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A FATHER'S HEART

If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him! (Matt 11:7)

Fourteen years ago, my daughter came into this world and I became a father for the first time. As I held her literally in the palm of my right hand, I knew my life will never be the same again. For from then on, there is someone I will always be responsible for, whom I have to love, nurture and teach. I also knew that I have at most, a very limited window of about 10 to 12 years to build into my child, a spiritual and moral foundation, which will serve as her compass as she navigates through life. Influences from her teachers, friends and society will very quickly supersede mine.

Two years later, the Lord blessed me with my second child, a son. Although my two kids are very different, I love them both dearly – there's nothing I wouldn't do for them. Likewise God loves all of us even though He created us all uniquely. And if I, sinner that I am, love my children so, how much more does our God of infinite and perfect love, us?

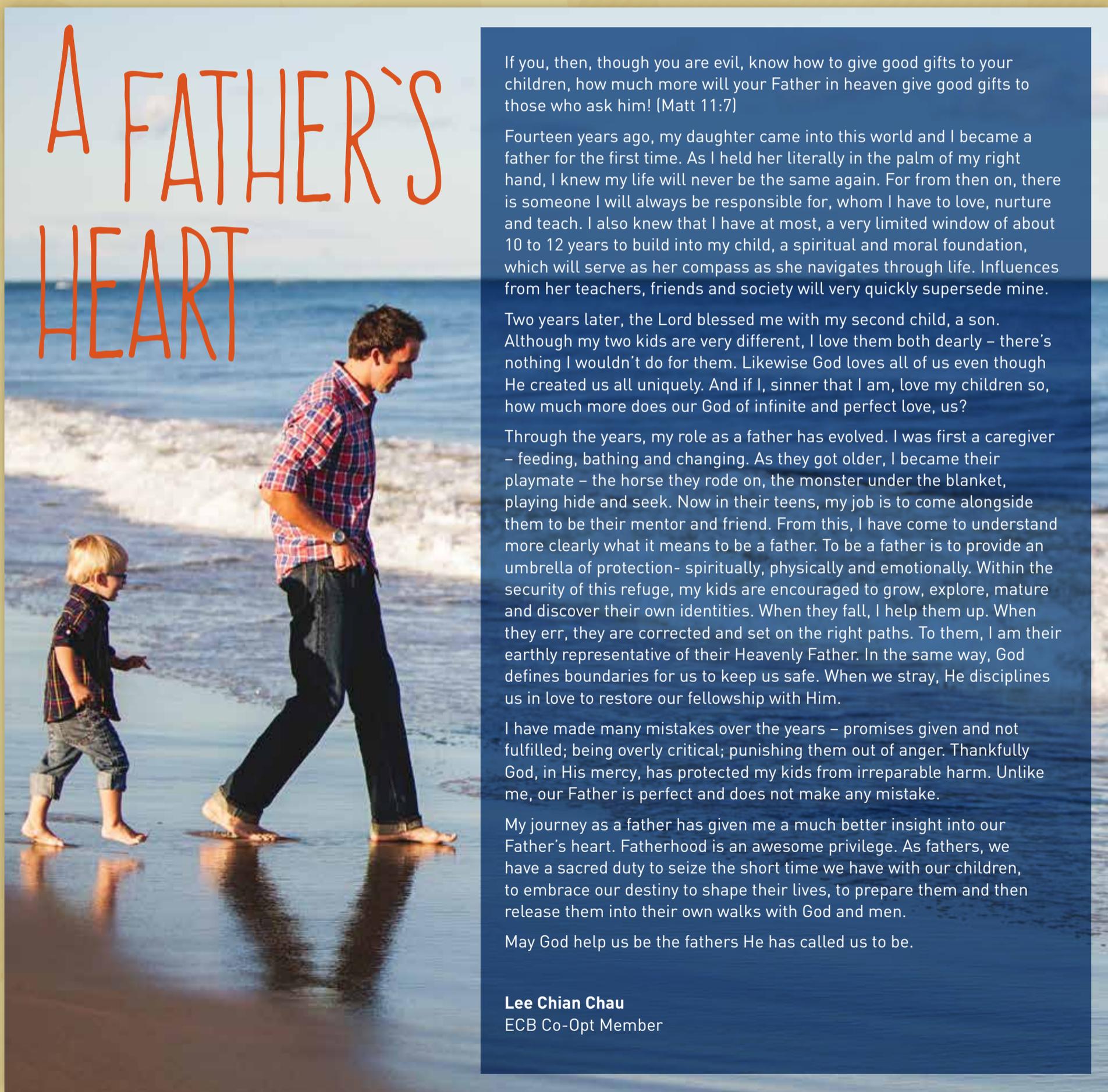
Through the years, my role as a father has evolved. I was first a caregiver – feeding, bathing and changing. As they got older, I became their playmate – the horse they rode on, the monster under the blanket, playing hide and seek. Now in their teens, my job is to come alongside them to be their mentor and friend. From this, I have come to understand more clearly what it means to be a father. To be a father is to provide an umbrella of protection- spiritually, physically and emotionally. Within the security of this refuge, my kids are encouraged to grow, explore, mature and discover their own identities. When they fall, I help them up. When they err, they are corrected and set on the right paths. To them, I am their earthly representative of their Heavenly Father. In the same way, God defines boundaries for us to keep us safe. When we stray, He disciplines us in love to restore our fellowship with Him.

I have made many mistakes over the years – promises given and not fulfilled; being overly critical; punishing them out of anger. Thankfully God, in His mercy, has protected my kids from irreparable harm. Unlike me, our Father is perfect and does not make any mistake.

My journey as a father has given me a much better insight into our Father's heart. Fatherhood is an awesome privilege. As fathers, we have a sacred duty to seize the short time we have with our children, to embrace our destiny to shape their lives, to prepare them and then release them into their own walks with God and men.

May God help us be the fathers He has called us to be.

Lee Chian Chau
ECB Co-Opt Member





2016 SECOND TRIMESTER SERMON SERIES

LOVE SELF TO LOVE OTHERS

The greatest love story continues ...

As we have received the love of the Father and responded in love for Him through our lives, the outworking of that is seen in the second commandment, 'Love your neighbour as yourself' (Matthew 22:39). Embarking on five sermons towards building a strong foundation for loving others through loving ourselves biblically and holistically, whereby the last four sermons, will cover the four arenas of relationships which are singlehood, marriage, family and the church family. Through this series, we explore how we ought to act towards the good, the well-being and the fulfilment of people in our areas of influence which would result in a correct understanding of healthy and wholesome self-love.

1. LOVE SELF: Holistically
2. LOVE SELF: Our Thoughts
3. LOVE SELF: Our Emotions
4. LOVE SELF: Our Lifestyle
5. LOVE SELF: Freedom from Idols
6. LOVE OTHERS: Wholeness in Singlehood
7. LOVE OTHERS: Passion in Marriage
8. LOVE OTHERS: Honour in Family
9. LOVE OTHERS: Authenticity in Church

Equipping the Gracians

BY PS LI CUIXIAN

In the month of April, GDP ran three different Bible Studies and a seminar by Ps Benny Ho. A total of 170 Gracians attended the seminar. Below is a reflection from Lee Chia Ming:

On a Saturday morning, we were gathered to hear Pastor Benny Ho teach on these virtues: patience, discipline, love.

Patience

We learnt that "patience" is translated from the Greek word "makrothumia", which refers to the ability to endure or persevere. Using examples of biblical figures (Moses, Saul, the disciples; John and James) who had lost their patience and consequently missed out on the promises of God or incurred God's rebuke. Pastor Benny Ho drove home the importance of developing biblical patience to produce the character needed to meet divine promises, mind developing potential, master difficult problems, and minister to difficult people.

Discipline

We also learnt a practical way to master discipline: identify areas that lack discipline; prioritise and tackle these areas one at a time; secure resources for instruction and motivation; ask a person who models the desired trait to hold you accountable; spend 15 minutes each morning getting focused; 5 minutes check-up at midday; 5 minutes check-up in the evening to evaluate progress; allow 40-60 days to work on one area before going on to the next; and, very importantly, celebrate along the way with the one who holds you accountable and thank God for small victories!

