



# Grace Baptist Church

22 September 2019

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**Welcome**

**Call to Worship**

**Praise & Adoration**

**Tithes & Offerings / Doxology**

**(Dismissal of Children)**

**Announcements**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Song of Preparation**

**Scripture Reading**

**Sermon**

**Song of Response**

**Benediction**



# GRACE TOGETHER

2019 Theme

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**"Pulling Life from the Dead"**  
**(Romans 11:13-36)**



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**Next Week's Sermon:**

"True Worship"

(Romans 12:1-2)

## CONNECT WITH US

Hello! Welcome to Grace Baptist Church! Do drop by the visitors' table before the service or provide us with your contact details at [www.tinyurl.com/welcometogbc](http://www.tinyurl.com/welcometogbc) or through this QR code:

We look forward to getting to know you better and hearing how we can serve you!



**Keen to find out more about joining the GBC community?** We have a membership class called "Church Matters" which teaches through what we believe and what it means to be a church member. **The next class will be on Saturday 5 October, 9.00am-12.30pm.** If you would like more information, please contact Pastor Eugene ([eugenelow@gracebaptistchurch.sg](mailto:eugenelow@gracebaptistchurch.sg)).

**Stay Connected:** Signup for our online newsletter and prayer updates at [www.tinyurl.com/gbcenews](http://www.tinyurl.com/gbcenews). These two mailers are how the church leaders can send important information to members, encourage prayer, and keep everyone in the family informed.

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**TODAY 22 SEP | 9.30 AM - 10.45 AM | CLASSROOMS ON THE ATTIC FLOOR (5<sup>TH</sup> LEVEL)**

**Below 3:** Nursery

**Age 3 - 8:** Jesus Tells the Stories about Lost Sheep and Lost Coins.

Theme: Jesus Seeks the Lost.

Memory verse: Luke 15: 7 "Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance."

**Age 9 - 12:** Look Up, Not Down.

Theme: We can look down at our situation and complain, questioning God's wisdom and goodness, or we can look up to who God is and trust His wisdom and goodness.

Memory verse: 2 Corinthians 4:17-18 "For this light momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal."

New and have questions? Please contact Mok Chuan Xin (98531017).

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS) | 28-30 NOV 2019

Registration is open! All children are welcome, including non- GBC members and friends. Registration will be ongoing from now till early October. Volunteers and helpers needed. Please find us at the registration booth on Level 3 or email us at [vbsgbcsingapore@gmail.com](mailto:vbsgbcsingapore@gmail.com).

## CHURCH LIFE ANNOUNCEMENTS

### NOTICE TO GBC MEMBERS ON SINGAPORE'S PERSONAL DATA PROTECTION ACT (PDPA)

Please be informed that Grace Baptist Church ("GBC") has a Personal Data Protection (PDP) Policy and for regulatory requirement, the appointed PDP Officer is the Church Administrator of GBC – Mr. Kuan Kok Pui.

Existing GBC members and regular visitors who have submitted their personal data to GBC in the past are deemed to have given consent to GBC for their personal data to be collected, used or disclosed for church-related and regulatory purposes only, in accordance with GBC's PDP Policy. For church-related purposes, mainly names, phone contact numbers and email addresses (considered as personal data) will be used and disclosed. This is not limited to the following: member care, church announcements, members' directory, information about ministries and care groups.

GBC is committed to protecting the privacy of GBC members and visitors who have provided personal data to GBC. Your personal data is securely protected in GBC and GBC will not disclose such data to unauthorized parties, or otherwise act contrary to Singapore's Personal Data Protection Act (PDPA).

For GBC members and regular visitors, you may withdraw your consent for the use of your personal data by submitting a written request to GBC's PDP Officer ([kpkuang@gracebaptistchurch.sg](mailto:kpkuang@gracebaptistchurch.sg)) by **October 13, 2019**.

At the same time, the church office would like all GBC members to update their personal data in GBC records by **October 13, 2019**. Please contact GBC's PDP Officer (Mr. Kuan Kok Pui) if you have queries.

By October 27, 2019, a pdf copy of GBC Members' Directory (containing names and photographs) will be made available to Members only. Members will have to submit a

written request to GBC's PDP Officer to email them an electronic version of the Directory. The church office will not provide any printed copies to Members.

