



*Train up a child in the way he should go:
and when he is old, he will not depart from it.*

Proverbs 22:6





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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
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Advisory Pastor	: Rev Freddy Yong (MWS)	8309 8157
Ministry Staff	: Mrs Lee May San	9618 9160

HOLY COMMUNION

TEACHERS' DAY

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, 1 September 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

Mr Matthew Tan

HYMNS # 2 "Holy God, We Praise Thy Name"
 - "He Will Hold Me Fast"
 #17 -"Our Great Saviour"
 - "The Power of The Cross"

INVOCATION

GLORIA PATRI #812 "Glory Be To The Father"

SCRIPTURE READING [Responsively] Psalm 37:12-29

Mr Marcus Ho

OFFERINGS & TITHES

DOXOLOGY #815

HOLY COMMUNION

Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan

HYMN "There Is A Fountain Filled With Blood"

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

PASTORAL PRAYER

MESSAGE: "Willing Instruments For God's Purpose"
The Book Of Esther

Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan

CLOSING HYMN "Have I Done My Best For Jesus?"

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 David Cher
Message: "Delightful Unity"
Psalm 133

THE WEEK

2 Sept – 8 Sept 2024

- Wednesday
4 September** 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>
Sis Lee May San (Ladies' Prayer Meeting/BS)
The Book of Colossians
Zoom ID: 815 6829 8000; Password WEDLADBSPM
- Saturday
7 September** 1.30 pm **CF/JF – 55th Anniversary**
"Seek Me, Find Me"
Speaker: Pastor Simon
I/C: Sis Adeline Simon
- 3.30 pm **TF/YF – Bible Study "God's Invitation I"**
I/C: Bro Geoffrey Heng
- Lord's Day
8 September** 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 Day & Hour Unknown"
Text: Matthew 24:36-51
- 9.30 am **ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE**
[On site & Live Broadcast available on Galilee Website]
Chairman: Dn Samuel Lim
Worship Team Leader: Bro Joshua Ng
Scripture Reader: Bro Ian Ling (Psalm 37:30-40)
Preacher: Rev David Cher
Message: "Steadfast In God's Work"
Text: Nehemiah 1-7
- All Sunday School Classes on-site**
- 10.00 am Crèche/Nursery/Kindergarten 1 & 2/Primary 1-6
11.00 am Secondary/Senior Class
11.00 am Adults [Rev Ong Hock Khee]
11.00 am Young Adults [Rev David Cher]
11.15 am Senior Catechism [Pastor Simon]

MONTHLY CALENDAR

September 2024

Worship Service Date/Time	Speaker/Chairman	Message
Lord's Day, 01 Sept, 9.30 am Holy Communion	Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan Chairman: Elder Tan Siong Teck	"Willing Instruments For God's Purpose" The Book Of Esther
Lord's Day, 08 Sept, 9.30 am	Speaker: Rev David Cher Chairman: Dn Samuel Lim	"Steadfast in God's Work" Nehemiah 1-7
Lord's Day, 15 Sept, 9.30 am	Speaker: Rev Dr Simon Nagarajan Chairman: Elder Kenneth Wong	"A People Under The Word" Ezra 7-10; Nehemiah 8
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center;">  <div style="text-align: left;"> <p>Youth Worship Service "Anger Gone Wrong" Speaker: Rev Bendick Ong Text: Matthew 5:21-26; Ephesians 4:31-32 Sunday 15 September 2024, 9.30am</p> </div> </div>		
Lord's Day, 22 Sept, 9.30 am	Speaker: Rev David Cher Chairman: Dn Michael Ho	"Our Faithful Covenant With God" Nehemiah 9-10
Lord's Day, 29 Sept, 9.30 am	Speaker: Rev Eric Kwan Chairman: Dn Joseph Tai	"Godly Sorrow Over Sin" Roman 8

Calling all 60 years and above!

St Lukes

Drum Fit

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早餐
Breakfast
9am-12pm

每逢星期四 Thursdays
早上 9.30am & 11am

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To cater to strong demand, 2 sessions of Drum Fit will be conducted on Thursday mornings. **Register for 1 session*.**

Refreshments will be served from 9am. Home-made contributions are welcome!

Come **mingle** over refreshments, **connect** intentionally and make people feel **welcome** in our church. May the **light of Christ** shine through our conduct and new friendships as we **get active together** through Drum Fit!.

