



親愛的天鄰基金會朋友：

願大家身體健康，生活愉快!

因為世界各地疫情未止，天鄰基金會暫時未能派出醫療隊，但是我們在中國的中學生和大学生助學金計劃依舊，現在有 199 位中學生及 22 位大学生接受資助。

香港社會正在巨變中，相信不少人會離開香港，大部分會選擇到英聯邦地區，可能有少數人會到美國。主耶穌教導我們要作好鄰居，要為有需要的人伸出援手，所以，美國天鄰基金會董事局一致通過香港新移民援助計劃，為有意移居洛杉磯的香港人提供免費諮詢服務，又與到達洛杉磯的香港人同行，協助他們盡快可以定居。這服務是不管受惠人的宗教和政治背景的，就如聖經中好撒瑪利亞人不會理會受傷者的背景一樣。我們服務的地區是洛杉磯，因為天鄰有很多義工在此地區居住，而且我們與當地教會比較多聯繫。有到美國其他地區的香港人需要幫忙，我們亦會盡力而為。

有人會問天鄰不是只做海外事工嗎?其實不然，因為我們的眼界是全球性的，我們身在美國，要關心美國的需要，以前有美國的露宿者事工，現在有美國神學生資助計劃。天鄰有辦公室在香港，我們一向都有資助當地的社區診所。天鄰的宗旨是在世界各地分享耶穌基督的大愛和彰顯福音的大能。我們邀請各華人教會與我們一起聯手，為有需要的新香港移民提供協助，當知道耶穌曾說：「把一杯涼水給小子裡一個喝，這人不能不得賞賜。」（馬太福音 10:42）

祝主愛永久!

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Dear Friends of HIS Foundation,

Wish this newsletter finds you in good health and spirit.

HIS Foundation is unable to send overseas medical teams during pandemic. However, our scholarship programs in China are still ongoing. Currently we have 199 high school students and 22 college students under our sponsorship.

There are huge changes in Hong Kong society. It is believed that there will be a wave of emigrants from Hong Kong. Most will choose to move to British Commonwealth countries. However, a small number may choose to come to the United States. The board of directors has unanimously approved a plan to assist new immigrants from Hong Kong that would like to settle in Los Angeles. We will provide free consultation services before people arrive so they can make informed decisions. For those landed in Los Angeles, we will be glad to assist them so that they can settle down as quickly as possible. These services are rendered irrespective of the political and religious background of the recipients, just like the good Samaritan who did not question the background of the injured. We choose Los Angeles because we have many volunteers and better liaison with the Chinese churches in this area. For people who are moving to other parts of the United States, we will also try our best to help.

Some may question that HIS Foundation is only for overseas missions. Actually, our vision is global. Since we live in the United States, we should not ignore local needs. In the past we supported homeless ministry in Los Angeles. Currently we have scholarship program for local seminary students. HIS Foundation has office in Hong Kong. We have been sponsoring community clinics in Hong Kong for many years. Our vision is to share the love of Christ and to witness the power of the Gospel through our free services in different parts of the world. Please remember that Jesus said: "Whoever gives one of these little ones even a cup of cold water will by no means lose his reward." (Matthew 10:42)

We would like to invite Chinese churches to join hands with us to support new immigrants from Hong Kong. God bless you!

Sincerely,

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