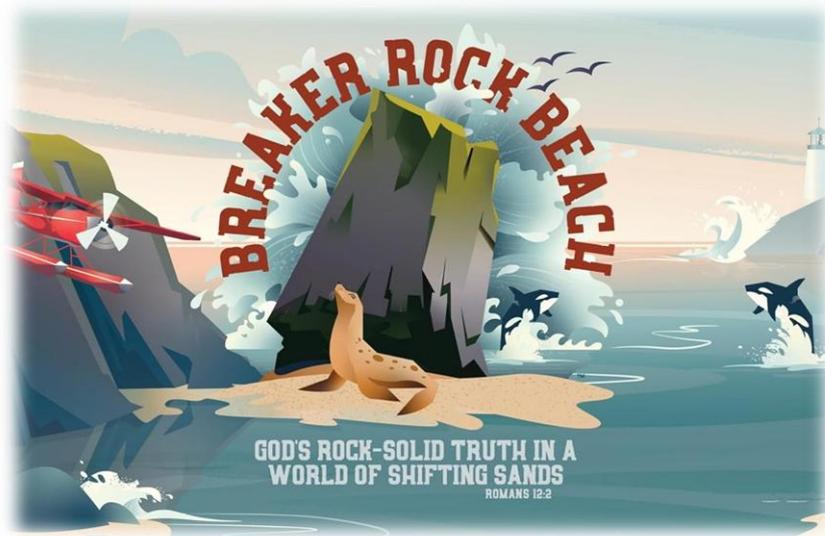


Grace Baptist Church

Sunday, June 29, 2025
 Online Sermon: ec.gbc.org.tw/live-worship



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 Evening Service	All	Sanctuary/Online
	8:30-9:40 a.m.	1 st Chinese Service	All	Sanctuary/Online
	9:30-11:00 a.m.	2 nd Chinese Service	All / Students	Coleman Hall
	11:30 a.m.-12:40 p.m.	3 rd Chinese Service	All	Sanctuary/Online
	6:00-7:15 p.m.	Evening Service		Room 401
English Services	10:00-11:10 a.m.	English Morning Service	All	Sanctuary/Online
	5:30-7:00 p.m.	English 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 3-12)	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/Online
	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 29, 2025

Prelude		Moses Huang
Greeting/Prayer		Anne Tan
Worship through Music	<i>“Crown Him King of Kings”</i> <i>“Wonderful Merciful Savior”</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>“The First Hymn”</i> <i>“He Will Hold Me Fast”</i>	Anne Tan
Offertory Prayer		Amanda Lou
Tithes and Offerings		
Doxology		
Special Music	<i>“This Is My Father's World”</i>	GBC Orchestra
Pray for Our Church		Paul Han
Scripture Reading	Psalm 132:1-12	
Message	God's Promise	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”</i>	
Welcome		
Closing Song	<i>“As the Lord Is with Us”</i>	Anne Tan
Postlude		Moses Huang



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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 29, 2025

Prelude		Dwayne Reinaldy
Prayer		Helina Lao, Leader
Worship through Music	<i>“Your Grace Is Enough”</i>	
Greeting		
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>“Son of God”</i> <i>“Jesus Messiah”</i> <i>“His Glory and My Good”</i>	Helina Lao, Leader
Offertory Prayer		Menzi Nhlengethwa
Tithes and Offerings		
Pray for Our Church		Minister Priscilla Liao
Scripture Reading	Psalm 132:1-12	
Message	God's Promise	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>“He Will Be”</i>	
Welcome		
Closing Song	<i>“His Glory and My Good”</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 Promise

Scripture: Psalm 132:1-12

Speaker: Pastor Nick Brideson

June 29, 2025

Scripture: Psalm 132:1-12 (NASB)

