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Befriend and improve lives!



In partnership with some of the churches in India, a team from Grace Missions went to do a series of medical camps in the village areas in August 2017. This series of medical camps consisted of the team from Grace Missions together with Indian doctors and volunteers from the local churches.

Everyone serving in the camps, be it Singaporean or Indian, all took leave from their work, sacrificed their money and skills for this Kingdom work. I believe that this is what real partnership looks like — that we all put our hands to the plough together.

The most interesting fact about the team from Grace Missions is that none of us are medically trained, but this does not mean we are rendered useless in a medical camp.

My team took the 'prayer station' and did ministry among the children. At the prayer station, We saw quite a number of documented healings, with doctor's confirmation.

# MIRACLES in our MEDICAL CAMPS

BY PS MATTHEW TAN

The deaf hear, the paralysed managed to walk again, and the most amazing testimony of them all was that of a blind woman who regained her sight. That lady was totally blind. Her pupils were white in the center. She was brought to us by the doctors to be prayed for — the blind woman later sees! This dramatic healing was witnessed by everyone in the room. The faith and morale level of my team sky-rocketed with cheers going all around directed to Jesus Christ.





↑ Situation at the registration counter. Due to the tribal nature of the people, things can get quite messy.



↑ Getting their eyes checked.



↑ Praying for the sick.

← This is how each of our medical camp looks like. It starts with the registration counter (extreme right), then the people are directed respective stations (children, eye, women, general, chiropractic). After they are done with the stations, the people will head to the pharmacy, and then exit the area by going to the church to be prayed for. Some of my team are doing children ministry and some of us are at the church 'prayer station'.

I believe that God is showing us that our contribution to the medical camps is just as important as the doctors. Everyone is different and no one is better than another. Everyone is valuable in the Kingdom of God. This throws open the door for everyone, young and old, medically trained or untrained to participate and contribute in this kind of medical missions.

In 2018, Grace Missions is planning to make two trips to India to do medical camps like this. All are welcome. Do look out for it in next year's missions trip schedule!



What do we do when all seems hopeless and everything is against us? That must have been the feeling of the Jews in Esther's time when they hear of the king's edict to allow their enemies to rob and kill them. Set in the Persian city of Susa, the lives and future of God's people come under great danger and with that, God's promise of redemption and the coming of the Saviour through them are also threatened. Amazingly the book is conspicuous in its absence of any obvious reference to God, worship, prayer, or sacrifice but as the story unfolds, each seemingly insignificant coincidence and each twist and turn of events points to the invisible hand of God. We discover, too, that no part of our lives is unnoticed or untouched by our loving Father. We can find comfort in that God is sovereign in ensuring His redemptive and restorative mission is not undermined by the wickedness and the weakness of human agents. In every hopeless and dangerous situation, we can cry to Him and find rescue like Esther and her people.

#### SERMONS

- 1. The Replacement 替代
- 2. The Plot 计谋
- 3. The Dilemma 两难

- 4. The Twist 转折
- 5. The Banguet 宴席
- 6. The Victory 胜利







## REFLECTIONS ON Study of MATTHEW Part 1

BY CHEONG POH PENG (WOG SATURDAY BIBLE STUDY)

I enjoyed my inductive study of Matthew Part 1. Inductive bible study uses the Bible as the primary source of information about the Bible. It was joyful and fulfilling to discover truth for myself rather than rely on other people's insights to find out what the Bible says.

The study reminded me of the importance of a deep, personal relationship with Christ and the need for fruitfulness. Jesus said in the Sermon on the Mount that unless our righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, we will not enter the Kingdom of Heaven. The Pharisees taught outward compliance to God's Law, but Jesus taught that the righteousness needed to enter the Kingdom of Heaven is not just an outward righteousness but an inward righteousness as well. It is clearly a standard impossible for any man to attain by his own effort.

I realized that many times I try to earn or justify my salvation through obedience and good works. The video taught that righteousness is not a checklist, but a right standing with God and implies a relationship with Christ. Jesus warned that there would be many who think they are Christians, who called Him "Lord" and even performed miracles, but they would not be allowed into the Kingdom as they had no relationship with Him. True Christians bear good fruit, for a tree is known by its fruit. Every tree that does not bear good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire. Only those who do the will of the Father are Jesus' family, and these will enter the Kingdom of Heaven.

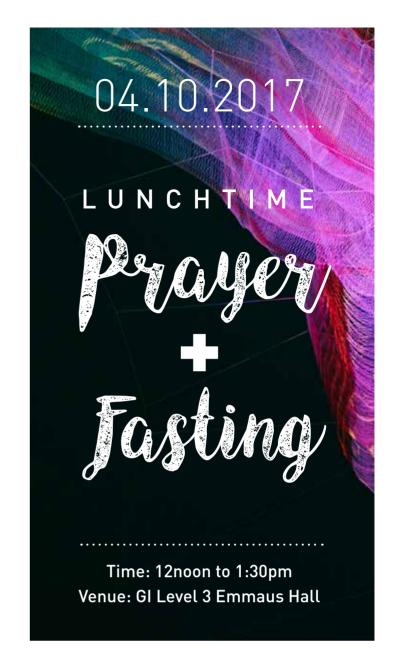
In the busyness of work and ministry, it is easy to neglect my relationship with the Lord. Sometimes, laziness keeps me from spending needed time with Him. I now make prayer and quiet time a top priority by doing it first thing in the morning. I started examining myself to see if I am bearing fruit and if I have become complacent in my walk. Am I growing in the fruit of the Holy Spirit, serving in love and humility, and sharing the gospel with the unsaved? Am I seeking the Father's will and obeying? Do I truly love the Lord and have a vibrant relationship with Him, or am I practicing a legalistic religion? I found I needed to recommit some areas to the Lord.



Jesus tells His disciples that those who do not take up their cross and follow Him are not worthy of Him. I was convicted to examine if I am truly dying to self daily – to my own agenda, my desire for sinful pleasures and man's approval – and whether I truly live no longer for myself but for Him alone. For as the video highlighted repeatedly, Christ is not something that I add to my life, but Christ must replace my life.

Through this study, I have grown in knowledge of Jesus and what God requires of me as a disciple of Christ

and a child of His kingdom. My faith has grown, and I have become more reliant on the Holy Spirit, not only to illuminate Scripture, but to help me live the holy life God requires of me. Every lesson, the application questions help me pause and take stock of my spiritual life and re-align with God's heart and purposes. My prayer is that more ladies will sign up for these life transforming bible studies.





# OCTOBER PRAYER POINTERS

In line with the recent changes of Grace
Communities as part of the alignment process to
the Missional Family Church (MFC), where Grace
Communities is re-zoned into 4 regions and where
the name of Grace Communities has been changed
to Grace Missional Family and the name of Grace
Groups changed to Grace Missional Groups, let
us lift up the new structure and direction of Grace
Missional Family(GMF) in prayer:

- 1. Pray that GMF (Grace Missional Family) will be a vehicle God uses powerfully to move Grace Assembly forward.
- 2. Pray that GMGs (Grace Missional Groups) will live out their names as groups that are missional.
- 3. Pray that all GMG leaders will be well-equipped to lead their missional groups.
- 4. Pray for a fresh move of the Holy Spirit upon the church as we transit into a Missional Family Church.
- 5. Pray that Grace Assembly will grow into a strong Missional Family Church serving God's purposes in this land and beyond.

