

# 中誠浸信會

## Chinese Faith Baptist Church

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### Church Profile

June 7, 2017

#### Church History

Chinese Faith Baptist Church was incorporated on October 8, 1989 with 19 charter members, a Constitution, and elected officers. On March 6, 1990, the church became affiliated with the Northwest Conservative Baptist Association, now called CB Northwest.

#### Ministries

The mission of the church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ in the Chinese community of Portland metro-areas.

Sunday School classes are conducted September – May from 9:45 – 10:45 am for English-Speaking Adults, High School, Junior High, Junior & Middler (grades 3-6), Primary (grades 1-2), Beginners (ages 4-5), and from 9:00 – 10:45 am for Cantonese-Speaking Adults. Nursery is available throughout the Sunday School and worship hours.

An English service starts at 9:00 am for our English-speaking congregation in the sanctuary. Bilingual (English-Cantonese) Sunday worship service starts at 11:00 am in the sanctuary while a children's worship service is held in the lower level. Two simultaneous services (one in Cantonese and the other in English) were held at 11:00 am in March and April, 2017. Joint worship service (sermon with consecutive interpretation) is held in the sanctuary beginning in May 2017.

#### Sponsored Missions

Organizations:

- CB America
- CB Northwest
- Overseas Missionary Fellowship
- Multnomah University, Portland, Oregon
- Watchman Ministries, Portland, Oregon
- Western Seminary, Portland, Oregon
- World Venture, Colorado

Missionaries:

- Anonymous
- Peter and Debbie Dodd, Taiwan (World Venture)
- Paul and Diana Mayhugh, Macau (World Venture)
- Allan and Ione Smith, Hong Kong (World Venture)
- Alex and Faith Smith, NW Rep. (OMF)
- Chris & Joanne Wiorek (Ideas)

### Church Activities

Short Term Missions, Chinese Adult Fellowship, Senior Fellowship, Youth Activities, Houses of Prayer (East and West side), weekly badminton event, Church Clean Up day, small groups, Vocational Bible School, and others.

### Church Committees:

- Board of Deacons
- Worship and Music Committee
- Sunday School Committee
- Fellowship and Library Committee
- Outreach Committee
- Missions Committee
- Property and Finance Committee
- Care and Hospitality
- Nominating Committee
- Pastoral Search Committee

### Church Membership

According to our last annual report 2016, there are 61 active members, 2 affiliate members, and 50 inactive members for a total of 113 members. The average weekly attendance was 99.

### Affiliation

CFBC fellowships with eight other Chinese churches in the Portland area through PACE, (Portland Association of Chinese Evangelicals). Other Chinese para-church ministries include the Chinese Christian Restaurant Pastoral Fellowship, and Directed, Inc., all striving to reach the Chinese in the metro-area.

### Other Details

Such as Church Covenant, Church History, and Constitution may be found at our church website.

### Around Lake Oswego

City parks, downtown art, and lush, forested lake vistas typify Lake Oswego, Oregon. Located on the west bank of the Willamette River just minutes south of Portland, Lake Oswego has many attractions for visitors to enjoy.

Take a leisurely ride on the historic Willamette shore trolley. The six-mile rail line runs between Lake Oswego and Portland along the west bank of the Willamette River.

Downtown Lake Oswego offers fine shops and boutiques, and many different kinds of restaurants. Outdoor art graces each downtown block, and is enhanced by beautiful hanging baskets, plaza plantings and green trees everywhere.

Spring brings the farmer's market season. Lake Oswego Farmers Market is held every Saturday from mid-May to mid-October.

With sightseeing, forest hiking, leisurely shopping, and many more unique attractions, Lake Oswego has something for everyone.

### Portland & Lake Oswego Population

According to the 2010-2014 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, Portland has a population of about 566,686 whereas the Chinese population (except Taiwanese) is about 11,838. Lake Oswego has a population of about 36,586 whereas the Chinese population (except Taiwanese) is about 890. About 65.8% of the people age 25+ have a Bachelor Degree or higher.