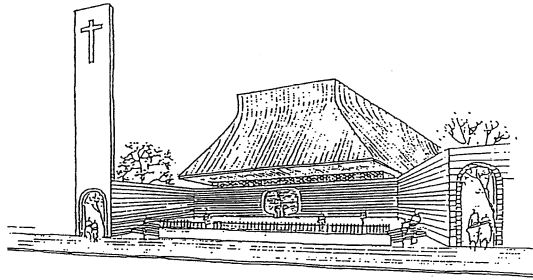


基督教浸信會懷恩堂 Grace Baptist Church

Sunday, March 7, 2021

Online sermon:

www.gbc.org.tw/en click "Live Worship"



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
English Services	10:00-11:10 a.m.	Morning Service	All	Sanctuary
	5:30-7:00 p.m.	Evening Service		Coleman Hall
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
	3:30-5:00 p.m.	Bilingual Service	All	Sanctuary
Prayer Meetings	Wed. 7:30-8:45 p.m.	Chinese Prayer Meeting		Room 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, March 7, 2021 (Sanctuary)**

Prelude		Monica Kong
Greeting/Prayer		Cherrie Lim
Worship through Music	<i>“Turn Your Eyes”</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>“You Are God Alone”</i> <i>“How Great Is Our God”</i>	Cherrie Lim
Offertory Prayer		Paul Han
Tithes and Offerings/Special Music	<i>“Lift Up Your Heads”</i>	Handbell Choir
Doxology		
Lord’s Supper		
Missions Offering		
Pray for Our Church (Announcements)		Minister Priscilla Liao
Scripture Reading	John 14:8-11; 16-20	
Message	The Nature of God	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>“Holy, Holy, Holy” - #2</i>	
Benediction		
Welcome		
Closing Song	<i>“As the Lord Is with Us”</i>	Cherrie Lim
Postlude		Monica Kong

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, March 7, 2021 (Coleman Hall)**

Prelude		Michael Tsai
Prayer		Minister Kevin Wang, Leader
Worship through Music	<i>“Turn Your Eyes”</i>	
Greeting		Minister Priscilla Liao
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>“Only a Holy God”</i> <i>“In Christ Alone”</i> <i>“I Want to Know You”</i>	Minister Kevin Wang, Leader
Offertory Prayer		Cesar Gonzalez
Tithes and Offerings		
Lord’s Supper		
Missions Offering		
Pray for Our Church		Minister Priscilla Liao
Scripture Reading	John 14:8-11; 16-20	
Message	The Nature of God	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>“The Lord Is My Salvation”</i>	
Closing Prayer		
Welcome		
Closing Song	<i>“Turn Your Eyes”</i>	Minister Kevin Wang, Leader
Postlude		Michael Tsai

Our Vision Is to Spread the Gospel

To achieve this, we aim:

- To become a house of prayer
 - Through prayer, to build the body of Christ
 - 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: The Nature of God

Scripture: John 14:8-11; 16-20

Speaker: Pastor Nick Brideson

March 7, 2021

Scripture: John 14:8-11; 16-20 (NASB)

John 14:8-11

⁸ Philip said to Him, "Lord, show us the Father, and it is enough for us." ⁹ Jesus said to him, "Have I been so long with you, and yet you have not come to know Me, Philip? He who has seen Me has seen the Father; how can you say, 'Show us the Father'?" ¹⁰ "Do you not believe that I am in the Father, and the Father is in Me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on My own initiative, but the Father abiding in Me does His works. ¹¹ "Believe Me that I am in the Father and the Father is in Me; otherwise believe because of the works themselves.

John 14:16-20

¹⁶ "I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Helper, that He may be with you forever; ¹⁷ that is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it does not see Him or know Him, but you know Him because He abides with you and will be in you.

¹⁸ "I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. ¹⁹ "After a little while the world will no longer see Me, but you will see Me; because I live, you will live also. ²⁰ "In that day you will know that I am in My Father, and you in Me, and I in you.

Notes:

Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting

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

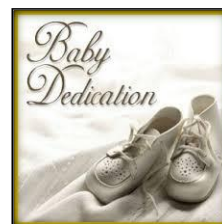
Let us be a church of prayer. Come and pray with brothers and sisters in Christ 7:30 - 9:00 p.m. every Wednesday in Room 301. Go directly to the physical Prayer Meeting or email Minister Priscilla (priscilla@gbc.org.tw) for how to join the Zoom Prayer Meeting. Email prayer requests to Minister Priscilla.