- ¹ Remember, O LORD, on David's behalf,
All his affliction;
- ² How he swore to the LORD
And vowed to the Mighty One of Jacob,
- ³ "Surely I will not enter my house,
Nor lie on my bed;
- ⁴ I will not give sleep to my eyes
Or slumber to my eyelids,
- ⁵ Until I find a place for the LORD,
A dwelling place for the Mighty One of Jacob."
- ⁶ Behold, we heard of it in Ephrathah,
We found it in the field of Jaar.
- ⁷ Let us go into His dwelling place;
Let us worship at His footstool.
- ⁸ Arise, O LORD, to Your resting place,
You and the ark of Your strength.
- ⁹ Let Your priests be clothed with righteousness,
And let Your godly ones sing for joy.
- ¹⁰ For the sake of David Your servant,
Do not turn away the face of Your anointed.
- ¹¹ The LORD has sworn to David
A truth from which He will not turn back:
"Of the fruit of your body I will set upon your throne.
- ¹² "If your sons will keep My covenant
And My testimony which I will teach them,
Their sons also shall sit upon your throne forever."

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!

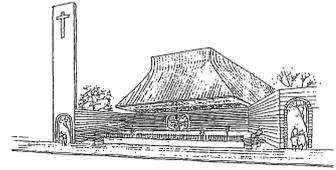
English prayer meeting meets 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. every Wednesday in GBC. **Please note: Wednesday, July 2, we will meet in Coleman Hall.** The online prayer meeting via Zoom is also available at the same time. Please join us either in GBC or online.

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.

Nominee for the Position of GBC Senior Pastor

Rev. Tsen-Jen Wu graduated from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary and started serving at GBC in July 2007 as a parttime pastor in the 2nd Chinese Worship Service. He is a professor of New Testament at China Evangelical Seminary. His ministerial passions include book-by-book Bible study, expository preaching, discipleship, and equipping co-workers for the Great Commission. Rev. Wu is married to Sister Tsai, and together they have one son. Their son, Daniel, is married to Aurna, and they are blessed with two young sons.

Rev. Tsen-Jen Wu was approved to be the candidate for the position of Senior Pastor at Grace Baptist Church. GBC members who wish to vote are invited to attend the Bilingual Service (3:30–5:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary with the vote at 3:40 – 4:00 p.m.) or any Chinese/Taiwanese service on Sunday, **June 29**.



AWANA & Preschool Program Summer Schedule

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

TODAY: 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 Preschool 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.)**

Mabuhay Fellowship

On July 6, the MF will have a Tagalog prayer meeting. All Tagalog-speaking nationals are welcome.

On July 13, the MF will cancel its Tagalog Bible study because some MF members will join the farewell event for Pastor Peter Wu at 1:30 p.m. in Coleman Hall.



Youth Class

The Youth Class will continue to meet in Room 405 from 11:30-12:45 every Sunday throughout the summer.

This summer's special study will focus upon the false religions and cults that are all about us today, and will demonstrate how their Satanic doctrines contradict Scripture. Everyone from grade 7 and up are welcome to attend!



Morning Christianity 101 - New Cycle July 13

Morning Christianity 101 will start a new cycle in Room B05 on **July 13**. Class begins at 11:30 a.m. on Sundays. (Ask staff or the front desk if you don't know how to go to Room B05.) (We will start Afternoon Christianity 101 from **August 10**.)



Christianity 101 consists of 10 lessons which introduce basic Christian teachings and is a required for those who wish to be baptized. Please join the class directly. If you need more information, please contact the teacher, Doug Gilmartin, by email at: gilmartin2@yahoo.com

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.

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 Tuesday, July 1, to Saturday, July 5. During this time, only VBS children, VBS volunteers, and GBC staff will be allowed into GBC.

Also, please don't touch the VBS decorations to ensure that the VBS can proceed smoothly. (The decorations will be removed after July 5.)

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 June 3. We encourage you to follow and stay connected, as well as share with others. To follow, please scan the QR code.



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Farewell Event for Senior Pastor, Rev. Peter Wu

Time: Sunday, July 13, from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.

Place: Coleman Hall, B1

To attend: Registration required

Brothers and sisters are welcome to register for this event by filling out the online form (QR code below). Please note that the registration system will be closed when the quota is full (due to space limitations in Coleman Hall), so please register early. Priority entry on the day will be given to those who receive a confirmation text message. (Ask SueJenny or Front Desk **TODAY** if you need help to register.)