# TEEN REBELLION: Acting out or call for help?

Feels like you are in a losing battle with your rebellious teenager? Newsflash! It's not a battle so stop seeing it that way. It's not 'hapless parents' versus 'rebellious teens' however much it may seem like it. In fact if anything, unknowingly this perspective may well be fuelling the rebellion instead of helping to curb it.

Parents are often rendered helpless by their teens/pre-teens exhibiting what they consider objectionable behaviour. As a parent is your worry getting the better of you, with you getting carried away imagining the worst, sending a chill down your spine?

"My teen and I can't seem to agree on anything all of a sudden causing stress and bad blood in the house setting a bad example for the younger siblings."

"My child is doing well academically but seems very dejected by something and is refusing to go to school."

"Recently, I chanced upon my teens self-harm behaviour and it had me worried sick but she just kept to herself, refused to share much."

"She used to be very obedient but of late seems to be easily agitated and often throws temper tantrums despite us trying our best to be supportive parents."

"Since starting secondary school, my child seems withdrawn and depressed but she keeps saying nothing is wrong. I can't help but worry."

"My child told us that she wants to find out more about all religions and will not be attending church with us anymore."

"My child plays online games till the wee hours and refuses to listen to us. It's affecting his grades and his health but it's like he is addicted!"

"My child does not seem to do well academically despite all the tuition provided while his siblings excel and I am unable to understand such great differences among my children."

If any of this sounds familiar then you have a parenting crisis on your hands that may seem like it's too much to handle. And understandably so...

But could it be that your teen's rebellious streak is actually a shout out for help as they try and make sense of the world around them, except not in a way that you would think. Their call for help can be a tough balancing act requiring parents to give teens their space while lending them support as these young adults in the making try and find their way grappling with self-doubt, performance anxiety and emotional angst fueled by all the hormonal changes that come with being a teenager.

Most teens say they find their parents controlling with very high expectations while others feel their parents are often not there for them. There is a consensus that they want a strong parent-child relationship that is built on the basis of trust rather than authority. They want their parents to understand that their needs are different from what they used to be when they were younger and want their parents to be more of a coach rather than a provider and authority figure. They want to be heard and understood without judgement

and to be accepted as individuals in their own right rather than being mirror images of their parents.

The fact of the matter is that being rebellious, disrespectful, showing attitude are just symptoms and underneath there is a story that parents do not know about. We all have a story to tell, well, so do our children. The question then is how do parents keep the lines of communication open such that they can get to know their child's story given that parents and children tend to speak two entirely different languages?! Through the language of love, empathy and acceptance which is universal and can effectively break barriers.

Family Life Ministry is organising a talk cum workshop to help parents understand the workings of today's teens' inner world i.e. what makes them tick and what ticks them off.

This talk applies to parents:

- with children in their teens to know how to connect or re-connect with your child
- with children going to be teens to have a heads up to know how to prepare yourself when your child enters the teen zone.

The 3 hour talk cum workshop will be held on 28 October 2017 (Sat) at 9.30am in GII. Registration will start in early October. For registration please visit the church website at https://event.graceaog.org. You may take this opportunity to invite non-Christian friends to our talk. The speaker for this workshop will be Ms Carol Goh.

#### PROFILE OF SPEAKER, MS CAROL GOH, PSYCHOTHERAPIST

Carol is the managing partner of Mind Matters Counselling Singapore (www.mindmatters.sg). She graduated from the National University of Singapore in B.Sc and obtained her Masters in Social Science (Counselling) from the University of South Australia in 2005. Carol is attending G1 and is actively serving in family life ministry with her husband, Frank who is heading the parenting arm. They have 3 princesses aged 20, 15 and 7. She has extensive experience counselling youths, adults and couples.

Prior to her current practice, she was co-founder of Joshua Research Consultants Pte Ltd, where she specialized in qualitative research to understand consumer behaviour. She has been in private practice as a psychotherapist since 2005. In addition she is currently an associate counsellor at a local polytechnic and a local art school.

She is a certified practitioner in EMDR (Eye Movement Desensitizing Reprocessing), a technique effective in treating trauma, depression, anger, anxiety and stress. She is the founding member of EMDR Association Singapore. Carol regularly gives talks at tertiary institutions, schools, churches and Family Service Centres. She also conducts mental and emotional wellness talks in private companies. She is currently a lecturer in diploma courses on basic counselling skills and specialist diploma in youth and relationship/marriage counselling.

28.10.2017 SATURDAY / GII L3 AGAPE ROOM / 9.30AM - 12.30PM / \$5 (INCLUDE A TEA-BREAK & NOTES)

PARENTING WORKSHOP

TEEN REBELLION:

# Acting Out Or Call For Help?

by Psychotherapist Carol Goh



Emotions are powerful. They can set us in "motion" even before we can think about what is happening. They can dictate our decisions over our rational mind. A person can do the most amazing things when fuelled by emotions. However, the opposite, sadly, is true too. Many tragedies happen when we are set in motion by our emotions.

When God created Adam and Eve, I believe He created them with the full capacity of emotions, not merely the physical being, and for a purpose too.

Gen 1:26 ~ let Us make man in our image

Since our God is the originator of emotions, He is able to comprehend all our feelings far better than any human on earth. He knows what it is like when we are down, and we feel good. Based on the accounts from the Bible in Old Testament, we see that God Himself has feelings too. He took delight over His people but also showed displeasure when His people lacked faith.

Zeph 3:17 ~ "The LORD your God is in your midst, A victorious warrior. He will exult over you with joy, He will be quiet in His love, He will rejoice over you with shouts of joy.

Psalm 149:4 ~ For the LORD takes pleasure in His people; He will beautify the afflicted ones with salvation.

Exo 4:14 ~ Then the anger of the LORD burned against Moses,

While it is easy for us to simply categorise emotions into positive and negative ones and endeavour to pursue the positive ones and avoid the negative, the reality is not as simple. God Himself burned with anger against Moses too but yet He is holy.

Jon Bloom, in his article, Your Emotions Are a Gauge, Not a Guide says, "God designed your emotions to be gauges, not guides. They're meant to report to you, not dictate you. The pattern of your emotions will give you a reading on where your hope is because they are wired into what you believe and value — and how much". In other words, God created us with the full range of emotions for a purpose. They indicate and give us a glimpse of what lies deeper in us.

I agree with Dr Peter Scazzero, author of *Emotionally Healthy Spirituality*, that our 'emotional health and spiritual maturity are inseparable. It is impossible to be spiritually mature while remaining emotionally immature'. I found this to be true, as I have witnessed many Christian brothers and sisters, even leaders in the church, struggling with how to handle and express their emotions. Instead of looking inward and dealing with the emotions, some avoid the emotions by putting on a smile to make others think that everything is fine, sometimes for the fear of being judged. This may eventually open up a platform for Satan to use these pent-up emotions to manipulate against them. Hence, some believers may still be living in condemnation and under the bondage of their emotions.

Gal 5:1 ~ It is for freedom Christ has set us free; stand fast therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery.

When emotions are handled appropriately, they serve to help us understand ourselves and can be harnessed to bring us closer to God and others around us. It is God's desire for us to be free.

There will be a three hour workshop where Gracians can learn the purpose of emotions, how to explore emotions positively and use them to deepen their relationships with God and others.

