

KOWLOON INTERNATIONAL BAPTIST CHURCH

## EASTER CELEBRATION

Sunday, 1 April 2018 | 10:30am at A.C. Hall

### CALL TO WORSHIP | MATTHEW 28:5-6

*Then the angel spoke to the women [who came to the tomb]. "Don't be afraid! I know you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. He isn't here! He is risen!"*

### **Resurrection Celebration**

Adult Choir

### **Crown Him with Many Crowns**

Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne;  
Hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns, all music but its own:  
Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee,  
And hail Him as thy matchless King through all eternity.

Crown Him the Lord of love; behold His hands and side,  
Those wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified:  
All hail, Redeemer, hail! For Thou hast died for me:  
Thy praise and glory shall not fail throughout eternity.

### SCRIPTURE READING | 1 CORINTHIANS 15:3-4

Romie Canezo

*Christ died for our sins, just as the Scriptures said. He was buried,  
and He was raised from the dead on the third day, just as the  
Scriptures said.*

### **Because He Lives**

God sent His Son, they called Him Jesus;  
He came to love, heal, and forgive;  
He lived and died to buy my pardon,  
An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives.

Because He lives I can face tomorrow;  
Because He lives all fear is gone;  
Because I know He holds the future,  
And life is worth the living just because He lives.

And then one day I'll cross the river;  
I'll fight life's final war with pain;  
And then as death gives way to victory,  
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He lives.

Because He lives, I can face tomorrow;  
Because He lives, all fear is gone;  
Because I know He holds the future,  
And life is worth the living just because He lives.

**SCRIPTURE READING | ROMANS 6:4-8**

So Family

*Just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glorious power of the Father, now we also may live new lives. Since we have been united with Him in His death, we will also be raised to life as He was. We know that our old sinful selves were crucified with Christ so that sin might lose its power in our lives. We are no longer slaves to sin. For when we died with Christ we were set free from the power of sin. And since we died with Christ, we know we will also live with Him.*

**Death Was Arrested**

Adult Choir/Praise Team

**WELCOME**

Pastor Dr. James "Butch" Tanner

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

Patrick Ho

**SCRIPTURE READING | JOHN 11:25-26**

Carol Chan

*[Jesus said], "I am the resurrection and the life. Anyone who believes in Me will live, even after dying. Everyone who lives in Me and believes in Me will never ever die."*

**Christ the Lord is Risen Today (He Is Not Dead)**

Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia! All creation, join to say, Alleluia!  
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!  
Sing, ye heav'ns, and earth reply, Alleluia!

Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia!  
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!  
Dying once He all doth save, Alleluia! Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!

*(chorus)* He is not dead, He is alive! We have this hope in Jesus Christ!

Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!  
Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia!  
Death in vain forbids Him rise, Alleluia! Christ has opened paradise, Alleluia!

### ***Majesty***

Majesty, worship His majesty. Unto Jesus be all glory, honor, and praise.  
Majesty, kingdom authority, flow from His throne, unto His own;  
His anthem raise. So exalt, lift up on high the name of Jesus.  
Magnify, come glorify Christ Jesus, the King. Majesty, worship His majesty;  
Jesus, who died, now glorified, King of all kings.

### **OFFERTORY PRAYER**

K.S. Teh

### **GATHERING OF TITHES & OFFERINGS**

### **OFFERTORY MUSIC**

*O Praise the Name*

Praise Team

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### **MESSAGE**

**"What Does the Moved Stone Mean?"**

Pastor Butch

*Mark 16:1-8 (sermon notes can be found on page 10)*

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### ***Jesus Paid It All (O Praise the One)***

I hear the Savior say, "Thy strength indeed is small.  
Child of weakness, watch and pray, find in Me thine all in all."

Lord, now indeed I find Thy power and Thine alone,  
Can change the leper's spots and melt the heart of stone.

*(chorus 1)* Jesus paid it all, all to Him I owe.  
Sin had left a crimson stain, He washed it white as snow.

And when before the throne I stand in Him complete,  
"Jesus died my soul to save," my lips shall still repeat.

*(chorus 2)* O praise the One who paid my debt and raised this life up  
from the dead.

### ***In Christ Alone***

In Christ alone my hope is found,  
He is my light, my strength, my song; this cornerstone, this solid ground,  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love, what depths of peace,  
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease.  
My comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless Babe!  
This gift of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones He came to save.  
'Till on that cross as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied.  
For every sin on Him was laid; here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay, Light of the World by darkness slain;  
Then, bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave He rose again!  
And as He stands in victory, sin's curse has lost its grip on me;  
For I am His and He is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ.

