

So we, being many, are one body in Christ, And every one members one of another.

Romans 12:5





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

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"Let us therefore follow after things...wherewith one may edify another." Romans 14:19b

> "he that winneth souls is wise" Proverbs 11:30b

: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan 9858 4865 Pastor Associate Pastor : Rev Freddy Yong (MWS) 8309 8157 Advisory Pastor : Rev Philip Heng 9792 9183 Ministry Staff : Rev David Cher 9737 9150 : Dness Lee May San 9618 9160

Mr Matthew Tan

#### **GALILEE 64TH ANNIVERSARY HOLY COMMUNION** ORDER OF WORSHIP Lord's Day, 2 June 2024, 9.30 am

**PRELUDE** Pianist: Mr John Heng

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

**CALL TO WORSHIP** Elder Tan Siong Teck

**PRAISE & WORSHIP** 

HYMNS # 23 "The God Of Abraham Praise

"Blessed Be The Name" # 17 "Our Great Saviour"

# 79 "My Jesus, I Love Thee"

INVOCATION

**GLORIA PATRI** #812 "Glory Be To The Father"

**SCRIPTURE READING** [Responsively] Psalm 136:1-9,23-26 Mr Matthew Wee

**OFFERINGS & TITHES** 

**DOXOLOGY** #815

SPECIAL PRAISE ITEM "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" "We Will Glorify" Church Choir

HOLY COMMUNION Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan

HYMN #343 "Amazing Grace"

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

**PASTORAL PRAYER** Rev David Cher

MESSAGE: "Remembering The Past, Embracing The Future" Rev David Cher

Isaiah 43:14-21

CLOSING HYMN #549 "Higher Ground"

**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 Freddy Yong Message: "Marriage At The Resurrection" Matthew 22:23-33; Luke 20:27-40



Wednesday 3 June	7.30 pm	Bible Study/8.30pm Prayer Meeting Pastor Simon Nagarajan The Book of 1 Samuel Zoom ID: 605 758 5352; Password BS/PM Rev Philip Heng Personal Evangelism https://meet.google.com/hjx-pkcp-dye?hs=151 Dness Lee May San (Ladies' Prayer Meeting/BS) The Book of Philippians Zoom ID: 815 6829 8000; Password WEDLADBSPM
Saturday	10.30 pm	BOE Meeting @Church Library
8 June	1.30 pm	<b>CF/JF</b> – Born Again I/C: Sis Jess Tai
	3.30 pm	TF/YF – Father's Day Celebration
Lord's Day 9 June	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 Greatest Commandment" Text: Matthew 22:34-40
	9.30 am	ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE [On site & Live Broadcast available on Galilee Website] Chairman: Dn Tai Fatt Weng Worship Team Leader: Bro Joshua Ng Scripture Reader: Bro Ian Ling (Psalm 30:1-12) Preacher: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan Message: "God's Love For All People" Text: The Book Of Jonah
	11.00 am 11.00 am	All Sunday School Classes on-site Crèche/Nursery/Kindergarten 1 & 2/Primary 1-6 Secondary/Senior Class Adults [Rev Ong Hock Khee] Young Adults [Pastor Simon]

# MONTHLY CALENDAR June 2024

Worship Service Date/Time	Speaker/Chairman	Message	
Galilee BPC 64 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary	Speaker: Rev David Cher	"Remembering The Past, Embracing The Future" Isaiah 43:14-21	
Lord's Day, 2 June, 9.30 am Holy Communion	Chairman: Elder Tan Siong Teck		
Lord's Day, 9 June, 9.30 am	Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan Chairman: Dn Tai Fatt Weng	"God's Love For All People" The Book Of Jonah	
Lord's Day, 16 June, 9.30 am  Father's Day	Speaker: Rev Lawrence Ong (Zion Serangoon BPC)  Chairman: Dn Sandeep Choppara	" <b>The Loving Father</b> " Luke 15:11-32	
	Youth Worship Service "The Caring Father" Speaker: Rev David Cher Text: Matthew 6:26-30 Sunday 16 June, 9.30 am		
Lord's Day, 23 June, 9.30 am	Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan Chairman: Dn Joseph Tai	"Through Ruin To Restoration" 2 Chronicles 36	
Lord's Day, 30 June, 9.30 am	Speaker: Rev David Cher Chairman: Dn Kenneth Wong	<b>"Being Known By God"</b> Psalm 139	



Date: Saturday, 29 June 2024

Time: 1.30 pm to 4 pm

Speaker: Pastor Simon



The bus will leave the church at 1.45 pm. All children between K1 and P6 must register to join.

