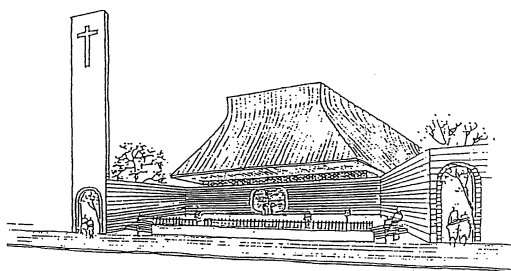


Grace Baptist Church

Sunday, June 8, 2025

Online Sermon: 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
	6:00-7:15 p.m.	Evening Service		Room 401
English Services	10:00-11:10 a.m.	Morning Service		Sanctuary/Online
	5:30-7:00 p.m.	Evening Service		Coleman Hall
Others	10:00-11:15 a.m.	Taiwanese Service	All	Room 301
	11:15 a.m.-12:50 p.m.	Children's Service	Children (age 7-12)	Kindergarten
	3:30-5:00 p.m.	Bilingual Service	All	Sanctuary/Online
Prayer Meetings	Wed. 7:00-8:15 p.m.	Chinese Prayer Meeting		Room 401
	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 8, 2025

Prelude		Joy Kong
Greeting/Prayer		Cherrie Lim
Worship through Music	<i>"The First Hymn"</i> <i>"He Will Keep You"</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>"With All My Heart"</i> <i>"Thy Word"</i>	Cherrie Lim
Offertory Prayer		Jody Ku
Tithes and Offerings		
Doxology		
Special Music	<i>"Be Strong in the Lord"</i>	Choir
Pray for Our Church		Michael Huang
Scripture Reading	Psalm 119:1-8	
Message	God's Truth	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>"Trust and Obey"</i>	
Welcome		
Closing Song	<i>"As the Lord Is with Us"</i>	Cherrie Lim
Postlude		Joy Kong



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- 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 8, 2025

Prelude		Dwayne Reinaldy
Prayer		Helina Lao, Leader
Worship through Music	<i>"One Way"</i>	
Greeting		
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>"Speak, O Lord"</i> <i>"Trust and Obey"</i> <i>"O Lord, My Rock and My Redeemer"</i>	Helina Lao, Leader
Offertory Prayer		Vicky Kuo
Tithes and Offerings		
Pray for Our Church		Michael Huang
Scripture Reading	Psalm 119:1-8	
Message	God's Truth	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>"Thy Word (Where Else Would I Go)"</i>	
Welcome		
Closing Song	<i>"O Lord My Rock and My Redeemer"</i>	Helina Lao, Leader
Postlude		Dwayne Reinaldy

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: God's Truth

Scripture: Psalm 119:1-8

Speaker: Pastor Nick Brideson

June 8, 2025

Scripture: Psalm 119:1-8 (NASB)

- ¹ How blessed are those whose way is blameless,
Who walk in the law of the LORD.
- ² How blessed are those who observe His testimonies,
Who seek Him with all their heart.
- ³ They also do no unrighteousness;
They walk in His ways.
- ⁴ You have ordained Your precepts,
That we should keep them diligently.
- ⁵ Oh that my ways may be established
To keep Your statutes!
- ⁶ Then I shall not be ashamed
When I look upon all Your commandments.
- ⁷ I shall give thanks to You with uprightness of heart,
When I learn Your righteous judgments.
- ⁸ I shall keep Your statutes;
Do not forsake me utterly!

Notes:

Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting (Physical & Online)

"My house shall be called a house of prayer" (Matthew 21:13)

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 if you are interested in joining the Zoom prayer meeting or if you have a prayer request.

GBC Prison Visitation Group

I was in prison and you came to me. (Matthew 25:36)

GBC's Prison Visitation Group visits the Taipei Men's Prison (Guishan, Taoyuan) every 2 months in cooperation with TFICA (Taiwan Foreign Inmate Care Association). Visits consist of:

- worship service translated into five languages: English, Chinese, Thai, Indonesian, and Vietnamese
- group discussion in which visitors interact with inmates regarding the sermon



Visitors joining the group must:

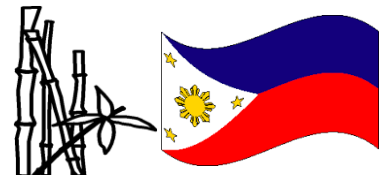
- a. be GBC members
- b. attend a short training session (explaining rules and guidelines)
- c. register in advance (The number of visitors is limited.)

For more information, please contact Roy Treurnicht (roytreur@gmail.com).

Philippine Independence Day Commemoration

Today, June 8, the Mabuhay Fellowship will make preparations for its post-127th Philippine Independence Day celebration on June 15.

