

P2G Choir *parents & children ages 4-11*
 1st & 3rd SUN @VCBC
 Richard Cheng (vcbc.children.choir@gmail.com)

Pioneer Clubs *ages 4-11*
 FRI 7:30pm @VCBC
 Queenie Yip (childrenvcbc@gmail.com)

EDGE Youth *grades 6-12*
 FRI 7:30pm @VCBC
 Brian Lee (youth@vcbc.bc.ca)

Men's Group
 2nd SAT 10:00am
 Jackson Leung (jacklc.leung@gmail.com)

Young Adult Women's Group
 Kathy Jung (kmjung@telus.net)

Dayspring Ladies Bible Study
 1st & 3rd TUES 9:30am
 Carolyn Yip (cindyso@vcbc.bc.ca)

Prayer Group
 1st FRI 7:45pm @ VCBC Room E2

Cultural Cooking Workshop: Sesame Ball
 Saturday, Nov 9 @ 10:00am
 Contact Rachel Hoi (rachel12hoi@gmail.com)

Fall Leaf Clean-up
 Sunday, Nov 10 1:00pm @ VCBC Neighbourhood



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VCB-Creatives *photography lovers*
 1st SUN 1:00pm

Penta Sport *sport lovers*
 TUES Nights

Panterest & B-interest:
 Jerky Making
 Sunday, Oct 20 4:30pm @ Flora's
 Contact Flora Cheung for more info:
congregational_life@vcbc.bc.ca

Interested?
 contact connectiongroups@vcbc.bc.ca
 for more details

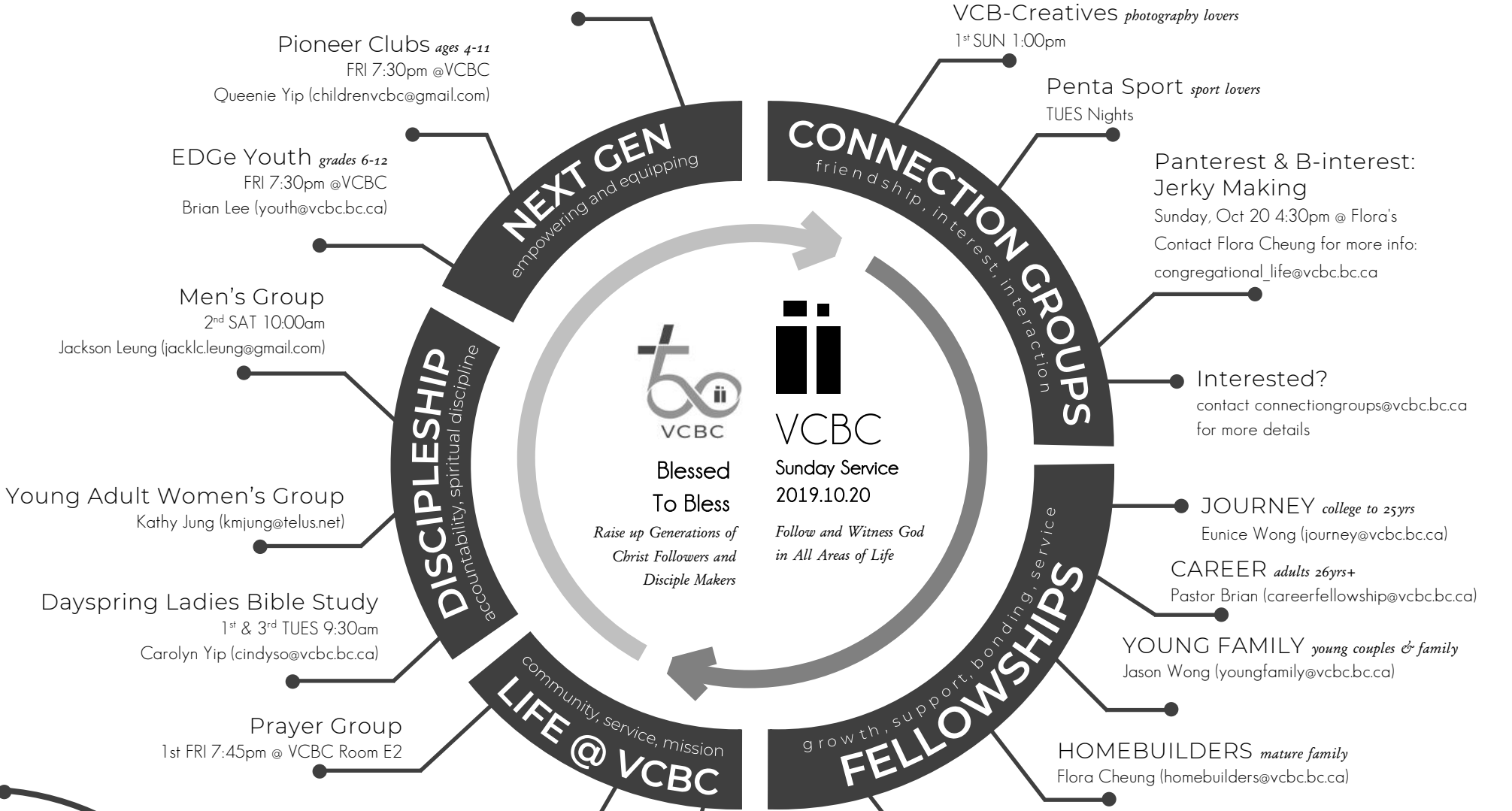
JOURNEY *college to 25yrs*
 Eunice Wong (journey@vcbc.bc.ca)

