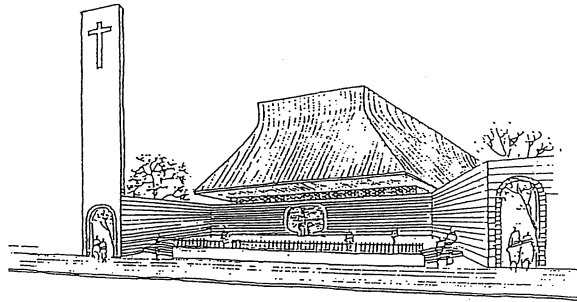


# Grace Baptist Church

Sunday, April 12, 2026  
 Online Sermon: [ec.gbc.org.tw/live-worship](http://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
<b>English Services</b>	<b>10:00-11:10 a.m.</b>	<b>English Morning Service</b>		<b>Sanctuary/Online</b>
<b>5:30-7:00 p.m.</b>	<b>English Evening Service</b>	<b>Coleman Hall</b>		
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
	11:30 a.m.-1:15 p.m.	Chinese Students Service	Students	Coleman Hall
	3:30-5:00 p.m.	Bilingual Service	All	Sanctuary/Online
<b>Prayer Meetings</b>	Wed. 7:00-8:15 p.m.	Chinese Prayer Meeting		Room 401/Online
<b>Wed. 7:30-9:00 p.m.</b>	<b>English Prayer Meeting</b>	<b>Room 301/Online</b>		

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 Facebook: [GBC English Congregation](https://www.facebook.com/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, April 12, 2026**

Prelude		Moses Hwang
Greeting/Prayer		Cherrie Lim
Worship through Music	<i>There Is a Higher Throne</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>“Christ Our Hope in Life and Death”</i> <i>“Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)”</i>	Cherrie Lim
Offertory Prayer		Deborah Meesala
Tithes and Offerings		
Doxology		
Lord’s Supper/Missions Offering		
Pray for Our Church		Paul Han
Scripture Reading	Matthew 19:16-26	
Message	Eternal Life	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>“Before the Throne of God Above”</i>	
Welcome		
Closing Prayer		
Closing Song	<i>“As the Lord Is with Us”</i>	Cherrie Lim
Postlude		Moses Hwang



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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, April 12, 2026**

Prelude		Dwayne Reinaldy
Prayer		Helina Lao, Leader
Worship through Music	<i>“Christ Our Hope in Life and Death”</i>	
Greeting		
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Nick Brideson
Worship through Music	<i>“I Will Follow”</i> <i>“How Rich a Treasure We Possess”</i> <i>“You Are My All in All”</i>	Helina Lao, Leader
Offertory Prayer		Andrea Valle
Tithes and Offerings		
Lord’s Supper/Missions Offering		
Pray for Our Church		Kristen Montgomery
Scripture Reading	Matthew 19:16-26	
Message	Eternal Life	Pastor Nick Brideson
Response Song	<i>“My Worth Is Not in What I Own”</i>	
Welcome		
Closing Prayer		
Closing Song	<i>“Christ Our Hope in Life and Death”</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: Eternal Life**  
**Scripture: Matthew 19:16-26**

**Speaker: Pastor Nick Brideson**

**April 12, 2026**

**Scripture: Matthew 19:16-26 (NASB)**

<sup>16</sup> And someone came to Him and said, "Teacher, what good thing shall I do that I may obtain eternal life?" <sup>17</sup> And He said to him, "Why are you asking Me about what is good? There is only One who is good; but if you wish to enter into life, keep the commandments."

<sup>18</sup> Then he said to Him, "Which ones?" And Jesus said, "YOU SHALL NOT COMMIT MURDER; YOU SHALL NOT COMMIT ADULTERY; YOU SHALL NOT STEAL; YOU SHALL NOT BEAR FALSE WITNESS; <sup>19</sup> HONOR YOUR FATHER AND MOTHER; and YOU SHALL LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR AS YOURSELF." <sup>20</sup> The young man said to Him, "All these things I have kept; what am I still lacking?" <sup>21</sup> Jesus said to him, "If you wish to be complete, go and sell your possessions and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow Me." <sup>22</sup> But when the young man heard this statement, he went away grieving; for he was one who owned much property.