Everyone is invited to join us on June 15 at 2 p.m. in Basement Room B05 in our commemoration of the 127th Philippine Independence Day. We will have worship through songs, a mini-Philippine culture presentation, and an inspirational talk by Pastor Winston Chiu on *"Identity Crisis"* based on Matthew 16:13-19 and Acts 2:14-36. Hope to see you then!



Parenting Group TODAY

GBC Parenting Group welcomes parents (including single parents) with kids of any age. We study various principles about parenting as well as enjoying fellowship with each other. The group meets at 11:30 a.m. on 2nd and 4th Sundays in Room 402. You can join the group directly today.

If you have any questions, please email Rod Syverson at: rod_syverson@hotmail.com.



Sermon Sharing

GBC normally does Livestreaming each Sunday, so you can watch the sermon online at the same time as it is happening in GBC sanctuary. We encourage people to meet every Sunday, so Livestream viewing is for those who are sick or cannot attend in person for other reasons. Sermons will later be uploaded to the GBC website for viewing at any time.

For Chinese sermons – gbc.org.tw

For English sermons – ec.gbc.org.tw

(There are a few exceptions when GBC doesn't record the sermons. For those exceptions, you can only listen to the sermon at GBC on those Sundays.)





Ordination Service

Grace Baptist Church will hold an
 “Ordination and Thanksgiving Service”
 for Ministers Sean Chiang and Alex Guo
 TODAY, June 8, at 3:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.
 Brothers and sisters are welcome to join as we rejoice and praise
 the Lord together as the family of Christ.

Senior Pastor Peter Wu
 Deacon Board Chairperson Tiffany Huang

Launching EC New Ministry — Social Media Outreach

The GBC English Congregation launched a new ministry to increase our online presence and reach out to people through social media. Samuel Huang, a GBC staff member, is leading this ministry and has created an EC Instagram account for this purpose. Please be aware that he will be taking videos and photos of our services and church activities to share online.

(If you prefer NOT to be shown in pictures or videos, please send an email to let SueJenny know, at: suejenny@gbc.org.tw)

We started sharing some videos/pictures from last Tuesday, June 3. We encourage you to follow and stay connected, as well as share with others. To follow, please scan the QR code.



COVID-19 Precautions



The number of cases of COVID-19 in Taiwan has been rising in recent weeks. Please be reminded to protect your own health and the health of others. Wear a mask when you visit hospitals, take public transportation, and go to crowded indoor places. Also wash your hands frequently.

AWANA & Preschool Program Summer Schedule

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

June 22: Last day for 2024-2025 AWANA and Pre-school program. Children in 6th grade and preschoolers moving up to 1st grade after this summer will have a graduation ceremony during the class.

June 29: No AWANA class (Teachers need to decorate rooms for VBS.)

July 6 to August 17: Summer program is open to children (GBC membership not required). Registration is accepted from now until full.

August 24 & August 31: Summer break - no AWANA and Pre-school Sunday classes

September 7: back to school for both AWANA & Preschool

Please contact the leaders for questions and registration: Teacher Ming for elementary school (minglai88@gmail.com) and Teacher Joanna for preschool (joanna1285@hotmail.com).



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

Health Seminar on Depression Prevention (in Chinese)

This health seminar will be held 1:30-3:30 p.m. in Coleman Hall on Sunday **June 15**. Doctor DaiYing Wu (吳岱穎醫師) will be speaking on the following:



1. Know about Depression
2. Epidemiology of Depression
3. How to Cure Depression
4. Insomnia vs. Depression
5. Suicide Prevention

You are welcome to attend the seminar directly. Please check the Chinese bulletin if you need more details.

Chinese Seminar on Humanity and Sin (in Chinese)

Pastor Ken Ang Lee (李健安牧師) will speak on Humanity and Sin **June 19 to June 21** in Coleman Hall (Thursday and Friday from 7:00 - 9:45 p.m.; Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.)

His seminar includes:

- Chinese Philosophies on Humanity
- What Is God's Image
- Trinity
- Spirit Origin
- Adam's Fall and Condemnation of Sin
- What Does "Original Sin" Mean

Cost will apply to attend the seminar. Please see the details and register through the Chinese bulletin. If you have any questions, you can contact brother Lee Wen Hsin at 0920-790-794.

