

# Grace Baptist Church

Sunday, June 30, 2024

Online sermon: [ec.gbc.org.tw/live-worship](http://ec.gbc.org.tw/live-worship)



LIFT UP THE HOLY BIBLE;  
STAND FIRM IN THE CITIES;  
REACH OUT TO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH

*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/Online
	8:30-9:40 a.m.	Morning Service	All	Sanctuary/Online
	9:30-11:00 a.m.	Students' Service	All / Students	Coleman Hall
	11:30 a.m.-12:40 p.m.	Noon Service	All	Sanctuary/Online
	6:00-7:10 p.m.	Evening Service		Room 401
English Services	<b>10:00-11:10 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Service</b>	All	<b>Sanctuary/Online</b>
	<b>5:30-7:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Evening Service</b>		<b>Coleman Hall</b>
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/Online
Wed. 7:00-8:15 p.m.	Chinese Prayer Meeting	Room 401		
Prayer Meetings	Wed. 7:30-9:00 p.m.	English Prayer Meeting		Room 301/Online

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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, June 30, 2024**

Prelude		Michael Tsai
Greeting/Prayer		Michael Huang
Worship through Music	<i>“Worthy of Worship - #3” “Be unto Your name - #319”</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>“What a Beautiful Name” “Precious Love”</i>	Michael Huang
Offertory Prayer		Amanda Lou
Tithes and Offerings		
Doxology		
Pray for Our Church		Ming Lai
Special Music	<i>“In Christ Alone (My Hope Is Found)”</i>	Hallel Singers
Scripture Reading	Acts 4:1-7	
Message	No Other Name	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>“O Jesus, I Have Promised - #501”</i>	
Welcome		
Benediction		
Closing Song	<i>“As the Lord Is with Us”</i>	Michael Huang
Postlude		Michael Tsai



**Nursery:**  
0-3 y.o.; wear a  
mask over 2 y.o.

- A. Cry Room** - at the back of the Sanctuary/Coleman Hall, during services  
**B. Kindergarten Green Room** - during AM service only; enter next to GBC's back door; must have at least one parent there

**Evening Worship Service – 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday, June 30, 2024**

Prelude		Michael Tsai
Prayer		Helina Lao, Leader
Worship through Music	<i>“Christ Is Risen He Is Risen Indeed”</i>	
Greeting		
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>“Only a Holy God” “Living Hope” “Jesus, There's No One Like You”</i>	Helina Lao, Leader
Offertory Prayer		Ian Peng
Tithes and Offerings		
Pray for Our Church		Cesar Gonzalez
Scripture Reading	Acts 4:1-7	
Message	No Other Name	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>“Build My Life”</i>	
Welcome		
Closing Prayer		
Closing Song	<i>“Living Hope”</i>	Helina Lao, Leader
Postlude		Michael Tsai

**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: No Other Name**

**Scripture: Acts 4:1-7**

**Speaker: Pastor Nick Brideson**

**June 30, 2024**

**Scripture: Acts 4:1-7 (NASB)**

<sup>1</sup> As they were speaking to the people, the priests and the captain of the temple *guard* and the Sadducees came up to them, <sup>2</sup> being greatly disturbed because they were teaching the people and proclaiming in Jesus the resurrection from the dead. <sup>3</sup> And they laid hands on them and put them in jail until the next day, for it was already evening. <sup>4</sup> But many of those who had heard the message believed; and the number of the men came to be about five thousand.

<sup>5</sup> On the next day, their rulers and elders and scribes were gathered together in Jerusalem; <sup>6</sup> and Annas the high priest *was there*, and Caiaphas and John and Alexander, and all who were of high-priestly descent. <sup>7</sup> When they had placed them in the center, they *began to inquire*, "By what power, or in what name, have you done this?"

**Notes:**

## Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting (Physical & Online)

Let us be a church of prayer!