CAREER *adults 26yrs+*
 Pastor Brian (careerfellowship@vcbc.bc.ca)

YOUNG FAMILY *young couples & family*
 Jason Wong (youngfamily@vcbc.bc.ca)

HOMEBUILDERS *mature family*
 Flora Cheung (homebuilders@vcbc.bc.ca)

EVERGREEN *retired*
 Henry Lew (aquila@vcbc.bc.ca)



UPCOMING EVENTS

Oct 20 @4:30pm Panterest & B-interest: Jerky Making	Oct 26 @7:00pm Young Adult Social	Oct 27 @1:00pm Members Business Meeting	Oct 27 @after MBM Church Property Redevelopment Townhall	Nov 8 @7:00pm Rock Solid Youth Rally	Nov 9 @10:00am Cultural Cooking Workshop: Sesame Ball
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today's Message: Known & Invited

Speaker & Passage: Pastor Graeme Illman (Ratanak International); Luke 19:1-10

CHURCH NEWS

1. P2G Choir Practice - Today at 1:00 pm in the sanctuary. All parents and their children are welcome. Contact vcbc.children.choir@gmail.com

2. Do you want a richer prayer life? Do you feel stuck when you pray? Are you a prayer warrior? Do you want to learn more about prayer? If your answer is "yes" to any of these questions, you're invited to join **"Upwards" fellowship** in an 8-session journey through the Prayer Course (<https://prayercourse.org/>). Each session includes a video, practice time, and discussion. We meet every 4th Friday of the month, starting on Friday, **October 25** at 7:30 p.m. For details and location contact Flora (congregational_life@vcbc.bc.ca) or Danita (pcs@vcbc.bc.ca).

3. Family Nest is a small group for families and couples who meet for discussions on parenting and the importance of family in our community. We meet every 1st and 3rd Fridays at VCBC (room E3) at 7:30pm, which coincides with Pioneer Clubs and EDGe fellowships. Occasionally, we will engage in ad hoc social events during the off week Fridays (e.g. Gym night at Moberly School on most second Fridays starting November). Please contact Jason Wong at vcbcf@gmail.com to learn more.

