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Church Theme Verse 2026

"He is the living God, and steadfast forever;
His kingdom, His dominion shall
endure to the end."

Daniel 6:26

Pastor	:	Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan	9858 4865
Acting Assoc. Pastor	:	Rev Chai Muei Huying	9436 3289
Asst Pastor	:	Rev David Cher	9737 9150
Ministry Staff	:	Mrs Lee May San	9618 9160

ORDER OF WORSHIP
Lord's Day, 29 November 2026, 9.30 am

PRELUDE — Pianist: Mr Jonathan Cher

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

CALL TO WORSHIP — Dn Michael Ho

PRAISE & WORSHIP — Elder Tan Siong Teck
HYMNS #011 "Come, Thou Fount Of Every Blessing"
- "Angels We Have Heard On High"
#277 "Hark! Ther Herald Angels Sing"
#139 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

INVOCATION

GLORIA PATRI #812 "Glory Be To The Father"

SCRIPTURE READING [Responsively] Psalm 118:19-29 — Dn Michael Ho

OFFERINGS & TITHES

DOXOLOGY #815

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

SCRIPTURE READING Judges 16:23-30 — Dn Michael Ho

PASTORAL PRAYER

MESSAGE: **"God Intervenes For His People"** — Rev Dr Tan Eng Boo
Judges 16:4-5; 16-30

CLOSING HYMN #342 "Rock Of Ages"

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 David Cher
Message: "God Strengthens His People"
Judges 6:36-40; 7:1-9

THE WEEK 30 Nov – 6 Dec 2026

Wednesday 2 December	8.00 pm	**Bible Study/Prayer Meeting** Pastor David Cher The Book of Proverbs Zoom ID: 895 9406 9755; Password 909055
	7.30 pm	Rev Philip Heng The Book of 2 & 3 John https://meet.google.com/hjx-pkcp-dye?hs=151
	7.30 pm	Mrs Lee May San (Ladies' Prayer Meeting/BS) The Book of 2 John Zoom ID: 815 6829 8000; Password WEDLADBSPM
Saturday 5 December	1.30 pm	**CF/JF** – Christmas: The Gift Speaker: Rev David Cher I/C: Sis Adeline Lee
Lord's Day 6 December	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: Elder Har Chee Choey Message: "Let Christ Jesus' Mind Be Your Mind" Text: Philippians 2:1-11
	9.30 am	**ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE** [On site & Live Broadcast available on Galilee Website] Chairman: Elder Soo Lap Ki Worship Team Leader: Bro Matthew Tan Scripture Reader: Bro Hymn Ong (Psalm 119:1-16) Preacher: Rev Richard Musyoki Message: "Where Does Mission And Service Begin?" Text: Philippians 1:3-5
		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	Adults [Rev Ong Hock Khee]

Monthly Calendar — December 2026

Worship Service Date/Time	Speaker/Chairman	Message
Lord's Day, 6 December, 9.30 am Holy Communion	Speaker: Rev Richard Musyoki Chairman: Elder Soo Lap Ki	**"Where Does Mission And Service Begin"** Philippians 1:3-5
Lord's Day, 13 December, 9.30 am	Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan Chairman: Dn Sandeep Choppara	**"God Calls His People"** 1 Sam 3:3-14, 17-19
	**Galilee B-P Church Christmas Celebration & Outreach** **Saturday, 19 December 2026**	
Lord's Day 20 December, 9.30am **Christmas Sunday Worship Service** **(combined)**	Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan Chairmen: Elder Richard Ng/Elder Har Chee Choey	**"Worship The King"** Matthew 2:1-12
24 December, 8 pm **Christmas Eve Praise Service** **(combined)**	Speaker: Rev Chai Muei Huying Chairmen: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan/ Elder Har Chee Choey	**"The Mission Of Jesus' Coming"** 1 John 3:5, 8; 4:9; 5:20
Lord's Day, 27 December, 9.30 am	Speaker: Rev David Cher Chairman: Dn Samuel Xie	**"God Restores His People"** 1 Samuel 7:1-12
31 December, 8 pm Watchnight Service Holy communion	Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan Chairman: Elder Kenneth Wong	**"Bless The Lord, O My Soul"** Psalm 103