English prayer meeting meets 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. every Wednesday in GBC *Room 301*. The online prayer meeting via Zoom is also available at the same time. Please join us either in GBC or online. Send an email to [ecprayerteam@gbc.org.tw](mailto:ecprayerteam@gbc.org.tw) if you are interested in joining the Zoom prayer meeting or if you have a prayer request.

<b>1st Week</b>	2nd Week	3rd Week	4th Week	5th Week
<b>Caring/Healing/Families</b>	Church Ministry	Missions	The Lost	The World

## 2024 Vacation Bible School

*Twists & Turns - Following Jesus changes everything*

**VBS camp:** 9:00 a.m. – 12:10 p.m. from July 1 to 6

**For children:** 2nd ~ 7th grade after the summer vacation this year

Final training meeting date: **TODAY** at 1:15 p.m. in Coleman Hall



### Limited Access to GBC during VBS Week

For the safety of children attending VBS camp, GBC will cancel all meetings and parking spaces from 7 a.m. to 12:40 p.m. from Monday, July 1 to Friday, July 5. During this time, only VBS children, VBS volunteers, and GBC staff will be allowed into GBC. (Meetings after 12:40 p.m. are NOT affected.)

## AWANA & Preschool Program Summer Schedule

Parents with children elementary age and under, please note the AWANA schedule changes below.

**TODAY:** *No AWANA class* (Teachers need to decorate rooms for VBS.)

**July 7 to August 11:** Summer program is open to children (church membership not required. Please invite children from non-believing families). Registration is accepted from now until full.

**August 18 & August 25:** Summer break - no AWANA and Preschool Sunday school classes

**September 1:** back to school for both AWANA & Preschool

Please contact the leaders for questions and registration:  
Teacher Ming for AWANA ([minglai88@gmail.com](mailto:minglai88@gmail.com)) and  
Teacher Joanna for Preschool ([joanna6135@gmail.com](mailto:joanna6135@gmail.com)).



**AWANA Summer  
program welcomes  
children  
(GBC membership  
not required.)**

### GBC Bookstand TODAY

Today (and the last Sunday of each month) GBC has a bookstand on the front deck, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., to serve brothers and sisters. Bibles, gifts, books, and spiritual materials are available for purchase.

### GBC Andrew Evangelism Mission Calling for Team Members (in Chinese)

Andrew Gospel Mission shares the gospel in DaAn Park from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Fridays using an evangelism tool called *Two Ways to Live*. Please contact Minister Sean at: 0952-650-867 if you are interested in joining.



## GBC Special Services

GBC sends birthday cards and yearly offering receipts to GBC members and donation givers. If your information has changed, such as a new phone number or new address, or for information on GBC special services (below), please contact Stella at [stella@gbc.org.tw](mailto:stella@gbc.org.tw), or 2362-5321 ext. 132.

- Baptism: GBC holds baptism services in the Sanctuary during the Evening Service from 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. Our next baptism is on *Nov 24*.
- Marriage-Related Services: GBC provides marriage-related services for registered members (pre-marital counseling, weddings, counseling on marriage problems or questions).
- Funerals: If a loved one leaves this world, GBC can advise on a Christian funeral home as well as help with the funeral.

### ◆ Mabuhay Fellowship

Today, June 30, the Mabuhay Fellowship will not meet.

On July 2, we will have a Tagalog prayer meeting. All Tagalog-speaking nationals are welcome.

The Mabuhay Fellowship comprises Filipinos aiming to share God's love and light through worship, prayer, Bible study, fellowship, gospel sharing, and other ministries.



### ◆ Indian Fellowship

Timothy and Deborah Meesala host the Indian Fellowship in WanFu 22 (next to GBC) each Sunday from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. for Bible study and fellowship.

They also invite friends to celebrate important holidays, such as Christmas/New Year. The Indian Fellowship consists of Indian brothers and sisters but welcomes everyone. To join, or for more information, please contact Timothy ([yedukondaluster@gmail.com](mailto:yedukondaluster@gmail.com)).



