



**I WILL  
BUILD  
MY CHURCH;**

**AND THE GATES OF HELL  
SHALL NOT PREVAIL AGAINST IT.**

**MATTHEW 16:18**



# GALILEE

BIBLE-PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

"IN GALILEE ... there's a great light"

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## Church Theme Verse 2021:

### Romans 12:10

"Be kindly affectioned one to another with brotherly love; in honour preferring one another"

Pastor	: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan	9858 4865
Associate Pastor	: Rev Ong Hock Khee	9642 4117
Assistant Pastor	: Rev Freddy Yong (MWS)	8309 8157
Advisory Pastor	: Rev Philip Heng	9792 9183
Ministry Staff	: Pr David Cher	9737 9150
	: Mrs Lee May San	9618 9160

## 61<sup>st</sup> ANNIVERSARY ORDER OF WORSHIP Lord's Day, 6 June 2021, 8.30 am

### PRELUDE

Pianist: Mr Isaac Chung

**INTROIT** # 216 "The Lord Is In His Holy Temple"

### CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan

### PRAISE & WORSHIP

Dn Tan Siong Teck

**HYMNS** # 23 "The God Of Abraham Praise"

# 63 "All Creatures Of Our God And King"

# 32 "Be Exalted, O God"

#139 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

### INVOCATION

**GLORIA PATRI** #812 "Glory Be To The Father"

**SCRIPTURE READING:** Psalm 146

Mr Matthew Wee

**SPECIAL PRAISE ITEM** "The Church Must Stand Together"

Choir-Quartet

### OFFERINGS & TITHES

**DOXOLOGY** #815

### HOLY COMMUNION

### PASTORAL PRAYER

**MESSAGE** "Bear One Another's Burdens"  
Galatians 6:1-10

Rev Dr Bob Phee

**CLOSING HYMN** #426 "Blest Be The Tie That Binds"

### BENEDICTION & 3-FOLD AMEN

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

### POSTLUDE

In compliance with  
MCCY Covid-19 Advisory:  
**Congregational singing  
Not Allowed  
in the Sanctuary**

### WELCOME

In-Person  
Worship Service &  
Broadcast Live on  
Galilee Website

### GALILEE MANDARIN WORSHIP SERVICE 10.30 am 61<sup>st</sup> ANNIVERSARY

Preacher: Rev Freddy Yong  
Message: "God Is Our Refuge"  
Zachariah 1:18 -2:13

# Celebrating 61 years

*We extend a warm welcome to Rev (Dr) Bob Phee from Herald BP Church.  
He brings God's message to us on our 61<sup>st</sup> Anniversary this morning.*

*We thank BPCIS (Bible Presbyterian Church in Singapore) for their  
generous gift on this occasion.*



Today we are glad to introduce **e-bulletin via QR code** where worshippers could download church bulletin conveniently on their mobile devices.

We thank Dn Sandeep for making it possible.



**Wednesday 7.30pm**  
**10 June**

**Bible Study/8.30pm Prayer Meeting**

Pastor Simon N. - The Book Of Romans

Zoom ID: 605 758 5352; Password BS/PM

Rev Philip Heng – The Book of Revelation

Zoom ID: 979 8355 0297; Password 066786

Mrs Lee May San: Ladies' BS – Post-exilic books: Esther

Zoom ID: 727 911 4854; Password WEDLADBS

**Friday**  
**11 -13 June**

**YAF Retreat 2021**

**"Not My Will But Yours Be Done" (Online)**

**Saturday**  
**12 June**

**All Fellowship Group Meetings via Zoom**

**10.30am**

**BOE Meeting via Zoom**

2.45 pm

Junior Catechism Class (via zoom) [Pr David Cher]

3.45 pm

TF/YF: Bible Study 5: "Trusting God" Genesis 22:1-19

IC: Colin Chung

**Lord's Day** **8.00 am**  
**13 June**

**Pre-Worship Prayer Meeting (on-site & via Zoom)**

**8.30 am**

**ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE**

[On site & Live Broadcast available on Galilee Website]

Chairman: Pr David Cher

Worship Team Leader: Mr Daryl Tan

Scripture Reader: Mr Ian Ling (Psalm 69:13-29)

Preacher: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan

Message: "God Accepts A Repentant Heart"