Young Adults Group

Young Adults is a group of 25-45 year olds that meets to fellowship and



study God's Word together on the first and third Saturdays of the month. Our next gathering will be Saturday, **July 5**. We invite you to join us for Bible study and discussion from 4:30-6:30 p.m. at WanFu 22. Please bring your friends too! For more information, please contact Kristen Montgomery (KLMontgomery@me.com).

Pray for Taiwan Mission Teams

Today, in the Chinese Congregation, GBC will commission 2 mission teams.
Please pray for them:



PingTung WanDan (July 6-12):

1. Pray that God will bless the mission activities, including the children's camp (7/7-11), Gaoshu Evangelistic Event (7/12), and the caring visitations, to work smoothly and to glorify God and benefit people.
2. Pray that God will protect the physical, mental, and spiritual health of co-workers and their families, and that the team's transportation will be safe and smooth.
3. Pray that the team will have good communication and cooperation with Pastor Lin of the local church, as well as positive interactions and exchanges with the school so that the team can be a blessing to the local church and the pastoral staff.
4. May the short-term mission team sow the seed of the gospel and bring hope to the local residents. May the gospel be deeply rooted in people's hearts and bear fruit in the future.

JiaYi MeiShan (July 6-12):

1. Pray for the physical, mental, and spiritual health of all the team members.
2. Because of the general character of the local people, our strategies for evangelism will be specific to them. Please pray for the people who the Meishan team comes into contact with (whether they are children participating in our camp or local people). May God bless them and give us the necessary power and wisdom so that the locals can feel God's love and care from our actions and words.

English Congregation Leaders

Pastor Nick Brideson		Minister Priscilla Liao	
Adult Education Pastor Nick Brideson nick@gbc.org.tw	Morning Music Worship Cherrie Gow Lim cvgow@yahoo.com	Morning Visitors Ministry Amanda Lou lou.amanda@gmail.com	Evening Music Team Helina Lao/Peter Chiu gbcworshipteam@gmail.com
Youth (Grades 7 to 12) Ethan & Sarah Chow Michael Dellinger michaeldondellinger@gmail.com	Morning Multimedia Liang Lai llai0619@gmail.com	Morning Fellowship Tea Teresa Lin fmlin660909@gmail.com	Evening Multimedia Menzi Nhlengethwa menzinhlenge@gmail.com
Foreign Mission: - Medical/Dental Team Armand Lim rmanlim@gmail.com - Leadership Training Pastor Nick Brideson nick@gbc.org.tw	Social Media Ministry Samuel Huang samuel@gbc.org.tw	Cry Room Children's Care priscilla@gbc.org.tw	Small Groups - International Students - NTU English Conversation - Parenting - Young Adults
Harmony Home Ministry Julie Chen yuling0914@gmail.com	Morning Greeters Arjun Puvvala nagarjuna.chemist@gmail.com	Green Room Children's Care Sandra Hsu coihsu@gmail.com	Transformation Group Minister Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw
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	Baptism Support Michael Dellinger michaeldondellinger@gmail.com	Deacon Paul Han singleoo@gmail.com	Alternate Deacon Armand Lim rmanlim@gmail.com
		Secretarial staff SueJenny Hsu Stella Chen (part-time) suejenny@gbc.org.tw 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
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**** 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)		

Note: Kevin and Maria’s classes are 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.	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
Ministry	Prison Visitation		roytreur@gmail.com

Resumes July 13

On summer break

Resumes Sep. 7

English Congregation Participation & GBC Staff Information

2025.06.22 (Online & in Person)		Attendance	Offerings	<u>GBC Staff Contacts</u>
Service – Weekly Views		395	*130,435	Peter Wu Senior Pastor
Morning Service		287	151,191	Ivory Chung Director of Administration Office (02) 2362-5321 #113
Evening Service		141	21,330	Samuel Huang Audiovisual Support samuel@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #119
Wednesday Prayer Meeting		28	...	<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
Sunday School Classes	Preschool	18	805	
	Children	57		
	Youth	22	...	
	Adult	66	...	
Small Groups		65	...	
Transformation		18	...	
Music	Choir	9	...	
	Hallel Singers	20	...	
Indian Fellowship		15	...	
Mabuhay Fellowship		9	...	

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

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

Visitor Form / Prayer Request

June 29, 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