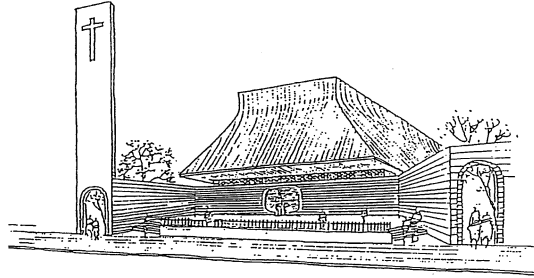


# 基督教浸信會懷恩堂

## Grace Baptist Church

Sunday, February 2, 2020



*I rejoiced with those who said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord." ~ Psalm 122:1*

	Time	Worship Services	Suitable for	Location
Chinese Services	6:00-7:10 p.m.	Saturday Night Service	All	Sanctuary
	8:30-9:40 a.m.	Morning Service	All	Sanctuary
	9:30-11:00 a.m.	Students' Service	All / Students	Coleman Hall
	11:30 a.m.-12:40 p.m.	Noon Service	All	Sanctuary
	7:30-8:45 p.m.	Evening Service		Room 401
<b>10:00-11:10 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Service</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>		
<b>English Services</b>	<b>5:30-7:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Evening Service</b>	<b>Coleman Hall</b>	
Others	10:00-11:15 a.m.	Taiwanese Service	All	Room 301
	11:20-11:40 a.m.	Children's Service	Children (age 7-12)	Kindergarten
	4:00-5:30 p.m.	Bilingual Service	All	Sanctuary
Prayer Meetings	Wed. 7:30-8:45 p.m.	Chinese Prayer Meeting		401
	Wed. 7:30-9:00 p.m.	English Prayer Meeting		Room 301
~ ENGLISH SERVICES IN BOLD ~				

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**Welcome to Grace Baptist Church English Congregation.  
Thank you for choosing to worship with us and celebrate the glory of our Lord.**

**Morning Worship Service – 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday, February 2, 2020 (Sanctuary)**

Prelude		Linda Ku
Greeting/Prayer		Michael Huang
Worship through Music	<i>“Lord I Lift Your Name on High” - # 347</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>“Standing on the Promises” - #339</i> <i>“God Will Make a Way” - #85</i>	Michael Huang
Offertory Prayer		Paul Han
Tithes and Offerings		
Doxology		
Missions Offering		Pastor Nick Brideson
Pray for Our Church		Minister Priscilla Liao
Scripture Reading	Esther 2:5-7, 17-20	
Message	God Saves His People through a Queen	Pastor Nick Brideson
Invitation	<i>“Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine” - # 446</i>	
Benediction		
Welcome		Minister Priscilla Liao
Closing Song	<i>“As the Lord Is with Us”</i>	Michael Huang
Postlude		Linda Ku

Wear a mask before entering the Cry Room.

Nursery care is available in the “Cry Room” at the back of the Sanctuary during the Morning Worship Service.

**Evening Worship Service – 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday, February 2, 2020 (Sanctuary)**

Prelude		Michael Tsai
Prayer		Minister Kevin Wang, Leader
Worship through Music	<i>“Forever”</i>	
Greeting		Minister Priscilla Liao
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Introduce Baptism Candidates		
Baptismal Scripture Reading	Matthew 28:16-20	Minister Priscilla Liao
Meditation and Prayer		
Baptisms		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>“In Christ Alone”</i> <i>“Jesus, There’s No One Like you (Sovereign Grace)”</i> <i>“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”</i>	Minister Kevin Wang, Leader
Offertory Prayer		Joel Morey
Tithes and Offerings		
Missions Offering		Pastor Nick Brideson
Pray for Our Church		Minister Priscilla Liao
Scripture Reading	Matthew 3:13-17	
Message	Seeking God’s Kingdom	Pastor Nick Brideson
Invitation	<i>“Here I Am to Worship”</i>	
Closing Prayer		
Welcome		Pastor Nick Brideson
Closing Song	<i>“In Christ Alone”</i>	Minister Kevin Wang, Leader
Postlude		Michael Tsai

**Our Vision Is to Spread the Gospel**

To achieve this, we aim:

1. To become a house of prayer
2. Through prayer, to build the body of Christ
3. From the body, to do the work of mission in Taipei, Taiwan, and neighboring countries