Any queries, please contact our registration team:

Mrs Sherry Wong 97110708 or Mrs Jess Tai 96971016









## Galilee Bible-Presbyterian Church 20th General Elections (2024-2027) Sunday, 28 July 2024, Church Sanctuary, On-site (Timing: After English Worship Service)

Please **pray** and **prepare** for this important event. Communicant members 16 years and above, are eligible to vote, whilst communicant members 21 years and above, and in good standing, are allowed to stand for elections.

Copies of the Nomination Form are available at the reception desk at the main entrance to the Sanctuary on the Lord's Day and the Church Office during its working hours.

The Nomination Form, duly completed, is to be returned to the Clerk-of-Session, Dn. Samuel Lim, or Assistant Clerk-of-Session, Dness. Hannah Dass, not later than 12 noon, Lord's Day, 23 June 2024.

Clerk-Of-Session Dn. Samuel Lim

#### CONSTITUTION OF THE GALILEE B-P CHURCH

#### **ELECTION TO THE CHURCH SESSION**

#### **ARTICLE 15** Qualifications for Elders

Titus 1:6-9

<sup>6</sup> If any be blameless, the husband of one wife, having faithful children not accused of riot or unruly. <sup>7</sup> For a bishop must be blameless, as the steward of God; not self-willed, not soon angry, not given to wine, no striker, not given to filthy lucre; <sup>8</sup> But a lover of hospitality, a lover of good men, sober, just, holy, temperate; <sup>9</sup> Holding fast the faithful word as he hath been taught, that he may be able by sound doctrine both to exhort and to convince the gainsayers.

#### 1 Peter 5:1-5

¹The elders which are among you I exhort, who am also an elder, and a witness of the sufferings of Christ, and also a partaker of the glory that shall be revealed: ²Feed the flock of God which is among you, taking the oversight thereof, not by constraint, but willingly; not for filthy lucre, but of a ready mind; ³Neither as being lords over God's heritage, but being examples to the flock. ⁴And when the chief Shepherd shall appear, ye shall receive a crown of glory that fadeth not away. ⁵Likewise, ye younger, submit yourselves unto the elder. Yea, all of you be subject one to another, and be clothed with humility: for God resisteth the proud, and giveth grace to the humble. [See also: 1 Tim 3:1-7; Acts 20:28]

### Article 16 Qualifications for Deacons & Deaconesses

1 Tim 3:8-13

<sup>8</sup> Likewise must the deacons be grave, not double-tongued, not given to much wine, not greedy of filthy lucre; <sup>9</sup> Holding the mystery of the faith in a pure conscience. <sup>10</sup> And let these also first be proved; then let them use the office of a deacon, being found blameless. <sup>11</sup> Even so must their wives be grave, not slanderers, sober, faithful in all things. <sup>12</sup> Let the deacons be the husbands of one wife, ruling their children and their own houses well. <sup>13</sup> For they that have used the office of a deacon well purchase to themselves a good degree, and great boldness in the faith which is in Christ Jesus. *|See also: Acts 6:1-6, Titus 1:7|* 



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Because Thy lovingkindness is better than life,				
my lips shall praise Thee. Thus will I bless Thee while I live: I will lift up				
my hands in Thy Name.	1888			
Psalm 63:3-4				

Attendance			
Worship Service 2024 (Online) (In-Person) • Pre-Worship Prayer Meeting • Sunday School • Adults' SS • Young Adults' SS	239 60 179 8 52 5		
Mandarin Worship Service 2024	36		
Wed Bible Study 2024	34		
Wed Prayer Meeting 2024	26		

### **Church Announcements**

1. Flower Contribution today: Rev and Mrs David Cher

#### 2. **GAF 52<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary**

Join us to celebrate the anniversary of Galilee Adults' Fellowship Saturday, 8 June 2024, 5 pm @ Mandarin Worship Room Please contact Dn Kenneth Wong 9630318 for more details.