WORKSHOP: 'E'motion SPEAKER: Philip H. Ang DATE: 18 November, Saturday TIME: 9:30am – 12:30pm VENUE: GII L3 Agape Room COST: \$5 (include a tea-break & notes)

ONLINE REGISTRATION: From 7 Oct - 12 Nov @ https://event.graceaog.org

#### PHILIP'S BACKGROUND

Philip is a psychologist in private practice. He has been in the helping profession since 1994. He had served in a full time Christian ministry, works in several VWOs with over a span of 15 years before embarking on his private practice in 2009. He believes in the integration of biblical counselling and psychology. His fundamental principle in life is always about 'keeping the main thing the main thing.'



# It's a bird... It's a plane... No, It's... our family KITE!

BY ALBERT ANG
Parenting Life Family Life @ Grace



More than 80 parents with their children from GI and GII participated in a Sunday afternoon event at Grand Lawn in West Coast Park on the 3rd of September 2017. 'Go Kite Flying with your child' event created the opportunity for family members to bond together. Participants included children as young as 3 years old and grandparents in their golden ages. Once the kites were collected from the event organiser, family members used their creativity to create unique family design/theme on their own customised kite with their own crayons or coloured markers before engaging in the actual kite flying. To lift the kite off the ground and keep it flying in the sky, family members required to work together. Young children were seen running to launch the kite. Parents helped to keep the kite soaring in the sky by controlling the kite string. Besides kite flying, family bonding time included family picnic either with food brought

from their homes or purchased from the nearby Mcdonald's fast food restaurant. Young children were also treated with bubble blowing and fun time playing at the park playground. Here were the reasons from parents who have participated in this event:

'Spend time with my girl'
'Family time together'
'Family bonding, outdoor activities'

#### **Acknowledgements:**

'Go Kite Flying with your child' event has been successfully organized by the following Brothers and Sisters-in-Christ from Family Life @ Grace. Thank you all for your hard work!

Angie Goh, Carol Goh, Frank Boey, Calis Kwok, Lim Cher Hiang and Pastor Benjamin Wong

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# Grace Family Life Ministry Library is proud to present the following collection:



#### **WAR ROOM**

A compelling drama with humor & heart

Tony and Elizabeth Jordan have it all — great jobs, a beautiful daughter, and their dream house. But appearances can be deceiving.

From the outside, the lives of Tony and Elizabeth Jordan appear perfect, but their marriage is in shambles.

After seeking counsel from a wise older woman, Elizabeth realizes it will take a deep commitment to prayer to keep her world from crumbling.

Be inspired and reminded about the powerful weapon that prayer can be to fight the right enemy, the right way.

#### **FIREPROOF**

Action-Packed & Heartwarming

Capt. Caleb Holt lives by the old firefighter's adage: Never leave your partner behind.

Inside burning buildings, it's his natural instinct. In the cooling embers of his marriage, it's another story. After seven years of marriage, Caleb and Catherine Holt have drifted so far apart that they are ready to move on without each other. Yet as they prepare to enter divorce proceedings, Caleb's dad asks his son to try an experiment: The Love Dare.

Can Caleb attempt to love his wife while avoiding God's love for him? Will he be able to demonstrate love over and over again to a person that's no longer receptive to his love?

Fireproof has had millions of all ages laughing and crying as they are inspired by this story of perseverance and commitment.



#### **HEAVEN IS FOR REAL**

A heartfelt movie

A story of a four-year old son of a small-town Nebraska pastor who during emergency surgery slips from consciousness and enters heaven.

He survives and begins talking about being able to look down and see the doctor operating and his dad praying in the waiting room. The family didn't know what to believe but soon the evidence was clear.

Colton said he met his miscarried sister, whom no one had told him about, and his great grandfather who died 30 years before Colton was born, then shared impossible-to-know details about each. He describes the horse that only Jesus could ride, about how "really big" God and his chair are, and how the Holy Spirit "shoots down power" from heaven to help us.

Based on the #1 New York Timesbest-selling book

Grace Family Library @ G1 is open on every 1st Sunday of the month Grace Family Library @ G2 is open on every 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month

# Annastazia's testimony

On the first morning of retreat, I took the bus from GII to KL. The journey lasted about 8 hours. I realized my left knee was locked and painful when I reached Pullman hotel. I was limping because of the pain. When I stood up and straightened my left leg, it got stiff and I could not bend it. I prayed and even did some stretching to relieve the pain but the pain persisted. It seemed as though my prayers weren't working.

Three years ago, I was diagnosed with lupus but my muscles had not weakened too badly since. However, I do have shoulder aches and stiffness in my legs/joints at times. I have been on medication so that I do not feel as fatigued. I would consider my lupus as under control. If I have pain in my body, it usually lasts for 10 minutes only. This time, however, the pain in my knee lasted 3 hours.

I still felt the pain as the first service began after dinner. Thankfully, I managed to sit through the entire session. At the time for altar ministry, I told myself that I needed to go up so that someone could pray with and for me. At that moment, Pastor Daniel's wife, Sister Doris came up to me and asked how she could pray for me. I told her about the pain on my left knee. She prayed with me. After 5 – 10 minutes, the pain had reduced noticeably. She told me that the pain would go off very soon. I returned to my room and prayed once more before going to bed. When I woke up the next morning, the pain was completely gone! I felt very relieved because I would not have wanted to be in pain throughout the whole retreat. Praise the Lord!

I thank God for healing me. I am also grateful He allowed me to attend the retreat and for the opportunity to hear Pastor Daniel's preaching. I also want to thank Ps Calvin & Ps Alvin and their committee for making this retreat happen.

Glory to God!

Amen!





"But as for me and my family, we will serve the LORD." Joshua 24:15

If you need to make counselling appointment, please contact:

Pastor Benjamin Wong 9066-2994

All counselling sessions are strictly private and confidential

# BEFRIEND AND IMPROVE LIVES!



Befrienders Sandy(left) and Swee Eng (right) with Mdm Lee at her residence

Swee Eng and Sandy, 62 and 61 respectively, visit Mdm Lee, 70, fortnightly as part of the Community Befrienders Programme at REACH Community Services. Apart from chatting and keeping Mdm Lee company at her flat in Jurong East, the duo also brings Mdm Lee to the fitness corner in the neighbourhood for some light exercise.

Prior to the Befriending Programme, Mdm Lee spent most of her day at home, afraid to go out for fear of falling as she had a history of weak knees. Her son visits her in the morning to help with the housework and leaves before lunch. After which, no one would be at home with Mdm Lee.

When Swee Eng and Sandy were first assigned to visit Mdm Lee, they were excited to see how they can serve the lonely senior. Mdm Lee really appreciated the duo's company and often spent time outdoors, exercising and chatting away.

A typical visitation takes at least 1.5 hours and at the availability of the befrienders. When Swee Eng was travelling overseas and Sandy was on a mission trip to Myanmar in early September, the duo had to postpone the visitation to a week later. Mdm Lee expressed that she missed them very much, but was at the same time really glad to hear their travel stories.

Mdm Lee is more active now, and she looks forward to Swee Eng and Sandy's visit every fortnight because she knows they will be there to hear her out and accompany her.

The duo also visits Mr Lee, a paralytic. The fortnightly visits by Swee Eng and Sandy includes sitting by Mr Lee's bedside, telling him stories and singing songs to him. His face will light up and he will react by blinking and making eye contact when the duo sings oldies to him, though he is normally lifeless while resting in bed. Swee Eng tells us that his favourite music are the ones by Teresa Teng and Tsai Chin.

"It is a blessing that we have the strength and opportunity to befriend the seniors," says Sandy. "and they really treat us as their friends, I'm so thankful."

You can be a community befriender and bless the lonely seniors too!

