

2024

EVERY GARDENER A MISSIONARY

WELCOME HOME!

We are glad that you can join us today to worship the Lord as one family in Christ, May we continue to trust Him, and glorify Him in all that we do!

SERVING THIS WEEK

Eld Lim Siah Chuan Samuel Sitoe Christina Ding Na Wen Hooi Kwok Siew Lian Arnci Amor Lau Wen Min Kimberly Goh Leonard Lee Dn Ding Si Han Dns April Ding Dns Joella Tan Megan Loong Ferivanto Ang Crystal Lim Elliot Aruldoss

Isabel Sitoe Eld Reuben Ang Eld Chua Hung Choo Ng Jianzhi Chia Hua Song Ng Wai Yoong Chow Lye Kwan

NEXT WEEK

The Macedonia Call Acts 16:6 - 17:15 Ps Lawrence Ong

Lead Ps Wendell Chua 9027 7465 Ps Lawrence Ong 9146 8277 **ATP Joseph Tee** 9088 0077 Ps Yap Kim Sin (Advisory) 9862 4390

ORDER OF SERVICE

Worship Theme Grace

Prepare for Worship

Prelude

Exalt His Name

Call to Worship Invocation Doxology Opening Hymn Responsive Scripture Reading

Ephesians 2:1-10

Worship in Song

Listen to His Word

By Grace Alone, Nothing Else Ps Wendell Chua Acts 15:1-35

Response Song

Give to His Work

Offering Offertory Response

Pray to Him

Corporate Prayer Pastoral Prayer

Closina Hvmn Benediction **Announcements** Postlude





SERMON NOTES

By Grace Alone, Nothing Else Acts 15:1-35



- 1. Introduction A Quick Recap
- 2. Satan Attacks (15:1-6)
- 3. The Holy Spirit Responds (15:7-21)
 - a. Peter's Speech (7-12)
 - b. James' Speech (13-21)
 - c. The Council's Decision (22-29)
- 4. Conclusion Beware of Graceless Christianity



Reflections...

WEEKLY PRAYER GUIDE

The World: OMF Japan

Japanese people have been praying at shinto shrines and temples for centuries since young. Faith and belief is not a prerequisite - anyone is welcome to join in such religious practices. Many find comfort in repeating the rituals of purification and prayer, which to them is part of being Japanese.

» Please pray the Japanese will find their most authentic belonging and identity in our Almighty God who created them.

Singaporean couple, Chia Shao Xiong and Levene, will be graduating from bible college soon. Together with their two-year old daughter Emma, they will head to Japan as missionaries sent by their home church this July.

» Pray for their heart and physical preparation as they step out in faith to serve as missionaries in Japan.

67th Annual Congregational Meeting (ACM), 21 April, 11am

- » Pray for a edifying meeting as the congregation meets to settle the matters of the church.
- » Pray that all the administrative requirements can be completed smoothly.
- » Pray for the Holy Spirit to open our spiritual eyes to what the LORD has been doing, and will be doing in the coming years.

WEEKLY PRAYER GUIDE

Christians@Work: Healthcare Sector

- » We thank the LORD for the many physicians, nurses and all health care professionals who have served tiredlessly in our country.
- » We pray for safety and protection of our nursing homes, including Ling Kwang Home (LKH) and all the frontline workers.
- » May these brothers and sisters-in-Christ continue to reflect Christ's goodness and hope with wisdom and skill, sympathy and patience.

Responding to God's Grace With Our Finances

- » Thank God for always blessing and meeting our financial needs in ZS throughout the generations.
- Yet, we are continually called to respond to God's gracious abundance in the lives of our congregation.
- » Please pray for our hearts to be moved to sacrificially and generously give financially to the upcoming needs of our church ministries in 2024 and beyond.
- » Pray that we will constantly remember that all we have belongs to God and that we are giving back to what rightfully belongs to Him.

CHURCH NEWS AND ACTIVITIES

67th Annual Congregation Meeting (ACM)

21 April (Sun), 11.00am @ Sanc 2

Combined Sunday Service @ 8.45am. Lunch provided.

