

MINISTRY GUIDE

14 January 2024

To all who are weary, struggling and burdened, we welcome you in the name of Jesus Christ.

Service Leader: Jeremy Lee Preacher: Mark Collins

Welcome

Announcements

Call to Worship Psalm 2:11-12

Prayer of Praise &

Adoration

Songs of Praise & <u>Jesus Shall Reign</u>

Adoration <u>Across the Lands</u>

Scripture Reading Psalm 67

Prayer of Confession

Song of Thanksgiving <u>Jesus Thank You</u>

Offering & Doxology

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon The Church Jesus Wants:

Mission-Minded (Matthew 28:16-20)

Song of Response <u>Take My Life and Let it Be</u>

Benediction

SING

Jesus Shall Reign

Jesus shall reign where'er the sun Does its successive journeys run His kingdom stretch from shore to shore

Till sun shall rise and set no more

Blessings abound where'er He reigns The pris'ner leaps to lose his chains The weary find eternal rest And all the sons of want are blessed

(Chorus)

To our King be highest praise Rising through eternal days Just and faithful He shall reign Jesus shall reign

People and realms of every tongue Dwell on His love with sweetest song And infant voices shall proclaim Their early blessings on His name

(Chorus)

Let every creature rise and bring Blessing and honour to our King Angels descend with songs again And earth repeat the loud amen

(Chorus)

Across the Lands

You're the Word of God the Father From before the world began Ev'ry star and ev';ry planet Has been fashioned by Your hand All creation holds together By the power of Your voice Let the skies declare Your glory Let the land and seas rejoice

(Chorus)
You're the author of creation
You're the Lord of ev';ry man
And Your cry of love rings out

Across the lands

Yet You left the gaze of angels Came to seek and save the lost And exchanged the joy of heaven For the anguish of a cross With a prayer You fed the hungry With a word You stilled the sea Yet how silently You suffered That the guilty may go free

(Chorus)

With a shout You rose victorious Wresting victory from the grave And ascended into heaven Leading captives in Your wake Now You stand before the Father Interceding for Your own From each tribe and tongue and nation You are leading sinners home

(Chorus)

Jesus Thank You

The myst'ry of the cross I cannot comprehend
The agonies of Calvary
You the perfect Holy One crushed
Your Son
Who drank the bitter cup reserved for me

(Chorus)

Your blood has washed away my sin
Jesus thank You
The Father's wrath completely satisfied
Jesus thank You
Once Your enemy now seated at Your table
Jesus thank You

By Your perfect sacrifice I've been brought near Your enemy You've made Your friend Pouring out the riches of Your glorious grace Your mercy and Your kindness know no end

(Chorus)

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow Praise Him, all creatures here below Praise Him above, ye heavenly host

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost

Amen

Take My Life and Let it Be

Take my life and let it be Consecrated Lord to Thee Take my moments and my days Let them flow in ceaseless praise

Take my hands and let them move At the impulse of Thy love Take my feet and let them be Swift and beautiful for Thee

Take my voice and let me sing Always only for my King Take my lips and let them be Filled with messages from Thee

Take my silver and my gold Not a mite would I withhold Take my intellect and use Ev'ry pow'r as Thou shalt choose

Take my will and make it Thine It shall be no longer mine Take my heart it is Thine own It shall be Thy royal throne

Take my love my Lord I pour At Thy feet its treasure store Take myself and I will be Ever only all for Thee

WELCOME

If you are new with us, we'd love to get to know you.

Connect with us by filling up this form at gracebaptistchurch.sg/welcome or through this QR code.



OUR LIFE TOGETHER

NURSERY

14 Jan (Sun) 9-10.30am, Room 503 For babies to 3 year-olds. Contact Siew Ting (siewting@gracebaptistchurch.sg) if you have any questions!

SUNDAY SCHOOL

14 Jan (Sun) 9.30-10.30am For children aged 3-12 years. If you have questions, or if it is your first time here, please visit the welcome table outside the sanctuary.

Today's lesson from the <u>Gospel Project</u> curriculum is "Jesus called His Disciples" from John 1. Jesus came to earth to save people from their sins. He called disciples to follow Him. We are Jesus' disciples when we trust in Him.

