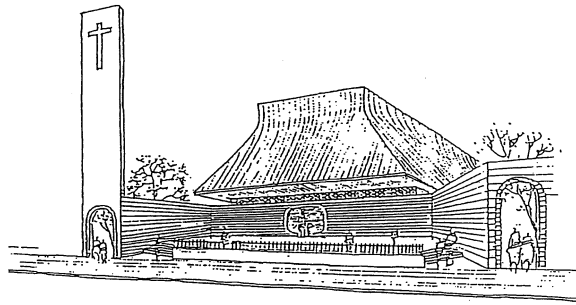


Grace Baptist Church

Sunday, November 2, 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/Prayer Meetings	Suitable for	Location
Chinese Services	6:00-7:10 p.m.	Chinese Saturday Evening Service	All	Sanctuary/Online
	8:30-9:40 a.m.	Chinese Morning Service	All	Sanctuary/Online
	11:30 a.m.-12:40 p.m.	Chinese Noon Service	All	Sanctuary/Online
	6:00-7:15 p.m.	Chinese 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	10:30-11:45 a.m.	Taiwanese Service	All	Room 301
	11:15 a.m.-12:50 p.m.	Chinese 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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Facebook: GBC English Congregation

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, November 2, 2025

Prelude		Moses Hwang
Greeting/Prayer		Cherrie Lim
Worship through Music	<i>"I Know That My Redeemer Lives"</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Minister Priscilla Liao
Worship through Music	<i>"With All My Heart"</i> <i>"The First Hymn"</i>	Cherrie Lim
Offertory Prayer		Teresa Lin
Tithes and Offerings		
Doxology		
Lord's Supper		Rev. David Johnson
Missions Offering		Paul Han
Pray for Our Church		Doug Gilmartin
Scripture Reading	Deuteronomy 6:1-9	
Message	Loving God	Rev. David Johnson
Response Song	<i>"I Love You Lord"</i>	
Welcome		Minister Priscilla Liao
Closing Prayer		Rev. David Johnson
Closing Song	<i>"As the Lord Is with Us"</i>	Cherrie Lim
Postlude		Moses Hwang



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, November 2, 2025

Prelude		Dwayne Reinaldy
Prayer		Helina Liao
Worship through Music	<i>"Jesus, There's No One Like You"</i>	
Greeting		
Pastoral Prayer		Minister Priscilla Liao
Worship through Music	<i>"Jesus, Thank You"</i> <i>"Goodness of God"</i> <i>"As the Deer"</i>	Helina Liao
Offertory Prayer		Andrea Valle
Tithes and Offerings		
Lord's Supper		Rev. David Johnson
Missions Offering		Minister Priscilla Liao
Pray for Our Church		Kristen Montgomery
Scripture Reading	Deuteronomy 6:1-9	
Message	Loving God	Rev. David Johnson
Response Song	<i>"I Want to Know You"</i>	
Welcome		Minister Priscilla Liao
Closing Prayer		Rev. David Johnson
Closing Song	<i>"Jesus, There's No One Like You"</i>	Helina Liao
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: Loving God
Scripture: Deuteronomy 6:1-9

Speaker: Rev. David Johnson

November 2, 2025

Scripture: Deuteronomy 6:1-9 (NASB)

¹“Now this is the commandment, the statutes, and the judgments which the LORD your God has commanded me to teach you, that you might do them in the land where you are going over to possess it, ²so that you and your son and your grandson might fear the LORD your God, to keep all His statutes and His commandments which I command you, all the days of your life, and that your days may be prolonged. ³“O Israel, you should listen and be careful to do it, that it may be well with you that you may multiply greatly, just as the LORD, the God of your fathers, has promised you, in a land flowing with milk and honey.

⁴ “Hear, O Israel! The LORD is our God, the LORD is one!” ⁵ You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. ⁶ “These words, which I am commanding you today, shall be on your heart. ⁷ “You shall teach them diligently to your sons and shall talk of them when you sit in your house and when you walk by the way and when you lie down and when you rise up. ⁸ You shall bind them as a sign on your hand and they shall be as frontals on your forehead. ⁹ “You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

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.

Evening Fellowship Meal – Leader Needed

LEADER NEEDED: We are currently looking for someone to lead for the Evening Fellowship Meals (on the last Sunday of each month after the Evening English Service) as well as special Potlucks.

If you feel called to serve, please contact SueJenny, at her email: suejenny@gbc.org.tw.



Mabuhay Fellowship

Today and November 9, 23 and 30, MF will prepare for its December 14 celebration of the birth of the Lord Jesus Christ.

On November 16, MF will have worship through songs and an inspirational talk by English Congregation Deacon Paul Han. All are welcome.

All activities of the MF take place at 2 p.m. each Sunday in Basement Room B05.



Christianity 101

Christianity 101 consists of 10 lessons which introduce basic Christian teachings and is 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 these rooms. Please note: In addition to Morning Christianity 101, we also have an afternoon class:

★ Morning Christianity 101

The Morning Christianity 101 class meets at 11:30 a.m. on Sundays in Room B05.

If you need more information, please contact the teacher, Doug Gilmartin, at gilmartin2@yahoo.com.

