



GALILEE

BIBLE-PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

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Church Theme Verse 2023:

Luke 14:23

"And the Lord said unto the servant, **Go out** into the highways and hedges, and compel them to come in, that **my house may be filled.**"

Pastor : Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan 9858 4865

Associate Pastor : Rev Freddy Yong (MWS) 8309 8157

Advisory Pastor : Rev Philip Heng 9792 9183

Ministry Staff : Pr David Cher 9737 9150

ORDER OF WORSHIP HOLY COMMUNION

Lord's Day, 1 January 2023 9.30 am

PRELUDE

Pianist: Mr John Heng

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

CALL TO WORSHIP

Elder Richard Ng

PRAISE & WORSHIP

Mr Matthew Tan

HYMNS

32 "Be Exalted, O God"

#139 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

#688 "Saviour, Like A Shepherd Lead Us"

- "His Robes For Mine"

INVOCATION

GLORIA PATRI #812 "Glory Be To The Father"

SCRIPTURE READING [Responsively] Psalm 119:145-160

Mr Matthew Wee

OFFERINGS & TITHES

DOXOLOGY #815

HOLY COMMUNION

(Creche/Nursery/Kindergarten/Primary children leave for Sunday School)

PASTORAL PRAYER

MESSAGE: "Go... That God's House May Be Filled"

Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan

Luke 14:23

CLOSING HYMN #670 "Make Me A Blessing"

BENEDICTION & 3-FOLD AMEN

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

WELCOME

In-Person Worship Service &
Broadcast Live on
Galilee Website

GALILEE MANDARIN WORSHIP SERVICE 9.15 am

Preacher: Rev Freddy Yong
Message: "Looking Unto Jesus"
Hebrews 11:1-6

Monday 2 January	9.30 am	Session & Leaders Day of Prayer Venue: Mandarin Worship Room
Tuesday 3 January	8.00 pm	SSG Bible Study (SSGBS) Pastor Simon Nagarajan – The Epistle to the Galatians Zoom ID:826 4595 2589; Password 832931
Wednesday 4 January	7.30 pm	Bible Study/8.30pm Prayer Meeting Pastor Simon Nagarajan - The Book of 2 Corinthians Zoom ID: 605 758 5352; Password BS/PM Rev Philip Heng - The Gospel of Mark https://meet.google.com/hjx-pkcp-dye?hs=151 Dness Lee May San (Ladies' BS) - The Book of Ruth Zoom ID: 815 6829 8000; Password WEDLADBSPM
Saturday 7 January	10.00 am	Galilee Evergreen Ministry (GEM) 4th Anniversary Speaker: Rev Eric Kwan Message: "Teach Us To Number Our Days" Ps 90:10-12
	2.00 pm	CF/JF – Introducing Peter I/C: Sis Adeline Simon
	3.45 pm	TF/YF – Welcome To The Family
Lord's Day 8 January	9.00 am	Pre-Worship Prayer Meeting (on-site only)
	9.15 am	MANDARIN WORSHIP SERVICE [On site and available on Galilee Website same day evening] Preacher: Rev Freddy Yong Message: "Hero Of Faith – Abel" Hebrews 11:4; Genesis 4:1-11
	9.30 am	ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE [On site & Live Broadcast available on Galilee Website] Chairman: Dn Samuel Lim Worship Team Leader: Bro Joshua Ng Scripture Reader: Bro Ian Ling (Psalm 119:161-176) Preacher: Preacher David Cher Message: "Continuing Through Opposition" Acts 22:30-23:24
		All Sunday School Classes on-site
	10.00 am	Crèche/Nursery/Kindergarten 1 & 2/Primary 1-6
	11.00 am	Secondary/Senior Class
	11.00 am	Young Adults [Dn Joseph Tai]
	11.00 am	Senior Adults [Rev Ong Hock Khee]
	11.00 am	Adults [Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan]

MONTHLY CALENDAR

JANUARY 2023

HEPPY NEW YEAR
2023

Worship Service Date/Time	Speaker/Chairman	Message
Lord's Day, 01 Jan, 9.30 am  Holy Communion	Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan Chairman: Elder Richard Ng	"Go... That God's House May Be Filled" Luke 14:23
Lord's Day, 08 Jan, 9.30 am	Speaker: Preacher David Cher Chairman: Dn Samuel Lim	"Continuing Through Opposition" Acts 22:30-23:24
Lord's Day, Dedication Sunday 15 Jan, 9.30 am 	Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan Chairman: Dn Kenneth Wong	"Our Togetherness In Christ" Eph. 2:17-3:13
Lord's Day, 22 Jan, 9.30am <i>Blessed Chinese New Year!</i> 	Speaker: Preacher David Cher Chairman: Dn Sandeep Choppara	"Pressing Toward The Goal" Philippians 3:7-21
Lord's Day, 29 Jan, 9.30 am	Speaker: Rev Freddy Yong Chairman: Dn Michael Ho	"Sharing The Gospel In Every Circumstances" Acts 24-26

GEM 4th Anniversary Meeting

Date : 7 Jan 2023

Time : 10 am

Place : Mandarin Worship Room, Level 3

Devotion: Rev Eric Kwan

**Message: Teach Us To Number Our Days
- Psalm 90:10-12**

Please Register with Sis Linda Phua



Please contact Dn Ricky Chng @ 96657275 for details.