**If a session is oversubscribed, priority will be given to residents of Teban & Pandan Gardens*

REALLY FREE MARKET 19 OCT 24

Collections from 8 Sep to 13 Oct

Help needed:

Weekly Sunday pre-sorting

Set up on Sun 13 Oct

Main sorting on Fri 18 Oct

Event helpers on Sat 19 Oct

Gentle reminder:

- Only give items in clean & good condition
- No women's clothing

Invitation to contribute:

- Canned and frozen food
- Men's/Children's Clothing
- Appliances e.g air-fryers, blenders, food steamers
- Kitchen/household items
- Games, books and toys
- And more useful items!

For enquiries, contact Sis Hannah Dass at 94237464 or Sis Patricia Heng at 90039160



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Attendance

Worship Service

25 August 2024

263

(Online)

46

(In-Person)

217

- Pre-Worship Prayer Meeting **4**
- Sunday School **50**
- Adults' SS **6**

Mandarin Worship Service

25 August 2024

28

Wed Bible Study

28 August 2024

38

Wed Prayer Meeting

28 August 2024

34

Ye have not chosen me, but I have
chosen you, and ordained you, that ye
should go and bring forth fruit, and that
your fruit should remain: that whatsoever
ye shall ask of the Father in My Name,
He may give it you.
John 15:16

Church Announcements

1. **Flowers Contribution Today:** Sis Reena & Juliana Manogaran
2. **Teachers' Day Celebration TODAY @ 11.am, Fellowship Hall**
3. **Agape Fellowship Lunch Today @ 11.30 am**
4. **Condolences**

The Late Sis Juliet Heng Guek Hiang was called home to be with the Lord on 29 August 2024. Our heartfelt condolences to Rev Heng and family. May God comfort the bereaved family.

Christlike Mind!

Pastor Simon, Lord's Day, 1 September 2024

Brethren,
Greetings in the Name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ! The human mind is an unparalleled computer. The dizzying potential of the human mind reaches its apex in the possibility of possessing the mind of Christ through the ministry of the Holy Spirit.

Harry Blamires, in his much-discussed book "The Christian Mind", wrote that while Christians may worship and pray as Christians, they may not think as Christians. How is this so? It is because our minds are "bombarded" every day with the values and standards of the world around us, and if we are not careful, we will be adversely influenced to lose our Christian focus. It is a constant challenge for the Christian to keep his/her mind Christian. We can do it, God helping us, if we abide by what the Bible teaches us to do – to cast "down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ" (2 Cor 10:5). Abiding by Paul's instruction we can keep our mind "healthy" in Christ.

The Apostle Paul exhorts the Christians in Rome: "Be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, Will of God" (Rom 12:2). The word 'renewing' comes from a Greek word, meaning to restore. It speaks of renovation. The old saying "garbage in, garbage out" tells how our mind can be contaminated and how the "garbage" needs to be cleared. Our mind is like a "garden" that can be cultivated to produce desirable "harvest" we want. The mind is the workshop where the important decisions are beaten to shape to meet the challenges in life consistent to our faith. The mind is an armoury where we forge the "weapons" where all the decisive battles of life are won or lost. In Proverbs 23:7 -- "For as he thinketh in his heart, so is he...". The Christian mind needs to be guarded for it is the threshold for thinking and acting as our

Lord Jesus Christ would and wants us to. Paul reminds us that "we have the mind of Christ." (1 Cor 2:16).

To have the mind of Christ is to be like-minded with our Father in Heaven. The mind of Christ is full of love and overflowing compassion. The mind of Christ is not selfish, but self-less. The mind of Christ is humble. Sadly, we do not naturally think with the mind of Christ. Consequently, we do not live and serve as Christ lived and served. We will only understand the importance of "training" our mind in Christ Jesus when we have understood that we will never become Christlike until we become Christlike in our thought life.

Paul's great exhortation was: "Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus" (Phil 2:5). We are to think as the Lord Jesus did. But it is only God who can refurbish our minds. However, the process is not easily accomplished. The Enemy of our soul, would rather that we have a debased, secular and worldly mind, focused on self, lusts, and other expressions of our fallen nature. Therefore, the mind is a critical installation. The transformation and renewing of our minds begin when we take control of our thoughts and surrender them to our Lord Jesus Christ. "For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war according to the flesh. For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal but mighty in God for pulling down strongholds, casting down arguments and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ" (2 Cor 10:3-5). This is the biblical "sieve" for the Christian mind. If we consciously capture every thought, and bring it to the feet of Christ, our minds will be renewed progressively to become like-minded with Christ. For such optimum function of the mind a good grasp of the of Word of God is paramount. Brethren, we need to constantly inspect our mind to keep it Christian.

God Bless!