



# GALILEE

## BIBLE-PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

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### Church Theme Verse 2024:

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

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

Pastor	:	Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan	9858 4865
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

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### Lord's Day, 28 July 2024, 9.30 am

#### PRELUDE

Pianist: Mrs Magdalene Teo

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

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

Dn Joseph Tai

#### PRAISE & WORSHIP

Mr Josiah Wang

#### HYMNS

- "Praise The Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him"
- "We Fall Down/Crown Him With Many Crowns"
- #100 "Thou Art worthy"
- #724 "Lead On, O King Eternal"

#### INVOCATION

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

**SCRIPTURE READING** [Responsively] Psalm 34:11-22

Mr Ian Ling

#### OFFERINGS & TITHES

**DOXOLOGY** #815

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

#### PASTORAL PRAYER

#### MESSAGE:

"God With Us"  
Isaiah 7

Rev David Cher

**CLOSING HYMN** #410 "Standing On The Promises"

#### BENEDICTION & 3-FOLD AMEN

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### POSTLUDE

#### WELCOME

In-Person Worship Service &  
Broadcast Live on  
Galilee Website

#### GALILEE MANDARIN WORSHIP SERVICE 9.15 am

Preacher: Elder Har Chee Choey  
Message: "At Gethsemane"  
Matthew 26:33-46

# THE WEEK

29 Jul – 4 Aug 2024

- Wednesday  
31 July**      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  
The Second Coming of Christ  
<https://meet.google.com/hjx-pkcp-dye?hs=151>  
Dness Lee May San (Ladies' Prayer Meeting/BS)  
The Book of Colossians  
Zoom ID: 815 6829 8000; Password WEDLADBSPM
- Saturday  
3 August**      1.30 pm      **CF/JF** -Relying On God's Power  
I/C: Sis Adeline Simon
- 3.30 pm      **TF/YF** – Workshop "Doubts & Assurances"  
Facilitator: Dness Hannah Dass
- Lord's Day  
4 August**      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: "Jesus Arrested"  
Text: Matthew 26:47-56
- 9.30 am      **ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE**  
[On site & Live Broadcast available on Galilee Website]  
Chairman: Elder Richard Ng  
Worship Team Leader: Bro Matthew Tan  
Scripture Reader: Bro Matthew Wee (Psalm 35:1-17)  
Preacher: Rev David Cher  
Message: "Preparing Our Hearts For Revival"  
Text: Ezra 1
- 10.00 am      **All Sunday School Classes on-site**  
Crèche/Nursery/Kindergarten 1 & 2/Primary 1-6  
**(No Sec/ Adult Sunday School classes)**
- 11.30 am      **Agape Fellowship Lunch**

# MONTHLY CALENDAR

## August 2024

Worship Service Date/Time	Speaker/Chairman	Message
<p>Lord's Day, 4 Aug, 9.30 am Holy Communion</p>	<p>Speaker: Rev David Cher</p> <p>Chairman: Elder Richard Ng</p>	<p><b>"Preparing Our Hearts For Revival"</b> Ezra 1</p>
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p><b>COMMUNITY DAY</b> 2024</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p><b>COMMUNITY DAY</b></p> <p>Friday 9 August 2024, 9 am to 1 pm Ayer Rajah Community Club</p> </div> </div>		
<p>Lord's Day, 11 Aug, 9.30 am</p>	<p>Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan</p> <p>Chairman: Dn Samuel Xie</p>	<p><b>"Cleansed And Refined For The Lord"</b> Zechariah 13-14</p>
<p>Lord's Day, 18 Aug, 9.30 am</p>	<p>Speaker: Rev David Cher</p> <p>Chairman: Elder Soo Lap Ki</p>	<p><b>"Return, Rebuild, Renew"</b> Ezra 2-6</p>
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p><b>Youth Worship Service</b> <b>"Impatient Waiting"</b></p> <p>Speaker: Mr Loh Jun Yew (Shalom BPC) Text: Isaiah 40:27-31; Ephesians 4:1-6 Sunday 18 August 2024, 9.30am</p> </div> </div>		
<p>Lord's Day, 25 Aug, 9.30 am</p>	<p>Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan</p> <p>Chairman: Dn Sandeep Choppara</p>	<p><b>"Placing Our Complete Trust In God"</b> Jeremiah 31</p>

# COMMUNITY DAY

## 2024



JOINING US: MS FOO MEE HAR

ADVISER TO WEST COAST GRC GROs  
(AYER RAJAH-GEK POH)

Pandan Gardens and Teban Gardens residents are invited to meet new neighbours and strengthen bonds with the community through games, activities and lunch hosted by Galilee Bible-Presbyterian Church.