#### To volunteer, contact:

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# **REACH Charity Dinner 2017**A Great Success!



Our Finance Manager, Teo Tze Wei, rose up to the occasion and hosted the donation segment. He facilitated the segment with the aid of Donorbox, a new donation portal that was fast and easy to use.

Here our Chief Executive, Ho Siew Cheong is announcing the final amount collected through this charity event.

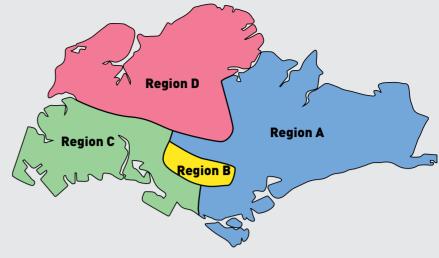
Mrs Josephine Teo, Minister, Prime Minister's Office & Second Minister for Manpower & Second Minister for Home Affairs, graced the event as our Guest-of-Honour. She also mentioned in her speech the importance of the work of our social workers in partnership with her constituency, the Bishan-Toa Payoh GRC, to serve the needy and lost in our society. REACH Community Services would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude to our generous donors who have helped us raise a total of \$257,000 through REACH Charity Dinner.

The attendees were treated to an eye opening magic segment, song and dance performances by REACH Rock Steady (REACH Youth Beneficiary) and Mechola (volunteer dance group).

As we continue to grow in our services and reach, we are grateful for the relentless support and generous giving from loyal donors have kept us going year after year in reaching the Least, the Lost and the Lonely since 1998.

All glory to God! We look forward to your continuous support and join us next year for REACH Charity Dinner 2018!

# GRACE MISSIONAL GROUPS



**GRACE MISSIONAL GROUPS - REGION A** 

Regional Pastor: Ps Benjamin Wong 90662994; benjamin.wong@graceaog.org Assistant Regional Pastor: Brother Ronnie Lee 97430067: ronnie.lee@graceaog.org

Regional Leader: Simon Goh, Wilfred Tan

GRACE GROUP	GG LEADER / FACILITATOR	DAY & TIME	VENUE	AREA
Nissi	Rachel Leong	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 107 Bkt Purmei Rd	Bkt Purmei
Pleroma 1	Jonathan Lew	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 17A Telok Blangah Crescent	Telok Blangah
Reflections of Christ	Eric Lim	Alternate Saturday, 5.30pm	Blk 23 The Reflections, Keppel Bay View	Keppel Rd
Telok Blangah	Linda Law, Christina Lai	Every Friday, 8:30pm	Teresa Ville, Blk 1007 Lower Delta Rd	Telok Blangah
Green Pasture	Henry Chia, Lim Kok Hoe, Peter Zorca	Every Friday (except 1st Fri), 8pm	Blk 230D Tampines St 24	Tampines
Marine East	Edward Chan	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 24 Fernwood Terrace	Marine Parade
Shammah	Andy Tan & Celine Chan	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Cheow Keng Rd	Marine Parade
Tingkat	Gideon Lim	Alternate Friday, 8pm	489C Tampines St 45	Tampines
Upp Changi	Vincent Ang, Raymond Wee	Every Friday, 8.30pm	Upp Changi Rd	Bedok
Grace Lite	Philip Che	Alternate Thursday, 8.30pm	Blk 111 Hougang Ave 1	Hougang
New Life	Wee Tee Phong, Wilson Chua, Andrew Kong	Every Friday, 8.15pm	Blk 233 Compassvale Walk	Ponggol
Serangoon North 1 & 2	Ricky Wee, Tommy Tan	Every Friday (except 1st Fri) , 8pm	Blk 535 Serangoon North Ave 4	Serangoon
Sengkang	Ronnie Lee	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 265A Punggol Way	Sengkang
Bishan Charity	Grace Puah & Linda Loh	Last 2 Fridays, 8pm	Blk 402 Sim Ming Ave	Bishan
Bishan Hope	Esther Lee, Adeline Lerh	Alternate Friday, 8.15pm	Blk 414 Serangoon Central	Seragoon
IGNITE	Wilfred Tan, Josaline Kay, John Goh	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Serenade Walk, Ang Mo Kio Ave 5	Ang mo Kio
ShunFu	Lim Nan	Alternate Saturday, 7.15pm	Blk 312 Shunfu Rd	Thomson
Toa Payoh 1 & 2	Yap Tat Yeen	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Trellis Towers, 700 Toa Payoh Lor 1	Toa Payoh
Parents & Toddlers	Aaron Tan, Elizabeth Chia	Alternate Saturday, 3.30pm	Gentle Drive	Newton
Zesty 2	Junnie Ong	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 5 Everton Park	Everton
Relax-lah Ladies	Angela Yeo, Serene Tan	1st & 3rd Friday, 8pm	Botanic Garden Mansion	Holland
Stevens	Loke Kah Leong	Alternate Saturday, 8pm	The Equatorial, 151 Stevens Rd	Stevens Rd

#### **GRACE MISSIONAL GROUPS - REGION B**

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Regional Leader: : Doreen Chong, Jim Ng, Kay Wei Shin, Kelvin Lee, Michael Lai, Tan Kok Lin, Vincent Tan, William Hioe

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GRACE GROUP	GG LEADER / FACILITATOR	DAY & TIME	VENUE	AREA
ABC	Benson Yeo, Damian Pang	Every Thursday, 7.30pm	Blk 15 Ghim Moh Rd	Tanglin
Answers @ Mount Sinai	Alex Tee	Alternate Friday, 8.15pm	Mount Sinai Rise	Holland
Faithful	Michael Lai	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Dover Park View Condo	Dover
Hands of Grace	Kelvin Lee, Donatus Yeo	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 5 Holland Close	Holland
Holland Drive	Magdalene Oh, Kay Wei Shih	Every Tuesday, 8:15pm	Blk 18C Holland Drive	Holland
House of Joy	Goh Ying Nam, Jillian Goh	Every Friday, 8pm	36 Dover Rise, Dover Parkview	Holland
Lighthill 4the Precious	Tan Kok Lin, Rina Tan	Friday, 8pm (3 times per month)	Nassim Road	Tanglin
Relax-lah!	Joseph Saw, Francis Ng	2nd & 4th Friday, 8pm	Grove Avenue	Holland
Shine for Jesus	Christine Lee	Friday, 8pm	Blk 143 Mei Ling St	Queenstown
Alphalikes	Ong Geok Lian	Alternate Thursday, 7pm	GI Church, L1 Cryroom	Tanglin
Bereans	Kenneth Kwan	Every Sunday, 1.30pm	Blk 6A Boon Tiong Rd	Tiong Bahru
Cell Alive 1	Goh Lay Fong, Catherine Ang	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 4 Ghim Moh Rd	Ghim Moh
Cell Alive 2	Vincent Tan	Every Friday, 8pm	Clarence Ville, Clarence Lane	Alexandra
Day Cell 1	Patrick Chan, Patricia Lee, Dora Chua	Every Thursday, 11am	GI Church, L1 Gethsemane	Tanglin
Havelock	Chia Kiang Sum, Christine Tong	Various days, 8pm	Blk 121A Kim Tian Place	Tiong Bahru
Joshua	Joanne Lee	Every Friday, 8.15pm	Blk 75B Redhill Rd	Redhill
Lighthouse	Joe Wong, Alexander Koh	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 118C Jln Membina	Jln Membina
Petra	Tan Siew Poh	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 55 Beo Crescent	Tiong Bahru
Post Alpha One	Ho Lai Ching, Chiang Mun Yee	Various day at 7.30pm	Blk 129 Clarence Lane	Clarence
Sozo	Reuben Soh, Philip Ang, James Ong	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 55 beo Crescent	Bkt Merah
Strathmore Ave	Doreen Chong	Every Thursday, 8pm	Blk 80 Strathmore Ave	Strathmore
Tabernacle	Dennis Gay, Kenneth Fan	Every Friday, 8.30pm	Various locations - Tabernacle GG	Bkt Merah
The Vine	Frank Boey, Bernard Lee	Every Friday, 8.30pm	Blk 20 Jln Membina	Jln Membina
Tiong Bahru	Victor Lee, Rina Hiw	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 22 Jln Membina	Jln Membina
You & Me	Diana Lim	Every Friday, 8pm	GI Church, L1 Gethsemane	Tanglin
Lovers' GG	Steven Chan & Michelle Chan	Alternate Friday, 8pm	365 Holland Road	Holland

