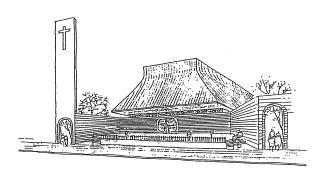
Grace Baptist Church

Sunday, August 10, 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
	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
Chinese Services	9:30-11:00 a.m.	2 nd Chinese Service	All / Students	Coleman Hall
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	6:00-7:15 p.m.	Evening Service	A 11	Room 401
English	10:00-11:10 a.m.	English Morning Service	All	Sanctuary/Online
Services	5:30-7:00 p.m.	English Evening Service		Coleman Hall
	10:00-11:15 a.m.	Taiwanese Service	All	Room 301
Others	11:15 a.m12:50 p.m.	Children's Service	Children	Kindergarten
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	3:30-5:00 p.m.	Bilingual Service	(age 3-12)	Sanctuary/Online
Prayer	_	Bilingual Service Chinese Prayer Meeting	(age 3-12) All	
	3:30-5:00 p.m.			Sanctuary/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, August 10, 2025

Prelude Michael Tsai Greeting/Prayer Cherrie Lim

Worship through Music "Psalm 150" "Magnificent"

Pastor Nick Brideson Pastoral Prayer

Cherrie Lim Worship through Music "Christ Will Be My Hideaway"

"All to Us"

Offertory Prayer Jody Ku

Tithes and Offerings Doxology

Pray for Our Church

Pastor Nick Brideson

Scripture Reading Hebrews 1:1-2

Message The Son's Greatness to the Prophets Dr. Andrew Spurgeon

Response Song "Rejoice the Lord Is King" Welcome

Closing Song "As the Lord Is with Us" Cherrie Lim

Postlude Michael Tsai



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- Cry Room at the back of the Sanctuary/Coleman Hall, during services
- **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, August 10, 2025

Dwayne Reinaldy Prelude Cris Tseng, Leader Praver

Worship through Music "There Is a Higher Throne"

Greeting

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Nick Brideson Cris Tseng, Leader

Worship through Music "Son of God" "There Is Ŏne Gospel"

"Show Us Christ"

Offertory Prayer Winnie Liang

Tithes and Offerings Pray for Our Church

Pastor Nick Brideson Scripture Reading Hebrews 1:1-2

Message The Son's Greatness to the Prophets

Dr. Andrew Spurgeon

Response Song "Holy Forever" Welcome

Closing Song "There Is One Gospel" Cris Tseng, 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: The Son's Greatness to the Prophets Scripture: Hebrews 1:1-2

Speaker: Dr. Andrew Spurgeon August 10, 2025

Scripture: Hebrews 1:1-2 (NASB)

¹ God, after He spoke long ago to the fathers in the prophets in many portions and in many ways, ² in these last days has spoken to us in His Son, whom He appointed heir of all things, through whom He also made the world.

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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 <u>Room 301</u>. 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, August 10, Mabuhay Fellowship's Tagalog Bible study is on summer break.

On August 17, we will have worship through songs, fellowship, and a testimony by Linda Dyloco on "Are You Ready to Face God?"

All are welcome.



New Members' Class on August 24

If you are applying for baptism on November 30, interested in becoming a GBC official member, or want to serve in certain ministries, you need to attend a New Members' class.



Our next New Members' class is on August 24 from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. in Room 307. It is a one-time only class. Please plan to go directly to the class and bring ONE 2-inch ID picture for the registration form.

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.

Blood Donation on August 17

Those of us blessed with good health, please come and help others by donating blood on **August 17**.



When/Where: 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. in front of GBC

Requirements:

- * Between 17 and 65 years old
- * Bring your ID/ARC
- * Not had hepatitis in the last 12 years
- * Not pregnant

Young Adults Group Next Meeting: August 16

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, <u>August 16</u>. We invite you to join us for Bible study and discussion from 4:30-6:30pm at WanFu 22. Please bring your friends too! For more information, please contact Kristen Montgomery (KLMontgomery@me.com).

Social Media Outreach

Social Media Outreach is a ministry to increase our online presence and reach out to people through Instagram. Samuel Huang, a GBC staff member, is the leader.



Please be aware that he will be taking videos and photos of our services and church activities to share online. We encourage you to follow and stay connected, as well as share with others. To follow, please scan the QR code.

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

Today's Speaker

Dr. Andrew B. Spurgeon has had twenty years' experience as a missionary, lecturer, and professor of New Testament and Biblical Studies at Singapore Bible College.



Dr. Spurgeon is also the Publications Secretary for the Asia Theological Association and the General Editor of the Asia Bible Commentary Series, including *I Corinthians*, *Romans*, and *James*. An author and editor with a history of outreach, education, missions, and humanitarian work, Dr. Spurgeon and his wife, Lori, reside in Singapore.

Christianity 101

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. Ask staff or the front desk if you don't know how to go to those rooms. Please note: In addition to Morning Christianity 101, we are also starting an afternoon class:



Morning Christianity 101

The Morning Christianity 101 meets in Room B05 at 11:30 a.m. on Sundays. Please join it directly.

Contact the teacher if you need more information: Hans Wong wonghans@hotmail.com (currently teaching)

and Doug Gilmartin gilmartin2@yahoo.com.

* Afternoon Christianity 101

We will start an Afternoon
Christianity 101 class to be held at
4:00 p.m. starting *TODAY* in Room 302.

If you need more information, please contact the teacher, Kristen Montgomery, by email at: KLMontgomery@me.com

English Congregation Men's Group

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



GBC English Congregation has just started a Men's Group. It 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 p.m. in Room 306.