2 Chronicles 34:1-21

**All Sunday School Classes via Zoom**

9.30 am

Crèche/Nursery/Kindergarten 1 & 2

10.30 am

Primary/Secondary/Seniors

11.15 am

Young Adults [Dn Sandeep Choppara]

11.15 am

Adults [Pastor Simon]

11.15 am

Senior Adults [Rev Ong Hock Khee]

**10.30am**

**MANDARIN WORSHIP SERVICE**

[On site and available on Galilee Website same day evening]



Preacher: Rev Freddy Yong

Message: "Jerusalem Restored"

Zachariah 2:1-13

# MONTHLY CALENDAR

## June 2021

Worship Service Date/Time	Speaker/Chairman	Message
<p>Lord's Day, 6 June 8.30 am</p> <p><b>61<sup>ST</sup> GALILEE CHURCH ANNIVERSARY</b></p> <p>Holy Communion</p>	<p><b>Speaker:</b> Rev Dr Bob Phee (Herald BPC)</p> <p><b>Chairman:</b> Rev Dr Simon N</p>	<p><b>"Bear One Another's Burdens"</b></p> <p><b>Galatians 6:1-10</b></p> 
<p>Lord's Day, 13 June 8.30 am</p>	<p><b>Speaker:</b> Rev Dr Simon N</p> <p><b>Chairman:</b> Preacher David Cher</p>	<p><b>"God Accepts People's Repentance"</b></p> <p><b>2 Chronicles 29:34-35</b></p>
<p>Lord's Day, 20 June Father's Day (Time TBC)</p> 	<p><b>Speaker:</b> Rev Ong Hock Khee</p> <p><b>Chairman:</b> Dn Tai Fatt Weng</p>	<p><b>"God Declares A New Covenant"</b></p> <p><b>Jeremiah 31</b></p>
<p><b>Saturday, 26 June, 5.00 pm</b> <b>YOUTH WORSHIP SERVICE</b></p> <p>Speaker: Preacher Lee Hann Yang (Evangel BPC) <b>"The Good Shepherd"</b></p>		
<p>Lord's Day, 27 June (Time TBC)</p>	<p><b>Speaker:</b> Preacher David Cher</p> <p><b>Chairman:</b> Dn Ricky Chng</p>	<p><b>"God Answers A Confused Prophet"</b></p> <p><b>The Book of Habakkuk</b></p>

## CHRONOLOGICAL BIBLE READING JUNE 2021



	<b>Week 1 (6 - 12 June 2021)</b> ▪ Ezekiel 27 - 33						
	6 June Sun	7 June Mon	8 June Tue	9 June Wed	10 June Thurs	11 June Fri	12 June Sat
	Ez 27	Ez 28	Ez 29	Ez 27	Ez 30-31	Ez 32	Ez 33
	<b>Week 2 (13 – 19 June 2021)</b> ▪ Ezekiel 34 - 43						
	<b>Week 3 (20 – 26 June 2021)</b> ▪ Ezekiel; Jeremiah; 2 Kings; Daniel						
<b>Week 4 (27 June – 3 July 2021)</b> ▪ Daniel; Ezra							

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our deepest condolence to the family of our late brother,  
Mr Goh Hoon Poh, called home on 4 June 2021.  
May God comfort the bereaved family.

## GEM Zoom Meeting

**Date** : 12 Jun 2021  
**Time** : 10am  
**Place** : ZOOM Meeting  
 ID : 97983550297      PW:066786  
**Message:** Rev Eric Kwan  
**Topic** : "Living in the Shadow Of Death –  
 Adopting a Minimalistic Lifestyle"  
 Matthew 4: 12~17  
**Please Register with Sis Linda Phua**

**Death is inevitable but the its shadow does not paralyse us. Instead it should motivate us to live wisely. Decluttering and removing unneeded possessions from our home promotes calm, peace, and control, and is more important so as to focus on things that really matters in our life**



### Christian Minimalism

"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." (Luke 12:34)

Please contact Ricky Chng @ 96657275 for details.  
Members who would like to try out the ZOOM platform, please contact Ricky for arrangement.