### ***Come, People of the Risen King***

Come, people of the risen King who delight to bring Him praise.  
Come all and tune your hearts to sing to the Morning Star of grace.  
From the shifting shadows of the earth we will lift our eyes to Him,  
Where steady arms of mercy reach to gather children in.

*(chorus)* Rejoice! Rejoice! Let every tongue rejoice!  
One heart, one voice, O church of God, rejoice!

Come young and old from every land, men and women of the faith.  
Come those with full or empty hands, find the riches of His grace.  
Over all the world His people sing, shore to shore we hear them call  
The truth that cries through every age, "Our God is all in all!"

**SCRIPTURE READING** | 1 PETER 1:3  
*All praise to God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. It is by His great mercy that we have been born again, because God raised Jesus Christ from the dead.*

**The Power of the Cross**  
O to see my name written in the wounds,  
For through Your suffering I am free.  
Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live,  
Won through Your selfless love!

This the pow'r of the cross: Christ became sin for us.  
What a love, what a cost! We stand forgiven at the cross.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

next week's **services**

**Regular Sunday schedule will resume next week at KIBC** (300 Junction Rd)

9:15am	Worship and Bible Study for all ages
10:45am	Worship and Bible Study for all ages
12:15pm	Worship and Bible Study for all ages



**easter family fun day – tomorrow!**

It's not too late to join! If you haven't yet registered, just meet directly at YMCA Wu Kwai Sha Youth Village tomorrow (April 2). Lots of fun planned for the entire family from 9:30am-12noon. Cost is \$50 per person.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## young professionals 2

Young Professionals 2 consists of single adults and/or married adults without children, under age 30. We welcome you to connect with us at upcoming activities. Contact: kibcyp2@gmail.com

### Cycling – TODAY

Following Easter service; meet in front of AC Hall  
Route: Tai Wai to Tai Mei Tuk

### Hiking

April 14 - Location TBA



## annual general meeting

Sunday, April 22, 11:50am



## vacation bible school 2018

**Gear up! Get ready to get in the spirit with Game On VBS!**

Ages 5 - 12 (born 2006 - 2013)

Choose the AM or PM session option

Registration fee: \$450 (which will include the VBS t-shirt)

**VBS registration will begin Sunday, April 29**

## small groups

Be part of a small group Bible study!

Contact the church office for more information – [office@hkikbc.org](mailto:office@hkikbc.org)

### TUESDAYS

8pm | Adults | Fanling – Stephen and Joyce Ting

10am & 5pm | Philippians – Pam Purdy [pampurdy@hotmail.com](mailto:pampurdy@hotmail.com) (4-week study begins April 10) **NEW!**

### WEDNESDAYS

7:00 pm | Young Professionals | KIBC basement – Jacob Baloch

1st & 3rd Wednesdays

7pm | Adults | KIBC basement – Christina Fung

Wednesday, April 18

7:30pm | Men's Bible Study (Book of Esther) | Kowloon Tong – Wilfred Leung  
9056-4160 | (Free supper included!)

### THURSDAYS

10:45am | Adult Women | KIBC basement – Winnie Liu/Carole Tanner

7:30pm | Adults (bilingual) | KIBC basement – Peter Lai

### FRIDAYS

1pm | Adult Women (Cantonese) | KIBC basement – Maggie Chang

7:30pm | Adults | Kowloon Tong – Matt and Alice Kingman

1st Fridays

7pm | Married couples | Shatin/Ma On Shan – Andy Chiu/Ada Wong

1st & 3rd Fridays

8pm | Putonghua | KIBC basement – Siu Chun Ling

7pm | Married couples | KIBC basement – Beverly DeVera

7pm | Adults | KIBC basement – Christina Fung

### SATURDAYS

3pm | Married couples | Tai Wai – Howard Leung

### SUNDAYS

2:30pm | Adults | KIBC Library – Wan Hak Ki

# YOU CAN KNOW GOD

## **GOD LOVES YOU**

He created you and wants to have a personal relationship with you (*John 3:16; Ephesians 2:4-5*).

## **SIN HAS SEPARATED YOU FROM GOD**

The Bible defines "sin" as choosing our will over God's. We have each made this mistake (*Romans 3:23*). Our sins have now separated us from our holy God, and, because He cannot allow us into His perfect heaven, we are each destined for an eternity separated from God in hell (*Revelation 19:11-15*).

## **YOU CANNOT REPAIR YOUR BROKEN RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD**

Many people think we can be good or religious enough to earn God's forgiveness and go to heaven when we die. But the Bible teaches that the only payment for sin is death (*Romans 6:23; Ezekiel 18:20*).