Love

To me, the most powerful lesson that morning was on love. Pastor Benny Ho started off with a reminder that we are to "not love in word or talk but in deed and in truth" (1 John 3:18) and that we are to "love one another, for love is from God" (1 John 4:7). I learnt that, when it comes to loving the unlovable, it may not be that I need to try harder to love that person but that I need to pray that God will love that person through me.

Yet simply talking about God's love may not suffice, since this concept may be amorphous at times. It was helpful that Pastor Benny Ho took pains to distinguish what God's love is and what it is not.

One of the key verses expounded upon was on 1 John 4:8, which reads: "Whoever does not love does not know God, because God is love." We learnt that "God is love" means that God's nature is love. So to say that God does not love me is to defame God, because love is

something essentially true of God. Importantly however, to guard against the other extreme, the fact that God is love does not mean that love is God. God's love must be interpreted in light of God's other essential attributes such as His holiness and righteousness. We were warned against the tendency to reduce God to only love, which might in turn cause one to worship love. Indeed, he pointed out that the LGBT community has in effect elevated love as their god.

I am sure that we have been blessed by Pastor Benny Ho's teaching and by the ministering of the Holy Spirit in us as we come to understand and cultivate these virtues in our lives.

Upcoming GDP events:

GDP Classes

30 June, Thu GII 7:30-9:30 PM 103 | Baptism
(Pre-requisite: 102 | FOF)

7 July, Thu GII 7:30-9:30 PM 104 | Membership
(Pre-requisite: 102 | FOF)

Bible Studies

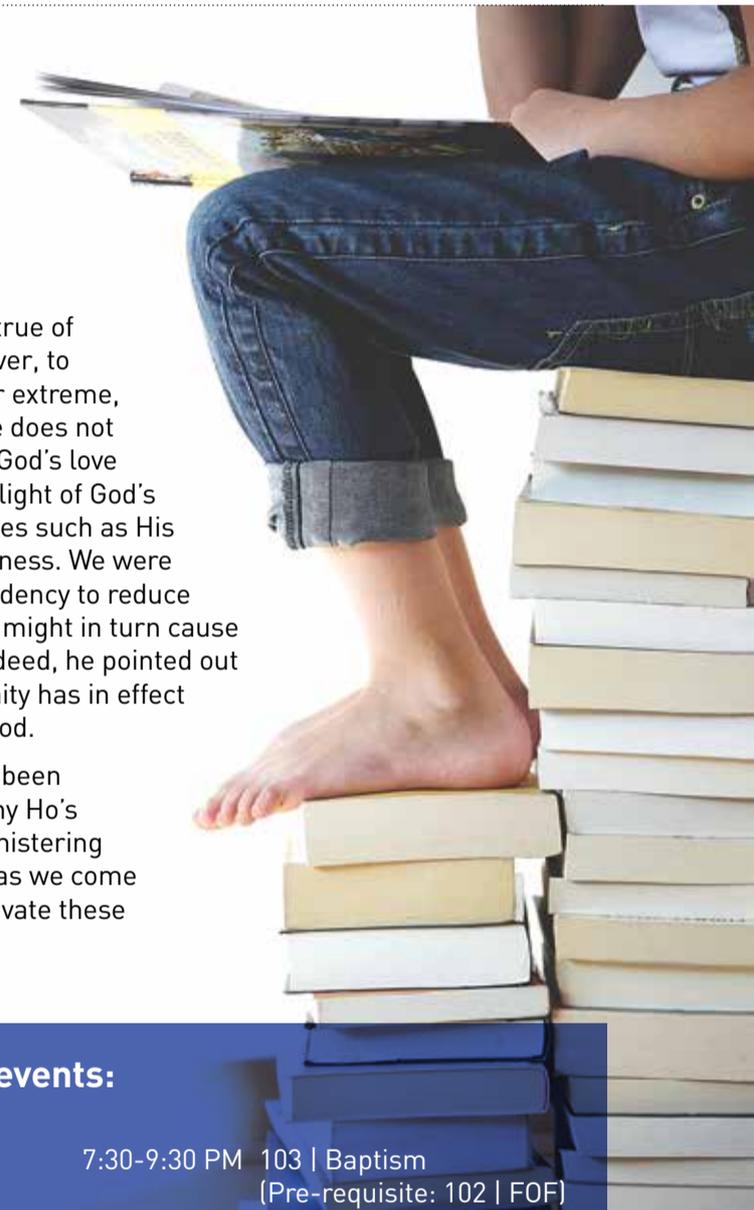
2, 9, 23, 30 Jul, GI 10-12 NN In&Out | Covenant -
Knowing God's Covenant

2, 9, 23, 30 Jul, GI 10-12 NN 40MIN | A Man's Strategy
to Conquering Temptations

13 Jul - 3 Aug, GI & GII 10-12 NN WOG-DBS - PUP | 1 John
17-31 Aug, Wed

GDP Seminar

16-Jul, Sat GI Galilee 9 AM-12 PM The Father's Love



WOG Saturday Bible Study • IN & OUT STUDY

Covenant - Knowing God's Covenant



This study of 11 lessons from Precept Ministries will help you understand God's covenant and bring the whole bible into focus.

Learn not only what it means to be in covenant with Jesus Christ but also with the historical traditions and the biblical and cultural background of this solemn, binding agreement.

See this incredible thread running from Genesis through Revelation.

God enters into a binding agreement with His people and always keeps His promises.

Trusting Him as a covenant partner frees us from the bondage of worry and anxiety. This study will transform the way you read the Scriptures!

Dates: 2, 9, 23, 30 Jul; 6, 13 Aug; 17 Sep - 22 Oct [12 Saturdays]

Time: 10.00 am - 12.00 pm

Venue: GI Eden Hall Cost: \$14 includes In & Out material

Registration closes on 26 June.

Register online at www.graceaog.org/gdp-bs

Men's Bible Study • 40-MIN STUDY

A Man's Strategy For Conquering Temptation

We live in a visual world. We live in a world inundated with sexual images. We live in a promiscuous world. The divorce rate is staggering and immorality is becoming the norm. In the midst of this unbelievable bombardment of sexual immorality, is there any chance that a man can control his thoughts, passions and desires? Should he even try? What does the Bible say about today's sexual standards? How can a man resist the temptations he faces? How can he overcome his weaknesses? How can he keep his thoughts under control, his passions in check, and his desires in line? These are just a few questions we want to answer as we search the Bible inductively regarding this subject.

Dates: 2, 9, 23, 30 Jul, 6, 13 Aug [6 Saturdays]

Time: 10am - 12pm

Venue: GI L3 Lounge

Fee: \$12 (Includes 40-Minute material)

Registration closes on 26 June.

Register online at www.graceaog.org/gdp-bs



WOG Day Bible Study • PRECEPT UPON PRECEPT

1 John

How do you know if you're really born again?

What does it mean to be holy or to love God?

In this inductive study of 1 John, you will be called back to the fundamentals of Christian beliefs as you examine what it means to love and have fellowship with God. As believers of Christ we are encouraged not to love the world but to live in the light by loving one another and most importantly loving God.

Come join us in this 12-week study.

Dates: 13, 20, 27 Jul; 3, 17, 24 Aug; 14, 21, 28 Sep; 12, 19, 26 Oct [Wednesdays]

Time: 10.00 am - 12.00 pm

Venue: GI & GII Cost: \$22 includes material

Registration closes on 26 June.

Register online at www.graceaog.org/gdp-bs



GDP Seminar with Ps Daren Tay

The Father's love

From the beginning of the New Testament to the end, the idea of God as Father is presented so frequently that his fatherhood has become a central feature of Christianity. Very often in the Christian faith we talk more about Jesus Christ than God the Father. It stops short of God's purpose that we should not just come to the Son, but through the Son we come to the Father.

Negative childhood experiences with our earthly fathers produced poor father images which distort the truth about God, our heavenly Father. Many people encounter emotional or mental block when they try to call God as Father.

This seminar on the Father's love seeks to present an understanding of the Father's heart of God and through the revelation of the Word of God and the ministry of the Holy Spirit; you will enter into a new season of intimate relationship with God, knowing Him as your heavenly Father. The revelation of the Father's heart and knowing Him as a Father produce beneficial outcomes that are lacking in the majority of people in different cultures.