Home Befriending Training

St Luke's
MEDICARE

LEARN HOW TO:

Communicate with elders

Through empathic listening and conversation starters

Conduct Home Visits

With safe practices in place

Handle emergencies

With appropriate reporting procedures

Register here



*For enquiries, email us at volunteer@slec.org.sg



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14 January 2023, Saturday
8.30 am to 12.30 pm

NEW BUS STOPS AND ROUTES CHANGES FROM SUNDAY, 8 JAN 2023

Services 79, 143 & 143M will no longer stop at bus stop behind Galilee church from 8 Jan



When the new Teban Gardens Road opens on Sunday, 8 Jan 2023, 2 bus stops will be relocated and the bus routes for services, 30, 201, 655, 143, 143M and 79 will be amended.

Services 79, 143 and 143M will no longer stop at bus stop BS20269 along Jurong Town Hall Road due to the insufficient weaving distance to turn right at the new Teban Gardens Road.

Scan the QR code for alternative travel option



go.gov.sg/teban-gdn-busroute-alternative-travel-options

For feedback on the construction of JRL JE7 Station, please call the project hotline at **9725 9523** or email joeyteh@dyjv.sg.

3 WAYS TO GIVE OFFERINGS & TITHES

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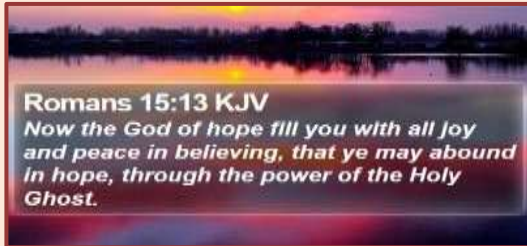


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Attendance

Worship Service 25 December 2022 (Online) (In-Person)	260 57 203
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pre-Worship Prayer Meeting • Sunday School 	3 41
Mandarin Worship Service 25 December 2022	28
Wed Bible Study 28 December 2022	21
Wed Prayer Meeting 28 December 2022	10



Church Announcements

1. **2023 Sunday School Staffing**

Sunday School Ministry welcomes Galileans to serve in the teaching and support needs. Kindly approach Sis Angie Ng for the CNK Department, Bro David Ling for the Primary and Dness Lee May San for the Secondary/Senior Class.

2. **Befriender Equipping Session - Saturday, 14 January, 8.30 am to 12.30 pm.**

Before the CNY outreach with St Luke's Eldercare on 17 January, get equipped by our experienced community partners. Whether you are volunteering or not sure yet, don't miss this chance to get useful training on starting conversations and making meaningful connections, no obligation. Participants will come from various churches and non-religious organisations. Lunch is provided.

3. **Really Free Market I**

The first RFM of 2023 is happening on 11 Feb 2023!

(1) Contribute your items in good condition from 8 Jan to 29 Jan

(2) Help in the preparation from 8 Jan to 10 Feb (eg sorting, cleaning items, setting up, giving out flyers etc). Contact Dness Hannah at 94237464 or approach any LON core team member.

4. **Use of Church premises**

Church car park reserved for wedding at Calvary BPC on Saturday 7 January 2023.

PRESS ON TOWARD THE GOAL

Pastor Simon, Lord's Day, 1 January 2023

Brethren,

New Year Greetings in the Name of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. A new year has dawned upon us; a new chapter has begun to write our new journey with the Lord on our new goal and perspective for the year as a church. May the Lord go before us!

I present the persuasion of Paul as an appropriate maxim for our endeavours. He posits to the Philippian Christians, "Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended: but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." Phil 3:13-14. A couple of thoughts stream through my mind.

First, the apostle's words are cloaked with humility. Humbleness is crucial to enable us to realise our church's pursuits. Importantly, how do we develop and nurture humility within us? When we constantly behold God's face, our insignificance will become apparent. With pride at bay, we could consider one another in suitable regard, trading thoughts and feelings sensitively and accord grace and gentleness to one another. To the Ephesians, Paul writes, "With all lowliness and meekness, with longsuffering, forbearing one another in love;" Eph 4:2.

Next, we are still a work in progress. The Lord planned to do through your life and mine great things for His glory. He is not done with us yet. Let us entertain no thoughts to sit back and watch what's possible will be going on in the church. We will minister to one another with our gifts and talents, enthusiastically participate in the church's programs, and innovatively bring the Gospel to our neighbours. God has big and marvellous plans for our church. Let's sign in and do our best to share our dream and aspirations for the year.

Rest not on past laurels! Paul is a champion in his endeavour for the Gospel. He planned churches, coached pastors, instructed congregations, defended the Gospel fiercely, and suffered a great deal for the cause of Christ. Yet he said, forgetting the past and pushing forward towards new challenges and milestones. Paul's amazing stamina and level of commitment are breathtaking. We, too, may have done impressively well in yesteryear. Praise the Lord for enabling us. If we have done well, we have done what is expected of us. Our Lord said, "... when ye shall have done all those things which are commanded you, say, We are unprofitable servants: we have done that which was our duty to do." Luke 17:10

On the other hand, by our assessment, we feel we haven't done so well; let us not be disheartened or remain in the doldrums, but put on our "boots", pick up our "tools", and "reach forth unto the things before." Yes, we go through seasons where we suffer "spiritual winters." Spring is here; a whole year is ahead of us; we will marshal our resources and grab opportunities to extend God's Kingdom.

This year, we are reaching out to our neighbours (geographical, residential, workplace, schools, pleasures, relatives etc.). Let us invite people outside the church to the various church ministries. We will partner with St. Luke to reach out to the residents in Pandan. We pray that people from near and far will stream to our Really-Free-Market. Our tuition ministry may the Lord bless the initiative, and many young people will benefit from it. There are other plans in the pipeline. We wait on the Lord for His timing.

Let us press on to the finishing line and receive the Lord's commendation, "Well done thou good and faithful servants" Matt 25:21.

God bless!