### 3. Church Camp 2024 Briefing

A briefing will be held on Sunday, 9 June 2024 after the Worship Service.

#### 4. 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**.

# The Lord Is Marvellously Good! Pastor Simon

Galilee Anniversary Greetings in the Name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ! On a day like this, there aren't enough words in us to praise God for all His goodness and mercies on His church. We marvel at how God has gladly and patiently journeyed with us for such a long time. Sixty-four years! The Lord has given us plenty of reasons to sing praises to Him, knees bow in grateful worship, and hearts to serve exuberantly the Head of the Church, our Lord, and Master Jesus Christ. Truly, "For the Lord is good; His mercy is everlasting; and His truth endureth to all generations." Ps 100:5.

On this day, we reflect on how the Lord has delivered us from spiritual darkness, leading each one of us responsibly towards our "promised land." Our predecessors have scaled the mountains, walked the valley, encountered challenging uncertainties, and experienced seasons of celebrations accomplishment. They didn't do it all by their might, nor by cleverness, or by their keen sense of timing to chance upon opportunities to realise progress. They believed and we will as well, "... the Word of the Lord unto Zerubbabel, saying. Not by might, nor by power, but by My Spirit, saith the Lord of hosts" Zech 4:6. The generations before us have left us a good legacy to treasure and faithfully inculcate in the hearts and minds of our next generation.

Besides, looking to the past, we need to look forward to seeing what the Lord is preparing us for the things to come. Are we ready to embrace God's plans for our church? Hear the Words of the Lord, "Behold, I will do a new thing; now it shall spring forth; shall ve not know it? I will even make a way in the wilderness, and rivers in the desert." Is 43:19. Firstly, the word "new" incites excitement in us. When we finite beings know how to inject new things into our daily lives to inspire ourselves, break the monotony, renew our purpose. and exploit our resources, how much more is the infinite God and Lord Jesus Christ? Never say, God is boring, or predictable or His work is uninspiring. The shadow we cast on God and His work originate from us, the state of our mind and heart. What's ahead? God is full of surprises!

Brethren, after thirty long years, finally, we are blessed

to witness one among us ordained for the furtherance of the Gospel work. Praise and thank God for a joyous ordination service yesterday. In the days ahead we have another ordained minister to serve the Lord together with us. He is an added unit of strength to promote the Lord's work. The Lord's provision to His church. Brethren, Rev David Cher is the Lord's servant. We should give him our hearty support, encourage him through our co-labour, inspire him with our suggestions, and uphold him in prayer as he enthuses us through his preaching and teaching and serve with the Spirit-given gifts and talents.

Are you aware of how blessed we are? While other churches relentlessly scouted for pastors and preachers. Galilee never lacked. Look at the Lord's goodness towards us. We are blessed with physical space, facilities, and amenities, on a beautiful plot of land—our God-given "Promised Land." Our Word ministry is strong, faithful, and unwayering. We have more than enough places of ministry for members and friends to serve the Lord. Psalmist David said, and I quote, "The Lord is our Shepherd, we shall not lack." I pray our young people will rivet their hearts to our church. The Church counting on you as our next congregation, leaders, and pastors of the church. As our forefathers devoted their lives to this church, I plead you will resonate with the same passion and devotion to this church of the Lord Christ Jesus. Furthermore. we should pray for our young people to seriously consider going to the ministry. Who will heed the Lord's call?

Another new opportunity the Lord has brought to our doorstep. St. Luke Elder Care has requested our fellowship hall for their "drum fit & communal dining" program. Seniors will gather in our church once a week for physical exercise followed by a meal. Bro Tony Ng, (Centre Manager) and his team will conduct the program and St. Luke will absorb all expenses incurred. We only provide space and absorb some utility costs. They have invited us to befriend, pray and possibly share the Gospel with the seniors. In the process, we hope to connect with the seniors' children and grandchildren. Under this arrangement, we are given Pandan and Teban to do our Gospel outreach. Praise the Lord, God Bless!