Date: 16 Jul (Saturday)

Time: 9am - 12pm

Venue: GI Galilee Hall

Fee: \$5

Registration closes on 10 July.

Register online at www.graceaog.org/gdp-seminars.



Pastor Daren Tay is an experienced minister who has trained leaders, ministers and pastors over the last three decades. In the last 15 years of pastoral work, he spent his first ten years as Corporate Advisor and Pastor at Church Of Our Saviour (COOS) and the last five as Executive Pastor and Elder at City Missions Church (CMC). For several years, Pastor Daren served as President of the Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship, a market place ministry. He is currently an advisor to its Board, a board member of Asia Pacific Missions, and still finds time to train overseas missionaries at Bethany International University.

J333 PRAYER MEETINGS JUNE 2016

Prayer Focus: Love Friends
Engaging the communities / Expanding the world

COMBINED J333
(ENGLISH & CHINESE)

Date: 1 June 2016
(Wednesday)

Date: 29 June 2016
(Wednesday)

Time: 7.30pm - 8.30pm
Venues: GI L3 Bethel Hall

Venue: GI L1 Galilee

Dates: 8, 15, 22 June 2016
(Wednesday)

Time: 7.30pm - 8.30pm
Venues: GI L1 Galilee
G2 L4 Chapel

“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 OR Chang-Goh Song Eng 6801-0730
 All counselling sessions are strictly private and confidential

A Family in Grace

“When we come to the end of ourselves, we come to the beginning of God.” ~ Billy Graham

Having your first child is often a happy moment for all first time parents. What happened after your doctor broke the news to you that he is a special child. Devastation led to denial and eventual acceptance. Lifestyle adjustments made. From a full-time working professional to a stay-at-home-mum. From dual income to single income to no income when the other spouse had also lost his job due to the economic crisis. Where is God when it hurts most? Kua Ling, one of our members shares...



Han Young , Ling and Ethan having family time together

FLG: FamilyLife@Grace
KL: Kua Ling

FLG: Please introduce yourself to our readers

KL: I am Kua Ling. Kua is my surname and Ling is my name. Many people think that my name is Kua Ling, it is just Ling. I am born in China, Fujian but I was raised up in Hong Kong.

FLG: My family (How many people in your family, how big is your family)

KL: I am married to my husband, Han Young for 15 years. We have a son, Ethan who is 13 years old. We also have a dog and 2 rabbits. That is my family.

FLG: My home

KL: Home is at Bukit Batok

FLG: How long have you been in Grace?

KL: I have been attending Grace II since 2014 when I came back from Hong Kong.

FLG: We understand Ethan is a special child? Would you like to share with us more your son?

KL: Ethan was diagnosed as autistic when he was 2 years old. He is moderately autistic so he attends Eden School, a special school. Ethan has a very sweet character.

FLG: Share with us what went through your mind when you first discovered that Ethan is a special child?

KL: I found Ethan was not just an ordinary boy, somehow, the maternal instinct just could sense that something is different about my son. I sent him for a test and on his 2nd birthday, I was told of his condition. I was devastated. This happened in 1 in 10,000 kids. Why me, why my son?

FLG: When you found out about Ethan’s condition, you gave up your job to look after him yourself. What made you do that?

KL: An incident took place in 2005 in Hong Kong, at the MTR. Ethan refused to get out of the train station because we did not exit at his usual gate. I struggled to get him to alight from the train and it took 20 minutes just to get him to do that simple task. I decided then that I must give up my work to raise Ethan up myself.

FLG: After you became a stay-at-home-mum, what were the challenges you had to face.

KL: The nightmare of all stay-at-home-mums was to realise that her husband has been retrenched. That was exactly what happened. We were already a single income family. When my husband lost his job in 2008, we were without income for almost 4 years. With a special kid and both parents not working, life was indeed very tough. However, it was during these 4 years that my husband and Ethan developed a very strong father-son relationship.

During those difficult period, when all I heard from God was “Wait”, “Trust me” and there were times, it was just total silence. My health was also very poor during that period of time. I had a very bad backache, every morning I struggled to get out of my bed because of the pain. I could not bend down and doing housework was such a pain. I went for faith healing, but nothing happened. There were many times I cried desperately for help, and questioned God if He had forgotten about me...

FLG: How has God played a part in this extra-ordinary journey of your family?

KL: Times like that, I had to remind myself to be faithful and trust Him in all circumstances. This could only be possible because I have built a strong relationship with Him. When I have hit the bottom, the thing that must happen is to move up. There were many times, the story of Job reminded me that all these will come to pass and it did.

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Ethan with his daddy at the recent Reach Flag day.

One day, during my daily walk and prayer time, I told God that I have had enough! "You said that you will take control of everything." "Now, I let you take control. I surrender all to You, I don't care anymore."

Slowly, things began to happen. One day, I woke up without the pain on my back and realised I was free from the pain for the past few days. My husband was also given more opportunities; doors were opened for him. As for Ethan, when I left him in God's hand, I realised God has actually blessed him with such a sweet character. God reminded me that I have to accommodate and embrace his disabilities because he was fearfully and beautifully made in God's image. It was not for my son to change to suit my world.

FLG: What I want to tell Grace members.

KL: No matter how hard life treats us, God is always in control. Persevere and finish the race. Our paths may run in circles and it seems no way out, always remember, there is always a way out in His time.

Watch for the new thing I am going to do. It is happening already—you can see it now I will make a road through the wilderness and give you streams of water there. Isa 43:19

Please send your comments to familylifegrace@gmail.com

Lovers' Retreat is Back!

Block these dates and look out for more information. Two Lovers' Retreats will be organized this year:

For all married couples
27-28 Aug 2016

For couples married less than 10 years
10-12 Sep 2016

WELCOME

We are pleased to welcome **Francis Lee** as the new head for the Married Life Division. Francis is not only passionate about building a strong married life for all married couples but he also has a heart for mentoring couples who are getting married, this is to help them to build strong marriages from day one.

We would like to extend our appreciation to **Steven Chan**, who has been instrumental in building up the Married Life Division.



Francis seen here with his lovely wife, Lindai and their three children, Asher, Gracia and Elisha

SHAME - FEAR - CONTROL

A major stronghold that we as believers might face is the Shame-Fear-Control stronghold. SHAME is a sense that we are hopelessly flawed and have failed. In attempting to cope with our shame, we give place to FEARS in our lives. We try to take CONTROL of the situation or issues, attempt to cover up our shame and to keep it from being exposed in order to keep our fears under wrap. As a result, we live our lives in bondage, and feel unable to break out of this cycle of shame-fear-control.

This is a teaching cum ministry session.

Come and experience the Lord's healing and freedom.

Date: Sat 25 Jun
Time: 9.30 am – 1 pm
Venue: G2, Praise Room

Cost: \$5 (include materials & refreshments)
– early-bird sign-up till 10 Jun
\$10 (include materials & refreshments)
– after 10 Jun till closing date on 19 Jun

Online Registration: <https://event.graceaog.org>

Payment to be made via cash or cheque at the church office at G1 or G11.

Testimony of Lin Xiangbin

This is a testimony about how the Lord has been faithful to me.

Around the middle of 2014, I was physically, mentally, and spiritually exhausted from working full-time and studying part-time. Neither was I able to meet expectations at work nor meet my deadlines in school. Due to insufficient rest and chronic stress, I was also constantly falling ill. I had come to a point where I could no longer find any motivation to continue this hectic lifestyle that I had imposed on myself. However, I had too much pride in me to give up either working or studying.

During one Sunday service, there was a guest speaker from Germany where he shared about the difficulties that he and his family faced while serving God, and how he was able to persevere by reminding himself of his purpose to glorify God. It was a timely message and I was greatly encouraged. It was a simple message but it provided me with the renewal of motivation and strength to persevere in my situation. I made a promise to God during that sermon and when I complete my studies, I will declare that it was God's grace that had brought me through. The thought of being able to use this challenging period as an opportunity to glorify God granted me renewed strength and a higher purpose to persevere.