4. Members' Business Meeting - Will be held on Sunday, **Oct 27**, 1:00 pm in the sanctuary. Agenda can be picked up in the foyer, it's also posted on the bulletin board and on the VCBC website (abridged). Lunch buns will be sold in the basement before the meeting. Registered VCBC Members please sign in and obtain a Ballot at the registration tables in the foyer before the meeting. Note: (1) Non-members do not have voting rights; (2) Obtaining a Ballot and/or voting on behalf of another person is not permitted; (3) All Ballots are the

property of VCBC, all unused Ballots must be returned to the registration table before you leave; (4) Minutes of the last MBM is posted in the foyer, copies are also available at the Church Office.

5. Church Property Redevelopment (CPR) Townhall - Will take place immediately after the MBM on **Oct. 27** to present the latest news on the project. The project architect will also be here to answer related questions. Everyone welcome.

6. Fall leaf cleanup! Sunday **Nov. 10**, 1-3pm (if it rains, alternate date is Nov. 17). Roll up your sleeves and help rake leaves to serve and get to know our community. Lunch buns will be provided for volunteers. If you have rakes, shovels, or snow shovels to lend, bring them on Nov. 10 (label with name & phone #). Help is also needed to distribute flyers to 40 neighbouring homes on Sunday **Nov. 3**. Please sign up at the Church Office or email Danita at pcs@vcbc.bc.ca

NEXT GEN

7. Young Adults Pumpkin Carving Competition. Saturday, **Oct 26**, 7-10pm in the VCBC Basement. Come carve pumpkins with us on the 26th and compete for a prize!! Alternatively, if pumpkin carving is not something you enjoy, Theo will be leading a fall inspired baking/cooking session in the kitchen! Please bring your own pumpkin. Contact Etana Tam: etanatam@hotmail.com

8. Volunteers Needed for Children's Ministry. Pioneer Clubs is looking for volunteers to help with children's program on Friday nights from 7:30-9:30pm. Also, JC Kidz Worship is looking for teachers to teach preschoolers after service from 11:00am-12:30pm. If you are interested in volunteering with children, please contact Queenie at children@vcbc.bc.ca.

PRAYER ITEMS

Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his love endures forever.

—Psalm 107:1

Praise God for:

- Thanksgiving: a free and priceless gift from God.
- The completion of the ceiling tile repair so that we could once again worship in the sanctuary.
- Those who participated in Ride for Refuge. May the funds they raise transform the lives of refugees.

Pray for:

- A smooth transition for Pastor Jonathan Loh as he joins the VCBC staff. Pray that he obtains his work permit in a timely manner.
- God's provision in providing volunteers needed for Pioneer Clubs and JC Kidz.
- The Holy Spirit to soften the hearts of our unbelieving friends and relatives.
- Hunger for God's Word and power to live out His word to love God and our neighbours.
- Desire and courage to carry out the Great Commission by witnessing and discipling for God's kingdom.
- Those in the mission field that they would bring honour and glory to God.
- All of us to realize the urgency to pray in our congregation, small groups and individually.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcoming

Call to Worship

John 3:16-17

Praise and Worship

Living Hope

Before the Throne of God Above

Sharing of Community Life

Congregational Prayer

Tithes and Offering

He Knows My Name

Message

Known & Invited

Response

Who Am I?

Closing Prayer

Doxology

Children's Sunday School

9:40am-11:00am @ VCBC Basement
*Children are asked to stay in the service for Praise & Worship before proceeding to their Sunday School classes with their teachers.

Contemplating Contemporary Christianity

(Pastor Brian)
VCBC Basement

Matters of the Heart

(Jack Young)
VCBC Room B14

JC Kidz

11:00am - 12:00pm

VCBC B3-5

Grades 7-8

(Carmen & Larry)

VCBC Room E2

Grades 9-10

(Brian Lew & Cindy)

VCBC Room E1

Grades 11-12

(Henry C. & Kathy)

VCBC Room W2

Preschool to Grade 6
VCBC CHILDREN

After Service @ 11:30am
SUNDAY LIFE GROUPS