For those who prefer a soft copy of the ACM papers or are overseas on the day of ACM, please inform the Church Office.

Whatsapp/SMS 84632186 Call 62841987

Bible Reading Plan 2024

Apr Week 2 Schedule

8 Apr: Proverbs 27
9 Apr: Proverbs 28
10 Apr: Proverbs 29
11 Apr: Proverbs 30
12 Apr: Proverbs 31
13 Apr: Ecclesiastes 1
14 Apr: Ecclesiastes 2

Last Day of Service

Olga Amor's last day of service in the Church Office was 5 April 2024. The Session and BOD would like to thank her for her faithful and steadfast service since 1 October 2015.

We wish her God's blessing in her new season.

Prayer Fellowship

*PF takes place <u>every</u>
<u>Wednesday</u> except on public holidays or as announced!

10, 17, 24 April Wednesday @ 8.00pm

Join in prayer together for our church:

http://tiny.cc/zionPF2024

Meeting ID: **881 8621 6365**

Passcode: **017821**

For queries, please contact

Ps Lawrence Ong @ 9146 8277

IF Online Bible Study

9 April (Tues), 8pm @ Zoom

To join, log in @ http://tiny.cc/zionIFBS2024

Meeting ID: 891 3463 3914

Passcode: 010194

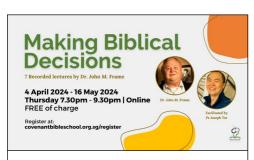
ALL FOREIGN FRIENDS ARE WELCOME!!!

We encourage the employers to let their helpers join this

Zoom BS.

For queries, please contact Elder Hung Choo @ 9010 2893 or Church Office 62841987

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NEW! CBS Course: Making Biblical Decisions

7 Thursday night sessions facilitated by Ps Joseph Tee 4 April to 16 May 2024, 7.30pm-9.30pm Free of charge - sign up <u>HERE</u>!



IF In-person Fellowship

13 April 2024, Saturday 5.30pm - 7.00pm Chapel 1 (L3)

RSVP by 8 April: Elder Chua 9010 2893 Church Office 62841987

*All foreign friends are welcome to join! *We appeal to employers to allow your helper to come.

BPCIS NEWS

On Good Friday, BPCIS churches met for combined services. Eight Chinesespeaking congregations met at Faith BP Church. and 11 churches, at ACS (Independent) Auditorium, with attendances of 650 and 1.500respectively. Offerings of \$6.084.80 and \$45.857.80 respectively were received for BPCIS. Another offering of \$4.763 was collected at Easter Sunrise service at McRitchie Reservoir, for humanitarian relief in the Middle East. Praise God for a memorable and meaningful weekend for BPCIS churches.

Ps David Wong BPCIS General Secretary

ATP Joseph Tee is away preaching at Shalom B-P Church this morning.



Deepest Condolences to...

Mrs Ngiam & her family on the Home-going of her husband, **Mr Ngiam Tong Yoke Robert**, on 2 April 2024.

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ONLINE REGISTRATION

https://forms.gle/Q2Ay4KDRCCMfRDNC6

REGISTER IN-PERSON

Registration Booth will be open after all services (24, 31 March; 14, 21 April)

CAMP FEES

Single	\$580 / pax
Double / Twin Sharing	\$380 / pax
Triple Sharing	\$350 / pax
Child with Bed	\$280 / pax
Child without Bed	\$180 / pax

REGISTRATION CLOSES 21 APRIL 2024

FOR MORE INFO, PLEASE CONTACT DNS APRIL



ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY

Services on 24/3	Worshippers & Volunteers
ZMS	188
2MS	119
ZES	42
Total	349
Sunday School	-

Service on 31/3	Worshippers & Volunteers
Combined Easter Sunday	393
Sunday School	49

WEEKLY OFFERING

General and Missions Fund

(Received 18 Mar - 24 Mar) \$28,827.30

(Received 25 Mar - 30 Mar) \$19,864.00

(Received 31 Mar) \$25,707.50

Weekly offering to meet budget for 2024 (including A&A): \$79,450



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