God started to show me that He would provide for me and when I had to pay additional school fees for failing a module in school, I felt guilty and

ashamed for my failure and poor management of time. However, over the next few days, my employer declared a mid-year bonus in which the amount of the bonus was able to cover the additional school fees. I felt that that was the Father comforting me and reassuring me that he knew things were difficult for me, and that he would provide for me. Remembering my promise to glorify God, I forwarded a short testimony to my friends, school mates and colleagues, and I was blessed by their responses in return.

With the new found motivation, I continued to push myself, working and studying, but also continuing to fall ill frequently. By then, the lymph nodes on the left side of my neck were swollen for close to six months. In December 2014, I went to see an ENT specialist as several of my lymph nodes had become visibly swollen and began to be very painful. The specialist (a very experienced one in his 70s) took note of all my symptoms and took a needle biopsy of a lymph node. The biopsy results came back very soon - "atypical cells - lymphoma to be considered". The specialist shared that my symptoms were pointing to cancer of the lymph node. He estimated that there was 80% chance that the second biopsy will confirm the cancer as he had ruled out all other conditions.

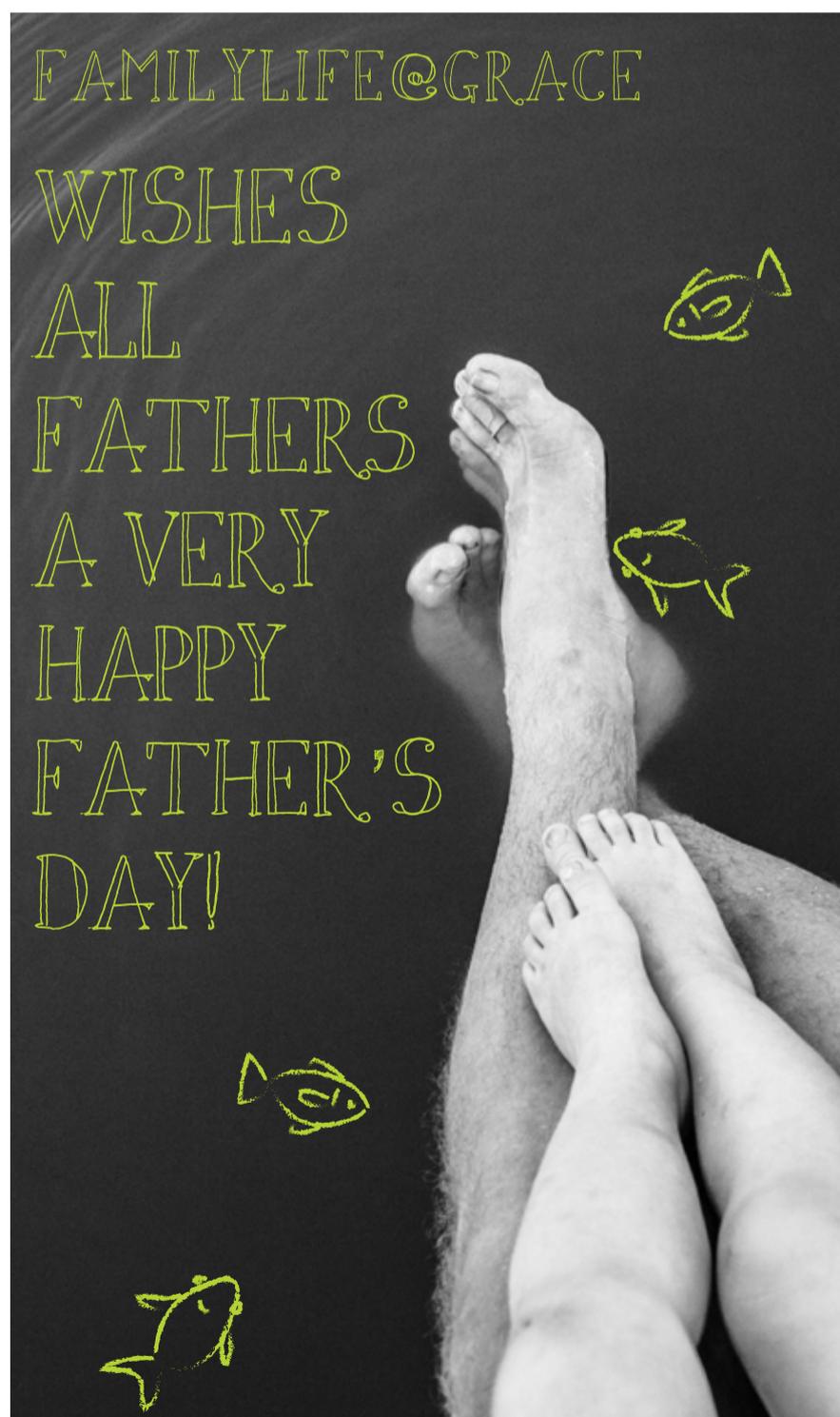
The following few weeks were nerve-wrecking while we waited for the results of the second biopsy. The future suddenly became uncertain for me and my family. We shared this with our cell group who prayed for me and my family. Thank God, the results of the second biopsy indicated that no cancer cells were found! The specialist himself was taken aback. He commented that lady luck was smiling on me and even said that I should buy 4D although he was also not able to explain what had happened.

While I was relieved on one hand but I was also upset with God on the other. This was because I had thought that being ill for a while would be my best excuse to stop my hectic lifestyle, but God had 'deprived' me of my much needed rest by healing me. I knew that I could not continue studying and working any longer yet I remained hesitant to throw in the towel. With that, I asked God to give me a clear sign.

One day, I asked that if it was His will that I stop working by sending someone to tell me that I needed to take a break on that very day. To my disbelief, he sent a colleague to check on me that same day, and he uttered the exact words before leaving my desk, "Xiangbin, I think you need to take a break". I was dumbfounded but touched that the Lord had provided such a clear sign to me. His presence with me was so real that day. I subsequently went ahead and applied for extended no-pay leave for a year. The very next day, my wife was notified at work that she would be promoted and would be given a pay raise. It had turned out that the effective date of her promotion was also the very day I stopped working. No one could have planned this better than our Heavenly Father! I felt that God was telling me that I had made the right decision to take a break from work, and that he would continue to watch over us and provide for us. Without even asking, the Father provided.

Today, I have completed my studies earlier than expected and have returned to the workforce. This period of extended leave had allowed me to take sufficient rest and to rebuild my health. I was able to dedicate more time to my health and my family. I've also started to serve in a small capacity in the children's church. While I was on unpaid leave and had no income, God convicted me and provided for me to give monthly to missions. Indeed, I can testify that God is good, and that He has the very best plans for us.

Thank you Lord! Amen!



NEW GRACE GROUP IN SENGKANG

Beginning June 2016, there will be a new Grace Group starting in Sengkang area. Gracians who are living in the vicinity and are not attending any Grace Groups are welcome to join in. For queries and more info, please contact Ronnie Lee at 97430067; ronnie.lee@graceaog.org

The Climax of “The Greatest Love Story” in GFM

BY SIS JEREMY RETUTA

“The Wedding” which was the climax of “The Greatest Love Story” episode was one of fruitful and remarkable events of GFM on the 1st May.

It was a sacred celebration blessed by the Senior Pastor Calvin Lee and witnessed by his wife, Sis Charis Leo as the 19 couples of GFM including Bro Napoleon Cristobal and Ps Rosita Cristobal renewed their wedding vows. It was glorious then when the brides did the entourage one by one, as their respective groom excitedly wait inside the church for their arrival. The event was another open door to share God’s goodness to the 29 first time visitors whom had completed the 189 congregational turnout.

Senior Pastor Calvin Lee shared his personal experience when he and his wife were wed; it was a spectacular affair as he described. He contrasted the wedding on earth to the ultimate wedding we all be having with the lover of our soul Jesus Christ who is in heaven; a place where we find rest, restoration and rejoicing, it is the dwelling place of the Lord where we can lavish in His awesome presence; and this is of great certainty! We come as the bride and not as guest to be united with our divine bridegroom. What a glorious celebration and reunion with our Lord Jesus Christ and with God the Father! As we Christians were made aware of these promises since the day we accepted Jesus in our lives; Senior Ps Calvin Lee encouraged everyone to live today in the light of the most awaited time and to let others know about this grand wedding and give the glory only to God.