<sup>23</sup> And Jesus said to His disciples, "Truly I say to you, it is hard for a rich man to enter the kingdom of heaven. <sup>24</sup> "Again I say to you, it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle, than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God." <sup>25</sup> When the disciples heard this, they were very astonished and said, "Then who can be saved?" <sup>26</sup> And looking at them Jesus said to them, "With people this is impossible, but with God all things are possible."

**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](mailto:ecprayerteam@gbc.org.tw) if you are interested in joining the Zoom prayer meeting or if you have a prayer request.

## 2026 Children’s Bilingual Summer Camp ~ “In the Wild” (Previously called “Vacation Bible School”)



**Camp Duration:** 9:00 a.m. – 12:10 p.m. from Monday, July 6 to Friday, July 10

**Family Day:** 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon on Saturday, July 11

**For Children:** 2nd ~ 7th grade after summer vacation this year

**Two Stages to Register the 130 campers:**

**1. Early-bird Buddy Promotion:**

From April 1 to 30, we open for non-Christian children to register. Also, GBC Sunday School children can register, but must bring along at least one non-Christian friend.

**2. Open Registration:**

From May 1 to 16 (or until full), we open to all non-Christian children and GBC children.

**For Registration:** AWANA students can get information at the 4-floor arrival desk. Others please call 02-2362-5321 ext. 185 and 184 for Chinese, or 136 for English (SueJenny).

**Note:** Thank God for His guidance and everyone’s hard work — GBC’s VBS has now been transformed into a gospel-centered camp. This year, we will continue to invite children so that more non-Christian kids will have the opportunity to know Jesus. Let’s all do our best!

Children who successfully invite new friends will receive a limited-edition badge. They will also be publicly recognized on Family Day as a form of encouragement.

## Health Seminar (in Chinese)

The seminar will be held 1:30-3:30 p.m. in Coleman Hall



**TODAY.** The speaker, Professor Ong Yi-Ming (翁一銘教授), will share on cancer knowledge and treatments in Chinese. Dr. Ong earned his PhD in Pharmacology at Baylor College of Medicine, USA. He has done research and gained experience in this area for 40 years.

Please join it directly.

## Child Dedication

*“Children are a heritage from the LORD, offspring a reward from him. (Psalm 127:3)*

The 2026 Child Dedication will be held during the Morning Service on **May 10**. It is to dedicate children between the ages 0 and 6 years old. Deadline to register is **April 27**.



Any Christian family with at least one Christian parent who has been regularly attending GBC is welcome to register and dedicate their child.

Please email SueJenny ([suejenny@gbc.org.tw](mailto:suejenny@gbc.org.tw)) to register with the following information:

1. Parents’ names (to be printed on the plaque), cell phone number, email address
2. Child’s name (to be printed on the plaque), gender, date of birth

## Evening Worship Music Team - New Members Needed

The Evening Worship Team is looking for new members, especially PA (sound control) volunteers. We welcome those with good ears who are ready to commit and serve in this important area.



If you're unsure about your skills, but are eager to learn, we'd love to have you join and grow with us. Training and support will be provided. We are also holding auditions for musicians (instrumentalists).

If you are a GBC member and wish to serve, please contact the Evening Worship Team at [gbceworshipteam@gmail.com](mailto:gbceworshipteam@gmail.com) for more information. (If you are unsure whether you are a GBC member, please check with GBC staff.)

## Baptism Information

The English Congregation will have its next Baptism Service from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. on June 28 in the Sanctuary. If the Lord calls you to be baptized, please follow these steps:



1. Attend Christianity 101 Class  
(The new cycle of the Christianity 101 class starts 11:30 a.m. in room B05 **TODAY**. Please join it directly.)
2. Attend a New Members' Class - a one-hour class. Next New Members' Class is Sunday, May 17 from 3 to 4 p.m. in room 307. (If you are interested in being baptized, becoming a member of GBC, or want to serve in certain ministries, you need to attend this class.)
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](mailto:suejenny@gbc.org.tw).