### ◆ Health Seminar on Dementia (Chinese)

GBC will hold a health seminar from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. on Sunday, July 14 in Coleman Hall. Attending Doctor Bo-An Chen (陳柏安主治醫師) will speak on the prevention and treatment of dementia. This seminar will also be open to the local community near GBC so that nearby residents can benefit from it. Please come and invite your friends to attend. (Read Chinese bulletin if you need details.)

### ◆ In Case of Typhoon ...

When a typhoon warning is issued and Taipei City government announces that schools and offices are closed, all activities at GBC and small group meetings at homes will also be cancelled. HOWEVER, our Sunday morning service will still be available online. Go to the GBC website (English) and click "Live Worship" to join the service online.

## JiaYi MeiShan Mission Trip Date: July 6 - 13

### *Prayer Requests:*

1. The team includes 8 GBC members, 4 OMF co-workers, and one sister from The Hope Church. Pray that the cross-church team can cooperate with good communication to serve God and the camp.
2. Ask God to give the team wisdom to share their testimonies and let children know God and be blessed by walking with God.
3. Pray that the team has efficient communication and cooperation with missionary couple "Putao & Kat" in Meishan Seeding Gospel Center to serve God together and walk in God's grace.
4. May God use the camp so that participating children, parents, and teachers can have wonderful blessings. Almost all of them are non-believing children. Pray that the Lord will give the team wisdom and, through the camp activities, they can start a dialogue with the children and build friendly relationships.



## Friday Night Concerts ~ Invite Friends to Attend

**Time/Place:** 7:30 p.m. Fridays, in GBC Sanctuary

*(Date and theme for the upcoming concerts are shown in the table below.)*

These concerts are excellent opportunities to invite non-believing friends to church. The introduction will be in Chinese. Admission is free!



For more information on these concerts, please visit the GBC website at: [ec.gbc.org.tw](http://ec.gbc.org.tw)

Concert Date	Theme in Chinese	Theme in English
July 12	《讚頌·祈禱》鄭竣佑男高音獨唱會	Zheng Jun-You Tenor Recital
July 26	Classics & Beyond: 管風琴饗宴	Classics & Beyond: An Organ Spectacular
Aug. 2	Michael Andreas 音樂會	Michael Andreas Concert

## Grace Preschool Now Enrolling Kindergarteners

**School time:** Mon. – Fri. 7:40 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

**Regular classes:** for 3 to 6-year-old children

**A new class will start in August:**

for children born between September 2, 2020 and September 1, 2021.

**Contact Tel:** 02-2363-6593 Principal Chen

**Website:** <https://www.hwaiyow.com.tw>

## English Congregation Leaders

English Leading Pastor: Nick Brideson

### Pastor Nick Brideson

**Adult Education**  
Pastor Nick Brideson  
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**Youth**  
(Grades 7 to 12)  
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**Foreign Mission:**  
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- **Leadership Training**  
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**Small Groups**  
- **English Foundations**  
- **Ethiopian Students Group**  
- **HsinChu Bible Study Group**  
- **International Students Group**  
- **Salt & Light**  
- **Thursday Night Bible Study Group**

**Morning Greeters**  
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### Minister Priscilla Liao

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**Young Adults Fellowship**  
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**Small Groups**  
- **Mission Caring Group**  
- **NTU Conversation Group**  
- **Parenting Group**

**Transformation Group**  
Minister Priscilla Liao  
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**Foreign Mission:**  
- **VBS Team**  
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#### Secretarial staff

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**★ Sunday School – Join the class directly, or go to the room for information★**

**\*\* Beginning Christian Life**

Christianity 101 - required for baptism (Doug Gilmartin)	11:30 a.m.	Mount of Olives Room	New Cycle from July 28
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**\*\* Maturing Christians – “Explore the Bible”**

**Six classes available at three times for this Sunday school study:**

<u>11:30 a.m.</u>	<u>2:30 p.m.</u>	<u>4:00 p.m.</u>
WanFu 22 (Kevin Hartman)	Room 305 (Rod Syverson)	Room 303 (Andrea Valle)
Room B03 (Maria Sagita)	<b>Indonesian Friendly</b>	
Room B04 (Roy Treurnicht)		
Room B05 (Ava Zamora)		