Date with Dad

3 July, Sunday
2.30 p.m. - 5.30 p.m.
Tunglok Teahouse @ Far East Square
\$100 Per Father-Daughter Pair

In collaboration with Focus on the Family, R-AGE is organising “Date with Dad” for the first time — an event for father and daughter (14-19 Years Old) pairs in Grace Assembly.

It is a high-tea event where a father will get to spend quality time with his teenage daughter and affirm her of his role in her life in a meaningful manner. Fathers will get an opportunity to create a unique memory with their precious daughters. There’s no better way to spend a Sunday afternoon! Spaces are limited so quickly register at: <http://tinyurl.com/DatewithDad> to secure your seats!

Registration will close on 20 June or when all the tickets are sold. Hope to see you and your daughter at Date with Dad!

REACH Community Flag Day 2016 – God is Good!

Firstly, we want to give thanks to God for His faithfulness and providence. We were blessed with fair weather and proactive volunteers who approached the public to spread the spirit of giving with the joy of the Lord. For those who were unable to volunteer on the day itself, they gave generously through our 'Adopt a Tin' initiative.

We started off REACH Community Flag Day with plans to engage 2000 volunteers to raise \$100,000. The ministry staff and lay leaders, especially the pastors, rallied the church to volunteer over the pulpit and through the cell groups. Senior Pastor, Calvin Lee, was the first to sign up, leading by example to spearhead the first flag day of REACH Community Services Society – the social service arm of the church.

On 30 April, volunteers, young and old, came together to raise funds for the least, the lost and the lonely. Of the 800 volunteers, 600 came from Grace. Funds raised will support our programmes at REACH Senior and REACH Youth.

Though we fell short of the target of engaging 2,000 volunteers, but through the effort of the 800 volunteers, we raised \$73,000 from all the donations collected that day! Praise the Lord!

Mdm Chung, 78 years old, was one of the many volunteers who campaigned with us and speaking in mandarin, "My whole family serves in church. And this is one of the ways that I get to serve God. It's my privilege." She went on to fill up two tins over the span of four hours. Our staff from REACH even had to request for her to sit down and take a break at our reporting station at Jurong East!

Overall, the volunteers enjoyed themselves while serving God in this manner. It was a first time for many volunteers, and some even mentioned that they would like to continue volunteering with REACH. Through this flag day, Gracians also got to know REACH and her services better.

As this was the first flag day that we have organised, there were areas for improvement, so thank you for being patient and allowing us to grow and learn from this inaugural event! We look forward to partnering more Gracians to share Christ's love through simple acts of kindness.

To find out more about REACH Community Services Society's programmes, please visit our website at www.reach.org.sg or like our page on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/rcsssingapore/>.



REACH Community Flag Day (April 30, 2016)

So, what's the number?

Since the day after the REACH Community Flag Day, members have been asking, so what is the final number, how much did we raise? Now we have it. This fund raising attempt brought in a total of **\$115,665.60** for REACH Community Services Society and her beneficiaries.

COLLECTION SUMMARY

1	Coins and notes collected from the public, (including pre-event collections)	\$84,833.65
2	A donor (also a Church Member), topped up the collections to \$88,888.00	\$4,054.35
3	Post event, a Corporate CSR Partner agreed to underwrite the cost of event	\$7,500.00
4	Grant from Singapore Totaliser Board	\$19,277.60
Grand Total		\$115,665.60

With the help and favour of the Lord, we have exceeded the target of \$100,000.00. Once again, God is good, and surprised us with gifts beyond our comprehension. All our needs are met in Him.

We apologize for the late release of the number as there was a queue for coin counting services at the Singapore Mint. It has taken Singapore Mint 10 full days to clear the crowd before us.

Community Engagement and Outreach

BY HO SIEW CHEONG

I was asked by a few Church members with good intention, "Given that we need to raise funds for REACH, is doing a Community Flag Day an productive way to raise funds, and does the potential returns match up with the effort?"

Community Flag Day, an effective platform?

That was a very good question indeed. It really depends on what we want. While the reach of a flag day is broad, and can technically cover the whole country, typically single donations are small, and in most cases we end up collecting mostly coins, loose change and small denomination notes. The success, in terms of amount of money raised, of such an endeavor then lies squarely on just one (or two) key factors – How successful we are to mobilize as large a number of volunteers, and to convince them to spend as many hours as possible out in the streets soliciting donations.

In the case of the REACH Community Flag Day, we want both. We want to collect some cash to help finance the work we do with the Community, and we also want to mobilize lots and lots of volunteers, mostly Gracians, to rise up to the call, to be missional, and to go out to do something to help reach the Community.

The 2nd objective is more important than the first. Greater than the amount of money collected is the value of such an experience, especially in the context of the Church. What messages and purpose we bring before members for so doing, enough for them to forgo a portion of their precious weekend to carry the cause of REACH and Grace. Engagement with the Community is the necessary first step towards building bridges towards the Community, to eventually allow members bring the the Church, and the love of Christ to the Community.

While there are many ways to raise funds, not many provide the platform for mass participation like the Flag Day. Take Charity golf for instance. It is beyond doubt an effective fund raising option, as each golfer donate a significant amount to the cause as they play, but at most, we could only involve 144 people over 36 golf flights. Golf is a game that not many people can play nor identify with.

Mobilizing the masses

The Flag Day provides the platform for a large numbers of Church members from different age groups and with different skill sets to serve together. As Rick Warren once put it, "We're better together", with one supporting the other, with the strong helping the weak, with the more able shouldering more load and helping those less able to. That's how the body of Christ works. The Flag Day, provides the platform for families, some 2-generational, and some 3-generational, to serve together, grandma, grandpa, mum, dad and child all chipping in, united by a common goal to do good and reach out to the Community. Cell groups can serve together, some more confident and gung-ho encouraging and urging the less confident and more cautious to serve, and for members to keep challenging one another to do better and do more. The benefits to the Church is tremendous.

A people united by a common purpose, serving as one.

A few heart warming stories

The following are testimonies of two of our Church members, the first is from Bro Yee, a career soldier, and father of three, who along with his wife brought their kids and their elderly grandpa to plough the streets together

"To be honest, I didn't take much notice of the Flag Day when it was announced during the Sunday services. It was only when I went to fetch my children, Cavan and Verity, from the children's church that they excitedly told me about it and asked if they could sign up for the Flag Day. My wife and I had some reservations about committing time to the event especially during the children's school exam period. . But it was my children's enthusiasm and willingness to do a part for the community that won us over. They even convinced my father-in-law who to join us.

On the actual day, we chose Clementi market as the location to raise funds for the Flag Day. Our children while excited were a little shy at

the beginning. After some encouragement from my wife and me, they began to approach the residents and the passers-by. Even my youngest 5-year old girl went forward to approach some senior citizens to ask for donations.

I met some colleagues while collecting donations and took the opportunity to explain to them that I was raising funds for RCS to support programs for senior citizens and youths.

My biggest takeaway is to see my children taking their own initiative to be involved in community work, and going out of their comfort zones to ask for donation to support a worthy cause. Through our conversations during the event, we impressed on them that they can do things to help people, despite their young age. It gives me immense joy to hear members of the public praising my children for doing community work at their age.

The second testimony comes from Bro Ong, the principal of a primary school.

Q1: What motivates you to participate, and to bring your wife, and convince your cell to participate?

A1: Honestly speaking, I did not sign up at the beginning because I had to attend another event that morning which I had already promised to go earlier. It was only later that we realised that we could sign up for the afternoon session that we decided to go ahead. My wife and I then decided to ask our cell since we were going, we might as well encourage our cell to participate and sign up together.

Q2: Some people have stayed away arguing that this is an activity only suitable for the Youth, what are your views on that?

A2: There is no age limitation when it comes to doing community work. We see this as another opportunity to reach the community for Jesus. Our very existence during the flag day speaks volume that it is not just the young who must have a heart for the less fortunate. In fact our age was an advantage as we were able to connect with the senior, adults and also the youth.