★ Afternoon Christianity 101

The Afternoon Christianity 101 class meets at 4:00 p.m. on Sundays in Room 302. The new cycle will start Nov. 9.

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



Announcement from GBC HR Committee

GBC welcomes any constructive suggestions or recommendations with respect to its governance raised by the congregation. Please specify the matter in a letter including your name and contact information. Put the letter into the "GBC Administrative Mailbox" or email hrgroup@gbc.org.tw for GBC to follow up and respond accordingly.

Harmony Home Next Visit: Nov. 9

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 GBC at 2:00 p.m. every 2nd and 4th Sunday to serve.

People joining this visit must be registered GBC members. Please contact the leader Julie Chen (yuling0914@gmail.com) for details.



Today's Guest Speaker: Rev. David G. Johnson

Rev. Johnson has served as a full-time missionary in Asia for fifteen years, both in the Uncharted Land and now in Taiwan. He has a degree in Asian Studies from North Carolina State University and a Master of Divinity from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. He and his wife, Amy, work with various Baptist churches around the Taipei and New Taipei area doing trainings in evangelism, discipleship, trauma healing, developing next generation church leaders, and what makes a healthy church. He and his wife live in Banqiao and have served in Taiwan since August 2020.



NTU International Students Thanksgiving Celebration

Date/Time: November 29 (Saturday) 12:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Venue: GBC Coleman Hall (Basement).

All NTU international students welcome. Featuring Taiwanese food, games, and a panel discussion with NTU graduates and current students. The celebration provides international students with an opportunity to celebrate Thanksgiving and learn about local cuisine while participating in discussions on how to adapt to a new culture, cope with homesickness, and excel academically. Please register using the QR Code.



Honoring Seniors

"You crown the year with your bounty, and your carts overflow with abundance." ~ Psalms 65:11

October 29 was Senior's Day this year. GBC wishes to honor our senior members with a gift and our greatest appreciation. Gifts are available **TODAY** and Nov. 9, from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at GBC front entrance.



Requirements for getting the elder's gift: over 70 years old (born 1955 and before) **AND** officially registered GBC member. Please bring your ID or health ID. If you have questions or need help, please ask SueJenny at email: suejenny@gbc.org.tw or call her: 2362-5321 ext 136.

GBC Bookstand

GBC has a bookstand on the front deck, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. on the first Sunday of each month to serve brothers and sisters. Bibles, gifts, books, and spiritual materials are available for purchase. The next bookstand is ***TODAY***.

Medical/Dental/Leadership Training/Children's Outreach Team (Nov 1-9, 2025)

Prayer Points

1. Pray for the physical strength and spiritual health of every team member throughout the trip.
2. Pray for unity and a spirit of teamwork among the team and with local brothers and sisters serving as translators and helpers. May Jesus be recognized as the true head and leader of the team.
3. Pray for the patients and children whom God has already prepared to visit the medical site, that their hearts would be open and ready to receive the gospel of Jesus.
4. Pray for the Children's Outreach Team—for God's protection and guidance as they travel to different churches to share the good news, and that the seeds of the gospel that they plant will take root deeply in the hearts of the children to bear lasting fruit.
5. Pray for the leadership training, that local leaders will be strengthened and equipped to carry out God's work faithfully.



Reminders from GBC

- Turn your cell phone to silent mode or airplane mode during worship so not to disturb the worship service.
- Do not: 1) eat or drink in either the Sanctuary or Coleman Hall; 2) put things on top of the church piano; 3) toss used toilet paper or trash into the toilet. (GBC's building is old, and the pipes can easily become clogged.)
- Pink offering envelopes: The envelopes are for people who need an offering receipt (and are not required if you don't need a receipt. You can put your offering into the offering bag directly.) Please write your Chinese name on the envelope if you are an ROC citizen, so GBC can correctly issue an official receipt.
- Instagram & Facebook pictures/videos shooting: GBC Social Media Outreach Ministry is 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 EC Instagram and Facebook accounts for this purpose. He has been 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)



 GBC English Congregation



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

English Congregation Leaders

Pastor Nick Brideson		Minister Priscilla Liao	
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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	Morning Class (Doug Gilmartin)	11:30 a.m.	B05
	Afternoon Class (Kristen Montgomery)	4:00 p.m.	Room 302
** 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 (Spencer Vines)	
** Youth: Grade 7 and above **			
(Leading teacher: Jorge Valle)	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 - 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	Students 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
	Alpha	Thursday 7:30 - 9:00 pm	Room 301 hs_ooi@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
	Men’s Group	Sunday 4:00 - 5:20 pm	Room 306 cesaledro57@gmail.com
Ministry	Prison Visitation		roytreur@gmail.com

Resumes
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English Congregation Participation & GBC Staff Information

2025.10.26 (Online & in Person)		Attendance	Offerings	<u>GBC Staff Contacts</u>
Service – Weekly Views		325	* 96,970	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		235	58,095	
Evening Service		118	16,787	
Wednesday Prayer Meeting		30	...	
Sunday School Classes	Preschool	17	1,019	<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	53		
	Youth	32	...	
	Adult	69	...	
Small Groups		87	...	
Transformation		...	...	
Music	Choir	13	...	
	Hallel Singers	16	...	
Indian Fellowship		17	...	
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

November 2, 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