Prayer Focus for this coming Wednesday: **Church Ministry**

Child Dedication

"Children are a heritage from the LORD, offspring a reward from him. (Psalm 127:3)

Child dedication signifies the parents' acknowledgement of their child as a gift from God and their role as a caretaker by God's grace. It also represents the parents' commitment to raising their child according to God's Word and His Way in a Christian home and a church family. Through the dedication, the parents and the church family also pray for God's blessings to be showered upon the child and ask God to guide and guard the child's life. Any Christian family with at least one of the parents being a Christian and who has been regularly attending GBC is welcome to register and dedicate their child.



Age for dedication: 0 to 6 years old

Date for dedication: Morning service on May 9, 2021 (Orientation at 9:30 a.m.)

Registration deadline: April 25

Information to be submitted: 1. Parents' names, cell phone number, email address.
2. Child's name, gender, day of birth.

For registration and questions, please email SueJenny Hsu (suejenny@gbc.org.tw) or call her at 2362-5321 ext. 136.

Alpha Class: New Cycle Starts March 14

Starting March 14, the Alpha class will begin a 7-week cycle entitled "*Who Is Jesus?*".

Using the Gospel of John, the class will study what Jesus said about himself and the evidence for his claims. Each session will include reading a portion of the Bible and discussing the life of Jesus. All study materials are provided.

Alpha is a class for non-Christians who are interested in learning more about Christianity. It meets on Sundays from 11:30 a.m. -12:30 p.m. in the Calvary Room (Floor 2.5 on the stairwell next to the information desk). For more information, contact Vong and Sarah Im sarahvong@gmail.com.

Bible Studies for Life: New Season Starts TODAY

You are invited to join our spring Sunday school study, "*Bible Studies for Life*": 13 sessions on Sundays from today to May 30. The Bible content and teachings are also the subject of our Sunday sermons.

We have eight classes available. Please check classroom information listed on page 6 and join one of the classes directly.

Bible Interpretation Class Starts TODAY at 3:00 p.m. in Room 302

Understanding the Bible isn't just for people who study in seminary. The Bible is meant to be read and understood by everyone.

In this class, you will learn the tools that can help to understand the Bible more correctly – about the books that make up the Bible, the Bible's chronology, and its historical and cultural settings.

Join the class directly or contact the teacher, Ross Hohl, at ross.hohl@gmail.com for more information.

Friday Night Concert: *Prayers under the Stars*

Time/Place: 7:30 p.m. on
March 12 in GBC
Sanctuary

This is an excellent opportunity to invite non-believing friends to church. The introduction will be in Chinese. Admission is free!



Taitung Mission Trip Team Members Needed

Team members for the Taitung VBS Mission Trip are needed. The trip will be held August 17-21, 2021. Team members are needed in four sites: Music Site, Mission Site, Bible Story Site, Crafts Site



Requirement for Applicants:

- GBC members
- Able to teach in Chinese and English
- VBS experience is preferred, but not a must
- Able to attend all 5 training sessions

The application forms (with guidelines) are available at the bulletin stand on the 1st floor close to the elevator (next to the door leading to the deck). Please submit your completed application to the front desk or SueJenny before **March 21**.

2021 Vacation Bible School - Volunteers Needed

“CONCRETE & CRANES - Building on the Love of Jesus”

VBS camp: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon from July 12 to 16
(Morning session ONLY)

For children: 2nd ~ 7th grade after the summer vacation this year

Family Day: July 17 (Family Day is from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m. followed by Tea Time starting at 10:30 a.m.)



Volunteers Needed:

Our planning/training meetings are: March 14, April 18, May 16, June 13, June 27 and July 11 at 1:15 p.m. in Coleman Hall. If you would like to be a co-worker, please sign up at the meeting and join the future training meetings.

For more information, please contact VBS Director Nadia Chen at vbs2021@gbc.org.tw or Minister Yalin Tseng at yalintseng@gbc.org.tw.

COVID-19 Precaution

- Wearing a mask. Check temperature at the front door. Wash hands frequently.
- See a doctor and stay home if you have a fever and cough.
- No buffet-style food in groups/meetings inside GBC.
- Leaders of all meetings should keep an attendance record.
- Fill out the seating form for joining a worship service.
- Take your bulletin home or put it in boxes marked “Bulletin RECYCLE”.
- All people who arrive in Taiwan from overseas MUST self-quarantine for 14 days. During your quarantine, GBC welcomes you to join our worship via the Internet.



