

Makarios Evangelical Church

New Westminster

Pastor Jessica Lee | makarios-bc.org

Meet Our Congregation

Lead Pastor Jessica Lee began weekly gatherings in September 2018, at Olivet Baptist Church's facility in New Westminster, BC.

They conduct services and studies in Cantonese for adults and English for youth.

Much of the initial ministry has been in partnership with an international students' club at nearby Douglas College. Makarios has been able to offer

food and friendship to many who have come to Canada to study and don't have many personal connections.

In fact, being around the table together is one of their most valued priorities.

Whether sharing coffee in a spiritual direction session, hosting dinners for international students, or eating as a congregation, Jessica and her people have

found relationships with another other and the Lord deepen as they share the table together.

Much of the congregation is in serving roles and they are excited to have some leaders stepping up to learn how to be mentors.

We Need Your Help.

Pastor Jessica and Makarios are on the **front lines of mission in Western Canada**—bringing the hope and **Good News of Jesus in contextual, concrete** ways to locals and international students in Cantonese and English.

In order to **thrive and move forward** in this ministry context, MEC and other CBWC church plants need **our investment of intentional financial support**

until they reach financial self-sustainability.

We need CBWC churches like yours to partner with us and each other in bolstering the pioneers among us as they labour to bring in God's harvest across our nation.

With your help and **by the power of the Holy Spirit**, we look forward to seeing growth

and fruit in these new works in our family of churches.

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