## Friday Night Concert

*"Songs Along the Way · Our Journey"*

**Time/Place:** 7:30 p.m.  
this Friday, April 17, in  
GBC Sanctuary



This is an excellent opportunity to invite non-believing friends to church. The introduction will be in Chinese. Admission is free! For more information on this concert, please visit the GBC website at: [ec.gbc.org.tw](http://ec.gbc.org.tw)

## 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](mailto:rod_syverson@hotmail.com).

## Mabuhay Fellowship

Today, April 12, the Mabuhay Fellowship will have an online and in-person Bible study based on the Tagalog version of Rick Warren's *"Purpose-Driven Life."* For the link, please contact Ava Zamora at [avazam13@gmail.com](mailto:avazam13@gmail.com).



All Tagalog-speaking nationals are welcome. The Bible study will be held at 2:00 p.m. in Basement Room B05.



We would like to thank everyone for making the Easter events such a success. It was a meaningful time for us to get together as a church family.

Thank you especially to everyone involved with planning, preparation, leading, singing, bringing food to share, photo taking, and set-up or clean-up for those events. Your contributions made this Easter a remarkable one.

## Reminders from GBC

- Turn your cell phone to silent mode or airplane mode during worship so as 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.
- Breastfeeding location available: If nursing mothers in our congregation need a place for breastfeeding, the Kindergarten Green Room is available on Sundays. Please ask the staff or GBC front desk where the Green Room is.
- **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](mailto:suejenny@gbc.org.tw))



 GBC English Congregation



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

## English Congregation Leaders

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<p>SueJenny Hsu <a href="mailto:suejenny@gbc.org.tw">suejenny@gbc.org.tw</a></p>		<p>Stella Chen (part-time) <a href="mailto:stella@gbc.org.tw">stella@gbc.org.tw</a></p>	

**★ 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.	B05
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New cycle starts **TODAY**

**\*\* Maturing Christians – “Explore the Bible” \*\***

**Six classes available at three times for this Sunday school study:**

<b>11:30 a.m.</b>	<b>2:30 p.m.</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>
Room B03 (Ava Zamora)	Room 305 (Rod Syverson)	Room 303 (Gunner S.)
Room B04 (Roy Treurnicht)		
WanFu 22C (Kevin Hartman)		
Mount of Olives (Maria Sagita)		

Cancelled **TODAY**

**\*\* Youth: Grade 7 and above \*\***

(Leading teacher: Jorge Valle)	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.) → Restarts March 6, 2026**

**★ 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 307 roytreur@gmail.com
Students	Students English Conversation Group	Friday 12:20 - 1:10 pm	priscilla@gbc.org.tw
	International Students Group	Saturday 7:00 - 9:00 pm	gbcinternationalsg@gmail.com
Language/Nationality	Ethiopian Students Group	Sunday 7:00 - 9:00 pm	Room 307 bayisukiya@gmail.com
Family	Parenting Group	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> 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	Alpha.GBC.Taiwan@gmail.com
	HsinChu Bible Study Group	Friday 7:30 - 8:45 pm	HsinChu rmanlim@gmail.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

On break

## English Congregation Participation & GBC Staff Information

2026.04.05 (Online & in Person)		Attendance	Offerings	<u>GBC Staff Contacts</u>	
Service – Weekly Views		431	*185,620	<b>Tsen-Jen Wu</b> Senior Pastor	
Morning Service		396	151,038	<b>Ivory Chung</b> Director of Administration Office (02) 2362-5321 #113	
Evening Service		187	46,631	<b>Samuel Huang</b> Audiovisual Support samuel@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #119	
Wednesday Prayer Meeting		29	...		
Sunday School Classes	Preschool	11	595	<u>GBC English Staff Contacts</u>	
	Children	42		<b>Nick Brideson</b> English Leading Pastor nick@gbc.org.tw	
	Youth	20	...	<b>Priscilla Liao</b> English Minister priscilla@gbc.org.tw	
	Adult	65	...	<b>SueJenny Hsu</b> English Secretary suejenny@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #136	
Small Groups		53	...	<b>Stella Chen</b> English Part-time Secretary stella@gbc.org.tw (02) 2362-5321 #132	
Transformation		...	...		
Music	Choir	...	...		
	Hallel Singers	20	...		
Indian Fellowship		26	...		
Mabuhay Fellowship		6	...		

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

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

### Visitor Form / Prayer Request

April 12, 2026

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