

Grace Baptist Church

17 February 2019

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Call to Worship
Praise & Adoration
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(Dismissal of Children)
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"We Can't Keep Up Appearances" (Romans 2:25-29)

I. Being religious will do us no good.

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 www.tinyurl.com/welcometogbc or through this QR code :



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 (eugenelow@gracebaptistchurch.sg).

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY | TODAY 17 FEB | 9.30 AM | ROOM 516

Age 3 - 8: God Calls Abram And Makes Him A Promise.

Theme: God is sovereign (over all).

Memory verse: Isaiah 46:10b "I say: My purpose will stand, and I will do all that I please."

Age 9 - 12: Promise: Salvation for All Who Call.

Theme: Jesus will not turn anyone away who comes to Him.

Memory verse: Acts 2:21b "Everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved."

MEET GOD MID WEEK | TUES 19 FEB | 8.00 PM - 9.00 PM | RM 310 A & B

Nehemiah saddened by bad news did not stay depressed but went into a prolonged time in prayer. Come join us next week to study chapter 2 and see his answered prayer and its result.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER MEETING | FRI 22 FEB | 8.00 PM - 9.30PM | ROOM 519

Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you." (1 Thess 5:16-18). Let's get together for a time of thanksgiving and rejoicing over God's mercies, and praying for the needs around us.

GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH LTD

(Registration no. 197903364W) (the *Church*)

To: All Members of the English Congregation

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the English Congregation Meeting (*EC Meeting*) of the Church will be held at 17 Mattar Road, Singapore 387722 on **Sunday**, **17th February 2019** at **10.15 a.m.** or immediately after the conclusion of the English worship service, whichever is earlier.

By Order of the Board

Seah Yen Goon Company Secretary

27 January 2019

BAPTISM | SUN 24 FEB | 9.00 AM

We rejoice with Angeline Leong and Rebecca Soh as they take this step of obedience to Christ to be baptized next week. We also rejoice with Soh Ling Ling, Joshua Lowe, Samuel Chan, Ivan Ramirez and Isis Ramirez as they join the GBC family by transfer.

CELEBRATION OF HOPE | 17-19 MAY 2019 | NATIONAL STADIUM

Celebration of Hope (COH) is jointly organised by the National Council of Churches Singapore (NCCS) and Evangelical Fellowship of Singapore (EFOS). COH is a commemoration of the Billy Graham's Crusade in Singapore some 40 years ago (1978). It is about Christians in Singapore rallying together and reaching out to share Jesus Christ with friends and relatives. It encourages personal evangelism on a mass scale, culminating in Gospel rallies at the National Stadium over three days 17-19 May 2019. For more information and details about the event, please visit the website at https://celebrationofhope.sg/.

In particular, the Singapore Baptist Convention (SBC) has asked that Grace Baptist Church (GBC) partners with them in providing counsellors for 17 & 19 May. The counsellors are to help on the two days in sharing the gospel with those who ask to receive Christ and with some follow-up. Counsellors are required to attend one of the training sessions (conducted over March and April) and be present at COH for 17 & 19 May. If you are interested, please register at https://goo.gl/forms/dhBOrFkvDvDaGKTA3. The details for the training sessions are provided when you register. Also please drop an email to Pastor Ollie at oliverchia@gracebaptistchurch.sg when you sign up to be a counsellor or approach him if you have any questions.

2ND FLOOR UNCLAIMED EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS

Please be informed that we are doing improvement works to the 2nd floor. For those ministries or individuals who have items at level 2 car park area please clear them by 17

February 2019. All items that are unclaimed by today, 17/02/2019 will be disposed. For more information, please contact our MA, Nicholas Ng at the church office.

EXTERNAL EVENT CO-ORDINATORS

We are thankful that God continues to use our new building to bless the wider church through hosting an increasing number of external events. However, this increase has also placed a significant administrative burden on the church office staff. We are appealing for volunteers to serve as event coordinators for external events, to be the main liaison between external users and the church. If you are interested please contact Kok Pui in the church office for more details about the role.

