倫敦中華基督教會 Chinese Church in London



GENERATIONS FOR REVIVAL

2026 SERMON SERIES



Main Theme: Generations for Revival

We give thanks to Father God for His faithfulness and mercy in the past year, our church continued to grow in numbers, and thrived to become a diverse and multi-generational community. In recent years many churches around the world experience extraordinary spiritual revival, especially among Gen-Z. As we celebrate CCIL 75th anniversary in 2026, we anticipate that God will move His Spirit to do great things among us - A Revival journey shall begin....

As in Isaiah 58:12

'And your ancient ruins shall be REBULL;
you shall have up the foundations of many generations;
you shall be called the REPAIRER of the breach,
the Republic of streets to dwell in.'



BRING DIFFERENT GENERATIONS TOGETHER AND EMBARK ON A JOURNEY IN REVIVAL



First series brings us to our Vision & Mission as a disciple-making church

Second series in Joel calls us to return to God and repent

Thirdly we will look at 3 books in the OT, remembering what God has done in Joshua's generation, in order to draw fresh inspirations to move forward

The fourth series takes us to historic references of the kings in Chronicles, their rise and fall as a reminder of how God restore lives even in our failure

In the fifth series, through the books of Timothy we learn to embrace our faith as a living inheritance, receive instructions to equip and empower disciples of the next generation to live out their faith beyond the church walls

Example 2Lastly we enter the Advent period

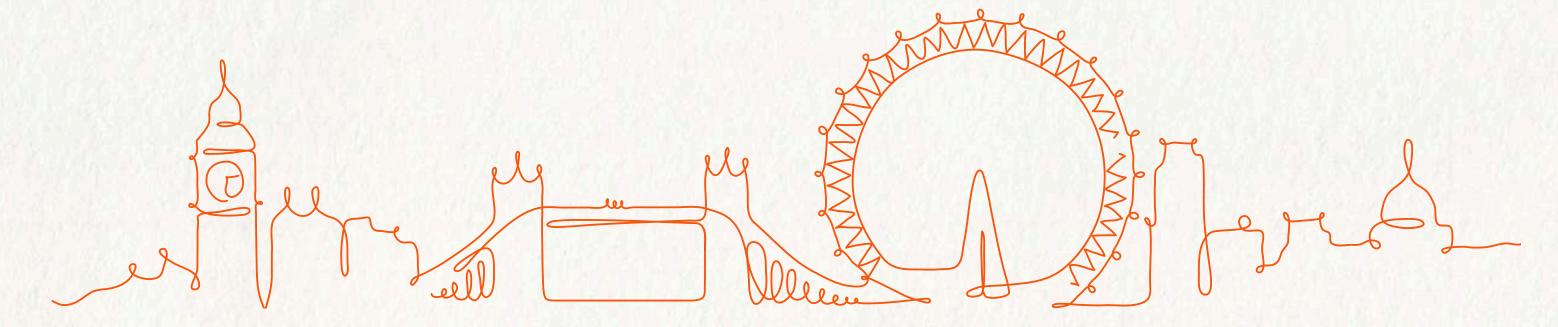
the Advent period which reminds us that the foundation of our church is built on Christ our Rock, and look forward to another year ahead.



1. Renewing the Vision | Reigniting the Mission

WE EXIST TO MAKE DISCIPLES OF JESUS TO TRANSFORM LONDON AND THE WORLD

Our church gathers thousands of people every week, across three languages, various cultures, backgrounds, and ages, meeting in different locations throughout London. What unites us all together? One of the most important bonds is the vision and mission that God has given our church. Our church is not static, nor are we merely running church programs repetitively or aimlessly. We are a dynamic church, moving toward a clear direction — this direction is our vision, and our mission is how we fulfil that vision.



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Our vision is to build disciples of Jesus Christ.

Not to build large gatherings,

not to build church ministries,
and not to create impressive events.

Our goal is to build people

– to help people encounter Jesus, experience Him, grow and live in His love and truth, and be trained to become disciples who truly know the Lord, love Him, and obey His Word.



4 JAN VISION

A DISCIPLE MAKING CHURCH (MATTHEW 28:16-20)

11 JAN VISION

A TRANSFORMATIVE CHURCH (ACTS 2:42-47)



25 JAN VISION

MISSION: TO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH (ACTS 1:1-11)



We are not called to be a closed church hidden inside a building.

We desire to be a church that carries influence and transformative power — bringing the gospel, positive influence, and blessing to London, and even beyond, to the world. Especially as London is a city where nations gather, we have the opportunity to go beyond our own community and reach people of every nation. Right here in this city, we can take the gospel to the ends of the earth.

