



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
Asst Pastor	:	Rev David Cher	9737 9150
Advisory Pastor	:	Rev Philip Heng (EWS)	9792 9183
Advisory Pastor	:	Rev Freddy Yong (MWS)	8309 8157
Ministry Staff	:	Mrs Lee May San	9618 9160

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, 22 September 2024, 9.30 am

PRELUDE

Pianist: Mrs Magdalene Teo

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

CALL TO WORSHIP

Dn Samuel Xie

PRaise & WORSHIP

Dn Samuel Lim

HYMNS #210 "Praise To The Lord, The Almighty"

- "What A Faithful God"

- "Remind Me Dear Lord"

#562 "Be Thou My Vision"

INVOCATION

GLORIA PATRI #812 "Glory Be To The Father"

SCRIPTURE READING [Responsively] Psalm 38:15-22

Mr Matthew Wee

OFFERINGS & TITHES

DOXOLOGY #815

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

PASTORAL PRAYER

MESSAGE:

"Our Covenant With God"

Nehemiah 9-10

Rev David Cher

CLOSING HYMN #128 "I Sing The Mighty Power Of God"

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: "Death Of Judas"
Matthew 27:3-10

THE WEEK

23 Sept – 29 Sept 2024

- Wednesday** 7.30 pm **Bible Study/8.30pm Prayer Meeting**
25 September 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 1 Thessalonians
Zoom ID: 815 6829 8000; Password WEDLADBSPM
- Saturday** 1.30 pm **CF/JF – The Parable Of The Hidden Treasure**
28 September And The Pearl
I/C: Sis Lata B
- 5.30 pm **TF/YF – Dinner Fellowship**
I/C: Bro Hymn Ong
- Lord's Day** 9.00 am **Pre-Worship Prayer Meeting** (on-site only)
29 September
- 9.15 am **MANDARIN WORSHIP SERVICE**
[On site & available on Galilee Website same day evening]
Preacher: Rev Ho Tsu Yoke (Gerizim BPC)
Message: "Your Joy Might Be Full"
John 15:9-17
- 9.30 am **ENGLISH WORSHIP SERVICE**
[On site & Live Broadcast available on Galilee Website]
Chairman: Dn Joseph Tai
Worship Team Leader: Bro Josiah Wang
Scripture Reader: Bro Collin Lee (Psalm 39:1-13)
Preacher: Rev Eric Kwan
Message: "Godly Sorrow Over Sin"
Romans 8
- 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]
11.00 am Senior Catechism [Pastor Simon]

GALILEE EVERGREEN MINISTRY

PARKINSON WARRIOR'S JOURNEY

(Elder John Chiew to share his journey
on his daily living with Parkinson's)

Date: 12th Oct. 2024, Saturday

Time: 10.00am

Venue: Mandarin Worship Room

Unit No.: #03-01

**ALL GALILEANS AND
FRIENDS ARE WELCOME!**

Please register your attendance with Sis Linda Phua at HP: 82657810



ADULT SURVEY (Ages 22-59)
GROWING TOGETHER IN CHRIST

Dear Church Family,

We are excited to introduce a new structure for our community as we focus on being "**Rooted and Build Up In Christ**" (Colossians 2:7a). Our goal is to help in each stage of our lives to grow deeper in our faith in Christ Jesus.

New Structure Overview:

- The **Shoots** (Ages 5–21): Young believers rooted in Christ, learning and growing through the Word of God and the fellowship with one other.
- The **Vines** (Ages 22–59): Working adults - Fruitful in Christ Jesus serving faithfully and supporting one other in Christ.
- The **Evergreens** (Ages 60+): Seniors continuing to be fruitful in Christ and deeply rooted in the faith.

Survey Details:

We need input of adults age 22-59 to shape this structure.

- Date: 6 October 2024
- Time: After church service
- Duration: 15 minutes

Your feedback will help us build a stronger, faith-rooted community. Please kindly participate in this survey exercise and be part of this exciting journey!

