



GALILEE

BIBLE-PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

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Church Theme Verse 2024:

"Let us therefore follow after things...wherewith one may edify another."

Romans 14:19b

"he that winneth souls is wise"

Proverbs 11:30b

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
	:	Dness Lee May San	9618 9160

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, 28 April, 9.30 am

PRELUDE

Pianist: Mrs Magdalene Teo

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

CALL TO WORSHIP

Dn Michael Ho

PRAISE & WORSHIP

Mr Josiah Wang

HYMNS #435 "God Of Grace And God Of Glory"
#207 "We Have Come To Join In Worship"
- "There Is A Higher Throne"
36 "He Is Exalted"

INVOCATION

GLORIA PATRI #812 "Glory Be To The Father"

SCRIPTURE READING [Responsively] Psalm 25:14-22

Mr Marcus Ho

OFFERINGS & TITHES

DOXOLOGY #815

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

PASTORAL PRAYER

MESSAGE: "Empowered To Serve God"
2 Kings 4-6

Rev Bendick Ong

CLOSING HYMN "Shout To The Lord"

BENEDICTION & 3-FOLD AMEN

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

WELCOME

In-Person Worship Service &
Broadcast Live on
Galilee Website

GALILEE MANDARIN WORSHIP SERVICE 9.15 am

Preacher: Elder Har Chee Choey
Message: "2 Blind Men Received Sight"
Matthew 20:29-34; Luke 9:46-18

THE WEEK

29 Apr – 5 May 2024

Wednesday
1 May

Bible Study/Prayer Meeting

No Bible Study/Prayer Meeting (Public Holiday)

Saturday
4 May

1.30 pm **CF/JF** – Forgiving Others
I/C: Sis Adeline Simon

3.30 pm **TF/YF** – Video Message
“Peer Relationships”

6.00 pm **YFM** – Dinner Outing
(For more details, please contact Davd Cher, 97379150)

Lord’s Day
5 May

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: “The Triumphant Entry”

Matthew 21:1-11; Luke 19:28-44

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

Chairman: Elder Soo Lap Ki

Worship Team Leader: Bro Marcus Ho

Scripture Reader: Bro Matthew Wee (Psalm 26:1-12)

Preacher: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan

Message: “Worshipping God Alone”

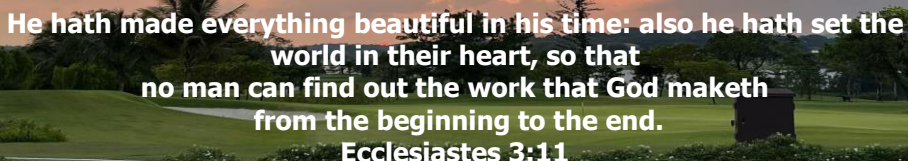
Text: Isaiah 44

All Sunday School Classes on-site

10.00 am Crèche/Nursery/Kindergarten 1 & 2/Primary 1-6

(No Sec/ Adult Sunday School classes)



11.30 am **Agape Fellowship Lunch**



He hath made everything beautiful in his time: also he hath set the
world in their heart, so that
no man can find out the work that God maketh
from the beginning to the end.
Ecclesiastes 3:11

MONTHLY CALENDAR

May 2024

Worship Service Date/Time	Speaker/Chairman	Message
<p style="text-align: center;">Lord's Day, 5 May, 9.30 am Holy Communion</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chairman: Elder Soo Lap Ki</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">"Worshipping God Alone" Isaiah 44</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Lord's Day, 12 May, 9.30 am</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p style="color: magenta; font-style: italic;">Mother's Day</p> </div>	<p style="text-align: center;">Speaker: Preacher David Cher</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chairman: Dn Elder Chung Kok Wah</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">"The Courageous Faith Of Mothers" Exodus 2:1-10</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Lord's Day, 19 May, 9.30 am</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Speaker: Rev Simon Nagarajan</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chairman: Dn Samuel Lim</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">"Remembering God, Our Maker and Sustainer" Isaiah 22:48</p>
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold;">Youth Worship</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p style="font-weight: bold;">Youth Worship Service</p> <p style="color: blue; font-weight: bold;">"Killing Pride And Cultivating Humility"</p> <p>Speaker: Rev Dr Ng Liang Wei (Mt Carmel BPC)</p> <p>Text: Luke 18:9-14</p> <p style="font-weight: bold;">Sunday 19 May 2023, 9.30am</p> </div> </div>		
<p style="text-align: center;">Lord's Day, 26 May, 9.30 am</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Speaker: Rev Timothy Phua (Redeemer Baptist Church)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chairman: Preacher David Cher</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">"The Seriousness of Sin" Zephaniah 1-3</p>

