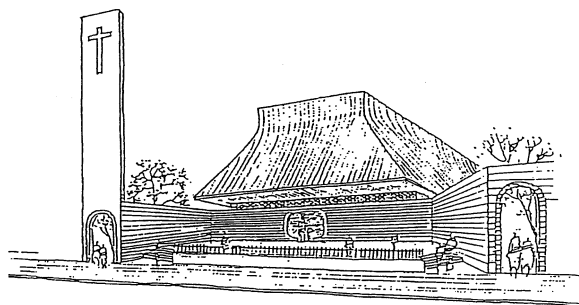


Grace Baptist Church

Sunday, July 13, 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 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.	3rd 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		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, July 13, 2025

Prelude		Moses Huang
Greeting/Prayer		Michael Huang
Worship through Music	<i>"Holy, Holy, Holy"</i> <i>"In Christ Alone (My Hope Is Found)"</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"</i> <i>"Be Strong in the Lord"</i>	Michael Huang
Offertory Prayer		Ava Zamora
Tithes and Offerings		
Doxology		
Special Music	<i>"Fairest Lord Jesus"</i>	Choir
Pray for Our Church		Pastor Nick Brideson
Scripture Reading	Psalm 18:16-29	
Message	God's Deliverance	Pastor Kevin Wang
Response Song	<i>"I'd Rather Have Jesus"</i>	
Welcome		
Closing Song	<i>"As the Lord Is with Us"</i>	Michael Huang
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, July 13, 2025

Prelude		Dwayne Reinaldy
Prayer		Helina Lao, Leader
Worship through Music	<i>"Home"</i>	
Greeting		
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>"God Is for Us"</i> <i>"Wonderful, Merciful Savior"</i> <i>"The Lord Is My Salvation"</i>	Helina Lao, Leader
Offertory Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Tithes and Offerings		
Pray for Our Church		Pastor Nick Brideson
Scripture Reading	Psalm 18:16-29	
Message	God's Deliverance	Pastor Kevin Wang
Response Song	<i>"O Lord, My Rock and My Redeemer"</i>	
Welcome		
Closing Song	<i>"God Is for Us"</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 Deliverance

Scripture: Psalm 18:16-29

Speaker: Pastor Kevin Wang

July 13, 2025

Scripture: Psalm 18:16-29 (NASB)

- ¹⁶ He sent from on high, He took me;
He drew me out of many waters.
- ¹⁷ He delivered me from my strong enemy,
And from those who hated me, for they were too mighty for me.
- ¹⁸ They confronted me in the day of my calamity,
But the Lord was my stay.
- ¹⁹ He brought me forth also into a broad place;
He rescued me, because He delighted in me.
- ²⁰ The Lord has rewarded me according to my righteousness;
According to the cleanness of my hands He has recompensed me.
- ²¹ For I have kept the ways of the Lord,
And have not wickedly departed from my God.
- ²² For all His ordinances were before me,
And I did not put away His statutes from me.
- ²³ I was also blameless with Him,
And I kept myself from my iniquity.
- ²⁴ Therefore the Lord has recompensed me according to my righteousness,
According to the cleanness of my hands in His eyes.
- ²⁵ With the kind You show Yourself kind;
With the blameless You show Yourself blameless;
- ²⁶ With the pure You show Yourself pure,
And with the crooked You show Yourself astute.
- ²⁷ For You save an afflicted people,
But haughty eyes You abase.
- ²⁸ For You light my lamp;
The Lord my God illumines my darkness.
- ²⁹ For by You I can run upon a troop;
And by my God I can leap over a wall.

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.

Farewell Event for Senior Pastor, Rev. Peter Wu, TODAY

Time/Place: 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. in Coleman Hall (Basement)

To attend: Registered people

Live stream QR code: If you haven't registered for the event, you can join via livestream using the QR code.



❖ 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 19.



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).

❖ Mabuhay Fellowship

Today, July 13, the Mabuhay Fellowship 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.



