.
- Pray for Annie's opportunity throughout the year in sharing faith with coworkers, students and their parents, at times in intricate situations in the school context.
- Pray for Gus and Annie's personal health and spirit on the Field be sustained by the Lord, that they might have total reliance on Him to continue.



The Career Group Fellowship of LCAC meets once a month.



Annie's children (Starfish Class) at school.

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