On break till Aug. 11

Cancelled TODAY

**\*\* Youth: Grade 7 and above**

(Leading teacher: Michael Dellinger)	11:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.	Room 405
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**\*\* Children**

Nursery - Age 3 and under	9:50 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.	Kindergarten Green Room
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. - 12:50 p.m.	Rooms 401/404

**★ Fellowships – Join a fellowship directly or email the leader to join★**

Fellowship	Time	Location
Young Adults (20 - 35 y.o.)	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturdays 4:30 – 6:30 p.m.	WanFu 22 yedukondaluster@gmail.com
Mabuhay	Sundays 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.	
Indian Fellowship	Sundays 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.	

On break in June and July

**★ Transformation Group (Friday 7:15-8:45 p.m.) – Contact Minister Priscilla for details ★**

**★ Small Groups – Contact the leader to join ★**

Type	Name	Day/Time	Location/Contact Emails
English Conversation	English Foundations	Thursday 7:00 – 8:30 pm	Room 405 roytreur@gmail.com
Students	NTU Friday English Conversation Group	Friday 12:20 - 1:10 pm	NTU priscilla@gbc.org.tw
	International Students Group	Sunday 7:45 - 9:45 pm	WanFu 22A cesaledro57@gmail.com
Language/Nationality	Ethiopian Students Group	Sunday 7:00 - 9:00 pm	Room 307 tarenefo2015@gmail.com
Family	Parenting Group	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday 11:30 am - 12:30 pm	GBC Room 402 rod_syverson@hotmail.com
General	Thursday Night Bible Study Group	Thursday 7:30 - 9:00 pm	Online rod_syverson@hotmail.com
	HsinChu Bible Study Group	Friday 7:30 - 8:45 pm	HsinChu rmanlim@gmail.com
	Salt & Light	Sunday 1:30 - 3:00 pm	GBC Mount of Olives Room 123456789nc@gmail.com



## English Congregation Participation & GBC Staff Information

2024.06.23 (Online & in Person)	Attendance	Offerings	<u>GBC Staff Contacts</u>		
Service – Weekly Views	307	*44,200	<b>Peter Wu</b> Senior Pastor  <b>David Kong</b> Assistant Senior Pastor  <b>Hsiao Yen Shen</b> Director of Administration Office (02) 2362-5321 #113		
Morning Service	329	82,731			
Evening Service	90	6,950			
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	21	...	<b>GBC English Staff Contacts</b>  <b>Nick Brideson</b> English Leading Pastor nick@gbc.org.tw  <b>Priscilla Liao</b> English Minister priscilla@gbc.org.tw  <b>SueJenny Hsu</b> English Secretary suejenny@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #136  <b>Stella Chen</b> English Part-time Secretary stella@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #132		
Sunday School Classes	Preschool	11		507	
	Children	39			
	Youth	22			...
	Adult	80			...
Transformation Groups		18		...	
Small Groups		70		...	
Music	Choir	14		...	
	Hallel Singers	19		...	
Young Adults Fellowship		...		...	
Indian Fellowship		13	...		
Mabuhay Fellowship		7	...		
<i>* These offerings are GBC overall online/weekly donations.</i>					
<i>~ For information on other GBC participation and staff, see Chinese bulletin ~</i>					



### Visitor Form / Prayer Request

June 30, 2024

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 (✓)?**  Friend  GBC website  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**What you first noticed about Grace Baptist Church's English Congregation:** \_\_\_\_\_

**I'd like information on:**

Sunday School classes  Youth Ministry  Music Ministry

Children's Ministry  Prayer Ministry  Weekday class

Fellowships:  Young Adults  Mabuhay (Philippines)  Indians

Small groups:  Students  General  Nationality/Language: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**I'm willing to:**

Accept Christ  Be baptized  Become a church member  Serve

Please schedule a time for me to meet a pastor/minister