Q3: In your work, you are in a position of considerable authority. What would you do if you chance upon one of your reports in the course of collecting donations from the public?

A3: The place I work is near to where we had the flag day. So naturally I was prepared to see some familiar faces. Interestingly, I did meet some. The first expression on their faces was surprised especially not expecting a person of authority to be holding a donation tin walking around asking for money from total strangers. This was followed by an exclamation, "Oh, you are helping in selling the flags! Many then went on to give generously. To me that was the best lesson I could present to them on helping others. Truly it was an opportunity to 'walk the talk.'

Q4: What is your biggest personal take away from participating in the REACH Community Flag Day?

A4: The whole exercise was really a humbling experience. We have to go beyond just standing still for people to donate to opening up and approaching total strangers asking for donation. Many answered to the call and donated generously. You could see the generosity of Singaporeans in wanting to help those who are really in needs. However, there were also those that gave you the blank look and just walked on. When it comes to giving, you can never tell by the look, age or dressing of the person who will give and who will not. We were reminded of the widow who put in two copper coins but yet to Jesus, he had put in the most. Our duty is therefore not to judge but to give an opportunity to everyone. There were also teachable moments where we encouraged parents to take the opportunity to impart values to their children. At the end of the event, although tired, we were satisfied not so much that we have managed to fill up two empty cans with money and the cans were quite heavy by then, but more so we were able in a small way, to shine for Jesus and be missional where we enjoyed ourselves!



INTERNATIONAL GRACE ASSEMBLY, VIETNAM

Rev Calvin Lee was ministering on 15 May at IGA and also at the church of Rev Samuel Lam who is the General Superintendent of the Assemblies of God of Vietnam. We thank God for the growth of the congregation at both churches. We are also thankful for the faithfulness of Ps Andy Sim and his wife Sis Jennifer. If you have friends or family in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, you can tell them about IGA. Feel free to visit the church when you are there for holiday!

Website: www.igahcmc.org



RIAU ISLANDS, KARIMUN (INDONESIA)

Every Saturday, the local pastor runs two children outreach with feeding programs. These programs are sponsored by our own children in Grace Kids.

In 30th April, the team to Karimun ministered in both locations. The presence of the Lord was strongly felt when the children were worshipping the Lord. It was an awesome moment in the presence of God with the children singing in Bahasa Indonesia. The team enjoyed the ministry with the children and had a time of prayer with the pastors in Karimun.



WISDOM IN GIVING – (PART 2 OF 2)

BY REV CHAN PECK YIN

There are people who are in genuine need. Indeed as Jesus himself says, it is more blessed to give than to receive. We need to thank God that He has put Grace Assembly in a position to give and to be a blessing to the nations. This is where Grace Missions comes in, to manage and facilitate this whole process of us being a blessing to the nations. The last thing we want to do is to 'spoil the market', or in technical terms, 'to spoil the ground'. There are people overseas who have never seen big money before. If we are to give in our usual big manner, they may not know how to manage the money where they may end up being lazy and greedy. They may even squander it away and get themselves entangled with many vices.

Here are three words of exhortation when giving in the mission field.

1. Empower the marginalised to stand on their own.

"Suppose a brother or a sister is without clothes and daily food. If one of you says to them, "Go in peace; keep warm and well fed," but does nothing about their physical needs, what good is it?." - James 2:15-16

In the teaching on neighbourliness, the Good Samaritan brought the man who was robbed to the inn and paid for his stay, food and probably the journey home. There are many ways to give something to someone. Astuteness is key. Besides verifying their needs, we should also decide wisely how much should be good for them.

Besides giving money in one lump sum, you can give in kind, give in stages and then check on their progress. Avoid walking away after giving (like Santa Claus). The dignity of the person is to be respected and giving should discontinue when the recipient is able to stand on his own. For example – buying rice, oil, and other necessities for the poor families in Riau is a better option than giving them money. In times when cash is needed, we need to ascertain the normal wage in that country before deciding how much to give

2. Sponsor where support is needed.

We need to recognise that there are two main types of needs: 1. those that help communities sustain themselves, and 2. those that require long term sponsorship (i.e. the bottomless pits).

The church falls under the first category. The church has a limited budget and the budget is contributed via your giving to Grace Missions. Thus it is the responsibility of the Grace Missions to look for projects that ends up with communities able to sustain itself. It is not wise for the church to throw money contributed by church members into bottomless pits.

On the other hand, in the second category, lies most social projects run by NGOs. For example if the NGO is helping children towards better nutrition and education, this would mean regular long term sponsorships. Such projects require bigger budgets and dedicated funds to meet that need.

Giving to either of the above two types of causes is good so long as the credibility of the various ministries is verified by understanding the set up and the people working on the ground. Like any insurance policy or financial plan, our understanding of the product determines our decision to invest in them.

3. Preach the gospel besides meeting social needs.

Jesus said, "The poor you will always have with you" (Matt. 26:11). No matter how much food we give, how many shelters we provide, how many physicians we deploy or how much medicine we send, poverty remains. Does that mean that we should just shrug our shoulders and walk away? Of course not! Jesus never turned away from someone in need. Every person Jesus helped, he did it in such a way that they would put their faith and trust in Him alone.

Our ministry is not merely to preach a social gospel and to meet physical needs. The ultimate mission is to rescue lost souls from the front gates of hell and lead them to experience the life in Christ. The emphasis of our efforts should always be on preaching the gospel to the poor because the greatest poverty is poverty of the soul. Social programs cannot change the human heart; the gospel must be preached.

Part 1 of this article was in the May issue of the bulletin.

Rev Chan Peck Yin was sent by Grace Missions to Orissa, India (2001-2003), Timor Leste (2005-2009). She is now the Country Director for Indonesia (2009- now).

FEATURED MISSIONS WORKER



Hi Gracians! My name is Jeraldine and I have been a member of Grace Assembly since 2004. I am currently serving at Youth With A Missions (YWAM) Battambang base in Cambodia focusing in the areas of discipleship, worship and prayer. My passion is to establish a prayer + worship + missions movement as I believe they must work hand-in-hand to see the Great Commission being fulfilled according to the will of God.

It was through a Cambodia trip with Grace Missions back in 2011 that God revealed to me my calling to be a missionary. I saw a vision of a soldier claiming territories where the gospel has never been preached. The soldier stuck a flag into the ground and declare that this place belongs to God, praise and worship will arise from that place.

This vision is appropriate in my serving as a staff in Discipleship Training School (DTS). Here I can be part of raising up the younger generation in Christ, and also to raise up people who have a heart for the unreached people groups in China all the way to the Middle East. There will be opportunities for me to bring teams into such places for outreach and to disciple them, teaching them the Chinese language and culture. All these preparations will help them to transit easier into long-term missions. I believe I am called to be the connecting bridge between non-Chinese missionaries and the Chinese nationals.

I want this to encourage those who have the missions calling in their lives to obey and pursue what God has for them. The harvest is indeed plentiful but the labourers are few. May the grace of God be with you as He fulfils what He has already started in you.

Blessings,
Jeraldine Lim
 ljerateliert@gmail.com

UPCOMING MISSIONS TRIPS

Please pray with the missions trippers for God's protection to rest on them, and that they would be sensitive to the Holy Spirit's leading.

East Asia
 02/06/2016 - 15/06/2016
 Eric Seah

Sri Lanka
 23/06/2016 - 01/07/2016
 Ricky Lui

West Kalimantan, Indonesia
 23/06/2016 - 01/07/2016
 Sheryl Teo

East Asia
 26/06/2016 - 10/07/2016
 Rev Richard Wee

TRIPS AVAILABLE FOR SIGN UP

BANGLADESH
 01 - 11 December

INDIA
 25 November - 03 December (Orissa)

WEST BENGAL
 06 - 12 September

NEPAL
 18 - 24 November

VIETNAM
 10 - 17 October
 26 December - 02 January 2017

MYANMAR
 05 - 10 October
 30 November - 05 December

CAMBODIA
 03 - 07 Oct
 18 - 24 November
 02 - 07 December

INDONESIA
 12 - 19 July (South Sulawesi)
 23 - 28 August (Pekanbaru)
 09 - 14 December (Pekanbaru)

RIAU ISLANDS, INDONESIA
Batam
 26 August
 13 October

Karimun
 27 - 28 August
 28 - 30 October
 26 - 27 November
 03 - 04 December

Tg. Pinang
 13 - 14 August
 10 - 11 December

Tg. Uban
 01 - 02 October

Due to flight schedules and other unpredictable circumstances, these dates are tentative.
 Do send an email to matthew.tan@graceaog.org for more enquiries about Grace Missions or her mission trips.

