Sing to the Lord, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day.

## Today is National Day.

1 Please pray for unity among the people of Hong Kong Sun during a time of division in the city, as the political divide and conflicts intensify. May Our Lord bring us peace and mercy in this increasingly complicated political environment.

 Praise God for connecting us with philanthropists that share the same mission as ours! In mid-September, 105
 Tue enthusiastic supporters participated in our 20th Anniversary China Programme's Luncheon. All proceeds will go towards helping abandoned and disabled children in Qinghai.

 Please pray that migrant domestic helpers working miles away from their homes and refugees stranded in Hong
 Kong feel cared for and not alone on this day. Pray also that they would understand God is Love.

- Our Training Services Division will conduct a series of activities for about 500 people in our neighbourhood
  Sat from today to January 2018. The project aims to promote healthier lifestyles, stressing less sugar and salt in diet. Pray for His guidance and wisdom to offer more needed programmes for the public.
- 9 Christian Action is conducting a series of training sessions for child caregivers in Qinghai who serve
  Mon roughly 2,000 needy children in remote villages (including two pastoral districts) of Guinan County. Pray that we help bring light and love to them through our ministry.
- 11 Today Training Services Division will host a mega job recruitment day in Kwun Tong, including over 5,000 Wed vacancies, part-time and full-time jobs, offered by 8 corporate partners. Pray that job seekers will be well informed of the current job market and are employed soon.

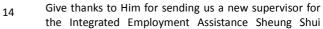
2 Mrs. Cheung-Ang Siew Mei, our Executive Director, has just returned from the Qinghai CPPCC Conference last Mon week. Pray that Christian Action continues collaborating with the local government to bring warmth and hope to the disabled and deprived children on the Tibetan Plateau. Amen!

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- 4 Happy Mid-Autumn Festival!
- Give thanks to the generous donors giving out hundreds of mooncakes to the clients of our Mongkok New Arrival Services Centre for the upcoming Mid-Autumn festival. Pray that more private enterprises join us to deliver love and care to this disadvantaged sector in our community.
- 6 May God bless Christian Action with a forever home that we desperately need.
- Fri We brace ourselves for the Town Planning Board's final decision to demolish New Horizons Building (NHB). Pray that our plea to stay at NHB is heard, and that we will be able to continue serving the needy in and beyond our district.
- 8 The preparation of Season of Love charity sales 2017 is in full swing! Pray for overwhelming responses from
- Sun our sponsors, sales booths, and outlets, as well as online sales. We hope to reap an abundant harvest to sustain our services for poor children in Hong Kong and Qinghai.
- 10 Praise God!
- Our SHINE Centre the ethnic minorities service team Tue has been added to the "20A" list who took part in the Celebration of the 20th Anniversary of the Establishment of HKSAR. Pray that we continue to help ethnic minorities integrate into the communities with vigor and joy.
- 12 Pray for smooth implementation of our IT Department's
- plan for the website design and online sales platform Thu relating to our annual fundraiser, Season of Love 2017, which begins this November.



- Today, there will be a barter drive in Sau Mau Ping by our Ministry Coordination Team. Pray that public awareness will continue to rise in order to create a greener Hong Kong, and that less people would dump their unused but high-quality items.
- May God bless Christian Action Asia (USA), that those who previously joined its Vision Trips and Vision sharing
  Luncheon would be moved to embrace our mission and invest in the vulnerable children in Qinghai.
- The Social Enterprise Division has been collecting empty mooncake tins after Mid-autumn Festival. Pray that we can effectively use this opportunity to educate people about the importance of recycling during festive celebrations.
- 19 Training Services Division will host a carnival at Kwai Fong Housing Estate this Saturday afternoon. Pray that the residents will take advantage of the local training and re-training resources to better equip themselves to enter the job market.
- Tomorrow is the closing ceremony of our first-time school-based Mentorship Programme under the Child
  Sat Development Fund in Yuen Long. Pray that each mentor-and-mentee pair will flourish into a long-lasting, sharpening relationship, and the youth are motivated to pursue a life of God-driven purpose.
- 23 Today sees the kick-off of Youth Development Service Team's new initiative promoting sound mental health Mon for young people. Pray that the participants will learn to cope better with stress and adversity after joining the programme. Pray they will understand God's role in giving hope during difficult times. Amen!
- Pray that Christian Action UK would feel uplifted by our prayers as we stand with them in unity. Pray that we connect with more supporters across the country to support our ministry in Qinghai.
- 27 Our China team has revised its curriculum for the handicapped youth in the Bridge Programme according
- Fri to their abilities and interests. Pray that we continue to help build their self-reliance and confidence through our ministry.
- 29 Today our Ethnic Minorities Woo Sung Street Service Centre will host a carnival in Yau Ma Tei to celebrate the Diwali Festival of South Asian countries (similar to the Mid-Autumn Festival in Chinese tradition). Pray that we would play a proactive role in understanding cross-ethnic variations and fostering diverse and understanding communities.
- 31 Today our Social Enterprise Division will conduct a barter trade in a public housing estate of Tin Shui Wai.
- Tue Pray that the residents will positively support this green collection initiative.



- Sat Service Centre. Pray for her quick adaptation. She will lead the team to serve marginalized clients in one of the poorest districts in Hong Kong.
- 16 A team of volunteers consisting of 19 students and 2 teachers from a local international school will embark
- Mon on a weeklong visit at our Children's Homes. Pray that they personally experience the plight of the handicapped and disadvantaged children. Pray also that they would be inspired to support our ministry on the Tibetan Plateau.
- 18 Our Integrated Employment Assistance Sau Mau Ping Service Centre will organize a local excursion for 50
- Wed welfare recipients this weekend. Pray that all participants will enjoy this special family time in one of the local heritage sites and feel cherished in God's embrace.
- 20 Our Chungking Mansions Service Centre for refugees and asylum seekers believe "a picture is worth a
- Fri thousand words" and hosts a photography show: Under Our Shelter in Central and at St. Andrew's Church from today to the end of October. Pray that it inspires more people to show mercy to this vulnerable population.
- 22 Yesterday twenty beneficiary families from the New Arrival Mongkok Service Centre took part in
- Sun horticultural activity co-organized by our Social Enterprise Division at an urban farm near NHB. Pray that the message of "Love our green Earth - the creation of our Lord" will influence the participants.
- 24 Pray that the troubled clients at our shelters will not just enjoy the interest classes/activities as a pastime; but
- Tue also learn skills enabling them to be self-employed when they return home. Blessed are the ones who cast their anxieties on Him, because He cares for them.
- 26 Christian Action will join the Employees Retraining Board Annual Employer Luncheon 2017 today. Pray
- Thu that we garner support from our trade partners for years to come.
- 28 Today is Chung Yeung Festival.
- People often go hiking on this day to avoid bad luck Sat according to Chinese tradition. Pray that our staff enjoy their nature walks full of God's creations, get refreshed, and feel relaxed to serve the community with a recharged mind and spirit.
- 30 Our migrant domestic workers team is planning another fun day at NHB, our headquarters, for the clients in
- Mon November. May God bring His blessings and angels to walk with them to help them cope with the challenges ahead.