2021 Dr. Chow Lien-Hua Commemoration Seminar (in Chinese)

This seminar will be held on Saturday, March 20 in GBC. Please read the Chinese Sunday bulletin for details. Pastor Chow Lien Hua served in GBC for 46 years. He also was a recognized Christian leader in Taiwan serving as chaplain to Taiwan's former presidents



Chiang Kai-shek, Chiang Ching-kuo, and Lee Teng-hui. He passed away in 2016 at the age of 96.

Easter Events ~ Please invite your friends ~

Sunday, March 28

10:00 a.m. (Sanctuary)

English Choir Easter Presentation

Wednesday, March 31

7:30 p.m. (Room 301)

Passion Week Prayer Meeting

Friday, April 2 Good Friday Service

5:30 p.m. (Coleman Hall)

Movie: "Passion of the Christ" (English subtitles)

7:30 p.m. (Sanctuary)

Good Friday service (Chinese)

8:00 p.m. (Coleman Hall)

Good Friday service (English)

Sunday, April 4 Easter Sunday

9:00 a.m.

Regular Sunday school

10:00 a.m. (Sanctuary)

English Easter Sunday Service

11:30 a.m. (Sanctuary)

Chinese Choir Presentation

11:30 a.m., 3:00, 4:00 p.m.

Regular Sunday school

5:30 p.m. (Sanctuary)

English Choir Easter Presentation



ENGLISH SERVICES IN BOLD PRINT

Mabuhay Fellowship



Today, March 7, at 2 p.m. in Basement Room B05, the Mabuhay Fellowship will have a prayer meeting. All nationals who can speak Tagalog 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, March 13, Minister Priscilla will share in Evergreen Fellowship. The sharing will be followed by our March birthday celebration. Please 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 us directly. Please contact Winnie Liang if you need more information: wistlesliang@hotmail.com.

- **Young Adults Fellowship:** Young Adults Fellowship is for young adults from the age of 20-35 to study God's Word and fellowship together on 1st and 3rd Saturdays from 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. in WanFu 22 (next to GBC building). Please join the Fellowship directly. Contact Minister Kevin Wang at kevin@gbc.org.tw if you need more information.
- Contact secretary SueJenny Hsu (suejenny@gbc.org.tw; 2362-5321 ext 136) for the matters below:
 - **Baptism:** GBC holds baptism services in the Sanctuary during the Evening Service from 5:30 p.m. on the last Sundays of January, April, July, and October. Our next baptism is on April 25.
 - **Personal Information Changed?** If you want GBC to keep your updated information, such as a new phone number or new address, please provide us with your new information so that GBC can contact you or send you such things as birthday cards and offering receipts.
 - **Marriage-Related Services:** GBC provides marriage-related services (counseling on marriage problems/questions, pre-marital counseling.....) for registered members.

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
Adult Education Nick Brideson nick@gbc.org.tw Foreign Mission: Medical/Dental Team Armand Lim rmanlim@yahoo.com VBS Team Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw Taiwan Mission: TaiTung Team Cherrie Gow Lim cvgow@yahoo.com Orphanage Ministry Julie Chen yuling0914@gmail.com NTU Friday English Conversation Group Roy Treurnicht roytreur@gmail.com Ethiopian Students Group Abex Tesfaye abex98@gmail.com	Morning Music Cherrie Gow Lim cvgow@yahoo.com Morning Greeters Chien Ferng cferng@gmail.com Adult Choir Hand Bell Choir Juliet Jao lenyinjao@gmail.com Hallel Singers Cherrie Gow Lim cvgow@yahoo.com Morning Fellowship Tea Yuri Shih yuchen_phone@hotmail.com Morning Multimedia Vicky Lin gbcmorningmedia@gmail.com	Cryroom Children's Care Ministry Abby Tu abbytu@gmail.com AWANA Preschool Joanna Peng Joanna1285@hotmail.com AWANA Spark Group Crystal Turner elisayah@yahoo.com AWANA T&T Group Ming Lai minglai88@gmail.com Prayer Ministry Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw Hospital Visitation Amanda Lou lou.amanda@gmail.com Small Groups <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Women - General - Ministry 	Evening Music Team Alex Chen gbceworshipteam@gmail.com Evening Greeters Vicky Kuo asiaglobe999@gmail.com Evening Multimedia Jusak Tandean jtandean@yahoo.com Evening Tea / Baptism Celebration Fellowship Michelle Cheng yealincheng@yahoo.com Baptism Support Aline Kao aline@gbc.org.tw	Trinity Youth (Grade 7 and above) Grant & Kirsten Burgess grantburgess@live.co.za Mabuhay Fellowship Ava Zamora avazam@yahoo.com Young Adults Fellowship Kevin Wang kevin@gbc.org.tw Small Groups <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Youth - Students - Parenting