“but you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be My witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and even to the remotest part of the earth.” - Acts 1:8 (NASB)

**Sermon Topic: God Saves His People through a Queen**

**Scripture: Esther 2:5-7, 17-20**

**Speaker: Pastor Nick Brideson**

**AM – February 2, 2020**

**Scripture: Esther 2:5-7, 17-20 (NASB)**

**Esther 2:5-7 (NASB)**

<sup>5</sup> Now there was at the citadel in Susa a Jew whose name was Mordecai, the son of Jair, the son of Shimei, the son of Kish, a Benjamite, <sup>6</sup> who had been taken into exile from Jerusalem with the captives who had been exiled with Jeconiah king of Judah, whom Nebuchadnezzar the king of Babylon had exiled. <sup>7</sup> He was bringing up Hadassah, that is Esther, his uncle's daughter, for she had no father or mother. Now the young lady was beautiful of form and face, and when her father and her mother died, Mordecai took her as his own daughter.

**Esther 2:17-20 (NASB)**

<sup>17</sup> The king loved Esther more than all the women, and she found favor and kindness with him more than all the virgins, so that he set the royal crown on her head and made her queen instead of Vashti. <sup>18</sup> Then the king gave a great banquet, Esther's banquet, for all his princes and his servants; he also made a holiday for the provinces and gave gifts according to the king's bounty.

<sup>19</sup> When the virgins were gathered together the second time, then Mordecai was sitting at the king's gate. <sup>20</sup> Esther had not yet made known her kindred or her people, even as Mordecai had commanded her; for Esther did what Mordecai told her as she had done when under his care.

**Notes:**

**Sermon Topic: Seeking God's Kingdom**

**Scripture: Matthew 3: 13-17**

**Speaker: Pastor Nick Brideson**

**PM – February 2, 2020**

**Scripture: Matthew 3: 13-17 (NASB)**

**Matthew 3:13-17**

<sup>13</sup> Then Jesus arrived from Galilee at the Jordan coming to John, to be baptized by him. <sup>14</sup> But John tried to prevent Him, saying, "I have need to be baptized by You, and do You come to me?" <sup>15</sup> But Jesus answering said to him, "Permit it at this time; for in this way it is fitting for us to fulfill all righteousness." Then he permitted Him. <sup>16</sup> After being baptized, Jesus came up immediately from the water; and behold, the heavens were opened, and he saw the Spirit of God descending as a dove and lighting on Him, <sup>17</sup> and behold, a voice out of the heavens said, "This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well-pleased."

**Notes:**



## Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting

“My house shall be called a house of prayer” (Matthew 21:13)

Let us be a church of prayer. Come and pray with brothers and sisters in Christ 7:30 - 9:00 p.m. every Wednesday in Room 301. If you have a prayer request, please send it to Minister Priscilla Liao at [priscilla@gbc.org.tw](mailto:priscilla@gbc.org.tw).

Prayer Focus for this coming Wednesday: *Caring/Healing/Families*

Epidemic guidelines please see today's insert or GBC website.

## Location Change for Evening Service & Baptism Service **TODAY**

The English Evening Service will be holding our next baptism service *in the Sanctuary* starting at the usual time, 5:30 p.m. TODAY. The regular Evening Service will be combined with this quarterly Baptism Service.

There will be a gospel message during the service so please invite your love ones to attend and pray for their openness to the message.

Below are the people from the English Congregation who will be baptized:

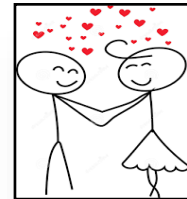
Shana Huang & Charis Shen

*Our regular Baptism Celebration Tea is cancelled due to the coronavirus. If you feel called to be baptized, please contact SueJenny Hsu at [suejenny@gbc.org.tw](mailto:suejenny@gbc.org.tw) for information.*



## Valentine Couples' Event Cancelled

Due to concerns with the recent coronavirus outbreak, the **Valentines Couples' Event** (originally scheduled for February 8<sup>th</sup>, 11:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.) **is cancelled**. If you would like to still fellowship with other couples, we encourage you to visit and attend the Couples Group on Sundays. Please see the Small Group section of the bulletin for more information.