GRACE MISSIONAL GROUPS - REGION C Regional Pastor: Ps Lim Bee Ngor 98280347; bee.ngor@graceaog.org

Assistant Regional Pastor: Ps Au Wai Ching 91858025; wai.ching@gmagnet.com

Regional leaders: Ng Seh Luh, Tan Chee Wee

GRACE GROUP	GG LEADER / FACILITATOR	DAY & TIME	VENUE	AREA
Channels of Blessings	Pak Ooi Tart, Rodney Chang	Alternate Friday, 7.30pm	Blk 201 Clementi Ave 6	Clementi
J21:17	Neo Hong Jye, Tan Yung Ming	Every Thursday, 8pm	Westridge Walk	Pasir Panjang
Kent Vale Ladies	Debbie Chow	Every Wednesday, 9.45am	Kent Vale, Clementi Rd	Clementi
Parkwest	Lee Lai Mun	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Parkwest, 10 Jln Lempeng	Clementi
Pleroma 2	Laurence Chin	Every Saturday, 8.30pm	Lorong Kimis	Toh Tuck
Transforming Together	Steven Ee	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 13 Toh Yi Drive	Toh Yi
Seekers	Garry Chung	Alternate Saturday, 5pm	Blk 671B Jurong West St 65 & Blk 236A Seragoon Ave 2 (rotational)	Jurong West
Agape	Wendy Loke	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 101 Jurong East St 13	Jurong East
En Dian	Ng Seh Luh	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 265 Toh Guan Rd	Jurong East
Immanuel II	Doris Ho	Alt Friday, 8pm	Blk 265 Toh Guan Rd (rotational)	Jurong East
Infiniti	Alex Ngew, Irene Cheah	Every Tuesday, 8pm	Infiniti, West Coast Park	West Coast
Joshua Generation 1	Tan Chee Wee	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Carabelle, West Coast Way	West Coast
Jurong Point	Tan Chee Wee, Madeleine Wong	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 661C Jurong West St 64	Jurong West
Jurong West St. 65	Vincent Ong, Janice Koh, Gloria Ng	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 669A Jurong West St 64	Jurong West
JOY Ladies Group	Sharon Tan	Every Thursday, 10am	Corporation Road (Jurong West)	Jurong West
J. Shammah	John Ng, Lai Chuan	Every Friday, 8pm (3 time a week)	Parc Vista, 452 Corporation Road	Jurong West
Koinonia	Jean Gip, Celin Tan	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 286C Toh Guan Rd	Jurong East
Parc Oasis	Chin Soo Fun, Peter Wong	Every Friday, 8pm	Parc Oasis, Jurong East Ave 1	Jurong East
Salt & Light	Raymond Leong	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 522, Jurong West St 52	Jurong East
Shalom	Eric Thng, Jeffrey Han, Dora	Every Friday, 8pm	Lakeshore, Jurong West St 41	Jurong West
Teban Gardens	Joseph Ng	Alternate Friday, 8.30pm	Blk 47 Teban Gardens	Teban Garden
Upper Room	Madeleine Wong	Alt Thursday, 8pm	Blk 664A, Jurong West St. 64	Jurong West
Ichthus	Clement Yee	Alternate Sunday, 430pm	West Coast	West Coast
Toh Yi	Tan Hock Thiam	Alternate Tuesday, 8.30pm	Blk 2 Toh Yi Drive	Toh Yi

#### **GRACE MISSIONAL GROUPS - REGION D**

Regional Pastor: Ps Scott Tey 94751251; scott.tey@graceaog.org

Assistant Regional Pastor: Ps Matthew Tan 98512074: mathew.tan@graceaog.org

Regional leaders: Peter Selvan, Alfred Foong, Edward Ho, Neria Chong, Ho Pui Chan, Sean Tan, Siew Seng Ming, Stephen Owyong.

Assistant Regional leader: Philip Yeo

GRACE GROUP	GG LEADER / FACILITATOR	DAY & TIME	VENUE	AREA
Coffee Lovers	Cham Lee Fin, Paul Chua	Every Friday, 8pm	Namly Garden (rotational 3 homes)	Sixth Ave
More Relax-lah	Eric Chong	2nd & 4th Friday, 8pm	29A Adam Rd	Adam Rd
Bigger & Smaller	Siew Seng Ming, Steven Ang	Alternate Saturday, 7.30pm	Upper Bkt Timah & Pasir Panjang (rotational)	Bukit Timah, Pasir Panjang
Glow	Nerina Cheong	1st & 4th Sunday, 11 am	Blk 394 Bukit Batok West Ave 5	Bukit Batok
New Life GG	Jack Ang, Eileen Cheong,	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 589D, Montreal Drive & GII (rotational)	Sembawang, Bkt Bato
Overcomers	Stephen Auwyong	Alternate Thursday, 8pm	Blk 6 at Petir Road Maysprings	Bukit Panjang
Yishun 1	Christine Yap, Thomas Aw	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 242 Yishun Ring Rd	Yishun
Yishun 2	Irvin Wong, Tung Yui Fai, Albert Loo	Every Friday, 8.45pm	Orchid Park, Yishun St 81	Yishun
Abundant Life	Richard Lim	1st, 2nd & 3rd Thursday, 8.30pm	Blk C1, Choa Chu Kang Ave 3, Micasa	Choa Chu Kang
CCK Hope	Aw Yong Leon Gay	1st & 3rd Friday, 8pm	331, Choa Chu Kang Ave 3, Rain Foreast / 2C Hong San Walk Palm Garden	Choa Chu Kang
CCK Hope Extension	Sean Tan, Christina Tan	1st & 3rd Friday, 8pm	331, Choa Chu Kang Ave 3, Rain Foreast / 2C Hong San Walk Palm Garden	Choa Chu Kang
CCK Covenant	Barnabas Lew	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 236, Choa Chu Kang Central & Blk 32 Windermere (rotational)	Choa Chu Kang
CCK Harvesters	Thomas Kiang	1st, 2nd & 3rd Friday, 8.15pm	Blk 504 Choa Chu Kang St 51	Choa Chu Kang
Haven	David Ang	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 210 Jurong East St 21	Jurong East
Reform	Edward Cheong, Harvard Sum	Alternate Friday, 8pm	1 Bkt Batok West Ave 4, GII L1 Hope	Choa Chu Kang
The Living Stone	Richard Loy	Alternate Friday, 8.15pm	Blk 283 CCK Ave 3, GII L1 Glory	Choa Chu Kang
Yew Mei Green	Jaffrey Aw, Tony Low	Every Friday, 8pm	56 Yew Mei Green	Choa Chu Kang
Bukit Batok PCK	Richard Tan & Jacqueline	Alternate Friday, 8.30pm	Bukit Batok (various locations)	Bukit Batok
BW BB1	Paul Rahman	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 335 Bkt Batok St 32	Bukit Batok
BW BB2	Nicholas Liang	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 52 Bkt Batok East Ave 5	Bukit Batok
Friemily 2	William Chan, Stanley Wong, Jonathan Chua	Every Friday, 8pm	Bukit Batok Central (various locations)	Bukit Batok
Friemily Tree	Terry Tan, Chua Gim Siong	Every Friday, 8pm	Blk 621 Bkt Batok Central	Bukit Batok
Kim Tian	Jonathan Ang	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Century Mansion, 2M Jln Remaja	Upper Bukit Timah
Psalm 121	Allen Koh, Thomas Yeo	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 289C Bukit Batok St 25	Bukit Batok
ROR	Ho Yixian, Serene Tan, Jackii, Joshua, Celine	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 102 Bkt Batok Central	Bukit Batok
Summerhill	Mak & Lay Khim	Alternate Friday, 8:30pm	Blk 191 Bkt Batok West Ave 6	Bukit Batok
Sembawang / Woodland	ds Edward Ho, Martin Chew	Alternate Friday, 8pm	Blk 352A Canberra Rd	Sembawang