For more information, contact the leader, César González, at: cesaledro57@gmail.com

Outdoor Activity Safety Seminar

(in Chinese)

Date/Time/Location:

Sunday, <u>TODAY</u>, 1:30 – 3:30 p.m. in Coleman Hall

This seminar is hosted by DaXue Village Office (大學里辦公室) and co-hosted by GBC. The speaker, Mr. ShiYi Lin (林士懿老師), is a certified outdoor safety instructor, emergency rescue officer, and mountain disaster rescue personnel. Please join the seminar directly.

Fake Email Warning



You might receive fake emails about financial aid, requesting help, etc. Please be careful and advise others to be careful. DO NOT REPLY to them or click links provided.

NOTE: an email from GBC will have "name@gbc.org.tw". Any other order (for example: gbc.org.tw@) is not from GBC.

Staffing Change

We welcome Minister Lydia Chen (陳美君傳道) (responsible for Children, Youth, and Family Ministry) to the pastoral team from August 1.



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
August 15	王子欣小提琴獨奏會	Wang Zi-Shin Violin Solo Recital
August 22	向 Ysaye 致敬音樂會	Salute to Ysaye Concert
September 5	父親的心聲	Voices of a Father

English Congregation Leaders				
Pastor Ni	ck Brideson	Minister Pr	riscilla 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 gbceworshipteam@gmail.com	
Youth (Grades 7 to 12) Ethan & Sarah Chow	Morning Multimedia Liang Lai llai0619@gmail.com	Morning Fellowship Tea Teresa Lin fmlin660909@gmail.com	Evening Multimedia Menzi Nhlengethwa	
Michael Dellinger michaeleldondellinger@gmail.com	Social Media Outreach Samuel Huang samuel@gbc.org.tw	Cry Room Children's Care priscilla@gbc.org.tw Green Room Children's Care	menzinhlenge@gmail.com Small Groups	
Foreign Mission: - Medical/Dental Team Armand Lim rmanlim@gmail.com	Morning Greeters Arjun Puvvala nagarjuna.chemist@gmail.com	Sandra Hsu coihsu@gmail.com AWANA T&T Group	International StudentsNTU English ConversationParentingYoung Adults	
- Leadership Training Pastor Nick Brideson nick@gbc.org.tw	Alltrin Dhana Raja Gopal alltrin.chim99@gmail.com Adult Choir Juliet Jao	Ming Lai minglai88@gmail.com AWANA Spark Group Crystal Turner	Transformation Group Minister Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw	
Harmony Home Ministry Julie Chen yuling0914@gmail.com	lenyinjao@gmail.com Hallel Singers Cherrie Gow Lim	elisayeh@yahoo.com Preschool Joanna Peng	Taiwan Mission: Minister Priscilla Liao	
Mabuhay Fellowship Ava Zamora avazam13@gmail.com	cvgow@yahoo.com Evening Greeters Vicky Kuo	joanna6135@gmail.com Prayer Ministry Minister Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw	priscilla@gbc.org.tw Foreign Mission: - VBS Team	
Indian Fellowship Timothy Meesala yedukondaluster@gmail.com	asiaglobe999@gmail.com Evening Fellowship Meal /Baptism Celebration Fellowship	Amanda Lou (Zoom) lou.amanda@gmail.com	Minister Priscilla Liao priscilla@gbc.org.tw	
Small Groups - English Foundations - Ethiopian Students	Michelle Cheng yealincheng@yahoo.com Baptism Support	Deacon Paul Han	Alternate Deacon Armand Lim	
-HsinChu Bible Study -Salt & Light -Thursday Night Bible Study	Michael Dellinger michaeleldondellinger@gmail.com Men's Group	singles and some monting amail com		
,	César González cesaledro57@gmail.com	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	Morning Class (Doug Gilmartin & Hans Wong – current teacher)	11:30 a.m.	Room B05		
- required for baptism	Afternoon Class (Kristen Mongomery)	4:00 p.m.	Room 302		
** Maturing Christians = "Explore the Rible" **					

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.	
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 Grou	ips – 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 On sum priscilla@gbc.org.tw
Students	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
	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
General	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 Resur 123456789nc@gmail.com Sep.
	Men's Group	Sunday 4:00 - 5:20 pm	Room 306 cesaledro57@gmail.com
Ministry	Prison Visitation		roytreur@gmail.com

2025.08.03 (On	line & in Person)	Attendance	Offerings	GBC Staff Contacts
Servic	e – Weekly Views	281	*171,799	Tsen-Jen Wu Senior Pastor
	Morning Service	305	226,604	Ivory Chung
	Evening Service	102	38,847	Director of Administration Office (02) 2362-5321 #113
Wednesda	ay Prayer Meeting	27	•••	Samuel Huang Audiovisual Support
	Preschool	12		Audiovisual Support samuel@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #119
Sunday School	Children	35	340	GBC English Staff Contacts
Classes	Youth	22	•••	Nick Brideson
	Adult	63	•••	English Leading Pastor nick@gbc.org.tw
<u>I</u>	Small Groups	54	•••	Priscilla Liao English Minister
	Transformation		•••	priscilla@gbc.org.tw SueJenny Hsu
	Choir	• • •	• • •	English Secretary
Music	Hallel Singers			suejenny@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #136
	Indian Fellowship	• • •	•••	Stella Chen English Part-time Secretary
	ıbuhay Fellowship	10	•••	stella@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #132

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

Visitor Form / Prayer Request Aug Check (✓): □ AM service □ PM service	gust 10, 2025
Welcome! We are glad you are here! This Visitor Form is for you!	
If you didn't get the <u>Visitor Card</u> , please take a moment and fill this out. Please tear of form and give it to an usher or the front desk or place it in the offering bag. Thank you	
Name:	
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 	