

WEEKLY PRAYER GUIDE



Bangladesh

- » **Islam** is declared its state religion in 1998. **Almost 90% of the population is Muslim.** Religious freedom, although guaranteed by the Constitution, is beginning to erode. The Christian population (1%) experiences bouts of persecution and oppression. Pray for the **raising up of willing servants of God** to serve the Church and to reach out to those who do not know the Name of Christ.
- » Thank God that **with the help of many NGOs, the country has shrunk its poverty rate, improved health and education.** However, pollution, poor safety standards, waterborne diseases, lack of infrastructure and low literacy rates persist. Pray for **long-term solutions** to these difficult issues.

Agape TEE (Theological Education by Extension)

- » Our missions partner, **Rev Subash Bala**, runs this **2-year training programme to equip local pastors and evangelists** to serve the Lord and His people in their local churches. Each year the students attend 4 sessions. Each session lasts 8-9 days. Students are taught Bible books, systematic theology, hermeneutics, homiletics and church administration.
- » Pray for the students as they attend a training session on 11-20 February. They shall be **studying the epistle of Ephesians, homiletics and stewardship.** Pray that the Lord will bless them with a **spiritual-enriching time of learning** and to keep them safe and healthy.

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Praying for Our Fellow The Bible Presbyterian Church in Singapore (BPCIS) Member Church: **Grace BP Church**

- » Praise the LORD for a **new generation of church Session leaders**.
- » Pray for **unity in service** and for **God's protection** upon each Session member and family from Satan's attacks in the form of discouragement.



Marriage Ministry

- » The Christian marriage is a **powerful reflection of Christ's covenant love for the church**. It also requires much investment and efforts to overcome marital challenges.
- » Pray for **Deacon Ivan and Si Rui Lee, together with Pastoral Intern Joseph and Priscilla Tee** as they organise programmes to help strengthen and bless the marriages in our church.

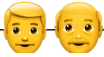


Parenting Ministry

- » We thank God for the **children in our church** who are gifts from the LORD (Psalm 127:3).
- » We ask for **God's grace upon the many parents** who are seeking to raise their covenant children in the fear of the LORD.
- » We pray that the Parenting Ministry committee will organise relevant events to better equip our parents.

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Personal Needs

Joseph Ng

His latest round of chemo to bring him into remission has failed. As a result, the leukaemia cells have progressed even more. The doctor is exploring more options, including drugs still on clinical trials to bring his condition under control.

Joseph and his family are all saddened by this development. Pray for wisdom for the doctor and team to know the next best course of action and for them to continue to hope in Christ.

Mr Tan Thoo Chia (*father of James Tan*)

Pray for Mr Tan as he awaits a vacancy from Society For The Aged Sick.

Pray that he will continue to call upon the Lord Jesus in his time of need.