YOUTH MINISTRY (R-AGE) GI
Pastor: Ps Joey Asher Tan 9023 0083; joey.asher@graceaog.org
Leaders: Rachel Choo, Kenneth Yeo

GRACE GROUP	GG LEADER / FACILITATOR	DAY & TIME	VENUE	AREA
EMERGE Preteens	Kenneth Yeo	Every Sunday, 11.15am	355 Tanglin Road, Level 3, Emmaus Hall	Tanglin Road
(11-13 years old)				
EMERGE Leaders	Kenneth Yeo, Rachel Choo	Every Saturday, 1.30pm	Redhill Area	Redhill
ELEVATE Secondary	Kenneth Yeo, Rachel Choo	Every Saturday, 3.00pm	355 Tanglin Road (GI Rooms)	Tanglin Road
(14 - 16 years old)				
ELEVATE Tertiary	Kenneth Yeo, Rachel Choo	Every Friday/Saturday, 7.30pm	355 Tanglin Road (GI Rooms)	Tanglin Road
(17 - 19 years old)				
ELEVATE GI Tertiary	Kenneth Yeo, Rachel Choo	1st Friday of the month,	West Area (Rotation)	West Area
Leaders (Zone 1 & 2)		7.30pm		

YOUTH MINISTRY (R-AGE) GII Pastor: Ps Joey Asher Tan 9023 0083; joey.asher@graceaog.org

Leaders: Rachel Choo, Kenneth Yeo

GRACE GROUP	GG LEADER / FACILITATOR	DAY & TIME	VENUE	AREA
<b>ELEVATE</b> Secondary	Rachel Choo	Every Saturday, 4.00pm	1 Bukit Batok West Ave 4 (GII Rooms)	Bukit Batok
(13 - 16 years old)				
ELEVATE Tertiary	Rachel Choo	Every Friday, 7.30pm	West Area (Rotation) and	West Area & Bukit Batok
(17 - 19 years old)			1 Bukit Batok West Ave 4 (GII Rooms)	
ELEVATE GII Tertiary	Rachel Choo	1st Friday of the month,	West Area (Rotation)	West Area
Leaders (Zone 1 & 2)		7.30pm		

FILIPINO MINISTRY GI Pastor: Ps Rosita Cristobal 98580317; rosita@graceaog.org Leader: Sis Cora Lagahit 93810513

GRACE GROUP	GG LEADER / FACILITATOR	DAY & TIME	VENUE	AREA
David	Cora Lagahit	Every Sunday, 12:45pm	Grace 1, Gethsemane L1	Tanglin
Gideon	Lee Yuet Hoe	Every Sunday, 12:45pm	Grace 1, Gethsemane L1	Tanglin
Daniel	Nanding Obliopas	Every Sunday, 12:45pm	Grace 1, Gethsemane L1	Tanglin
Joel	Edith Corpuz	Every Sunday, 12:45pm	Grace 1, Gethsemane L1	Tanglin
Joshua	Cora Lagahit	Every Sunday, 12:45pm	Grace 1, Gethsemane L1	Tanglin
Esther	Remelyn dela Cruz	Every Sunday, 12:45pm	Grace 1, Gethsemane L1	Tanglin
Nehemiah	Mila Batallones	Every Sunday, 12:45pm	Grace 1, Gethsemane L1	Tanglin
Samuel	Rosalinda Obliopas	Every Sunday, 12:45pm	Grace 1, Gethsemane L1	Tanglin
Jeremiah	Arlyn Avellana	Every Sunday, 12:45pm	Grace 1, Gethsemane L1	Tanglin

#### FILIPINO MINISTRY GII

Pastor: Ps Rosita Cristobal 98580317; rosita@graceaog.org

GRACE GROUP	GG LEADER / FACILITATOR	DAY & TIME	VENUE	AREA
D' Ambassador 1	Jeremy Retuta	1st & 3rd Friday, 7.30pm	Blk 419 Bkt Batok West Ave 2	
		2nd & 4th Friday, 7.30pm	GII Praise Room	Bkt Batok
D' Ambassador 2	Lea Targa	Every Saturday, 7:30pm	Blk 162 Jalan Teck Whye	Teck Whye
D' Ambassador 3	Jeremy / Aldwin Retuta	Every Thursday, 7:30pm	Blk 170 Bukit Batok West Ave 8	Bkt Batok
Agape J316	Angel & Kaye Cruz	1st & 3rd Friday, 7.30pm	Blk 623 Bkt Batok Central	Bkt Batok
		2nd & 4th Friday, 7.30pm	GII Praise Room	Bkt Batok
Jabez	Gerry Salgado	1st & 3rd Thursday, 7.30pm	GII Fellowship Area	Bkt Batok
		2nd & 4th Friday, 7.30pm	GII Praise Room	Bkt Batok
My Beloved	Imelda Quillopas & Rosario Abalos	1st & 3rd Sunday, 5.00pm	Blk 419 Bkt Batok West Ave 2	Bkt Batok
		2nd & 4th Friday, 7.30pm	GII Praise Room	Bkt Batok
My Redeemer	Cholo & Carla Cruz	1st & 3rd Friday, 7.30pm	Jalan Jurong Ketchil, Sherwood Condo	Bkt Timah
		2nd & 4th Friday, 7.30pm	GII Praise Room	Bkt Batok
Psalms23	Aldwin Retuta & Ann Dela Cruz	1st & 3rd Monday, 7.30pm	Blk 20 Hougang Ave 3	Hougang
		2nd & 4th Friday, 7.30pm	GII Praise Room	Bkt Batok
Steadfast Love	Richard Aquino	1st & 3rd Friday 7.30pm	Blk 394 Bkt Batok West Ave 5	Bkt Batok
		2nd & 4th Friday, 7.30pm	GII Praise Room	Bkt Batok
The Saints	Hermie & Marirose Feril	1st & 3rd Friday, 7.30pm	Blk 295 Choa Chu Kang Ave 2	Chua Chu Kang
		2nd & 4th Friday, 7.30pm	GII Praise Room	Bkt Batok
Yeshua	Mario & Mel Abogado	1st & 3rd Thursday, 7.30pm	Blk 384 Bkt Batok West Ave 5	Bkt Batok
		2nd & 4th Friday, 7.30pm	GII Praise Room	Bkt Batok
Youth 1	Matet Reando/Jon Baysantos /	1st & 3rd Friday, 7.30pm	GII Hope Room	Bkt Batok
	Shekinah Cristobal	2nd & 4th Friday, 7.30pm	GII Praise Room	Bkt Batok
Youth 2	Matet Reando/Jon Baysantos/	Every Sunday, 3:30pm	G11 Fellowship Area	Bkt Batok
	Jedidiah Cristobal			
Elisha (Singles)	Dennis Salazar	Every Sunday, 3:30pm	G11 Fellowship Area	Bkt Batok
GFM Pre Teens	Jojo Marco Ypon	Every Sunday, 2:00pm	Grace II Patience Rm	Bkt Batok
GFM Primary	Carla Cruz	Every Sunday, 2:00pm	Grace II Hope Rm	Bkt Batok
GFM Toddler	Carla Cruz	Every Sunday, 2:00pm	Grace II Cry Room	Bkt Batok