FEB MISSION

MISSION: A COMMUNITY DEVOTED TO LOVING GOD (MATTHEW 22:34-40)

8 FEB MISSION

MISSION: LOVE ONE ANOTHER (JOHN 13:34-35; 1 JOHN 4:7-21)

15 FEB MISSION

MISSION: LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOURS (LUKE 10:25-37)

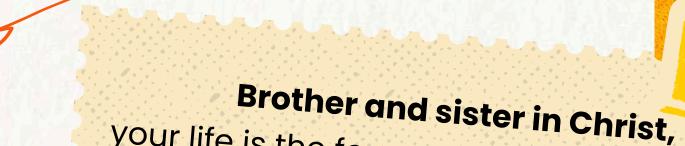
When brothers and sisters leave us, it is not merely a sad farewell —

it is a missional sending.

We send them out to bless others and to transform the world. Though they may no longer remain among us, they can continue to be a blessing wherever they go.

This vision calls us to live with a

Kingdom mindset.



your life is the focus and goal of our church. When you step into your community during the week, or when one day you leave London and go elsewhere, you are our letter of recommendation (2 Corinthians 3:2), you are our crown (Philippians 4:1).

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Joel: From Repentance to Revival

Revival starts with Repentance.

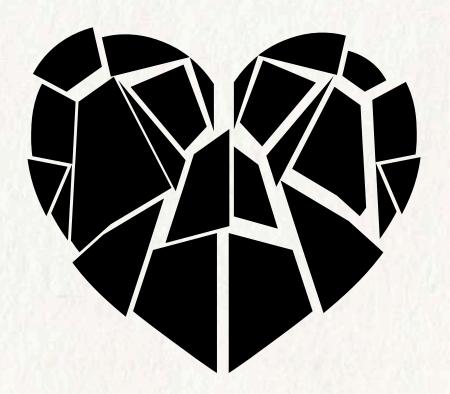
The book of Joel begins with the Lord's judgement on Judah and Jerusalem, which comes in the terrifying form of a locust infestation, drought and the coming of a great army. Then came the "day of the Lord" when God's people are called to seek and return to Him so that this calamity and crisis will be averted.



Will God's people repent and return to him?

Will they move from inevitable destruction to restoration to dwell with him?

If his people do return he will turn their loss into blessing and restore what their sin has ultimately destroyed.



IMAR

THE JUDGEMENT AGAINST JUDAH (JOEL 1)

8 MAR

CALL TO REPENTANCE (JOEL 2:2-17)

15 MAR (S)
MOTHER'S DAY MESSAGE

The Lord Himself promises Judah
He will dwell in His people by pouring out
his Spirit to His people.

In the period of Lent, are we willing to repent, return to the LORD and experience His Spirit pouring into our lives?



22 MAR THE LORD ANSWERS PRAYERS (JOEL 2:18-27)

29 MAR
GOD WILL POUR OUT HIS SPIRIT
(JOEL 2:28–32)

5 APR DESSAGE

12 APR
GOD WILL DWELL IN HIS PEOPLE
(JOEL 3:1-21)

Generations: Passing the Baton

When the mission of the first generation remains unfinished—or even falters—how can the chosen people of God prepare and empower the next generation to receive the baton of faith and restart the journey? The second generation must look to their ancestors—not merely to inherit their legacy, but to cultivate their own endurance, obedience, and unwavering trust in God through trials. To continue this intergenerational journey of adventure, faith, and grace, they must return to the covenant and anchor themselves in obedience to the living Word of God.



19 APR

LOYALTY & JEALOUSY (NUMBERS 11:16-29)

26 APR

POST TRAUMATIC FAITH
DISORDER (NUMBERS 14:1-25)

3 MAY

STRUGGLES & OBEDIENCE (DEU. 34:7-10; JOSHUA 1:1-18)

10 MAY

SPY'S STORY, TAKE 2 (JOSHUA 2:1-24)

T7 MAYS

CARELINKS SUNDAY

24 MAY

TOGETHER AT THE JORDAN (JOSHUA 3:7-4:11)



31 MAY

3 CRUCIAL PREPARATIONS FOR NEW JOURNEY (JOSHUA 5:1-15)

7 JUN

MISSION IMPOSSIBLE AND HIS TRIUMPH (JOSHUA 6:1-25)

14 JUN

BE ALERT! (JOSHUA 7:2-26, 8:24-29)

21JUNIK

FATHER'S DAYMESSAGE

28 JUN

COMMUNITY STRUCTURE (JOSHUA 22:10-34)

5 JUL

THE CROSSROAD OF
GENERATIONS (JOSHUA 24:1-28)



The Rise & Fall of Kings: as seen in the Book of Chronicles

Both the Book of Kings and the Book of Chronicles record the rise and fall of kings. The difference between the two books lies in the fact that Chronicles focuses more on the relationship between the rise and fall of kings. Chronicles emphasizes the message of "those who seek God receive His blessing, while those who forsake Him face His judgment." (2 Chronicles 7:14). Some kings in the Book of Kings are described as doing evil in the sight of the Lord, or even only having evil records (e.g., Rehoboam, Abijah, and Manasseh), while others are described as doing right in the sight of the Lord, or even nearly only having good records (e.g., Jehoshaphat and Josiah). However, Chronicles records the good deeds of these

evil kings as well as the evil deeds of the good kings.



