

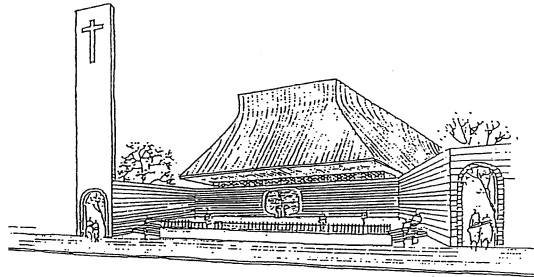
基督教浸信會懷恩堂

Grace Baptist Church

Sunday, April 18, 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, April 18, 2021 (Sanctuary)**

Prelude		Vicky Lin
Greeting/Prayer		Anne Tan
Worship through Music	<i>“Jesus, Strong and Kind” “There Is a Higher Throne”</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>“Majesty” “Endless Hallelujah”</i>	Anne Tan
Offertory Prayer		Roy Treurnicht
Tithes and Offerings		
Doxology		
Pray for Our Church (Announcements)		Minister Priscilla Liao
Scripture Reading	Matthew 24:3-14	
Message	The Return of Jesus	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>“Fairest Lord Jesus”</i>	
Benediction		
Welcome		
Closing Song	<i>“As the Lord Is with Us”</i>	Anne Tan
Postlude		Vicky Lin

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, April 18, 2021 (Coleman Hall)**

Prelude		Joyce Pan
Prayer		Minister Kevin Wang, Leader
Worship through Music	<i>“Saved My Soul”</i>	
Greeting		Minister Priscilla Liao
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>“Yet Not I but through Christ in Me” “Holy Spirit” “God Is for Us”</i>	Minister Kevin Wang, Leader
Offertory Prayer		Cesar Gonzalez
Tithes and Offerings		
Pray for Our Church		Minister Priscilla Liao
Scripture Reading	Matthew 24:3-14	
Message	The Return of Jesus	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>“Christ Our Hope in Life and Death”</i>	
Closing Prayer		
Welcome		
Closing Song	<i>“Saved My Soul”</i>	Minister Kevin Wang, Leader
Postlude		Joyce Pan

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 Return of Jesus

Scripture: Matthew 24:3-14

Speaker: Pastor Nick Brideson

April 18, 2021

Scripture: Matthew 24:3-14 (NASB)

³ As He was sitting on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to Him privately, saying, "Tell us, when will these things happen, and what will be the sign of Your coming, and of the end of the age?"

⁴ And Jesus answered and said to them, "See to it that no one misleads you. ⁵ "For many will come in My name, saying, 'I am the Christ,' and will mislead many. ⁶ "You will be hearing of wars and rumors of wars. See that you are not frightened, for those things must take place, but that is not yet the end. ⁷ "For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom, and in various places there will be famines and earthquakes. ⁸ "But all these things are merely the beginning of birth pangs.

⁹ "Then they will deliver you to tribulation, and will kill you, and you will be hated by all nations because of My name. ¹⁰ "At that time many will fall away and will betray one another and hate one another. ¹¹ "Many false prophets will arise and will mislead many. ¹² "Because lawlessness is increased, most people's love will grow cold. ¹³ "But the one who endures to the end, he will be saved. ¹⁴ "This gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in the whole world as a testimony to all the nations, and then the end will come.

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: **Missions**

Child Dedication

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



Child dedication will be held during the Morning Service on May 9. It is to dedicate children between the ages of 0-6 years old. Deadline for registration is **April 25**.

Please email SueJenny (suejenny@gbc.org.tw) to register with the following information:

1. Parent(s)' names, cell phone number, email address
2. Child's name, gender, date of birth

GBC Bazaar - First Saturday on Front Deck (In Chinese)

Starting May 1, GBC will open the front deck for the community as a holiday bazaar. It will be held on the first Saturday of the month from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m. (Family time is from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.). Creative market, family activities, and coffee stand will be included!



GBC has a convenient location, good environment, and large front deck that attract the people passing by. In order to change people's perception that church is unfriendly to outsiders, this front deck bazaar is designed to attract parents, children, students, and young adults. People might encounter Christianity through this and have interactions with us.

Volunteers Needed

Decoration Helpers: To set up the front deck; brothers are encouraged to join!

Counselors: To talk to and interact with the people who come (basic training will be provided)

Photographers: Two people to take pictures and record the event

Program Planners: To be involved with the monthly theme planning

Bazaar Hosts: To host stalls of creative goods, tea snacks, and second-hand products

Art Performers/Music Groups: To do live performance (stage performance experience required)



If you want to serve with this new ministry, please scan the QR code to register.

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: **TODAY**, 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.