WORD OF APPRECIATION

Sidney Loo, Andrea and family 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.

MINISTRY

GOOD FRIDAY & RESURRECTION SUNDAY CHOIR INVITATION

We warmly invite all regular worshippers to sing in the choir as we remember the finished work of Christ at the cross and His victory over death at our Good Friday and Resurrection Sunday services. The practices are on Sundays 10/3 17/3, 31/3 and 14/4 (11.00am-12:30pm) in Rooms 516-519. If you're keen to serve or have questions, please contact: Esther Wong (k.esther.wong@gmail.com), Lup Meng (lam.lup.meng@gmail.com) or Carrie (carriechong@gracebaptistchurch.sg).

CHURCH CAMP 2019 | 12-15 JUNE 2019 | LOTUS DESARU HOTEL | REGISTRATION CLOSES IN 5 WEEKS!

Church camp registrations are open! You may sign up either online at https://tinyurl.com/gbcgracetogether or by heading to the registration desk at level 3. We look forward to having you with us at our meaningful and fun-packed church camp this year! See you there!

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY FAMILY OUTING | SAT 16 MAR | 9.00 AM TO 11.30 AM | FORT CANNING PARK (MEET AT FORT CANNING GREEN)



We are having a Picnic! Come join us for a time of fun, fellowship and food! Look out for Picnic Posters for more details.

Register here for Logistic & Planning Purposes:

https://goo.gl/forms/aOjwXvAEFrAcLhFB2

OUTREACH

GRACEHAVEN FAMILY SERVICE | THURS 28 FEB | 7:00 PM TO 8:30 PM | GRACEHAVEN (3 LORONG NAPIRI)

We thank God for the opportunity to lead worship for 40 – 50 children and staff at Gracehaven's monthly Thursday Night Family Service. Due to a change of Gracehaven's direction, we will be discontinuing the Saturday activities. What is needed now are those with a heart for the children, to speak and show God's truth and love to them. The children may seem active and rowdy, but what they long for are relationships. And what we can provide are relationships that point to the gospel of Jesus Christ. We need more volunteers as one-on-one or small group sharing tends to be most effective.

Please contact Cheryl Chan (<u>clyrehc@hotmail.com</u>/ 9829 7414) or Pastor Ollie (<u>oliverchia@gracebaptistchurch.sg</u>) by <u>25 Feb 2019</u> to find out more.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Friday, 22 Feb

Activities for 17 Feb 2019 – 24 Feb 2019:

Sunday, 17 Feb

9.00 am	EC Worship Service	10.00 am	Women of Grace: Friday
9.30 am	Children's Church		Bible Study
10.30 am	Filipina Fellowship	7.00 pm	Youth Group
10.15 am	EC Meeting	8.00 pm	Monthly Prayer Meeting
2.00 pm	Myanmar Fellowship		
		Saturday, 23 Feb	
Tuesday, 19 Feb		9.30 am	CLOBS
8.00 pm	Meet God Mid Week	4.00 pm	Women of Grace: Precept
			Class
Wednesday, 20 Fo	<u>eb</u>		
9.30 am	Women of Grace: A	Sunday, 24 Feb	
	Verse a Study	9.00 am	EC Worship Service
7.00 pm	Men's Wed Bible Group		(Baptism)
7.30 pm	Tuition	9.30 am	Children's Church
		10.30 am	Filipina Fellowship
Thursday, 21 Feb		2.00 pm	Myanmar Fellowship
7.00 pm	External Booking: ETC		
	Asia		



II. We need God to truly transform us

Next Week's Sermon:

"Let God Be True" (Romans 3:1-20)

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Sunday Meetings

EC Worship Service	9.00 am	Chinese Worship Service	11.00 am
EC Christian Educati	on:	CC Christian Education:	
Children's Church	9.30 am	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 Fellowshi	p 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