## Bible Studies for Life: Spring Season Starts March 1

Time	Room
9:00 a.m.	Mount of Olives (Take the stairs by the front desk, 2.5 <sup>th</sup> floor)
11:30 a.m.	WanFu 20-Classroom A
	WanFu 20-Classroom C
	Room B05 Room 405
3:00 p.m.	Room 306
4:00 p.m.	Room 305

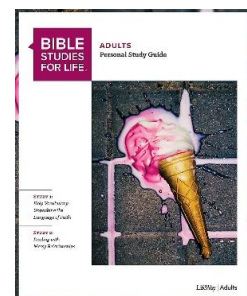
**BIBLE STUDIES FOR LIFE.**

Whether you are young or old, if you follow Jesus, you are a disciple. But the quality of your discipleship isn't measured by how well you can answer questions. Discipleship is about being transformed into the likeness of Jesus. And transformation starts in the Word. That's why *Bible Studies for Life* is carefully crafted to help kids, students, and adults purposefully become more like Jesus every day. (13 sessions: on Sundays from March 1 to May 31)

We have seven *Bible Studies for Life* classes available.

Please check classroom

information listed on the left and join one of the classes directly.



## Sunday School Information - YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO JOIN A CLASS

Class	Time	Room
<b>Beginning Christian Life</b>		
Alpha - new and non-Christians	11:45 a.m.	Calvary Room
Christianity 101 - required for baptism	11:30 a.m.	Mount of Olives Room
Daily Walk with Jesus - after baptism	11:30 a.m.	B03
<b>Maturing Christians</b>		
Gospel Project	9:00 a.m.	Mount of Olives Room
	11:30 a.m.	<b>4 classes:</b> Room 405 Room B05 WanFu 20 Room A WanFu 20 Room C
	3:00 p.m.	306
	4:00 p.m.	305
<b>Youth: Grade 7 and above</b>		
Gospel Project	11:30 a.m.	B04
<b>Children:</b>		
Nursery - Age 3 and under	11:20 a.m. - 12:50 p.m.	Kindergarten
Preschool - Age 3 to 5	11:40 a.m. - 12:40 p.m.	403
AWANA - Kindergarten (大班) to Grade 6	11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	401 / 404

4 p.m. class cancelled today

Youth and children's classes cancelled today

## English Congregation Leaders

English Pastor: Nick Brideson				
Pastor Nick Brideson	Minister Priscilla Liao		Minister Kevin Wang	
Adult Education /Mission	AM Worship	Children's Education/Caring	PM Worship	Youth/Fellowship
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Secretarial staff:	
SueJenny Hsu suejenny@gbc.org.tw	Stella Chen (part-time) stella@gbc.org.tw

Deacon	Alternate Deacon
Michael Huang mhuang500@yahoo.com	Armand Lim rmanlim@yahoo.com

## Small Groups

Type of Group	Name	Day/Time	Location/Contact Emails
Students	NTU English Conversation Group	Friday 12:15 – 1:15 pm	NTU les72251@yahoo.com
	International Students Group	Friday 7:30 – 9:00 pm	Near GBC cesaledro57@gmail.com
Couples/ Parenting	Couples Group	Sunday 11:30 am – 1:00 pm	Near GBC alan.triciac@gmail.com
	Parenting Group	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday 11:30 am – 12:30 pm	GBC Room 402 rod_syverson@hotmail.com
Women	Women's Breakfast Group	2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday 8:30 – 10:30 am	Near GBC foua201@gmail.com
Language/ Nationality	Indonesian Community Group	Sunday 11:30 am – 12:45 pm	Near GBC sagitamaria@gmail.com
General	Salt & Light	Sunday 1:30 – 3:00 pm	GBC Mount of Olives Room paulhan2908@gmail.com
	Bilingual Interpretation Group	Sunday 2:00 – 4:00 pm	GBC Room 303 cfindler@yahoo.com
	Crown of Beauty	Saturday 2:00 – 4:00 pm	GBC Mount of Olives Room clemence4261@gmail.com
	Thursday Night Bible Study Group	Thursday 7:30 – 9:00 pm	GBC Room 301 rod_syverson@hotmail.com
	NanGang Group	Friday 7:00 – 9:30 pm	NanGang sagitamaria@gmail.com
	YungHe Bible Study Group	Friday 7:00-8:30 pm	YungHe yedukondaluster@gmail.com
	HsinChu Bible Study Group	Friday 7:30 – 8:45 pm	HsinChu rmanlim@yahoo.com
Ministry	Hospital Visitation Group	Thursday 1:30 – 2:30 pm	Near GBC lou.amanda@gmail.com
Evangelism	Personal Evangelism Group	Thursday 7:00-8:30 p.m.	GBC Room 307 roytreur@gmail.com

### YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO JOIN A SMALL GROUP

If you need more information about a small group, please send your questions directly to the email address provided above. If you are interested in starting a new group, please contact Minister Priscilla Liao at [priscilla@gbc.org.tw](mailto:priscilla@gbc.org.tw).

**Special Sharing**

## Fellowships

### Mabuhay Fellowship

Today, February 2, at 2 p.m. in the basement Room B05, Mabuhay Fellowship will have a prayer meeting. All are welcome.



The Mabuhay Fellowship comprises Filipinos aiming to share God's love and light through worship, prayer, Bible study, fellowship, gospel sharing, and ministry.

### Evergreen Bilingual Fellowship

This coming Saturday, February 8, Pastor Nick will share in Evergreen Fellowship. Please come to join us! Evergreen is an international bilingual Christian fellowship of Grace Baptist Church. We meet every Saturday night, 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. in Room 401. We hope you'll invite your non-believing friends, get involved in deep relationships here, and join our Fellowship.



## English Congregation Participation & GBC Staff Information

2020.01.26		Attendance	Offerings	<u>GBC Staff Contacts</u>	
Morning Service		130	56,343	<b>Peter Wu</b> Senior Pastor <b>David Kong</b> Assistant Senior Pastor <b>Hsiao Yen Shen</b> Director of Administration Office (02) 2362-5321 #113	
Children Service		...	...		
Evening Service		...	...		
Wednesday Prayer Meeting		...	...		
Sunday School Classes	Preschool	...	...	<u>GBC English Staff Contacts</u> <b>Nick Brideson</b> English Pastor nick@gbc.org.tw <b>Priscilla Liao</b> English Minister priscilla@gbc.org.tw <b>Kevin Wang</b> English Minister kevin@gbc.org.tw <b>SueJenny Hsu</b> English Secretary suejenny@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #136 <b>Stella Chen</b> Part-time Secretary stella@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #132	
	Children	...	...		
	Youth	...	...		
	Adult	...	...		
Small Groups		...	...		
Music	Choir	...	...		
	Hallel Singers	...	...		
	Handbell	...	...		
Fellowships	Evergreen	...	...		
	Mabuhay	...	...		
~ For information on other GBC participation and staff, see Chinese bulletin ~					



### Visitor Form / Prayer Request

February 2, 2020

Check(✓):  AM service  PM service

**Welcome! We are glad you are here! This Visitor Form is for you!**

If you didn't get the Visitor Card, please take a moment and fill this out. Please tear out the form and give it to an usher or the front desk or place it in the offering bag. Thank you!

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  Male  Female  Single  Married

**Nationality:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail :** \_\_\_\_\_

**Age (✓):**  Under 18  18-25  26-40  41-55  56-70  71+

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Best day/time to call:** \_\_\_\_\_

**How did you hear about GBC(✓)?**  Newspaper  Friend  GBC website  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**What you first noticed about Grace Baptist Church's English Congregation:** \_\_\_\_\_

**I'd like information on:**

- |  |  |   |
|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday School classes   | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Ministry  | <input type="checkbox"/> Music Ministry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children's Ministry   | <input type="checkbox"/> Prayer Ministry | <input type="checkbox"/> Weekday class  |
| Fellowships: <input type="checkbox"/> Mabuhay (Philippines) <input type="checkbox"/> Evergreen (Bilingual)   |  |   |
| Small groups: <input type="checkbox"/> Couples <input type="checkbox"/> Students <input type="checkbox"/> Men or Women <input type="checkbox"/> Singles <input type="checkbox"/> General |  |   |
| Nationality/Language: _____  |  |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____  |  |   |

**I'm willing to:**

- Accept Christ  Be baptized  Become a church member  Serve
- Please schedule a time for me to meet a pastor/minister

### Prayer request or Praise

Please write in the space below if you have any prayer request.  for prayer list  confidential  
#: \_\_\_\_\_