**MEET GOD MID-WEEK (MGMW) | TUE 24 SEP | 8.00 PM | ROOM 310**

Haman, the hater of the Jews is out of the way. But the problem persisted. The lot he cast to annihilate the Jews must still be carried out according to Persian Law. Will the Jews die? Come join us in the exciting climax to this story. Find out how the Jews saved themselves.

**STUDYING GOD'S WORD TOGETHER | EVERY WED | 7.00 PM TO 9.00 PM | GBC**

The Wednesday Night Men's Bible Study and Wednesday Night Ladies Bible Study will be studying the book of Philippians on 25 Sep. These 2 study groups are open to men and women of all ages. The night typically starts with dinner at 7.00pm-7.45pm followed by the study at 7.45pm - 9.00pm. So, come join us as we open the word of God together, and gain insights for living out our Christian life together. If you are keen or wish to find out more, please contact Kai Mun at 96870259 (Men's Bible Study) and Jena at 97988630 (Ladies' Bible Study).

**PRAYER MEETING | FRI 27 SEP | 8.00 PM - 9.30 PM | ROOM 310 C & D**

*"Pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people"* (Eph 6: 18). Join us as we immerse ourselves in prayer and thanksgiving for God's grace and mercy in each other's lives and the church. If you have any prayer requests, please send them to the church office.

**PRECEPT BIBLE STUDY FOR LADIES**

The Ladies meet every Saturday 4 -6:15pm for Bible Study to dig deeper into God's Word and to discover His Truths for themselves.

On 28 Sep we will be starting on a Study of Romans Chapters 9-11 on *The Sovereignty of God and the Free Will of Man*.

All are welcome and please send a note to Yoke Meng at 97301670 to get your workbook if you intend to join us.

**GBC NEWCOMERS' LUNCH | SUN 29 SEP | 11.00 AM | ROOM 310**

There will be a Newcomers' Lunch on Sun 29 Sep, 11 am, in Room 310 on Level 3 of the church. If you know a newcomer or anyone who should be at this lunch, please let us know so that we can invite them. Contact persons: Song Huat at 91260295, Eng Khin at 84064441 or Carrie Chong at 97924717.

### **GBC SUNDAY SOCCER @ HOME UNITED | SUN 29 SEP | 4.00 PM**

Once a month, a group of church folks play soccer across the road at the Home United Youth Football Academy (HYFA) pitches; the next is on the 29th. All, including visitors to GBC and non-Christians are welcome. Contact Caleb Kho (8182 9431) or Frederick Chua (9758 8309) for more details.

### **QUARTERLY CONGREGATIONAL MEETING (QCM) | SUN 6 OCT | 11.00 AM - 12.30 PM | ROOM 310**

We will be having our 4th QCM for 2019 on 6 October after the worship service. The elders will be sharing some significant ministry matters and updates. Members are strongly encouraged to attend the meeting to stay informed and be praying for the church. Please do mark this date down in your calendar.

### **EQUIP: LIFE TOGETHER IN THE WORD**

Following Jesus in the midst of life's struggles isn't always easy. How can we bear one another's burdens and help others to press on towards Christ-likeness? For the second half of the year, EQUIP will focus on equipping us with the biblical resources we need to help one another grow in Christ.

**October 12** (Saturday, 9.30-11.30am) - Growing Through Suffering

**November 9** (Saturday, 9.30-11.30am) - Growing Through Sin and Conflict

### **BAPTISM | SUN 17 NOV | 9.00 AM**

The next baptism is on 17 Nov. If you wish to get baptized, please contact the church office or Pastor Eugene at [eugenelow@gracebaptistchurch.sg](mailto:eugenelow@gracebaptistchurch.sg) to register your intention or to find out more. Also, please make arrangement to attend the next class on "Church Matters" which will be on Saturday 5 October, 9.00am -12.30pm.

### **YOUTH CAMP 2019 | 13-16 DEC**

Youth Camp 2019 will be held in GBC on 13-16 December 2019. It will be telling the story of the Bible over the course of the Camp, and there'll be loads of food and games as well. The camp will be absolutely free so feel free to look out for other youths that you might know (regardless of whether they are Christians) and invite them to the camp! Sign up here: <https://forms.gle/crwqHHr6vMHS6q2P9>

### **WORD OF APPRECIATION**

Gerald and Fidelia Lau wish to express their thanks to the GBC family for your prayers, care and support during their recent bereavement. Our thoughts, prayers and words of sympathy are very much appreciated.

