

Grace Baptist Church

26 August 2018

Welcome & Announcements Call to Worship Praise & Adoration Baptism Pastoral Prayer Tithes & Offerings / Doxology (Dismissal of Children) Song of Preparation Scripture Reading Sermon Song of Response Benediction



"Walking Together in the Light"

(1 John 1:5-10)

CONNECT WITH US

Hello! We would love to help you connect with us. Do drop by the visitors' table before the service or provide us with your contact details at <u>www.tinyurl.com/welcometogbc</u>. We also encourage you to visit one of our care groups. We look forward to getting to know you better and hearing how we can serve you!

Keen to find out more about becoming a member of GBC? We have a quarterly membership class called "Church Matters", which teaches through what we believe and what it means to be a church member. If you would like more information, please contact Pastor Eugene (<u>eugenelow@gracebaptistchurch.sg</u>)

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

EQUIP: MEN / WOMEN OF GRACE | TODAY 26 AUG | 11.00 AM -12.30 PM | ROOM 310 (WOMEN), ROOM 516-519 (MEN)

What are ways in which men and women can encourage their brothers and sisters-in-Christ? Join us for our next class on biblical manhood and womanhood, where we will look at how men and women can serve one another in God's family, the church.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY | TODAY 26 AUG | 9.30 AM | ROOM 516

Age 3 - 8: Jesus Seeks for Lost Sinners.

Theme: Jesus is a loving shepherd who is always looking for his lost sheep, us.

Memory Verse: Luke 19:10 Jesus said, "For the Son of man came to seek and save what was lost"

Age 9 - 12: Loving your Neighbour.

Theme: Everyone is my neighbour. Jesus wants us to be people of love - looking beyond ourselves and our own wants and desires for ways we can treat others as we want to be treated.

Memory Verse: Mark 12:31b "Love your neighbour as yourself."

MEET GOD MID WEEK | TUES 28 AUG | 8.00 PM - 9.00 PM | RM 310 C & D

Have you ever been discouraged before you even launched into the work? The Jews returned to Jerusalem to build the temple, after 70 years in captivity. They built the altar and successfully completed laying the foundation. Come and study Ezra 4 and find out what happened before they could even launch into the building of the temple. **Note:** The class will be in recess on 4 September and will resume on 11 September.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

BAPTISM SUNDAY | TODAY 26 AUG

Emily Chan, Ng Jian Hui and Samuel Tan will be baptized today. Chong Meng Hui Jason, Frederick Chua, Patrick Lee and Grace Koh will be joining us by transfer. Janette Tan Aik Gek was baptized in the hospital last week. We rejoice with them as they take this step of obedience to Christ.

MONTHLY PRAYER MEETING | FRI 31 AUG | 8.00 PM - 9.30 PM | RM 519

Join us on 31 August to thank God for His grace and intercede for our church, our city, our country and our world. See you at the prayer meeting!

GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH – CLOSURE ON MONDAYS – EFFECTIVE 1 SEP

The Facility Management Committee with the support of the Congregational Leadership will implement total closure of the church building on Mondays starting 1 September 2018.

The church gates will be closed and there will be no security and cleaner services. Please do not plan any ministry activities in church on Mondays. The church office will also be closed. If you have any emergencies, please use the telephone numbers listed at the back of your ministry guide.

Also, a reminder to EC ministry leaders and church members that you need to ensure all power is switched off, and all refuse/garbage is disposed off before you leave on Sunday evenings.

BIBLE STORYING CONFERENCE | **13** - **17 SEP** There will be a Bible storying conference sponsored by Wycliffe Singapore, here at GBC. If you would like to be better equipped to share the Gospel story, informational flyers are available to you as you leave the Sanctuary this morning.

MINISTRY

TUESDAY ENQUIRY GROUP | 7.30 PM TO 9.30 PM | ROOMS 310 A & B

The Tuesday Enquiry Group (TEG) is back! The TEG hopes to be a space for non-Christians (and Christians!) to bring their questions about what Christians believe. Every session will have a different topic and question for discussion, and we'll meet every week from now till 13 Nov. Feel free to contact Jonathan (9236 4212) if you're interested or if you have questions!

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY | WED 29 AUG | 7.00 PM

We invite all brothers to join us in the study of 1 Thessalonians this Wednesday, 29 August. The study starts at 7.00pm in church (fellowship hall) followed by dinner at 8.00pm. For more details, please contact Eric (98303894), Nathan (92222341) or Chris (92994040). See you there!