GEM Meeting

Date : 11 May 2024

Time : 10.00 am

Place : MWS Level 3 Galilee BPC

Devotion: Eld Peter Lee

Talk by: Mr Mervin Ang (NLB)

Topic: S.U.R.E - Safeguarding the Community
against Fake News and SCAMs

Please Register with Sis Linda Phua



Please contact Dn Ricky Chng @ 96657275 for details

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He that covereth his sins shall
not prosper: but whoso
confesseth and forsaketh them
shall have mercy.
Proverbs 28:13

Attendance

Worship Service 21 April 2024	191
(Online)	46
(In-Person)	145
• Pre-Worship Prayer Meeting	5
• Sunday School	53
• Adults' SS	5
Mandarin Worship Service 17 March 2024	28
Youth Worship Service 21 April 2024	46
(Online)	22
(In-Person)	24
Wed Bible Study 24 April 2024	31
Wed Prayer Meeting 24 April 2024	24

Church Announcements

- Flowers Contribution today:** SSG Gardening (Vegetable group)
- Church Development Fund**
Galilee Bible-Presbyterian Church decided in ACM on 24 March 2024 to set up a Church Development Fund, to be maintained and recorded separately from General Fund, for the purpose of funding the new or renewed Church lease and building in view of the expiry of the current land lease on 30 September 2036. Members and worshippers who want to give towards this fund please Paynow or Transfer to the same UEN/QR code/Bank Account as the normal tithes and offerings, indicating clearly Church Development Fund.
- Galilee 64th Anniversary – 2 June 2024**
The Choir is looking for more singers for the presentation on **Church 64th Anniversary.** If you are interested to sing, please contact Dn Samuel Lim (93878637) or Sis Joanne Choy (96311049).
- Pastoral Staff On Leave**
Dness May San will be on leave from 30 April to 3 May 2024.

Willing To Be Used By God

Preacher David Cher, Lord's Day, 28 April 2024

Beloved Brethren,
Greetings in the Precious Name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Have you allowed the successes and achievements in your life experiences to cloud and fill your mind with pride and self-sufficiency? When we are tempted to take up a high and lofty position, we are reminded from Prov. 16:18 "Pride goeth before destruction, and an haughty spirit before a fall".

How then are we to conduct ourselves in this pragmatic, success-driven and image-conscious world? We are certainly not to hold tightly and form our identity based on what the world values highly such as wealth, high social standing, and power (1 Cor. 4:10 "We are fools for Christ's sake, but ye are wise in Christ; we are weak, but ye are strong; ye are honourable, but we are despised"). When we do so, we would realise that our sufficiency and dependency are on Christ and His grace and strength rather than ourselves (2 Cor. 12:9-10 "9 But he said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.' Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me. That is why, for Christ's sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties. For when I am weak, then I am strong").

This means that God does not look only at the rich, intelligent and powerful, but also ordinary people like us to do extraordinary things for Him. We look at King David who grew up as a shepherd boy, and the 12 disciples who came from diverse humble occupations such as fishermen, tradesmen, craftsmen, or farmers, a tax collector, and a Zealot [belonging to a group with politically radical views and actions toward

opposing and overthrowing the then ruling Roman government]. Thus, we should not downplay our significance in doing our part in the Lord's service such as how Jesus used the relatively small number of loaves and fishes for His Work. What is more important is our heart of availability and faithfulness toward His service (Rom. 12:1 "Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship [or your spiritual service]").

As we humble and place ourselves under the mighty Hand of God, we acknowledge that His plans and purposes have certainly taken over the direction of our lives (Luke 9:23-24 "23 Then he said to them all: 'Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me. For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but whoever loses their life for me will save it'). The image of the cross also gives us the important message that even as we follow Christ, there will be weights and difficulties along this same path that we take. But we are not meant to take our burdens or loads by ourselves, but by His love and strength (Ps. 55:22 "Cast your cares on the Lord and He will sustain you; He will never let the righteous be shaken"). And our muscles of faith would also grow and be strengthened in the process too.

Eph. 3:20-21 "Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to His power that is at work within us, to Him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen."

God bless!