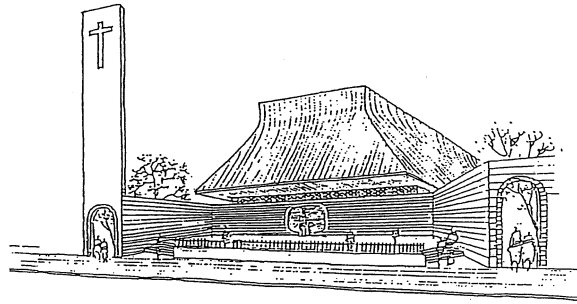


Grace Baptist Church

Sunday, July 20, 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 20, 2025

Prelude		Moses Huang
Greeting/Prayer		Armand Lim
Worship through Music	<i>"Sing"</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>"The First Hymn"</i> <i>"Always"</i>	Armand Lim
Offertory Prayer		Jody Ku
Tithes and Offerings		
Doxology		
Scripture Reading	Psalm 105:1-11	Paul Han
Message	God's Faithfulness	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"</i>	
Welcome/Announcements		
Commissioning		
Closing Song	<i>"As the Lord Is with Us"</i>	Armand Lim
Postlude		Moses Huang



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, July 20, 2025

Prelude		Michael Tsai
Prayer		Sam Chiu, Leader
Worship through Music	<i>"Forever"</i>	
Greeting		
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>"For All You've Done"</i> <i>"The Lord Is My Salvation"</i> <i>"From Everlasting"</i>	Sam Chiu, Leader
Offertory Prayer		Menzi Nhlengethwa
Tithes and Offerings		
Pray for Our Church		Minister Priscilla Liao
Scripture Reading	Psalm 105:1-11	
Message	God's Faithfulness	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"</i>	
Welcome		
Closing Song	<i>"For All You've Done"</i>	Sam Chiu, 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: God's Faithfulness

Scripture: Psalm 105:1-11

Speaker: Pastor Nick Brideson

July 20, 2025

Scripture: Psalm 105:1-11 (NASB)

- ¹ Oh give thanks to the LORD, call upon His name;
Make known His deeds among the peoples.
- ² Sing to Him, sing praises to Him;
Speak of all His wonders.
- ³ Glory in His holy name;
Let the heart of those who seek the LORD be glad.
- ⁴ Seek the LORD and His strength;
Seek His face continually.
- ⁵ Remember His wonders which He has done,
His marvels and the judgments uttered by His mouth,
- ⁶ O seed of Abraham, His servant,
O sons of Jacob, His chosen ones!
- ⁷ He is the LORD our God;
His judgments are in all the earth.
- ⁸ He has remembered His covenant forever,
The word which He commanded to a thousand generations,
- ⁹ The covenant which He made with Abraham,
And His oath to Isaac.
- ¹⁰ Then He confirmed it to Jacob for a statute,
To Israel as an everlasting covenant,
- ¹¹ Saying, "To you I will give the land of Canaan
As the portion of your inheritance,"

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. We pray for caring & healing, church ministries, missions, the lost, and the world. 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.

Mabuhay Fellowship

TODAY, July 20, at 2 p.m. in Basement Room B05, 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.



Pray for UK COCM Mission Trip (July 24 to August 3)

1. Pray for wise and efficient packing and preparation for the trip.
2. Pray for encouraging working relationships within the COCM team and with other volunteers at the camp.
3. Pray for a smooth flight and land travel to London & the COCM Center with all team members able to quickly get over jet lag to be physically, mentally, and spiritually prepared for the VBS camp.
4. Pray for complete dependence on God to successfully implement all our VBS camp plans.
5. Pray that God will be glorified and His love demonstrated to the kids during the VBS camp.

Pray for TaiChung Mission (Chinese) (July 23 to July 27)

1. Give thanks to God for providing serving opportunity with Wheat Baptist Church in TaiChung. Please pray that God will prepare the hearts of the participating children and parents (most of them will be entering church for the first time). Pray that God's love and gospel can enter their hearts through the mission activities and through our interaction with them.
2. Pray that God will lead the team Himself, to bestow His love and wisdom. Pray that team members will be untied and activities will go smoothly so God's name will be glorified.
3. Pray for the Lord to bless every gospel team member and their families with good health.

AWANA & Preschool Summer Schedule

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

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).

