## AIC CORE VALUES

# Glorifying God

Above all else, everything we do is for the glory of God. (Rom. 11:33-12:2)

# Prayerful dependence

We will look to God for His perspective, His direction, and His enabling at all times and for all things. (Phil 4:6-7)

# Biblical teaching

Relevant Biblical teaching can transform, change, and inspire us to live obedient lives. (Josh 1:8; Heb 4:12)

# Reaching lost people

Understanding God values all people, we will seek to fulfill the Great Commission by participating in sharing the good news at home, in our city, and around the world. (Luke 19:10; II Cor. 5:20; Matt 28:19-20)

# **Authentic Community**

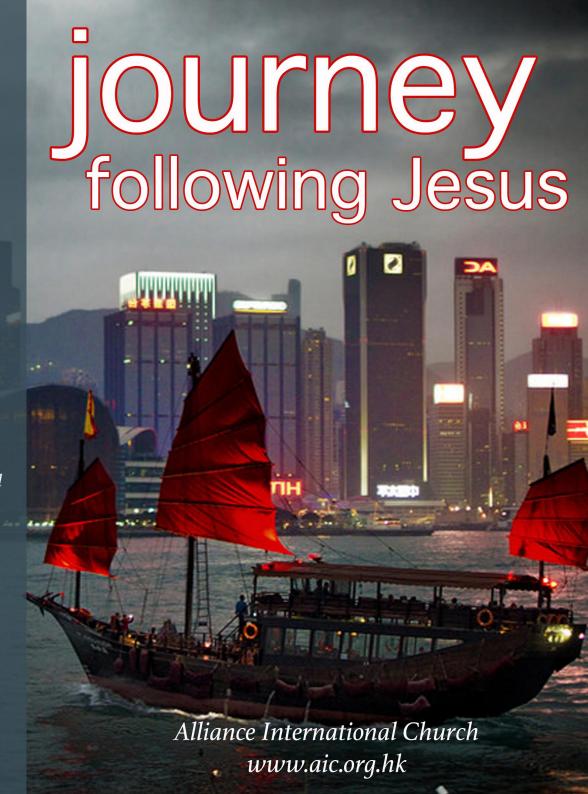
We desire biblical fellowship by building community through loving and grace-filled relationships. This is where we learn and practice what it means to live out our calling to be disciples. (John 13:34-35; Acts 2:42-47)

# Sacrificial living

We will embrace the vision of our local church by serving, utilizing our spiritual gifting, and giving in a generous and faithful manner.
(II Cor. 8:1-5; I Cor. 12:1-31; John 13:1-17; Romans 12:1)

# Faith-filled living

God calls us to take continual steps of faith which often involves change.
(Hebrews 11:6)



# Welcome to Alliance International Church,

a church family seeking to
Glorify God by loving Christ, loving one another and reaching the world.

We are glad you're here.

## PRAY WITH YOUR CHURCH

Every day at 10 a.m., we invite you to pause for a few moments, celebrating the greatness of God, begging Him to work in and through us, and asking Him to equip us to serve those in need of hope, help, and healing.

**HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!** To all the mothers in our midst today. We thank God for you!

## **JOURNEY SCRIPTURE READING**

**Today's** – Matthew 8:5-13, 11:2-30; Luke 7:1-50

**Next Week's**- Matthew 5:1-8:1; Mark 3:13-19; Luke 6:12-49

### CHILD DEDICATION

We rejoice with Justin & Rusela Enns as they dedicate their daughter, Alicia Krystel, to the Lord.

## **BAPTISM & MEMBERSHIP CLASSES**

Baptism and Membership classes will be held **20 May** through **10 June** during the 9:30 am Discipleship hour on Sundays in Room 402.

An adjusted schedule will be made to accommodate our Saturday attendees. Those interested should plan to attend and contact Pastor Stan (<u>stan@aic.org.hk</u>).

## LIBRARY NEWS

Check out our AIC Library, open Sundays from 12:15 p.m.-12:45 p.m. in the Shipyard Nursery Room.

Mini Book Sale next Sunday, 20 May, also from 12:15 p.m.-12:45 p.m.

#### **OFFERING SUMMARY**

You may now obtain a copy of your offering summary from April 2017-March 2018 for tax filing purpose from Dorie at the Info table.

#### MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY

AIC children's ministry is looking for volunteers to lead and help with Children's Church during July and August. Five volunteers are needed for each Sunday. You can serve one or more times during the summer.

Contact Twinky to get more information and to sign-up for the weeks you are available to serve (email: <a href="mailto:Twinky@aic.org.hk">Twinky@aic.org.hk</a> or Whatsapp: 9223 2511)

#### PART-TIME CLEANERS

We will be needing two (2) part-time cleaners who can work on Saturday morning and Sunday afternoon to do the hall/rooms set up and tidy up. Please contact the church office if you know of anyone or have recommendations. Thank you.

#### PRAYER MEETINGS

Prayer Meetings are held at 7:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. each Wednesday night in the AIC Nursery. We will pray the scriptures as we seek Him, praying for our missions efforts, local ministries, the needs of our world and for each other. Join us in this critical ministry of church life.

## **MANDARIN MINISTRY**

AIC offers ministries to those who prefer to speak Putonghua. For more details, please contact Pastor Stan at stan@aic.org.hk.

#### **FILIPINO MINISTRIES**

We minister to the Filipino-speaking community, meeting each **Saturday** mornings from 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. and on **Sunday** afternoons from 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. at the AIC Hall.

At Alliance International Church we believe the **COMMUNITY GROUP** is the best place for sustained life change to occur. In a Community Group, people study God's Word together and discuss the issues and challenges of life. It's also where they pray, care for one another, and are missed if they don't show up. Our Community Groups gather:

- On Hong Kong Island, in Kowloon, and in New Territories
- In English, Putonghua, and in Tagalog
- On weekdays and on Saturdays or Sundays

Contact Pastor Stan for more information email: stan@aic.org.hk

# SUNDAY DISCIPLESHIP for ALL AGES

9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

#### Children:

Shipyard - Marina (Age 0-5) - Room 107 Port (Age 6-11) - Room 213

#### Youth:

Impact Juniors – Room 401 Impact Seniors- Room 214

## **Adult Class:**

Membership /Baptism Class – Room 402

# CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRIES

#### Reload

(fellowship for secondary school students)
Fridays @ CAIS BV 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Contact: Doug Wallace at
doug@aic.org.hk for more information

AWANA (for ages 3-13)
Saturdays @ 2:00 p.m. -4:00 p.m.
School Hall, APS, Whampoa
Contact: Danny Lee at dleeecl@hotmail.com
for information

## THE HARBOUR

Children dismiss mid-way thru Sunday's service

Shipyard (Age 0-2)

Nursery Room/Ground Floor of AIC Office

Marina (Ages 3-5) in Room 107 Theme: "Work of Art" God has a plan for me.

"The plans of the Lord stand firm forever." Psalm 33:11, NIV

Port (Ages 6-11) in Room 213 Theme: "Source Code" Untangle the web.

"Anyone who lives without blame walks safely.

But anyone who takes a crooked path
will get caught."

Proverbs 10:9 NIrV

Parents, please pick up your child/ren (ages 3-11) in Room 213 at 12:15 p.m.

Adult & Children Attendance: 212

General Fund: \$76.132.50 Budget/week: \$68,270.00

Missions & Others: \$18.410.00

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General Fund & Other Income:
April 2018 to present: \$346,704.56
Budget for April 2018 to present: \$409.620.00
Budget deficit April 2018 to present: \$62,915.44