We have deliberately selected **eight kings**from the Book of Chronicles
whose lives contained both good and evil,
sometimes seeking God
and sometimes abandoning Him.
We hope that we can learn spiritual lessons from them,
understanding that abandoning God
and doing evil leads to the path of downfall

12 JUL

REHOBOAM: FROM ABANDONING GOD
TO HUMBLE BEFORE GOD
(2 CHRONICLES 12:1-12, 1 KINGS 14:21-24)

19 JUL

ABIJAH: TRUSTING GOD
YET WALKED IN SINS
(2 CHRONICLES 13:1-22, 1 KINGS 15:1-8)

26 JUL

ASA: FROM SEEKING GOD
TO RELYING ON PEOPLE
(2 CHRONICLES 14:1-8, 16:1-14)

2 AUG

JEHOSHAPHAT: FROM TRUSTING GOD TO DEPENDING ON PEOPLE (2 CHRONICLES 20:1-37)



Only by seeking God with all our heart and turning away from evil can we rebuild our relationship with God, and walk on the path of blessings and revival.

9 AUG



JOASH: FROM VALUING GOD TO FORSAKING GOD (2 CHRONICLES 24:1-27)

16 AUG

HEZEKIAH: FROM SEEKING GOD TO PRIDE (2 CHRONICLES 31:20-21, 32:1-8, 20-26)

23 AUG

MANASSEH: FROM INVOKING GOD'S WRATH TO GREAT HUMILITY (2 CHRONICLES 33:1-20)

30 AUG

JOSIAH: FROM DEVOTION
TO DISOBEDIENCE
(2 CHRONICLES 34:1-7, 19-28, 35:16-27)



5.Leaving a Priceless Legacy

1 and 2 Timothy contain instructions to Timothy on how to lead the church of Ephesus with sound doctrine and godly conduct through firm faith.

In urging and encouraging Timothy,

Paul modelled the same theology faithfully in his own life to the very end.

He showed that legacy was built through personal discipleship and mentoring and not just in words alone.





1 Timothy teaches how to live and lead well, now.

2 Timothy teaches how to finish well and pass it on.

6 SEP NO DOCTRINE WITHOUT LOVE (1 TIM 1:1-18)

13 SEP

EVERYONE, TOGETHER
(1 TIMOTHY 2:1–3:13, HEBREWS 12:14)

20 SEP

THE POWER OF GODLINESS (1 TIMOTHY 3:14-5:2)

27 SEP

A LEGACY BUILT THROUGH HONOUR (TIMOTHY 5:3-6:2, MATTHEW 25:31-40)

4 OCT

UNDERSTANDING WHAT CORRUPTS (1 TIMOTHY 6:3-21, HOSEA 4:6)





Together, they form a blueprint for leaving a priceless Christian legacy – one rooted in truth, lived with integrity and handed down through intentional mentorship and faithful example.

11 OCT

MAY WE BE FOUND WORTHY (2 TIMOTHY 1:1-18)

18 OCT

HOW TO BUILD A LEGACY (2 TIMOTHY 2:1-13)

25 OCT

APPROVED OR DISAPPROVED? (2 TIMOTHY 2:14-26)

1 NOV

GREAT RESISTANCE? GREAT SUBMISSION! (2 TIMOTHY 3:1-17)

8 NOV

FAITHFULNESS IS THE KEY (2 TIMOTHY 4:1-22)



15 NOV

MISSION MONTH MESSAGE 1

22 NOV

MISSION MONTH MESSAGE 2

29 NOV

A PERSEVERING CHURCH (MATTHEW 10:16-25)

6 DEC

A SHINING COMMUNITY –
IN THE LIGHT OF THE BEATITUDE
(MATTHEW 5:3-16)

13 DEC

A CHURCH BUILT FOR ETERNITY (1 COR 3, MATTHEW 16:13-19)



(MATT. 1:18-23; LUKE 2:8-21)

27 DEC

REFLECTING ON THE PAST;
PRESSING ON TOWARD THE GOAL
(DEUT 11:8-25, PHIL 3:12-21)