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

Morning Christianity 101

Morning Christianity 101 had just started a new cycle in Room B05. 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

English Congregation Men's Group – Starts August 3

"As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another." (Proverbs 27:17)

Beginning August 3, GBC English Congregation will start a Men's Group. The purpose of the group is for men to glorify God by growing together as men of faith, rooted in Christ and the Word of God, committed to spiritual maturity, brotherhood, accountability, and service.

The group will meet every Sunday from 4:00 to 5:20 pm in GBC Room 306.

Evening Fellowship Meal Next Sunday

We will have Evening Fellowship Meal next Sunday after the evening service. The leader, Michelle Cheng, will prepare spaghetti, salads, fruits, etc. for the Fellowship.



Evening Service participants, please join our Fellowship in B01. If you can bring desserts or other food to share, take the food to B01 before 5:30 p.m.

We also need volunteers to help before and/or after the Fellowship (5-7 p.m. and/or 8-9 p.m.). If you can help, please contact Michelle Cheng at her email: yealincheng@yahoo.com.

Harmony Home Next Visit: July 27

GBC Harmony Home Visitation Ministry (formerly Orphanage Visitation) sends big brothers/sisters to Harmony Home to help children with absent parents build their relationship with God and guide the children to trust Christ as Lord and Savior. They leave from GBC at 2:00 p.m. every 2nd and 4th Sunday to sing Christian songs and teach Bible stories to children.



People joining this visit must be registered GBC members. If you have never visited with them and would like to join, please contact the leader Julie Chen (yuling0914@gmail.com) in advance (by Thursday). No training is required.

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.



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



Concert Date	Theme in Chinese	Theme in English
July 25	李茹維單簧管獨奏會	Li Ru-Wei Clarinet Solo Recital
August 8	拉法葉・曾紹洋鋼琴獨奏會- 俄派光譜與台灣樂韻	Lafayette • Zeng Shao-Yang Piano Recital - Russian Spectrum and Taiwanese Music
August 15	王子欣小提琴獨奏會	Wang Zi-Shin Violin Solo Recital

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 michaeldellondellinger@gmail.com	Morning Multimedia Liang Lai llai0619@gmail.com	Morning Fellowship Tea Teresa Lin fm1in660909@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 Outreach Samuel Huang samuel@gbc.org.tw	Cry Room Children's Care priscilla@gbc.org.tw Green Room Children's Care Sandra Hsu coihsu@gmail.com	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 Alltrin Dhana Raja Gopal alltrin.chim99@gmail.com	AWANA T&T Group Ming Lai minglai88@gmail.com AWANA Spark Group Crystal Turner elisayeh@yahoo.com	Transformation Group Minister Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw
Mabuhay Fellowship Ava Zamora avazam13@gmail.com	Adult Choir Juliet Jao lenyinjao@gmail.com	Preschool Joanna Peng joanna6135@gmail.com	Taiwan Mission: Minister Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw
Indian Fellowship Timothy Meesala yedukondaluster@gmail.com	Hallel Singers Cherrie Gow Lim cvgow@yahoo.com	Prayer Ministry Minister Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw Amanda Lou (Zoom) lou.amanda@gmail.com	Foreign Mission: - VBS Team Minister Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw
Small Groups - English Foundations - Ethiopian Students - HsinChu Bible Study - Salt & Light - Thursday Night Bible Study	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	
	Men's Group César González cesaledro57@gmail.com	Deacon Paul Han singleoo@gmail.com	Alternate Deacon Armand Lim rmanlim@gmail.com
		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.	Room B05
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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>
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)	Spencer Vines substitute teacher	

**** 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 - 4:00 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

On summer break

Resumes Sep. 7

English Congregation Participation & GBC Staff Information

2025.07.13 (Online & in Person)		Attendance	Offerings	<u>GBC Staff Contacts</u>
Service – Weekly Views		360	* 61,078	Tsen-Jen 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		320	113,166	
Evening Service		105	16,432	
Wednesday Prayer Meeting		27	...	
Sunday School Classes	Preschool	12	471	<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	37		
	Youth	28	...	
	Adult	55	...	
Small Groups		39	...	
Transformation		17	...	
Music	Choir	16	...	
	Hallel Singers	
Indian Fellowship		17	...	
Mabuhay Fellowship		7	...	

* These offerings are GBC overall online/weekly donations.

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

Visitor Form / Prayer Request

July 20, 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 ☐ website ☐ IG ☐ 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