# “He is good, for His mercy endureth for ever”

Pastor Simon.N, Lord’s Day, June 6, 2021

**B**rethren, Anniversary Greetings in the Name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. The people in the days of Ezra “...sang together by course in praising and giving thanks unto the Lord; because He is good, for His mercy endureth for ever toward Israel.” Ezra 3:11. We, as one congregation, from our relational experience with God, exuberantly chorus the same truth in our praise and worship of our good and gracious Lord. His countless and marvellous blessings over the last six decades overwhelms us with gratitude. All Praise to our Lord Jesus Christ!

When the people of Judah were deported to Babylon as captives, the Jews found it hard to come to terms that they lost their God-given Promised Land. Nevertheless, the prophet Jeremiah prophesied that they will return to their homeland after 70 years of exile (Jeremiah 29:10). In Ezra, despite a challenging past, the people of Israel joyously celebrating their freedom to worship God in their homeland again.

Then and now, God keeps His promises to His people and His everlasting grace and mercies abide with them. The appropriate response as the covenant people of God is to show our gratitude and profound appreciation by living out our faith in every aspect of our lives and serve Him faithfully till our time to go to our Celestial Promised Land.

Going forward—Galilee has been resolute in upholding the truth in the face of changing tides and changing trends over the years. By God’s enabling, the church has defended the Word of God faithfully and fervently. The Apostle Jude

writes, “... it was needful for me to write unto you, and exhort you that ye should earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered the saints” (Jude 1:3). God’s Word is the lifeblood of the Church. Infection in the ‘blood’, the Church falls ill.

**God keeps His promises to His people and His everlasting grace and mercies abide with them.**

We thank God for our faithful, steadfast, and diligent predecessors — the Pastors, Pastoral Team, Session, and the Galileans who served sacrificially and diligently in Galilee. They have entrusted to us the crucial responsibility to continue their faithful work for the Lord. Now, it’s upon our shoulders to continue the good work of our Lord Jesus Christ. Passing the baton to the

next generation of Pastors, Session, and people to be the Lord’s instruments to build a vibrant church. With God’s help, we will do Christ-centered work for His glory.

Next, a word of thanks! We thank our Lord for His guidance since we were engulfed by the COVID19 Pandemic. Exceptional circumstances drove us to think hard, figure out solutions, act quickly and confidently to stay above our challenges. The Church upgraded her hardware, invested in software, remapped our geographical layouts and activities. The leadership, without hesitation, took on extra responsibilities and worked diligently. Thank God for our congregation. The Galileans were amazingly adaptive to changes, especially on short notice. Completely understanding and cooperative. With such unity, team effort, plus God’s grace, we will sail through these ‘choppy waters.’ The Lord’s presence is with us — “ I am with you always” Matt 28:20. God Bless Galilee!



**Galilee Bible-Presbyterian Church  
19th General Elections (2021-2024)  
Via Zoom Meeting**

**25 July 2021, Sunday, Church Sanctuary  
(Timing: After English Worship Service)**

Please **pray** and **prepare** for this important event. Communicant members 16 years and above, are eligible to vote, whilst communicant members 21 years and above, and in good standing, are allowed to stand for elections.

Copies of the Nomination Form are available at the reception desk at the main entrance to the Sanctuary on the Lord's Day and the Church Office during its working hours.

**The Nomination Form**, duly completed, is to be returned to the Clerk-of-Session, Dn. Tai Fatt Weng, or Assistant Clerk-of-Session, Dn. Samuel Lim, **not later than 12 noon, Lord's Day, 13 June 2021.**

Clerk-Of-Session  
Dn. Tai Fatt Weng





## GALILEE BIBLE-PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 19<sup>TH</sup> GENERAL ELECTIONS FOR SESSION 2021—2024

### Time-Line

May	30	<b>Announcement of 19<sup>th</sup> General Elections</b> Nomination opens
June	13	Nomination closes
	14-19	BOE interview of candidates
	20	Notice to be given for 19 <sup>th</sup> General Elections on 25 July
	27	Voting commences <b>Casting of votes:</b> 27/6, 4/7, 11/7, 18/7 (4 Sundays) 28/6 - 16/7 (Mon to Fri) 19/7 - 22/7 (Mon to Thurs) } 11am to 4pm
July	22	Voting ends at 4pm
	25	<b>19<sup>th</sup> General Elections</b> <b>Announcement of Elections Results</b>
Aug	1	<b>Ordination &amp; Installation Of New Session</b>