## MISSIONS CORNER — A CALL FOR MISSIONS BOOKS

There are many ways to be involved in missions and one of them is through our Missions Corner, located at GI (Level 2, Koinonia) and GII (Level 1, Fellowship Area). They are open every Sunday at both locations.

#### Missions Trips

Sign up for mission trips with Grace Missions! Take a look at our trip dates well in advance. Schedule a missions trip that meets your time and burden.

#### **Pray for the Nations**

Come pray with us for the nations! If you are unable to go for a mission trip, you can still participate in missions by praying for the work of the Lord in various places. At the Missions Corner, we have specific prayer requests from our missions partners and general prayers for the nations. Come and join us in prayer at the prayer corner. Let us pray covering over the workers of the field and for the work of the Lord.

#### **Missions Library**

Borrow a book from the Missions Library! Find gripping biographies and autobiographies of missionaries such as Hudson Taylor, William Tyndale, Brother Yun and Jim Elliot. We also shelve resources on world missions, Christian organisations, Unreached People Groups and information about specific nations such as Nepali culture. At the Missions Library, come and find materials for missions trip preparations, such as preaching, children's ministry, Spiritual Leadership and intercessory prayer. We are currently growing our Chinese titles and multimedia resources. Keep a lookout for some great DVDs coming your way!

#### **Special Call for Missions Books**

For the special month of October, Grace Missions will be holding a donation drive to collect pre-loved missions books from Gracians across GI and GII. If you have good missions books you would like to donate, please bring them down to the respective Missions Corners at GI or GII on Sundays and leave them with our friendly volunteers.

We look forward to seeing you at the Missions Corner! See you there!

For more information regarding our internships, you may send an email to matthew.tan@graceaog.org



Missions Corner @ GI



Missions Corner @ GII

# EVENTS CALENDAR 2017 OCTOBER DECEMBER Event details are subject to changes, please refer to www.graceaog.org for latest info & updates.

DATE	EVENT	VENUE & TIME
	OCTOBER	
4 Oct	Lunchtime Fasting & Prayer Meeting	GI L3 Emmaus Hall 12pm
7 – 21 Oct	WOG – Saturday Bible Study (SBS)	GI L5 Zion Hall 10am
7 – 28 Oct	Men's Bible Study (MBS)	GI L2 Eden Hall 10am
14 Oct	GDP Class 103: Baptism & 104: Membership	GI L3 Cry Room 9.30am
18 – 19 Oct	Global Leadership Summit	GI L3 Bethel Hall
25 Oct	J333 Prayer Meeting (Combined)	GI L1 Galilee Hall 7.30pm
28 Oct	Grace Party (Combined)	TBC
	NOVEMBER	
1 Nov	Lunchtime Fasting & Prayer Meeting	GI L3 Emmaus Hall 12pm
18 – 19 Nov	GDP: Encounter Weekend	Orchard Plaza 9am
24 Nov	Appreciate Night (Combined)	GI L3 Bethel Hall 6pm
29 Nov	J333 Prayer Meeting (Combined)	GI L1 Galilee Hall 7.30pm
	DECEMBER	
6 Dec	Lunchtime Fasting & Prayer Meeting	GI L3 Emmaus Hall 12pm
20 Dec	J333 Prayer Meeting (Combined)	GI L1 Galilee Hall 7.30pm
24 Dec	Christmas Celebration	GI L3 Bethel Hall 9am GII L2 Sanctuary Hall 9am
24 Dec	GDP: Water Baptism	GI L2 Pool 10.45am GII L4 Chapel 9am
25 Dec	Christmas Services	GI L3 Bethel Hall
31 Dec	Watchnight Service	GI L3 Bethel Hall 10pm



#### WEDDINGS IN OCTOBER

Heartiest congratulations to the following couples whereby the Lord continues to bless & guide them with love, wisdom & strength as they embark on their new journey together!

07 OCTOBER 2017

Mr Loke Wenjie Abel &
Ms Tan Li Syn

07 OCTOBER 2017

Mr Chong Chee Leong Raymond &
Ms Soh Seok Chin Cindy

28 OCTOBER 2017

Mr Marcus Ng Yew Yee & Ms Andrea Fang Hui



# CHRISTMAS MASS CHOIR RECRUITMENT

Christmas is coming soon this year-end and what a wonderful time to sing of the glorious message of the gospel! This year, the Creative Arts Ministry (CAM) is holding a Christmas Extravaganza service on Christmas Day. We are looking for passionate singers to join the Christmas Mass Choir for this event. If you are keen to be part of this exciting event, do drop us an email at gracechristmas2017@gmail.com to indicate your interest by 5 Nov. A simple vocal audition will be subsequently arranged. Leading up to the event, there will be weekly choir rehearsals held every Saturday afternoons. Looking forward to you joining us!

Are you a parent or youth leader looking for godly and wholesome materials for your teenage daughter? Kallos is a much-loved magazine that inspires young girls to boldly live out their faith! With relevant articles on God, love, friendship and more, Kallos empowers girls to shine with inner beauty and confidence. Go to www.kallos.com.sg or visit us at our Grace bookstore to read a sample issue!



# 我的见证

罗马书十章十二节说,主对一切呼求祂的人是丰富的。享受主的路就是呼吸祂。主不但是丰富的,还是可 亲近的,因为祂是赐生命的灵。

感谢主耶稣,今天能够在这里分享我和家人自从接受了主之后的微妙变化。

我今年48岁,已婚,家里有四个可爱又听话的孩子(17岁,16岁,12岁,9岁)。自小父亲就过世了,是母亲和大姐把我和姐姐们养大(我有六个姐姐),从小,母亲的信仰就是拜观音菩萨,所以我也就跟随着母亲的脚步拜观音直到我有幸认识主耶稣为止。

我之前是一个非常虔诚的佛教徒,每逢初一、十五我都会用鲜花水果供奉我当时的信仰,焚烧市面上最上等的香,并且每一年当认识的几间庙宇做大日子的时候,我和太太都会捐钱帮忙庆祝。我们的捐款甚至于到达了泰国、马来西亚、印度、缅甸、斯里兰卡等国家。我也曾在2006年出家做了短期和尚。当时的我认为我已经找到了心里面渴求的归宿,一心奔着这个方向去的,直到....