Celebrate National Day with us! Come in your red/white attire for a free photobooth photo!



**FRIDAY 9 AUGUST**  
**9AM-1PM**

**AYER RAJAH COMMUNITY CLUB**  
**150 PANDAN GARDENS**  
**SINGAPORE 609335**



Save the environment! Bring a preloved/new item and exchange it for something you like!

**LUNCH AND SNACKS PROVIDED!**  
**PRIZES TO BE WON!**



**SIGN UP NOW!**

**GOODIE BAGS** ★

TO BE GIVEN

(\*ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVE BASIS!)



**BE A LIFESAVER!**  
**LEARN SIMPLE FIRST AID!**

**SUPPORT OUR SENIORS!**  
**ENJOY A DRUM FIT PERFORMANCE BY ST LUKE'S ELDERCARE!**



Organised by Galilee Bible-Presbyterian Church  
Venue sponsored by Ayer Rajah Community Club



April 8th  
Community Club Management Committee

### 3 WAYS TO GIVE OFFERINGS & TITHES

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## Attendance

### Worship Service

21 July 2024

219

(Online)

76

(In-Person)

143

- Pre-Worship Prayer Meeting

5

- Sunday School

58

- Adults' SS

3

### Mandarin Worship Service

21 July 2024

31

### Youth Worship Service

21 July 2024

57

(Online)

31

(In-Person)

26

### Wed Bible Study

24 July 2024

32

### Wed Prayer Meeting

24 July 2024

31

**Behold, I stand at the door,  
and knock: if any man hear  
my voice, and open the door, I  
will come in to him, and will  
sup with him, and he with me.  
Revelations 3:20**

## Church Announcements

1. **Flowers Contribution Today:** Mr & Mrs Ong Ju Heng
2. **Galilee 20<sup>th</sup> General Election**  
Today, after Worship Service.

# Our Faithful Service For God

*Rev David Cher, Lord's Day, 28 July 2024*

**B**eloved Brethren,  
Greetings in the Precious Name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Today is Church General Elections Day which happens every 3 years. Please commit the election proceedings that will happen later into God's Hand and may every church member fulfil your duty and responsibility to prayerfully put forth your vote.

But not only does God want His church officers serving in the different portfolios of the church ministries and departments, He also wants all of you as church members to actively serve and contribute through your different spiritual gifts and talents. We must thus overcome the wrong thinking and misconception that God only uses the very gifted and talented to serve Him. We must instead remind ourselves that He is open and willing to use even so-called ordinary people from all corners of the congregation regardless of social and economic standing.

We can look at 3 such examples from the Bible. First is the example of Noah who wholeheartedly obeyed and followed when God instructed him to build the ark (Gen. 6:22), even when it seemed ridiculous and foolish during the time of no rain. Second is the example of Moses who admitted that "O my Lord, I am not eloquent" (Ex. 4:10), but God still used him to stand before Pharaoh and lead the people of Israel out of the land of Egypt. Third is the example of Gideon who was the son of a poor farmer living during the time the Midianites oppressed Israel. Though Gideon admitted and thought of himself that "wherewith (how) shall I save Israel? Behold, my family is poor in Manasseh, and I am the least in my father's house" (Judges 6:15), God still used him as Israel's deliverer from the Midianites.

What are the important attitudes that we all must have in our serving?

One, we must be living holy lives that bring glory and honour to His name. It is only when we live such holy lives that God can use us (2 Tim. 2:21b "... he shall be a vessel unto honour, sanctified, and meet for the Master's use"). In contrast, having sin in our lives will surely result in us being cut off from God and Him using us to do His Work (Isaiah 59:1-2).

Two, we must have humility in our hearts. We must have harbour and allow pride to fester and grow in our hearts, regarding our status in society, our education and degrees, and even our gifts and talents. We must remind ourselves that all of them, and even our lives, come from God. Thus, knowing this, we are to use them especially in the context of sacrificial service (Phil. 3:7-8).

Three, we need to have the willingness and readiness to be used by God. If any person is gifted and talented but is not willing to be used by God, God cannot use this person. Thus, we need to develop hearts that are willing and have the desire to be used by God in whatever way and manner He desires to (2 Chron. 16:9a "... whose heart is perfect toward").

Four, is that our service for God needs to be faithful and firm, and not waver especially during seasons of difficulty, discouragement, and distraction. Such faithful service would be blessed and rewarded by God's commendation (Matt. 5:21, 23).

Let us be instruments set aside for God and His righteous use and service (Rom. 6:13).

God bless!