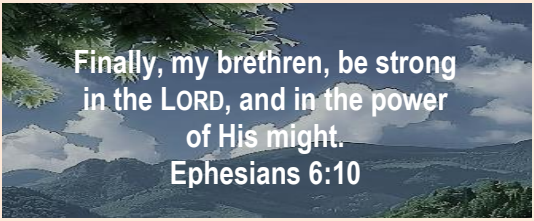
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Attendance

English Worship Service 22 November 2026	
(Online)	**232**
(In-Person)	**82**
• Pre-Worship Prayer Meeting	**150**
• Sunday School	**3**
• Adults' SS	**32**
	5
Mandarin Worship Service 22 November 2026	**31**
Wed Bible Study 25 November 2026	**28**
Wed Prayer Meeting 25 November 2026	**23**

Church Announcements

1. **Pastoral Staff on leave**
   Pastor Simon: 2 – 7 December 2026

His Timing Is Perfect!

Pastor Simon, Lord's Day, 29 November 2026

Beloved brethren
Christmas Greetings in the Name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. After eleven months of journey, by His grace, experiencing and surviving a potpourri of situations, we stepped into this joyous Christmas season. We are rightly inundated with a celebrative festive mood of thanksgiving for God's goodness, mercies, and grace!

Paul writes to the Galatians that "… when the **fullness of the time** was come, God sent forth His Son, made of a woman, made under the law, to redeem them…that we might receive the adoption of sons. Gal 4:4-5. Since the first mention of the Saviour to redeem us from the curse and tyranny of sin (Gen 3:15), for thousands of years, nothing happened. Prophets after prophets echoed the prophecy of a redeemer that is to come but generations after generations remained unrealised. Possibly, they would have wondered when this Saviour would ever come, especially during Israel's difficult times—while they were in exile on foreign soil or under foreign powers. But note: "God can't lie" Heb 6:18b. After four hundred years of the intertestamental period of silence, at the fullness of time, the prophecy finally came to pass. Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ broke into human history, in flesh and blood, as one of us, conceived uniquely yet without sin to redeem lost mankind (Phil 2:6-8). Thus, we celebrate Christmas!

A couple of thoughts here:
First, God never goes back on His word. We have all made promises that we were unable to keep. With humility, we explain our difficulties, not because we deliberately mislead or wish to let anyone down, but because our confidence sometimes outruns our limitations, and we stumble over our promises. With God, such a thing is unthinkable, for it is contrary to who He is. He is Almighty, who lacks nothing and there isn't any power in the universe that is beyond Him.

Our Lord is the architect of human history. He holds the blueprint of the future and governs all creation, in heaven and on earth, with absolute authority. Jesus Himself declared, "All power is given unto Me" (Matt 28:18). In God's vocabulary there is no room for error, blunder, or oversight. His Word is living, active, and unchanging for eternity (Heb 4:12).

Brethren, how does this truth of God's immutability edify us as believers? The key word that comes to mind is stability. In our spiritual journey, we could experience extremity, harsh situations, rude shocks, depilating discouragements, and clueless sequels. If we are not careful, we become confused and unsettled in our walk with the Lord. Our discourses will be laced with murmurs and complaints. If you recall, even the birth of Christ was shrouded with challenging situations. The first Christmas was not surrounded by prompt and pageantry. The Lord's birth took place in a lowly manger. Mary and Joseph had to escape from Jerusalem seeking refuge in Egypt for the child Jesus' safety. Despite the challenges, God's Word, His guidance, and promises canopied the whole Christmas scenario. Similarly, life may throw a curveball at us, but we focus on God's promises, confidently lean on His counsel, and remain assured that He is in absolute control and do life with confidence. In His time all will work out well (Rom 8:28).

Next, the key focus of Christmas is to proclaim the Saviour and His mission to redeem mankind from spiritual bankruptcy, delusion, and disorder. Christ did not come to tidy up a troubled world, but to rescue us from the curse of sin. As the Father sent His Son in the fullness of time, so He is still at work, in His perfect timing, in the lives of those around us. Having freely received such grace, let us share it with compassion and patience, trusting the Lord's timing for each person. May He open our eyes to the family members, neighbours, colleagues, and friends who are yet to know Christ, and give us loving hearts to reach them.

God Bless!