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Deacon

Michael Huang
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Alternate Deacon

Armand Lim
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★★ Sunday School Information – Join a class directly ★★		
Class	Time & Room	
Beginning Christian Life	To go to both the Calvary and Mount of Olive rooms: take the stairs by the front desk, 2.5th floor.	
Alpha – New and non-Christians	11:30 a.m.	Calvary Room
Christianity 101 - required for baptism	11:30 a.m.	Mount of Olives
Bible Studies for Life	9:00 a.m.	Mount of Olives
	11:30 a.m.	Room B03 - <i>in Bahasa</i>
		Room B04
		Room B05
		WanFu 22A
	WanFu 22C	
2:30 p.m.	Room 306	
4:00 p.m.	Room 305	
Bible Interpretation	3:00 p.m.	Room 302
Youth: Grade 7 and above		
Bible Studies for Life	11:30 a.m.	Room 405
Children		
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.	Room 403
AWANA - Kindergarten (大班) to Grade 6	11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Rooms 401 / 404

Start TODAY

★★ Fellowships – Join a fellowship directly ★★		
Fellowship	Time	Location
Mabuhay	Sundays 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.	B05
Young Adults (20 - 35 y.o.)	1 st & 3 rd Saturdays 4:30 - 6:00 p.m.	WanFu 22

★★ Small Groups – Contact the leader to join ★★			
Type	Name	Day/Time	Location/Contact Emails
Students	NTU Friday English Conversation Group	Friday 12:20 - 1:10 pm	NTU roytreur@gmail.com
	International Students Group	Friday 7:30 - 9:00 pm	WanFu 22A cesaledro57@gmail.com
Language/ Nationality	Ethiopian Students Group	Sunday 7:00 - 9:00 pm	Room 307 abex98@gmail.com
Parenting	Parenting Group	2 nd & 4 th Sunday 11:30 am - 12:30 pm	GBC Room 402 rod_syverson@hotmail.com
General	Salt & Light	Sunday 1:30 - 3:00 pm	GBC Mount of Olives Room paulhan2908@gmail.com
	Bilingual Interpretation Group	Sunday 3:00 - 5:00 pm	GBC Room 303 cfinder@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 Bible Study 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
Ministry	Hospital Visitation Group	Friday 7:30 - 8:45 pm	HsinChu rmanlim@yahoo.com
		Thursday 1:30 - 2:30 pm	Near GBC lou.amanda@gmail.com

New Meeting Date/Time

If you are interested in starting a new group, please contact Minister Priscilla Liao at priscilla@gbc.org.tw.

English Congregation Participation & GBC Staff Information

2021.02.28		Attendance	Offerings	<u>GBC Staff Contacts</u>	
Morning Service		224	123,777	Peter Wu Senior Pastor	
Online Service Weekly Views		244	*65,240	David Kong Assistant Senior Pastor	
Evening Service		88	33,089	Hsiao Yen Shen Director of Administration Office (02) 2362-5321 #113	
Wednesday Prayer Meeting		19	...		
Sunday School Classes	Preschool	18	681	<u>GBC English Staff Contacts</u>	
	Children	51		Nick Brideson English Pastor nick@gbc.org.tw	
	Youth	26		Priscilla Liao English Minister priscilla@gbc.org.tw	
	Adult	80		Kevin Wang English Minister kevin@gbc.org.tw	
Small Groups		85	...	SueJenny Hsu English Secretary suejenny@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #136	
Music	Choir	26	...	Stella Chen Part-time Secretary stella@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #132	
	Hallel Singers	19	...		
	Handbell	7	...		
Young Adults Fellowship			
Mabuhay Fellowship		10	...		

** These offerings are GBC overall online/weekly donations.*

~ For information on other GBC participation and staff, see Chinese bulletin ~



Visitor Form / Prayer Request

March 7, 2021

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: Mabuhay (Philippines) Evergreen (Bilingual)

Small groups: Couples Students Men or Women Singles General
 Nationality/Language: _____

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