

✿ The Third Annual ✿
Asian American Christian Counseling Symposium

2014

*Biblical Foundations of Counseling &
Spiritual Maturity in Asian American Culture*

Saturday, May 17, 2014
8:15AM - 12:00PM

Evergreen Baptist Church
of San Gabriel Valley
323 Workman Mill Road
La Puente, CA 91746

Continental breakfast
provided!

To register, please go to
www.aaccs.org, click on
the "view details" of the
3rd Annual Symposium.

Schedule

8:15-8:45am	Registration
8:45-9:00am	Intro
9:00-9:50am	Lecture
9:50-10:0am	Break
10:00-11:10am	Lecture
11:10-11:30am	Q & A
11:30-12:00pm	Closing

Any questions please
contact **Jessica ChenFeng**
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Have you wondered what the Bible has to say about counseling? What was Jesus' emotional life like? And what does it look like for Asian Americans to experience spiritual maturity in our cultural context?

This is our Third Annual Symposium and we are having a wonderful guest speaker, Dr. Jenny Pak of Rosemead School of Psychology (Biola). The symposium is intended to be relevant and applicable not only to those with mental health backgrounds, but also and especially to our pastors, lay leaders, and the general public who are interested in this topic.

Dr. Pak will be speaking on "Biblical Foundations of Counseling and Spiritual Maturity in Asian American Culture." We will offer 2.5 hours of continuing education credits (BBS #PCE5107) for LMFTs, LCSWs, LEPs, LPCCs who remain for the entire course which will be from 8:15am-12:00pm.

A continental breakfast will be offered during the event.

Before May 1, 2013

Licensed Professionals + General Public: \$35

Students \$25

Ministry-related Attendees \$25

CEUs an additional \$25

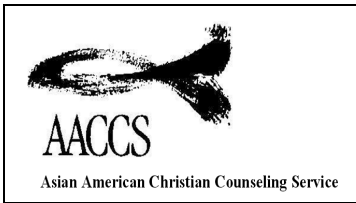
After May 1st, additional \$10 per category

As a full-time faculty member of Rosemead School of Psychology since 2006, Dr. Pak's instruction is certain to be rich and meaningful. She earned her M.A. in Marriage Family Therapy from Fuller Seminary and her Ph.D. in Counseling Psychology from USC. Her clinical interests include identity development, post-traumatic growth, and pastoral and missionary member care. Dr. Pak has published extensively and is known nationally and internationally as an expert in her field. She is also author of *Korean American Women: Stories of Acculturation and Changing Selves*.

Seminar Outline

- I. Biblical and theological foundations of counseling (25 min)
- II. Implications of the emotional life of Jesus for Christian living, sanctification and counseling (25 min)
- III. Break (10 min)
- IV. Scientific foundations of emotion and counseling (30 min)
- V. Integration and spiritual maturity in Asian American cultural context (40 min)
- VI. Question and Answer and wrap-up (20 min)

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***Spiritually Oriented
Psychotherapy & Inner Healing Prayer:
A Biblical Perspective & Approach***

Instructor: Dr. Siang-Yang Tan, Ph.D.

May 11, 2013 ☒ 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM

AACCS is approved by the CA Board of Behavioral Sciences (BBS) to provide continuing education in California (Provider Approval No. PCE 5107). This course meets the qualifications for 4 hours of continuing education credit for LCSWs, LMFTs, LPCCs, and LEPs as required by the California Board of Behavioral Sciences. *This course is currently under review by the California Psychological Association Office of Professional Development Provider Approval System (CPA OPD PAS).*

Cost: \$115 (continental breakfast and lunch included). Total instruction time: 4 hours. Networking opportunity: 2 hours.

COURSE MATERIAL / SYLLABUS

I. Description of Content:

Abstract: " This four hour workshop or symposium will cover a biblical perspective and approach to spiritually oriented psychotherapy and inner healing prayer that will be particularly helpful to religiously committed Christian clients. A biblical perspective on human nature, as well as on effective counseling and psychotherapy will be provided. Implicit and explicit integration of Christian faith and clinical practice with cultural and ethical sensitivity will be described. The use of prayer and Scripture in therapy, including cognitive behavior therapy, will be discussed as examples of explicit integration. A seven step model of inner healing prayer or healing of painful memories will be presented, with a role play demonstration provided that this will include time for discussion."

II. Course Outline:

- a. A Biblical Perspective on Human Nature and on Effective Counseling and Psychotherapy (1 hour)
- b. Implicit and Explicit integration of Christian Faith and Clinical Practice, with Cultural and Ethical Sensitivity (0.5 hours)
- c. Use of Prayer and Scripture in Therapy, including Cognitive Behavior Therapy (0.5 hours)
- d. Seven Step Model of Inner Healing Prayer (0.5 hours)
- e. Role Play Demonstration of Inner Healing Prayer, with Discussion (1 hour)
- f. Question and Answer Session with Wrap-Up (0.5 hours)

III. Course Goals and Objectives:

Participants will:

- a. Be able to articulate a biblical perspective on human nature and thirteen principles of a biblically-based approach to effective counseling and psychotherapy.
- b. Be able to describe implicit and explicit integration of Christian faith and clinical practice with cultural and ethical sensitivity.
- c. Be able to name the seven steps of inner healing prayer and use them with clients who may benefit from this intervention in an appropriate and ethical way, including obtaining informed consent from clients.

Refund and Attendance Policy

CANCELLATIONS are subject to a \$20.00 processing fee and must be received 7 days prior to be eligible for a refund. **IMPORTANT NOTICE:** Those who attend this workshop in full and complete the appropriate evaluation form will receive CE credits. Please note that credit will only be granted to those who attend the entire workshop. Those arriving more than 15 minutes after the start time or leaving before the workshop is completed will not receive CE credit.



First Asian American Christian Counseling Symposium

Coming Together to Connect, Share and Empower

You are invited to participate in the

First Asian American Christian Counseling Symposium

Featured speaker:

Dr. Siang-Yang Tan Ph.D

Professor of Psychology, Fuller Theological Seminary

Distinguished Author and Clinical Psychologist

Topic:

**Integrating Spirituality into Psychotherapy:
A Christian Approach**

This an opportunity to meet and network with other Asian American Christian therapists working in the Southern California area. You are encouraged to bring your business cards and brochures to share.

We will also be publishing a directory of Asian American Christian therapists. If you cannot attend the symposium but would like to be included in the directory, please connect to the registration page.

This symposium has been approved for 2 hours of CEU's for LCSW's, MFT's and LPCC's.

For course description, go to www.aaccs.org

Continental breakfast will be provided.

When: Saturday, May 5, 2012

8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

**Where: Evergreen Baptist Church of San Gabriel Valley
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Get more information @ www.aaccs.org

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