EVENTS CALENDAR 2016

JUNE - AUGUST

01/06	Grace Retreat Briefing (English)	GI L3 Bethel 8.30pm
09/06 – 13/06	Grace Retreat (English)	Hotel Pullman, KL Bangsar, MY
29/06	J333 Prayer Meeting (Combined)	GI L1 Galilee 7.30pm
02/07	Grace Party	GII L1 Café Area 7pm
02/07 – 13/08	Men's Bible Study MBS (Saturdays)	GI L3 Lounge 10am
02/07 – 24/09	Adult Alpha Course (Saturdays)	GII L1 Fellowship Area 12pm
02/07 – 22/10	Women of Grace WOG-DBS (Saturdays)	GI Eden Hall 10am
08/07 – 09/07	Marketplace Ministry	GI L1 Galilee 9am
13, 20, 27/07	Lunchtime Prayer & Fasting	GI L3 Emmaus 12pm
13/07 – 26/10	Women of Grace WOG-DBS (Weds)	GI & GII 10am
16/07	GDP Seminar: The Father's Love	GI L1 Galilee Hall 9.30am
27/07	J333 Prayer Meeting (Combined)	GI L1 Galilee 7.30pm
19 – 20/08	Conference with Ps Peter Tsukahira (English)	GI L3 Bethel Hall 7.00pm & GI L3 Bethel Hall 9.30am
31/08	J333 Prayer Meeting (Combined)	GI L1 Galilee 7.30pm

Event details are subject to changes, please refer to www.graceaog.org for latest info & updates.

Special Conference with Ps Peter Tsukahira

"Israel, the Church and God's Kingdom"



This August we are privileged to have a special conference with Ps Peter Tsukahira right here at Grace speaking on Israel, the Church and God's Kingdom and their correlation in this end times!

Mark these dates! Look out for more details soon.

Date : Fri, 19 Aug (7.30 pm)

Sat, 20 Aug (9.30 am – 12.30 pm)

Venue : Grace I

*Peter Tsukahira, Co-Founder of Kehilat HaCarmel, an Israeli Messianic congregation, and Director of the Or HaCarmel Ministry Center has lived in Israel for more than 25 years. He is a graduate of CFNI (Texas) and Tufts University (Massachusetts) and holds a Master of Divinity degree. In 2000, he established the Mount Carmel School of Ministry (www.mountcarmelsom.com), which has been instrumental in building strong bridges of relationship between Israel and the nations. Peter's international teaching ministry and his books have impacted many around the world with an understanding of God's heart and purposes for Israel: *God's Tsunami: Understanding Israel and End-time Prophecy* (www.godstsunami.com), *My Father's Business: Guidelines for Ministry in the Marketplace and Culture of the Kingdom* (www.cultureofthekingdom.com).*



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Open House for Academic Year 2017



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For more information, please contact:

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

**Mr Wong Kit Ho Justin
and
Ms Soh Wanxian Kimberly**

18 June 2016

STAFF FEATURE

TIFFANY TAY

Hi! My name is Tiffany, and I am serving in R-AGE Youth Ministry. I discovered my heart for young people after I took up the role of cell leading at the age of 18. I served in R-AGE for about 3 years as a cell leader, then in Grace Kids for about 3 years before returning back to R-AGE again last year when the Lord opened doors for me to serve in the new Pre-teens Ministry - Emerge.

I received the call for full-time ministry at the age of 19, during a mission trip in Sri Lanka. I can still remember vividly what happened and how I felt at that moment. It was my first time preaching at one of the services at a youth camp. As soon as I finished preaching the sermon, a sudden thought assailed through my mind whereby I could do this forever! It definitely could not have been a perceived kind of thought of my own because no one had ever spoken to me about serving the Lord full-time before. I had no knowledge of what is serving God full-time when that thought surfaced, so I knew without a doubt that it was the Holy Spirit's prompting. I shared with Pastor Joey Asher, my commander for REAL Programme at that time, about what I heard from God, and he told me to "protect your calling and go finish up your studies first and we'll talk about it again".

I heeded his advice, kept the calling in my heart, and did all that I could to nurture the call and ensured that I was on track to where the Lord was leading me. Just before you start thinking that it was an easy journey coming into full-time, it was not. I come from a pre-Christian family, so coming to serve the Lord full-time was a pretty tough journey for me. I wanted to start serving God when I graduated from Nanyang Technological University (NTU), but my parents were not pleased and did not approve of me. In an attempt to obey them and to be a good testimony, I did not force my way through; instead, I worked outside for about a year until my mother gave her consent to me working in church.

And here I am, 6 years from the Sri Lanka mission trip, pursuing what the Lord has called me to in the youth ministry. If you are reading this and you have a desire to serve the Lord full-time, please don't dismiss the desire because you who have been called are privileged! Continue to seek Him for direction and trusting in His timing as He moves.



Here's a photo of my family celebrating my 25th birthday this year!

Calling all new friends of Grace!

If you are new in Grace, and have started attending our services any time since January this year, you are invited to our Grace Party!

Come and join us for a night of great food, fun and family bonding time.

The party is on **2 July, 7:00pm, GII Café Area** (level 1).

Please RSVP with Esther Koh at esther.koh@graceaog.org / 64100841 by 26 June.

Why attending church is so important

PART 1

BY MATT BROWN



A few weeks ago an online post from a major ministry struck a nerve when it stated the necessity of church attendance for your growth as a believer in Christ.

It's surprising to me how many Christians struggle with the idea of church attendance. We are at a crossroads in our nation on the importance of going to church. According to research, church attendance has remained virtually the same percent of our national population for the past 70 years, however, this still means there are a huge number of American Christians who are not active in a local church—in the tens of millions.

Of course, this isn't a new problem. Since the beginning of Christianity, the early leaders had to challenge this mindset, saying, "Do not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encourage one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching" (Hebrews 10:25).

A popular Christian social media catch-phrase is, "You don't go to church, you are the church." While I get the sentiment in some ways, this is an unhealthy view, pitting "being the church" and "going to church" against each other. If we are truly "the church," then we will surely get together with other believers regularly. We cannot "be" the church, if we don't "go" to church. Not fully anyways.

The "church" never connotes a single, individual, lone ranger Christian just going about his Christian duties and never gathering together to worship with other believers. The "church" by its very nature means multiple believers: "Where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them" (Matthew 18:20).

This is both the biblical and historical pattern set forth for us by the first followers of Jesus. They would get together weekly to worship God together, and at times even daily. They would also share community together in each other's homes. Paul and the other Apostle's letters were actually sent to these church communities that gathered in various cities to be read aloud together. Church means getting together with other believers to worship Jesus Christ, and hear the Scriptures together, and encourage one another in the faith.

Craig Groeschel shared recently, "There is something better. To worship God together and be committed to worship Him together, to hear His Word together. Do not reduce church to listening to a podcast. It's so much more than that. It's community. It's worshiping with other, praying for others, hurting with others, serving others, being involved in the lives of others."

And here's the reality of the biblical call to gather with other believers. There are many options for going to church for each of us. You can look for a church that is right for you. I'm not telling you to go to a certain style, type or denomination of church—I'm simply challenging you to gather with other believers regularly to worship and hear the Scriptures.