CHILDREN-PARENTS-TEACHERS GET-TOGETHER: MOVIE UNDER THE STARS WITH POTLUCK DINNER | SAT 1 SEP | 5.30 PM – 8.30 PM | ATTIC OPEN SPACE

Calling all children, parents and teachers for a time of connecting with one another. **Children**, enjoy a movie under the stars with your friends; **parents**, meet with fellow parents and get to know the teachers of your child; and **teachers**, find out more about the children outside class and chat with their parents! All these with great fellowship over a potluck dinner. Please register with Wendy Chan at chanwendyhj@yahoo.com

CHRISTIAN PARENTING | SUN 2 SEP |11.00 AM - 12.15 PM | ROOM 310A&B

We'll be continuing our reading group on Christian parenting next Sunday on 2 Sep 2018, reading "Parenting: 14 Gospel Principles That Can Radically Change Your Family" by Paul Tripp. All are welcome to join, would be helpful if you could read the first two chapters in advance (but come anyway even if you can't). Contact Samuel Beh if you want to buy a copy of the book, or if you need more details at <u>samuelbeh@gracebaptistchurch.sg</u> or 97901271.

YOUTH CAMP | 19 – 23 DEC

Youth Camp will be from 19 - 23 Dec 2018. Details to follow. Please block the dates in your calendars!

CHURCH CAMP 2019 | 12-15 JUNE 2019 | LOTUS DESARU HOTEL Are you ready for church camp 2019? It will be held at Lotus Desaru hotel from 12-15 June 2019. Please save the dates. We look forward to you joining us for a great time of fellowship and strengthening our relationships. "Grace Together" is the church camp theme (Heb 10:24-25). More details to follow....

OUTREACH

GRACEHAVEN FAMILY SERVICE | THURS 30 AUG | 7.00 PM TO 8.30 PM | GRACEHAVEN (3 LORONG NAPIRI)

On 26 Jul, we led the first Gracehaven Family Service for 40-50 children at Gracehaven. The service started with worship singing led by Winnie Lam and Carrie Chong, followed by a short message by Nathan Tang, and a fun time of connecting with the children in small groups. We

will be leading the second Gracehaven Family Service on **30 Aug (Thurs)**. We hope more will join us in this family service to befriend and share the gospel and love of Jesus Christ with these precious teenagers. If you can come to help in this family service, please email Cheryl Chan at <u>Clyrehc@hotmail.com</u> by <u>27 Aug</u> as we need to register those who are going with Gracehaven.

GRACEHAVEN OUTREACH | SAT 8 SEP | 8.45 AM – 12.30 PM | TIONG BAHRU HERITAGE WALK

Bruce Mok's CG will be leading a Tiong Bahru heritage walk for the children of Gracehaven and Hannah Yeo will share the story of Ruth on the theme of obedience. Please pray for their preparation and a meaningful time with the children. If you would like to join us or find out more about this outreach, please email Cheryl Chan at <u>Clyrehc@hotmail.com</u> or Sandy Tung at <u>tunglcs@yahoo.com.sg</u>. To facilitate planning, registration for this outreach will close on **2 Sep**.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Friday, 31 Aug

Activities for 26 Aug – 2 Sep 2018:

Training

<u>Sunday, 26 Aug</u>		10.00 am	GBC Women: Friday Bible
9.00 am	EC Worship Service		Study
9.30 am	Children's Church	8.00 pm	Monthly Prayer Meeting
10.30 am	Filipina Fellowship		
11.00 am	EQUIP: Men / Women of	<u>Saturday, 1 Sep</u>	
	Grace	9.00 am	Men's Breakfast Meeting
2.00 pm	Myanmar Fellowship	4.00 pm	GBC Women: Precept
			Class
<u>Tuesday, 28 Aug</u>		5.30pm	Children-Parents-
7.30 pm	Tuesday Enquiry Group		Teachers Get-Together
8.00 pm	Meet God Mid Week		
		<u>Sunday, 2 Sep</u>	
Wednesday, 29 Aug		9.00 am	EC Worship Service
7.00 pm	Men's Bible Study	9.30 am	Children's Church
		10.30 am	Filipina Fellowship
<u>Thursday, 30 Aug</u>		11.00 am	Christian Parenting
3.00 pm	Reading Club	2.00 pm	Myanmar Fellowship
7.00 pm	Gracehaven Family		
	Service		
7.30 pm	Bible Study Leading		



Next Week's Sermon: "When God Sends An Advocate" (1 John 2:1-6)

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