Location Change for Evening Service & Baptism Service April 25

The English Evening Service will be holding our next baptism service *in the Sanctuary* starting at 5:30 p.m. on April 25. 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 loved ones to attend and pray for their openness to the message. There is an invitation card inserted to your bulletin. Please fill it in, tear it, and give the GBC copy to our staff/ushers/front desk so our prayer team can pray for the salvation of your loved ones.

If you feel called to be baptized, please contact SueJenny at suejenny@gbc.org.tw for information.

Golden Little Shepherds Training (in Chinese)

- Speaker: Pastor Gerry Chien (錢家淦牧師)
- To equip ones who have committed themselves as the Lord's disciples and are already serving in GBC capacities
- For ones who have accepted the Lord as Savior for more than one year, are passionate for His truth, mature, and won't be absent more than 3 times
- Total of 24 Saturdays from 9:30 to 12: 00 a.m. from May 15 (except July 17)
- See the details in Chinese bulletin/insert

Blood Donation on April 25

Those of us blessed with good health, please come and help others by donating blood on **April 25**:

When/Where:

9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. in front of GBC

Requirements:

- * Between 17 and 65 years old
- * Bring your ID/ARC
- * Not had hepatitis in the last 12 years
- * Not pregnant



Chinese Events Highlights - See the weekly Chinese bulletins for details

A. Career Exploration Workshops (In Chinese)

- For current elementary school sixth graders; Teacher: Huang Xiacheng 黃夏成老師; Saturdays from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. in Coleman Hall.
- Three phases: *Knowing Yourself*, *Future Planning*, and *Self Management*. (After the workshops, various practical skills courses and company visits will be arranged as a continuation of the supporting courses, so to help the youth find their future direction.)
- Deadline for registration: **TODAY** (Registration form - see Chinese bulletin)

B. Intimacy Marriage Camp (in Chinese)

This camp focuses on helping the love between husband and wife to grow stronger during their lives. It will be held from May 22, 2021 (Saturday) 9:00 a.m. to May 23 (Sun) 3:00 p.m. Deadline for Registration is **April 25**.

C. Children's Teacher Training (in Chinese)

- For GBC parents and brothers and sisters interested in serving children
- Sundays (from 4/25 to 11/28) from 1:30 to 3:00 p.m. in Kindergarten Blue Room
- Topics: Know about children; How to lead children in singing; Bible introduction; How to tell the Bible stories; Know about preschoolers; Classroom management

COVID-19 Precaution

- Wear 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 when 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.



Mabuhay Fellowship



Today, April 18, at 2 p.m. in Basement Room B05, the Mabuhay Fellowship will have worship through songs and an inspirational talk by GBC Minister Kevin Wang on "*After the Rising*", based on John 20:19-23. Fellowship will follow Minister Kevin's talk. 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.

- **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.
- **Orphanage Ministry:** Meets 2nd and 4th Sundays in Room 403 at 1:00 p.m. and leaves GBC from the front door at 2:00 p.m. No training is required. Participants in this ministry must be registered members of GBC.
- **Evergreen Bilingual Fellowship:** Evergreen Fellowship meets every Saturday night from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. in GBC Room 401. To join, please email: wistlesliang@hotmail.com.
- 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 Grant Burgess grantburgess@live.co.za 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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★★ 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
Maturing Christians		
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 305	
4:00 p.m.	Room 305	
Bible Interpretation	3:00 p.m.	Room 306
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

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

English Congregation Participation & GBC Staff Information

2021.04.11		Attendance	Offerings	<u>GBC Staff Contacts</u>
Morning Service		238	174,725	Peter Wu Senior Pastor
Online Service Weekly Views		278	*121,568	David Kong Assistant Senior Pastor
Evening Service		100	42,686	Hsiao Yen Shen Director of Administration Office (02) 2362-5321 #113
Wednesday Prayer Meeting		19	...	<u>GBC English Staff Contacts</u> Nick Brideson English Pastor nick@gbc.org.tw Priscilla Liao English Minister priscilla@gbc.org.tw Kevin Wang English Minister kevin@gbc.org.tw SueJenny Hsu English Secretary suejenny@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #136 Aline Kao English Secretary Aline@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #132
Sunday School Classes	Preschool	16	533	
	Children	53		
	Youth	29	...	
	Adult	102	...	
Small Groups		97	...	
Music	Choir	
	Hallel Singers	20	...	
	Handbell	
Young Adults Fellowship		
Mabuhay Fellowship		8	...	

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

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

Visitor Form / Prayer Request

April 18, 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:

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| <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) Young Adults

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

Other: _____

I'm willing to:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Accept Christ | <input type="checkbox"/> Be baptized | <input type="checkbox"/> Become a church member | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Please schedule a time for me to meet a pastor/minister | | | |