English Congregation Leaders

Pastor Nick Brideson		Minister Priscilla Liao	
Adult Education Pastor Nick Brideson nick@gbc.org.tw Youth (Grades 7 to 12) Ethan & Sarah Chow Michael Dellinger michaeldellondellinger@gmail.com Foreign Mission: - Medical/Dental Team Armand Lim rmanlim@gmail.com - Leadership Training Pastor Nick Brideson nick@gbc.org.tw Harmony Home Ministry Julie Chen yuling0914@gmail.com Mabuhay Fellowship Ava Zamora avazam13@gmail.com Indian Fellowship Timothy Meesala yedukondaluster@gmail.com Small Groups -English Foundations -Ethiopian Students -HsinChu Bible Study -Salt & Light -Thursday Night Bible Study	Morning Music Worship Cherrie Gow Lim cvgow@yahoo.com Morning Multimedia Liang Lai llai0619@gmail.com Social Media Ministry Samuel Huang samuel@gbc.org.tw Morning Greeters Arjun Puvvala nagarjuna.chemist@gmail.com Alltrin Dhana Raja Gopal alltrin.chim99@gmail.com Adult Choir Juliet Jao lenyinjao@gmail.com Hallel Singers Cherrie Gow Lim cvgow@yahoo.com Evening Greeters Vicky Kuo asiaglobe999@gmail.com Evening Fellowship Meal /Baptism Celebration Fellowship Michelle Cheng yealincheng@yahoo.com Baptism Support Michael Dellinger michaeldellondellinger@gmail.com	Morning Visitors Ministry Amanda Lou lou.amanda@gmail.com Morning Fellowship Tea Teresa Lin fmlin660909@gmail.com Cry Room Children's Care priscilla@gbc.org.tw Green Room Children's Care Sandra Hsu coihsu@gmail.com AWANA T&T Group Ming Lai minglai88@gmail.com AWANA Spark Group Crystal Turner elisayeh@yahoo.com Preschool Joanna Peng joanna6135@gmail.com Prayer Ministry Minister Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw Amanda Lou (Zoom) lou.amanda@gmail.com	Evening Music Team Helina Lao/Peter Chiu gbceworshipteam@gmail.com Evening Multimedia Menzi Nhlengethwa menzinhlengethwa@gmail.com Small Groups - International Students - NTU English Conversation - Parenting - Young Adults Transformation Group Minister Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw Taiwan Mission: Minister Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw Foreign Mission: - VBS Team Minister Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw
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		Secretarial staff SueJenny Hsu suejenny@gbc.org.tw Stella Chen (part-time) stella@gbc.org.tw	

★ 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.		Resumes July 13
** Maturing Christians – “Explore the Bible” **			
Six classes available at three times for this Sunday school study:			
11:30 a.m.	2:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.	
Room B03 (Ava Zamora)	Room 305 (Rod Syverson)	Room 303 (Andrea Valle)	
Room B04 (Roy Treurnicht)			
WanFu 22C (Kevin Hartman)			
Mount of Olives (Maria Sagita)			
** Youth: Grade 7 and above **			
(Leading teacher: Michael Dellinger)	11:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.	Room 405	
** Children **			
Nursery - Age 3 and under	9:50 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.	Cry Room & 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/Contact email	
Mabuhay (Filipino)	Sundays 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.	B05	
Indian Fellowship	Sundays 1:45 - 3:00 p.m.	WanFu 22 yedukondaluster@gmail.com	
★ Transformation Group (Friday 7:15 - 8:45 p.m.) ★			
★ 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 English Conversation Group	Friday 12:20 - 1:10 pm	Room 401 priscilla@gbc.org.tw
	International Students Group	Saturday 7:00 - 9:00 pm	WanFu 22A gbcinternationalsg@gmail.com
Language/ Nationality	Ethiopian Students Group	Sunday 7:00 - 9:00 pm	Room 307 bayisukiya@gmail.com
Family	Parenting Group	2 nd & 4 th Sunday 11:30 am - 12:30 pm	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
	Young Adults Group (25 – 45 y.o.)	1 st & 3 rd Saturday 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm	KLMontgomery@me.com
	Salt & Light	Sunday 1:30 - 3:00 pm	Mount of Olives Room 123456789nc@gmail.com

On summer
break

Resumes
Sep. 7

English Congregation Participation & GBC Staff Information

2025.06.01 (Online & in Person)		Attendance	Offerings	<u>GBC Staff Contacts</u>
Service – Weekly Views		335	*159,955	Peter Wu Senior Pastor Ivory Chung Director of Administration Office (02) 2362-5321 #113 Samuel Huang Audiovisual Support samuel@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #119
Morning Service		317	175,799	
Evening Service		111	39,369	
Wednesday Prayer Meeting		25	...	
Sunday School Classes	Preschool	16	780	<u>GBC English Staff Contacts</u> Nick Brideson English Leading Pastor nick@gbc.org.tw Priscilla Liao English Minister priscilla@gbc.org.tw Sue Jenny Hsu English Secretary suejenny@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #136 Stella Chen English Part-time Secretary stella@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #132
	Children	57		
	Youth	26	...	
	Adult	66	...	
Small Groups		47	...	
Transformation		
Music	Choir	16	...	
	Hallel Singers	
Indian Fellowship		13	...	
Mabuhay Fellowship		20	...	

** These offerings are GBC overall online/weekly donations.*

~ For information on other GBC participation and staff, see Chinese bulletin ~

Visitor Form / Prayer Request

June 8, 2025

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