



# 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  
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## HOLY COMMUNION ORDER OF WORSHIP

### Lord's Day, 6 August 2023 9.30 am

#### PRELUDE

Pianist: Mr John Heng

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

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

Elder Tan Siong Teck

#### PRAISE & WORSHIP

Mr Matthew Tan

**HYMNS** - "Command Thy Blessing From Above"  
- "In Christ Alone"  
#577 "In Times Like These"  
#553 "Nearer, My God, To Thee"

#### INVOCATION

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

**SCRIPTURE READING** [Responsively] Psalm 147:1-11

Mr Seet Tiat Hee

#### OFFERINGS & TITHES

**DOXOLOGY** #815

#### HOLY COMMUNION

**HYMN** #353 "Victory In Jesus"

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

#### PASTORAL PRAYER

**MESSAGE:** "God's Covenant With Us"  
Exodus 19-20

Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan

**CLOSING HYMN** #23 "The God Of Abraham Praise"

#### 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: "Faith of Gideon"  
Hebrews 11:32; Judges 6:12-18

**Wednesday  
9 Aug**

### Singapore 58<sup>th</sup> National Day



**GALILEE COMMUNITY DAY**  
9AM - 1PM  
@ Commonwealth Sec School



7.30 pm **No Bible Study/Prayer Meeting**

**Saturday  
12 Aug**

1.30 pm **CF/JF** – About Putting God First  
I/C: Sis Jess Tai

4.00 pm **TF/YF** – Cottage meeting @ home of Sis Kaitlyn Lim  
I/C: Bro Ian Low

**Lord's Day  
13 Aug**

9.00 am **Pre-Worship Prayer Meeting** (on-site only)

9.15 am **MANDARIN WORSHIP SERVICE**  
[On site & available on Galilee Website same day evening]  
Preacher: Rev Freddy Yong  
Message: "Faith Of Samson"  
Hebrews 11:32; Judges 13:1-7

9.30 am **ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE**  
[On site & Live Broadcast available on Galilee Website]


Chairman: Dn Michael Ho  
Worship Team Leader: Bro Joshua Ng  
Scripture Reader: Bro Ian Ling (Psalm 147:12-20)  
Preacher: Preacher David Cher  
Message: "Flee From Idolatry!"  
Exodus 32-34

#### **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

## August 2023

Worship Service Date/Time	Speaker/Chairman	Message
<p style="text-align: center;">Lord's Day, 06 Aug, 9.30 am <b>Holy Communion</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chairman: Elder Tan Siong Teck</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">"God's Covenant With Us" Exodus 19-20</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Lord's Day, 13 August, 9.30 am</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Speaker: Preacher David Cher</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chairman: Dn Michael Ho</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">"Flee From Idolatry!" Exodus 32-34</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Lord's Day, 20 August, 9.30 am</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chairman: Elder Chung Kok Wah</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">"Preparing Our Hearts For Worship" Exodus 35-40</p>
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: space-between;">  <div style="text-align: center;"> <p><b>Youth Worship Service</b>  <b>"God Of Generations"</b>                      Ephesians 4:1-6                      Speaker: Mr Renfred Low (Hebron BPC)  <b>Sunday 20 August 2023, 9.30 am</b></p> </div> </div>		
<p style="text-align: center;">Lord's Day, 27 August, 9.30 am</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Speaker: Preacher David Cher</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chairman: Dn Samuel Lim</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">"God Deserves Our Worship" Leviticus 1-4</p>

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Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths.  
Proverbs 3:5-6

## Attendance

<b>Worship Service</b> <b>30 July 2023</b> <b>(Online)</b>	<b>256</b>
<b>(In-Person)</b>	55
• Pre-Worship Prayer Meeting	201
• Sunday School	5
• Senior Adults' SS	46
• Adults' SS	6
• Young Adults' SS	2
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<b>Mandarin Worship Service</b> <b>30 July 2023</b>	<b>30</b>
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<b>Wed Bible Study</b> <b>2 August 2023</b>	<b>30</b>
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<b>Wed Prayer Meeting</b> <b>2 August 2023</b>	<b>31</b>
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## Church Announcements

- Flowers Contribution today:** Sis Joanne Choy
- Holy Baptism**  
Worshippers seeking Holy Baptism or confirmation in December, please sign up for catechism classes with Pastor Simon or Preacher David Cher.

# Honour Governing Authorities - Happy 58<sup>th</sup> Birthday

*Pastor Simon, Lord's Day, 6 August 2023*

**B**rethren,

National Day Greetings in the Precious Name of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. Praise and Thank God for blessing our nation on our 58<sup>th</sup> Birthday. Only a dot on the global map has done extremely well over the decades and standing tall as a thriving metropolis with world-class infrastructure, and carefully curated governance to ensure the population peace, stability and promising future. May the Lord continue to bless our Prime Minister, Cabinet and National Leaders for their utmost contributions from their offices. May God grant our parliament the grace, wisdom and foresight to lead the nation over socio-political development in the near and distant future.

The Apostle Peter in his epistle said, “Submit yourselves to every ordinance of man for the Lord's sake: whether it be to the king, as supreme; Or unto governors, as unto them that are sent by him for the punishment of evildoers, and for the praise of them that do well” 1 Peter 2:13-14. Peter addresses the Christians who fled from their homeland to Asia Minor, (Turkey) to escape from persecution. The nation they sought refuge from is a non-Jewish nation. However, the believers were instructed to submit to the authorities in that land. We are to honour the government God has placed over us. Paul highlighted to the Christians in Rome, “Let every soul be subject unto the higher powers. For there is no power but of God: the powers that be are ordained of God.” Rom 13:1.

But Peter is certainly not encouraging unquestionable, slave-like submission. When the law violates our conscience that is formed and governed by the Holy Scriptures, we need to express our concerns through proper channels respectfully. If reasonable adjustments are called for, we can be rightfully reasonable for the Lord's

sake. We did unprecedented adjustments during COVID-19. Peter, in His earlier days, was confronted with whether God or man he obeys, he and his companions chorused, “Then Peter and the other apostles answered and said, We ought to obey God rather than men” Acts 5:29.

No government is perfect. By comparison to various governments around the world, we can surely look up to heaven with thanksgiving for ours. Our education system is appreciated and praised everywhere. Many admire our Government Hospital's medical system and facilities, thus, many come seeking treatment here. We cannot forget the tireless effort of our Health Minister and other ministers who worked day and night to deal with the pandemic and keeping the nation informed with the latest developments. The precautionary measures and the implementation alone are so gruelling. Well, that is all in the past and hope it remains there. All praise to our National Leaders and the Good Lord, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Next, peace, safety, and security are hardly found in many developed countries. According to the Global Peace Index reports on July 5, 2023, Singapore ranks 6<sup>th</sup> in the world. Another point, while many nations are battling with climatical upheavals, we are safely nestled in this island city. Praise and Thank God for our predecessors who had laid a solid foundation for the generations to come. They planted the “seeds”, and we are enjoying the fruits. Surely, for many reasons, we have an excellent course to celebrate our National Day!

For the first time, Galilee has organised a Community Day for Galileans and the residents in our neighbourhood. Please come and reach out to our Pandan residents. Pray for good weather. God Bless!

# GALILEE COMMUNITY DAY '23

**FREE  
ICE CREAM  
& BBT!!**



**9 August**  
**9am-1 pm**

**Commonwealth  
Secondary School  
Football Field**

Join us for a thrilling day of fun and games this National Day as you immerse yourself in friendly competition and meeting people! Lunch, snacks and prizes all included! <

**SIGN UP  
NOW** →



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