The biblical pattern for church is this:

- Every Christian should gather together to hear the Scriptures and worship Jesus together with other believers weekly (see Acts 20:7; 1 Corinthians 16:2; Acts 2:42; Colossians 3:16; 1 Corinthians 16:19; Colossians 4:15; Romans 16:5; Acts 20:20; James 2:2; Psalm 84:4; Psalm 37:17; Psalm 92:13).
- It is also good to meet for smaller groups of Christian community in each other's homes regularly (see Acts 2:46).
- It's good to have leaders overseeing the work and needs of each local church — this is the biblical pattern — not all of us are called to church leadership, and so we should submit to and serve whoever God has called to lead at the place we find ourselves (see Acts 14:23; Titus 1:5; Hebrews 13:7, 17; 1 Timothy 5:17; 1 Thessalonians 5:12-13; Philippians 1:1b; Ephesians 4:11-12; 1 Corinthians 12:28; 1 Peter 5:1-2; Acts 20:17).
- If there are believers who are unable for physical reasons to attend a church weekly, they should find a church or believers who will gather together with them regularly for worship in their own home (see James 5:14; James 1:27).

TO BE CONTINUED IN THE JULY ISSUE ... WHY ATTENDING CHURCH IS SO IMPORTANT

*This article is written by Matt Brown, an evangelist, author of *Awakening* (2015, Leafwood Publishers), and founder of *Think Eternity*. He and his wife Michelle are impacting thousands of people with the gospel each year through live events and online. They also minister to more than 400,000 followers on social media daily.*

医治 释放 事工

主的灵在我身上，因为他用膏膏我，叫我传福音给贫穷的人；差遣我报告：被掳的得释放，瞎眼的得看见，叫那受压制的得自由，报告神悦纳人的禧年。(路加福音4:18-19)

在这黑暗的世代，神在呼召合神心意的工人，进入末世收割庄稼的行动，此事工按着神的心意，为的就是要学习耶稣的榜样，使万人成为耶稣的门徒，完成耶稣所交付的大使命。

人从有生命开始，整个成长过程，都渴望爱与接纳，渴望平安与喜乐，渴望丰富与完全，然而环顾自己与周围的人，不可否认人人都有一段伤心史，在成长的过程中经历过不可磨灭的伤痛与负面的影响。然而“主受差遣要医好伤心的人”，我们需要更新我们的灵，让旧事过去，恢复与人的关系，与天父的关系，接纳自己，成为新造的人。

医治释回事工致力于帮助教会弟兄姊妹，处理辅导所无法处理灵里的问题，使他们从过去的捆绑中得医治、释放、修复生命的破口，灵命被建造，经历神为每一个基督徒所预备身、心、灵的全然救赎，从而能真正享受神救恩的自由与喜乐。

借着医治释回事工，使基督徒成为神国大能的军队，战胜撒但国度，带来神国复兴，并预备教会成为圣洁国度的新妇，迎见主再来。

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讲员：郑文坤牧师

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郑文坤牧师是一名经验丰富的牧者，在过去的三十年里训练无数有素质的牧者、同工和领袖。目前，他是全备福音商人团契的顾问，亚太差传大会的执事。虽然工作繁重，但是郑牧师仍然抽出时间来培训海外宣教士。



GRACE SERVICES

GRACE I SERVICES: 355 Tanglin Road Singapore 247960

Saturday 1.30 pm

HOKKIEN SERVICE	GALILEE	LEVEL 1
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Saturday 5 pm

YOUNG ADULTS & YOUNG PROFESSIONALS (YAYP) SERVICE	BETHEL	LEVEL 3
CANTONESE SERVICE	GALILEE	LEVEL 1
ELEVATE @ R-AGE YOUTH (14-19 YRS OLD)	EMMAUS	LEVEL 3

Sunday 9 am

ENGLISH SERVICE	BETHEL	LEVEL 3
MANDARIN SERVICE	GALILEE	LEVEL 1
SHINE @ GRACE KIDS (7-10 YRS OLD)	EDEN	LEVEL 2
SPARKLE @ GRACE KIDS (3-6 YRS OLD)	ZION	LEVEL 5

Sunday 11.15 am

ENGLISH SERVICE	BETHEL	LEVEL 3
FILIPINO SERVICE	GALILEE	LEVEL 1
EMERGE @ R-AGE YOUTH (11-13 YRS OLD)	EMMAUS	LEVEL 3
SHINE @ GRACE KIDS (7-10 YRS OLD)	EDEN	LEVEL 2
SPARKLE @ GRACE KIDS (3-6 YRS OLD)	ZION	LEVEL 5

Sunday 5 pm

KHUSH KHABRI FELLOWSHIP	EMMAUS	LEVEL 3
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GRACE II SERVICES: 1 Bukit Batok West Ave 4 Singapore 659125

Saturday 2 pm

ELEVATE @ R-AGE YOUTH (13-19 YRS OLD)	CHAPEL	LEVEL 4
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Sunday 9 am

ENGLISH SERVICE	CHAPEL	LEVEL 4
MANDARIN SERVICE	SANCTUARY	LEVEL 2
SHINE @ GRACE KIDS (7-12 YRS OLD)	LOVE	LEVEL 2
SPARKLE @ GRACE KIDS (3-6 YRS OLD)	KINDNESS	LEVEL 4

Sunday 11.15 am

ENGLISH SERVICE	SANCTUARY	LEVEL 2
HOKKIEN SERVICE	CHAPEL	LEVEL 4
SHINE @ GRACE KIDS (7-12 YRS OLD)	LOVE	LEVEL 2
SPARKLE @ GRACE KIDS (3-6 YRS OLD)	KINDNESS	LEVEL 4

Sunday 1.30 pm

FILIPINO SERVICE	CHAPEL	LEVEL 4
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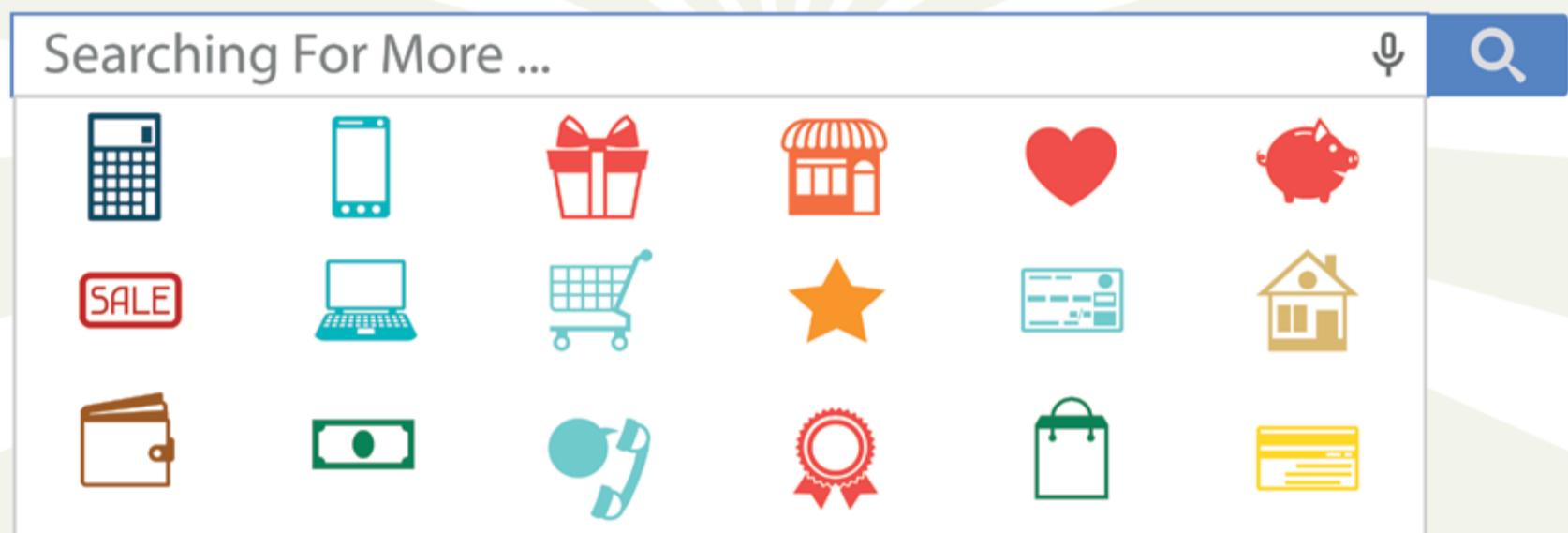
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