## **JESUS DIED TO PAY THE DEBT OWED BY YOUR SINS**

Jesus took our place on the cross and suffered the penalty we deserved. His death now makes it possible for a righteous God to forgive our sins and offer us salvation (*Romans 5:8; 2 Corinthians 5:21; 1 Peter 2:24*).

## **YOU MUST RECEIVE THE GIFT HE DIED TO GIVE**

Now you must choose to trust in what Jesus has done for you, rather than trusting in your own efforts to restore your relationship with God. Confess your sins and mistakes to God, and choose to live by God's word and will. Decide that you will make Jesus the Lord and Master of your life.

## **HOW CAN YOU MAKE THIS DECISION?**

Through prayer (talking to God) you can meet Jesus today. There is no single prayer you must pray to become a Christian, no magic formula. But the following words are one way to trust Christ as Lord. If you pray them with the sincere commitment of your heart and life, you will meet Jesus personally and live for Him as your Lord.

*Dear God, Thank You for loving me. Thank You that Jesus died on the cross to pay the penalty for my sins and failures. I admit to You that I am a sinner, that I need You to save me. I ask You to forgive me for my sins. I turn from them now. I invite Jesus into my life as my Savior and Lord. I turn my life over to Him. I will live for Him as long as I live. Thank You for giving me eternal life and making me a child of God. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

If you prayed this prayer for the first time today, please tell someone about your decision. If we can support your faith, please contact us: 2337-2555 or [office@hkkibc.org](mailto:office@hkkibc.org). We want to help you follow Jesus today.



# FIVE WAYS TO BECOME A MEMBER OF KIBC

## **1. PROFESSION OF FAITH AND BAPTISM**

Profession of faith occurs when you turn from a self-controlled life and surrender to allow Jesus to control your life. You commit to follow Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. Then you publicly display your faith through baptism by immersion.

## **2. LETTER**

Uniting with KIBC by Letter means you are already a member in a Baptist Church based on a prior profession of faith and baptism by immersion. When coming by Letter, KIBC will request another Baptist Church to send a letter affirming your membership there.

## **3. STATEMENT**

If you are coming to join KIBC from a church with “like” doctrinal beliefs, have made a public profession of faith, and been baptized by immersion as a witness of that faith, you will be accepted into membership by Statement.

## **4. ASSOCIATE MEMBER**

If you desire to retain membership in another Baptist Church located in another country, you may join KIBC as an associate member provided you have made a personal profession of faith and been baptized by immersion. You will be a nonvoting member of KIBC.

## **5. WATCHCARE**

If you are a Christian from a different church denomination in another country and want to retain that church affiliation, and at the same time during your stay in Hong Kong want to be identified with the KIBC church family you may be identified as a Watchcare member. You will be a nonvoting member of KIBC.

If you wish to unite with KIBC in one of these ways, please fill out a response card (inserted into this program) and hand it to the Pastor, a church staff member, or an usher. You may also place the form in the church offering bag or bring it to the Pastor during the hymn which is sung at the conclusion of the Pastor’s sermon.

# SERMON NOTES

## What Does the Moved Stone Mean?

Dr. James "Butch" Tanner

Mark 16:1-8

The Cross is the central event of the salvation process, but would be totally unimportant if the resurrection had not occurred. Jesus is not like other great leaders who pursued dreams and accomplished great things, only to die. Coming to life, Christ validated His message and gives us victory. The moved stone allows us to see that there is a resurrected Jesus.

Accepting the Resurrected Jesus means:

1. That I can have victory over the \_\_\_\_\_ of sin.

*Colossians 1:13-14, Ephesians 1:7, Romans 3:23-24, 6:22, 8:2, Titus 2:14, 1 Corinthians 15:57*

2. That I am sealed and given the \_\_\_\_\_ of eternal life.

*John 5:24, 6:47, 10:27-28, Romans 5:21, 1 Corinthians 15:54-57, Ephesians 1:13-14, 1 John 2:25*

3. That \_\_\_\_\_ is given to the church's witness.

*Acts 5:30-32, 7:18, 8:34-35, Matthew 28:5-7, Ephesians 1:19-23, 1 Corinthians 15:12-19, Hebrews 12:26-29*

## upcoming events



- Apr 2 Easter party | 9:30am @ YMCA Wu Kwai Sha Youth Village
- Apr 14 YP2 Hiking
- Apr 15 Coin bank collection
- Apr 22 Annual General Meeting | 11:50am @KIBC basement
- Apr 29 VBS registration begins



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