## STAFF MOVEMENT

Pastor Oliver will be preaching in Acts Baptist Church this afternoon. Do keep him in prayer as God uses him to bless them in the word.

## OUTREACH

### GRACEHAVEN MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES | SEP – NOV 2019

We thank God for the opportunities this year to share the Word at the monthly Thursday Night Gracehaven Family Service and a couple of outings. Upcoming ministry opportunities:

- Family services at Gracehaven on Thursday, 26 Sep and 31 Oct.
- Outing with the kids (youth) on Saturday, 16 Nov.

Volunteers are needed to spend time listening to them and demonstrating God's truth and love to them. To find out more, please contact Pastor Ollie ([oliverchia@gracebaptistchurch.sg](mailto:oliverchia@gracebaptistchurch.sg) / 9657 1672) or Cheryl Chan ([clyrehc@hotmail.com](mailto:clyrehc@hotmail.com) / 9829 7414)

### YOUNG ADULTS EVANGELISM EVENT | SAT 28 SEP | 6.30 PM | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Join the Young Adults for an evangelism event titled 'Who do you think you are?', as we address identity concerns that many believing and non-believing young adults face today. In an age of identity categories, online profiles and relativism, what significance does a Christian faith hold for our identities? Come and spend time with our YAs and their non-believing friends. Better yet, bring a non-believing friend to come talk about these issues. Register at [tinyurl.com/identitygbc](http://tinyurl.com/identitygbc), and do pray for those that God will bring to this event.

### SEEK & DISCOVER ON SUNDAYS

Want to find out more about Christianity, or do you know someone who would? This is an opportunity for you / your friends and loved ones to hear the Gospel explained. Come with your questions and an open mind!

### SEEKERS' CLASS | ROOM 512-515 | 7 SESSIONS - OCT 13, 20, 27, NOV 03, 10, 17, 24 | 11.00 AM - 12.30 PM

Please direct your interest\* / enquiry / registration to Kang Wei at [<chongkangwei@yahoo.com>](mailto:chongkangwei@yahoo.com) or 9476 4196.

*\*If you would like to be part of this ministry as a facilitator or befriender, please reach out to Kang Wei.*



## WEEK AT A GLANCE

### Activities for 22 September 2019 –29 September 2019:

#### **Sunday, 22 September**

9.00 am EC Worship Service  
9.30 am Children's Church  
10.30 am Filipina Fellowship  
2.00 pm Myanmar Fellowship

#### **Tuesday, 24 September**

7.00 pm Gladiolus Place  
8.00 pm Meet God Mid-Week

#### **Wednesday, 25 September**

7.00 pm Men's Bible Study Group  
7.00 pm Women's Bible Study Group  
7.30 pm Tuition Ministry

#### **Thursday, 26 September**

7.00 pm Gracehaven Family Service  
(Offsite)

#### **Friday, 27 September**

10.00 am Women of Grace: Friday  
Bible Study  
7.00 pm Youth Group  
8.00 pm Monthly Prayer Meeting

#### **Saturday, 28 September**

9.00 am External Event  
9.30 am CLOBS  
4.00 pm Women of Grace: Precept  
Class  
6.30 pm YA Evangelism Event

#### **Sunday, 29 September**

9.00 am EC Worship Service  
9.30 am Children's Church  
10.30 am Filipina Fellowship  
11.00 am Newcomers' Lunch  
2.00 pm Myanmar Fellowship  
4.00 pm Sunday Soccer @ Home United

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**Sunday Meetings**

EC Worship Service	9.00 am	Chinese Worship Service	11.00 am
EC Christian Education:		CC Christian Education:	
Children's Church	9.30 am	Children's Sunday School (KFC)	1.15 pm
Filipina Fellowship	10.30 am	Youth Fellowship	1.30 pm
Myanmar Fellowship	2.00 pm	Young Adult Fellowship	1.30 pm
		Big Group Fellowship (1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday)	1.00 pm

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**Contact information****English Congregation**

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**Giving**

The collection at GBC can be directed to one of two specific funds – general offering and missions fund. If you are making an offering by cheque, please write the cheque payable to: **“Grace Baptist Church Ltd”**.

For electronic giving, here are the internet banking details for English Congregation:

Account	Bank	Account Number
General Fund	Standard Chartered Bank	0100263291
Missions Fund	Standard Chartered Bank	0100263283

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