# ROLES, DUTIES & QUALIFICATIONS OF PASTORS, ELDERS, DEACONS & DEACONESSES

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## PASTORS

[Acts 14:23; 20:17,28; Eph 4:11; Phil 1:1; 1Tim 3:1-7; Titus 1:5-9; Jms 5:13-15; 1Pet 5:1-4]

<b>ROLE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- a <b>“special ‘gift’ of Christ”</b> to nurture and mature His people. (Eph 4:8,11)</li> <li>- a <b>shepherd</b> to the flock. (Eph 4:11; 1Pet 5:2)</li> </ul>
<b>DUTIES</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>take heed to feed, teach, nurture, warn, admonish, protect</b> the flock. (Acts 20:17, 28, 29; Eph 4:11, 12)</li> <li>- <b>take oversight</b> thereof. (1 Pet 5:1,2)</li> <li>- <b>not lords but being examples</b> to the flock. (1 Pet 5:3)</li> <li>- <b>praying for the sick.</b> (James 5:13-15)</li> </ul>
<b>QUALIFICATION</b>	<p>Must be male, husband of one wife, above reproach, temperate, self-controlled, respectable, hospitable, apt to teach, not overindulging in wine, not a bully, but gentle, not contentious, free from the love of money, manages his own household well, keeping his children under control with all dignity, not a new convert, have good reputation outside the church (1Tim 3:1-7); having faithful children, not accused of riot or unruly, beyond reproach as God’s steward, not self-willed, not quick-tempered, loving what is good, righteous, holy, disciplined, hold firm to God’s word. (Titus 1:6-9)</p>

## ELDERS

[Acts 14:23; 20:17-32; Phil 1:1; 1Tim 3:1-11; Titus 1:5-9; Jms 5:13-15; 1Pet 5:1-4]

<b>ROLE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Spiritual overseer</b> of the local congregation together with the Pastor. (Acts 20:28)</li> </ul>
<b>DUTIES</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>take heed to feed, teach, nurture, warn, admonish, protect</b> the flock. (Acts 20:17,28,29; Eph 4:11, 12)</li> <li>- <b>exercise oversight willingly, not with greed but with eagerness, not being lords</b> over God’s heritage, but <b>being examples</b> to the flock. (1 Pet 5:1-3)</li> <li>- <b>praying for the sick.</b> (James 5:13-15)</li> </ul>
<b>QUALIFICATION</b>	<p>Same qualification of Pastor(see above)</p>

# ROLES, DUTIES & QUALIFICATIONS OF PASTORS, ELDERS, DEACONS & DEACONESSES

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## DEACONS

[Acts 6:1-3; 1Tim 3:8-13]

<b>ROLE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- “Anglicized form of the Greek word <i>diaconos</i>, meaning a "runner," "messenger," "servant.”” - Easton’s Bible dictionary</li> <li>- “An ecclesiastic charged with the temporal affairs of the church.” - Naves Topical Index</li> </ul>
<b>DUTIES</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Responsible for the <b>practical needs</b> of the congregation such as the ministry of “serving tables” (Acts 6:2).</li> <li>- Mainly <b>administrative</b> and <b>financial</b> -Baker’s Dict. of Theology, p.157.</li> </ul>
<b>QUALIFICATION</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Must be member of congregation(“among you”), of honest report, full of the Holy Ghost and wisdom(Acts 6:3).</li> <li>- “be reverent, not double-tongued, not given to much wine, not greedy for money”(1Tim 3:8); “holding the mystery of the faith with a pure conscience.” (1Tim 3:9)</li> <li>- tested and proven beyond reproach(1Tim 3:10), husband of one wife, ruling their children and their own houses well. (1 Tim 3:12)</li> <li>- wife must be reverent, not slanderers, temperate, faithful in all things. (1 Tim 3:11)</li> </ul>

## DEACONESSES

[Rom 16:1; 1 Tim 3:11]

<b>ROLE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- a female deacon.</li> <li>- female believers engaged in various Christian ministry evident in the mention of of Paul’s epistles. (Phebe in Rom 16:1; Euodias and Syntyche in Phil 4:2)</li> </ul>
<b>DUTIES</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Responsible for the <b>practical needs</b> of the women in the congregation.</li> </ul>
<b>QUALIFICATION</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Same as the Deacon’s wife, “be reverent, not slanderers, temperate, faithful in all things.” (1 Tim 3:11)</li> </ul>