In Christ,
[Your Church Leadership Team]

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



**SUNDAY
SCHOOL
CAMP 2024**



GOD'S PROMISED FUTURE

DATE: 11TH-14TH DECEMBER

VENUE: GALILEE B-P CHURCH

**AND I SAW A NEW HEAVEN AND A NEW EARTH: FOR THE FIRST HEAVEN AND
THE FIRST EARTH WERE PASSED AWAY; AND THERE WAS NO MORE SEA.
AND I JOHN SAW THE HOLY CITY, NEW JERUSALEM, COMING DOWN FROM
GOD OUT OF HEAVEN, PREPARED AS A BRIDE ADORNED FOR HER HUSBAND.**

REVELATION 21:1-2

Camp Fees

**\$50 for Senior &
Junior campers**

**\$30 for Children
campers**

Speakers

Seniors (13-17 years old): Mr Renfred Loh (Hebron BPC)

Juniors (9-12 years old): Sis Teo Hui Qing (Zion Bishan BPC)

Children (5-8 years old): Sis Ching Wei (Calvary BPC)

**Any enquiries, please contact Hymn Ong 98210771 or
Timothy Cher 91252944**

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Attendance

Worship Service	
15 September 2024	216
(Online)	41
(In-Person)	175
• Pre-Worship Prayer Meeting	6
• Sunday School	47
• Adults' SS	5

Mandarin Worship Service	
15 September 2024	33

Youth Worship Service	
15 September 2024	37
(Online)	11
(In-Person)	26

Wed Bible Study	
18 September 2024	35

Wed Prayer Meeting	
18 September 2024	32

**Know ye not that ye are
the temple of God, and
that the Spirit of God
dwelleth in you?**

1 Corinthians 3:16

Church Announcements

1. **Withdrawal from Galilee Church membership**

Session met on 15 September 2024 and approved the following withdrawals:

- Miss Jessie Leong Mei Yong
- Family of Seet Wee Kiat (Faith Jasimine Sim, Josias Noel Seet Yong En and Jonas Thaddeus Seet Xin En)

Avid Learners Of God's Word

Rev David Cher, Lord's Day, 22 September 2024

Beloved Brethren,
Greetings in the Precious Name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. The late Howard G. Hendricks who was a famous Christian professor and educator once said, "Leaders are readers, and readers are leaders". What this means is that we, who are leaders and teachers and by extension the rest of us, need to have our hearts always open to learning and developing. Not only does this attitude toward learning, unlearning, and relearning apply at any isolated moment, but it must also be extended to our whole lifetime. This concept of never-ending lifelong learning is also encapsulated in the all-familiar term of discipleship.

No matter what each of our learning styles is, it all boils down to our love for studying and digging deep into God's Word. Such learning opportunities and times should not be restricted only to our private time but should also be extended to seizing and taking full advantage of the various group learning platforms primarily in church and secondarily, elsewhere too. This is because we can then learn from others, and also expose any blind spots in our theological or biblical understanding. Thereafter, such depth in God's Word is not only seen in our intellectual or theoretical knowledge but is shown in our love for God and others, especially in our works of service (Gal. 6:9-10). All of these are reflective of our active obedience and not the mere passive listening to God's Word (James 1:23-24).

Our love for God and His Word should not be kept to ourselves, but also overflow into the lives of others (2 Tim. 2:2). As Dr. Hendricks also said "He [God] calls you to teach people the Bible". As such, we must not only seek to dig deep to understand more thoroughly God's Word, but

also the realities and issues of the people we are ministering to.

To teach others our in-depth study of God's Word would result in our own spiritual learning and growth. Such knowledge can be appropriately and adequately passed on to others by using a wide range of avenues and pathways such as using personal and applicable stories (parables), object lessons, open-ended questions, and paradoxes [interesting bridges of understanding] to spark and maintain interest. This teaching and learning process could then continue through the lives of our students and their students and so on.

The learning process regarding God's Word should also not be restricted to people within the church, but also those in society and outside of the church. The well-known Great Commission passage from Matt. 28:18-20 "Then Jesus came to them and said... **Go ye therefore, and teach all nations... Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you...**" teaches us the 2 important emphases of first evangelism and second, discipleship.

May our SSGs [Small Support Groups] be vehicles to, not only minister and build up our people but also provide the content [appropriate Bible Study topics] and means [the different creative outreach social programs] to reach out to people from our various social circles. We are thus to reach out attractively and not just wait for our main church evangelistic events.

2 Peter 3:18 "But grow in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. To Him be glory both now and for ever. Amen."

God bless!