On July 20, the MF will have worship through songs and an inspirational talk from Pastor Winston Chiu on *"He-me, I-Thou Relationship,"* based on Psalm 23. All are welcome.

❖ 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 on 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!

❖ AWANA & Preschool Summer Schedule

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

AWANA Summer program welcomes children
(GBC membership NOT required.)

Now 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 (joanna6135@gmail.com).

Baptism Information

The English Congregation will have its next Baptism Service from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. on November 30 in the Sanctuary. If the Lord calls you to be baptized, please follow these steps to apply for baptism --



1. **Attend Christianity 101 Class** (see announcement below) – 10 classes to introduce the basics of Christianity as preparation for baptism
2. **Attend a New Members' Class** - a one-hour class. The next New Members' Class will be held on August 24 from 3 to 4 p.m. in room 307.
3. **Write a Testimony** - about 300-500 words
4. **Arrange an Interview** - 1 hour individual interview

Contact our secretary SueJenny if you need more information at suejenny@gbc.org.tw.

Morning Christianity 101 - New Cycle Starts

Morning Christianity 101 will start a new cycle in Room B05 from TODAY. 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

Today's Guest Speaker: Pastor Kevin Wang

Kevin Wang formerly served on staff at GBC as a minister and pastor from 2018 to 2022. He is the husband of Yi-Ling and father of two boys, Kyle and Oliver. He is currently pursuing a PhD at Puritan Reformed Theological Seminary in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

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.



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.

Morning Tea Reminder

Please bring reusable cups or bottles for Morning Tea drinks.

Thank you.

Emotion Management Master Camp (in Chinese)

Emotions are gifts. They help us to know ourselves more deeply and help us express love and feel loved. Emotions are a kind of energy that can move us positively, but they can also trigger destructive actions. This will be further discussed in the class:
8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. from Wednesday to Saturday, August 13 - 16.

Target students: 4th to 6th grade (5th grade to 1st year of junior high school after summer vacation)

Location: Coleman Hall (B1)

Cost: NT1,000 per person (the manual, teaching materials, snacks, and lunch are included)

Registration deadline: July 21 or until full. For details and registration instructions, please scan the QR code:



Reminders from GBC

- Turn your cell phone to silent mode so as not to disturb the worship service.
- Do not eat or drink in either the Sanctuary or Coleman Hall.
- Do not put things on top of the church pianos.
- Do not toss used toilet paper or trash into the toilet. (GBC's building is old, and the pipes can easily become clogged.)
- GBC has celebrated its 70th anniversary. You can get the special anniversary edition, in Chinese, for free at the front desk.

English Congregation Leaders

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- HsinChu Bible Study
- Salt & Light
- Thursday Night Bible Study

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- NTU English Conversation
- Parenting
- Young Adults

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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.	Room B05
** Maturing Christians – “Explore the Bible” **		
Six classes available at three times for this Sunday school study:		
<u>11:30 a.m.</u> Room B03 (Ava Zamora) Room B04 (Roy Treurnicht) WanFu 22C (Kevin Hartman) Mount of Olives (Maria Sagita)	<u>2:30 p.m.</u> Room 305 (Rod Syverson)	<u>4:00 p.m.</u> Room 303 (Andrea Valle)
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-left: 20px;"> Spencer Vines substitute teacher </div> </div>		
** 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
Ministry	Prison Visitation		roytreur@gmail.com

English Congregation Participation & GBC Staff Information

2025.07.06 (Online & in Person)		Attendance	Offerings	<u>GBC Staff Contacts</u>
Service – Weekly Views		351	* 192,912	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		276	231,901	
Evening Service		91	58,250	
Wednesday Prayer Meeting		27	...	
Sunday School Classes	Preschool	11	331	<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	33		
	Youth	26	...	
	Adult	60	...	
Small Groups		29	...	
Transformation		
Music	Choir	15	...	
	Hallel Singers	
Indian Fellowship		15	...	
Mabuhay Fellowship		8	...	

* These offerings are GBC overall online/weekly donations.

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

Visitor Form / Prayer Request

July 13, 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