2009年我设立的公司不小心触犯了法律,被劳工部起诉了。当时的我非常彷徨,不知道怎么办好,经朋友介绍认识了新加坡一个当时非常有威望的和尚。他怂恿我和太太拿出28万新币去投资他的项目,并且承诺会帮我解决我公司的法律问题。结果就如你们猜想的一样,钱打水漂了,2011年官司也打输了。打从那时起,我就对我的信仰怀疑起来了,心想我一路做好人做慈善,帮助过无数的人,我不偷不抢也没有骗人家的钱财,为什么我所一直侍奉的菩萨没有帮助我呢?

心中的疑虑和问号一直没有答案,直到我遇到了我的钻油台经理苏弟兄。这位苏弟兄曾经放弃了事业用了 三年时间去了国外念神学,毕业后回到新加坡在我公司担任钻油台经理。他是第一个跟我分享主耶稣的 人,经常导读圣经里面的经文让我知道。当时的我还没有接受主,只是把他的教导搁在心里的某一处。

2015年公司迎来了前所未有的经济不景气,我的公司钻油台的承包工程遇到了困难。公司在连续两年的亏损下迫切的需要银行的贷款来渡过难关。这时候的我每天都焦虑的来工作,每天都不断的跟自己的信仰祈求,晚上也没有办法睡上一个好觉。这样的日子从2016年尾一直折腾到2017年五月初,当时Spring Singapore已经通过的中小型企业贷款竟然被某家银行否决了。当时的我崩溃了,因为我知道我20年辛辛苦苦建立起来的事业跨了,紧接着就是家庭,孩子怎么办?

感谢主,苏弟兄在这艰难的时刻没有放弃我。他把腓利比书四章六节导读给了我。"应当一无挂虑,只要凡事藉着祷告,祈求,带着感谢,将你们所要的告诉神;神那超越人所能理解的平安,必在基督耶稣里,保卫你们的心怀意念。"因为看到了主耶稣的大爱,我和家人在五月二十七号受浸成了主的门徒。陈善瀚传道和惠兰姐妹也在过后的时间为我的家洁净祷告,心里感恩。

公司的问题依然存在,但是这时候的我知道,因为有了主耶稣的救赎和恩典,我能够坦然的接受接下来主要我经历的路,我心里得到了许久不曾有过的平安和勇气,过去的彷徨和无助已经远离了我。每当我被试探的时候,我都会呼求主名,主耶稣都会立刻指引我行在祂的意念之中。

信了主之后,更让我安慰的是,我太太和孩子都因为和我一起接受了主,全家更和谐,更快乐了,这是以往没有的喜悦,你能说主不伟大吗?虽然我们和主耶稣亲近的日子不长,但是看到老婆和孩子每一次藉圣灵的祷告,我知道我选择了一条正确的道路。

哥林多后书十三章十四节:愿主耶稣基督的恩,神的爱,圣灵的交通,与你们众人同在。阿门。

张大顺弟兄







### 恩典二华语堂 服侍人员聚餐

17.09.2017

# 恩典二华语堂崇拜与服侍













## 恩典二华语崇拜迪沙鲁两日一夜游

感谢主,9月1-2日恩典二华语崇拜举办了两日一夜迪沙 鲁游。一共有79位弟兄姐妹参加,其中有16位是非信 徒与我们一同前去。他们好多都是第一次参加教会举办 的活动。我们一起度过了美好的旅程团契。除了有好吃 的,好看的和好玩的,还有李敏姐妹和紫璇姐妹分享的 见证与福音信息。我们知道尚好的福音种子已经撒出去 了,必有一日会欢喜收割。一切荣耀归给主!













# GRACE SERVICES

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Hokkien Service Galilee Level 1

#### SATURDAY 5 PM

Young Adults & Young Professionals

(YAYP) Service

Cantonese Service

Elevate @ R-AGE Youth (15-19 Yrs Old)

Emmaus

Level 3

Level 3

#### SUNDAY 9 AM

English Service

Mandarin Service

Shine @ Grace Kids (7-10 Yrs Old)

Sparkle @ Grace Kids (3-6 Yrs Old)

Eden

Level 2

Zion

Level 5

#### **SUNDAY 11.15 AM**

English ServiceBethelLevel 3Filipino ServiceGalileeLevel 1Emerge @ R-AGE Youth (11-14 Yrs Old)EmmausLevel 3Shine @ Grace Kids (7-10 Yrs Old)EdenLevel 2Sparkle @ Grace Kids (3-6 Yrs Old)ZionLevel 5

#### SUNDAY 5 PM

Khush Khabri Fellowship Emmaus Level 3

#### GRACE II SERVICES: 1 Bukit Batok West Ave 4 Singapore 659125

#### SATURDAY 2 PM

Elevate @ R-AGE Youth (14-19 Yrs Old)

Chapel

Level 4

#### SUNDAY 9 AM

English Service

Mandarin Service

Sanctuary

Level 2

Shine @ Grace Kids (7-10 Yrs Old)

Sparkle @ Grace Kids (3-6 Yrs Old)

Kindness

Level 4

#### SUNDAY 11.15 AM

English ServiceSanctuaryLevel 2Hokkien ServiceChapelLevel 4Emerge @ R-AGE Youth (11-13 Yrs Old)AgapeLevel 3Shine @ Grace Kids (7-10 Yrs Old)LoveLevel 2Sparkle @ Grace Kids (3-6 Yrs Old)KindnessLevel 4

#### SUNDAY 1.30 PM

Filipino Service Chapel Level 4

J333 04, 11 OCT, 7.30 pm @ GI L3 Emmaus Hall & GII L3 Agape Room
Combined J333 (English & Chinese) 25 OCT, 7.30 pm @ GI L3 Galilee Hall

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# INTRODUCING GRACE MISSIONAL COLLEGE MODULE IN OCTOBER 2017

#### **BIOT115: OLD TESTAMENT SURVEY 1**

12-14 October

The course is an overview survey of the Old Testament. Special attention will be given to the cultural background, theological and contextual perspectives. An emphasis will be placed from this study that guides students in the practical application of the major Old Testament themes relevant to the ministry.

**Dr Jerry Horner**, received a Th. D degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, and has served as dean of the School of Theology at Oral Roberts University, and as founding dean of the School of Divinity at Regent University, USA. He is the author of many books and articles in theological and educational journals, commentaries, biblical encyclopedias and dictionaries.



Dr Jerry Horner

#### **REGISTRATION**

Fee for non-credit or audit students: \$15

Fee for 3-credit module: \$130

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Closing date: 8 October 2017

Further enquiries, please email to gmcollege@graceaog.org

## Testimony from Kunle & Folake Adeyeye, on the last module: The Life & Teachings of Paul by Dr Jerry Horner in April 2017

Dr. Horner's teaching on the Life and Teachings of Paul was insightful, clear and persuasive. He gave practical, relatable examples to buttress his points and summaries with clear takeaways. One clear takeaway is the fact that God is holy, all sin will be punished and we must either accept Christ's sacrifice on the cross or bear the punishment of sin in hell.

The module provided a clear understanding of why Paul's ministry was effective and its application in modern day context. The motives of ministry clearly showed the need for persuasion. The message of ministry highlighted God as the source of reconciliation, Jesus as the agent of reconciliation and we as the announcers of reconciliation. The strategy of ministry requires authenticated words through our message, conviction, power and the Holy Spirit.

Overall, Dr. Horner demonstrated a deep understanding of the Bible and impacted us positively to embody the gospel.

Calling Gracians, let's come together to be discipled and equipped with God's Word, and to become an intentional missional disciple-discipler for Christ.