MEMBERS' MEETING

14 Jan (Sun) 11.15am-12.30pm, Fellowship Hall Beginning January 2024, we will hold these meetings once every 2 months. We hope to update members more regularly about our life together as a church and about our membership, as we receive and see out members. Members would have received an email with the details. The agenda can also be found here. If you are a member and did not receive it, do write to the office (info@gracebaptistchurch.sg). See you!

JANUARY FELLOWSHIP

17 Jan (Wed) 10-11.30am, Room 310 Join us for a fellowship across generations where we will sing hymns, pray for one another, listen to a devotion from God's word and sharing. Let us gather to encourage one another on a weekday morning. See you there!

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

17 Jan (Wed) 7.30-9pm, Room 310 All are welcomed to be equipped to read and listen to God's Word, that we may speak the truth in love to one another and grow in the body. This week, we will be studying 1 Samuel 1:1-2:11. More information can be found on the website.

EQUIP: WALKING WITH ONE ANOTHER

21 Jan (Sun) 11am-12pm, Room 301 How can you walk with one another during difficult times? What do you do when people tell you that they are struggling? We tend to seek professional help for really serious problems, but even they will say that friends are important. This will focus on how we can be helping and counselling each other as we walk with one another through life.

EQUIP: TIME AND MONEY

21 Jan (Sun) 11am-12pm, Room 302 If God has bought you for a price and your life is not your own, then your money is also not your own. How then should we faithfully steward the money that God has entrusted to our care? In this session, we'll debunk some myths about money and renew our perspective through the lens of Scripture. We'll also discuss a practical framework to help us make faithful decisions about money.

YA MINISTRY INTRODUCTION

21 Jan (Sun) 10.30-11am, Room 310 The Young Adults (YA) Ministry seeks to grow and disciple YAs in the gospel during a season that is often marked by change and confusion. Our goal is that they would become faithful followers of Christ, meaningful members of the church, and a blessing to the rest of the body. If you are between the ages of 18 to 25, or you're keen to find out more about what we do, do join us for this short introductory talk. We'll go over our ministry's mission and what we'll be doing in the year to come.

CHAIR REPLACEMENT AND GIVEAWAY

The metal chairs in the Fellowship Hall have been replaced with new plastic ones. The metal chairs are available to anyone who wants for free until today, 14 January 2024, after which, they will be disposed of. All who are interested can pick them up from the Level 2 carpark.

CONSTRUCTION AND REPAINTING WORKS

Church building repainting work is currently taking place until 31 Jan 2024. We encourage worshippers to exercise caution and keep clear where works are being done. If you have any questions or feedback, you may contact our Technical Executive Mr Marco (8518 9602).

More info on events can be found at https://english.gracebaptistchurch.sg/calendar- or sign up for weekly updates via Grace enews at gracebaptistchurch.sg/enews.

SERVE

WELCOME MINISTRY

We are looking for members to serve with (1) welcoming visitors (on alternate months) and (2) preparing coffee and tea for post-service fellowship (two weeks every two months. If you are interested and available, contact us at welcome@gracebaptistchurch.sg.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

We are looking for 5 volunteers to serve as Sunday School teachers (once a month). If you are available, or are keen to find out more, you can contact us at kidsmin@gracebaptistchurch.sg.

GIVE

Giving is a way we worship God. You can now also give to the two funds via PayNow.

General Fund
Supports the
ministry of the
church



Missions Fund Supports the work of our missionaries



PRAY-

We continue to pray for our church this week:

- 1. For various members' needs
- 2. For the elderly in our midst and their caregivers

We will also pray for Cherith Baptist Church:

1. For their pastor's faithfulness in doing the Lord's will and refreshment and rest during his Sabbatical

We pray for the Central African Republic:

1. For Christians to bring the gospel to those who need it, especially the unreached peoples.

If you have any prayer needs, please drop the pastoral staff a note via <u>gracebaptistchurch.sg/pastoralprayer</u> or through this QR code.



HEAR

The Church Jesus Wants: Mission-minded (Matthew 28:16-20)

Sermon Notes

Reflect and Respond

1. What is God saying to you through His word this morning?

We begin a new series next week – "Isaiah: The Lord Saves." Next week's sermon will be from Isaiah 1.

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