

**SERMON NOTES**

**CHARACTERISTICS OF A GODLY FATHER**

Scripture: Deut 6:4-7; Joshua 24:15; Eph 6:4 • Speaker: Pastor John Loke

# A Church Without Walls

Matthew 16:18



19 June 2022  
11:30am

**GRACE (S.C.C.) CHURCH**

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**WELCOME** to the English Congregation Worship Service!

(Online Streaming: [www.youtube.com/c/gracesccchurch](http://www.youtube.com/c/gracesccchurch))

Family News

Pastoral Prayer

Worship in Praise

Responsive Reading

Worship in Offering

Scripture Reading

Sermon:

Speaker • Pastor John Loke

**Characteristics of a godly father**

Deut 6:4-7; Joshua 24:15; Eph 6:4

Response Song

Benediction

Silent Meditation

Pastor/ Deacon On Duty • *Pastor John Loke*

Worship Leader • *Cheok Ru Sern*

*Kindly switch all mobile devices to silent mode during service*

**OUR COMMUNITY**

Children Sunday School	1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday, 4:30pm Online
Children Fellowship	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday, 11:30am (Room 102/104)
Youth Worship (Secondary) (Tertiary)	Sunday, 9:30am Online/ On-site Online/ On-site on some Sundays to be informed by fellowship mentors
Youth Fellowship (Secondary) (Tertiary)	Sunday, 10:45am Online/ On-site Online/ On-site on some Sundays to be informed by fellowship mentors
Cell Groups	Kindly contact EC pastor
Breakfast Fellowship	<i>SUSPENDED</i>

Please contact the church office or EC Pastor for more information.

Senior Pastor:  
Rev Chua Yeow San

English Congregational Pastor:  
Pastor John Loke



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## CHURCH NEWS

Today is Father's Day. The Deacon Board wishes all fathers God's blessings and keeping, both spiritually and physically.

### YOUTH WORSHIP

Title: Pastor John Loke  
Text: Sex is not the problem, lust is.  
Speaker: John 10:10 (GNT)

### FURTHER EASING OF SAFE MANAGEMENT MEASURES FOR RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

Please refer to Page 3 for revised measures.

### MISSION SUNDAY COMBINED SERVICE

will be held on **26 June at 9:30am**. Dr Lawrence Tong (OM International Director) will speak on *"Called to Disciple the Nations"*. Brothers and sisters are encouraged to attend and participate in the Faith Pledge with prepared hearts.

### GRACE ELDERLY WORLD

Date: Every Thursday  
Time: 10.30am - 2.30pm  
Venue: Church  
Program: Bible study, calligraphy, games, handicraft, morning exercise, English class, ukulele class and other activities.  
Fee: \$2 (includes lunch)  
Seniors are welcome to attend!

### ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT

Church Financial Year will end on 30 Jun. Please submit all outstanding claims with scanned invoice copies to Sis Chloe Zeng (Finance Executive) via email at [chloe.zeng@gsgccc.org.sg](mailto:chloe.zeng@gsgccc.org.sg) latest by 4 July 2022, so she could make accrual for such claims before the Year End closing.

### MODES OF OFFERING:

- a) **PayNow** (is now available to **ALL** funds)  
**UEN S61SS0111H** or QR code.  
Please refer to the Church Website or Mobile App for the bank references.



- b) **Mail crossed cheque to church**
  - Envelope with prepaid postage will be available upon request.
  - Please call Finance Executive at 6332 6836.
- c) **Online Banking**  
THE GRACE (S'PORE CHINESE CHRISTIAN) CHURCH  
DBS Bank A/C No.: **033-022323-4**

### RECRUITMENT NOTICE

- **Youth Pastor/ Ministry Worker**
- **Facilities Management and Admin Executive**

Please refer to the Church website for details. Interested applicants may email their resumes with any required information to: [hr@gsgccc.org.sg](mailto:hr@gsgccc.org.sg)

## MISSION NEWS

### 49TH MISSION CONVENTION DIGITAL HANDBOOK, FAITH PLEDGE & COMMITMENT FORMS

The digital commitment form will be open for submission from 24 Jun (7pm) to 31 July. Link and QR code for electronic commitment form:



<https://tinyurl.com/49MCCcommitment>

The digital faith pledge will be open for submission from 26 Jun (9am) to 31 July. Link and QR code for electronic faith pledge:



<https://tinyurl.com/49MCFaithPledge>

The links to the handbook and forms will be sent to your registered email address with the church.

### 49TH MISSION FAITH PLEDGE

After much prayerful deliberation, the Deacon Board, upon recommendation by the Mission Committee, has approved the 49th Mission Budget at **S\$1,411,400**. The budget caters to existing ministries as well as a new ministry, approved in-principle. The faith pledge target is set at **S\$1,100,000**. The remaining **S\$311,400** will be provided for by the mission fund surplus. The details of the new mission budget and the 49th mission convention programme schedule have been sent to you by email or by post (for those without an email address). Please be reminded to check your Inbox, Spam folder or mailbox to ensure you've received the faith pledge letter. If you wish to receive a hard copy of the letter, please contact the mission secretary, Hee Ching at [mission.secretary@gsgccc.org.sg](mailto:mission.secretary@gsgccc.org.sg) or 63326839.

### 49TH MISSION CONVENTION PLENARY SESSIONS (ONSITE AND ONLINE)

**24 June (Fri) | 7:30pm:**  
Sanctuary- English with Mandarin Interpretation  
Room 507-509- Cantonese Interpretation

**25 June (Sat) | 4:00pm:**  
Sanctuary- English with Mandarin Interpretation  
Room 507-509- Cantonese Interpretation

**26 June (Sun) | 9:30am:**  
Sanctuary- English with Cantonese Interpretation  
Room 507-509- Mandarin Interpretation

Under latest Covid-19 phase advisory, for event that has more than 500 participants, **all must be fully vaccinated**. As such, all worshippers attending **26 June Mission Sunday Combined Service** are required to **use the TraceTogether App or token** to check in the church for worship service. Unvaccinated or partially vaccinated may attend the service online. There will be two YouTube channels. Links are on the church website.

### 26 JUNE CHILDREN CONVENTION (ONSITE)

26 June (Sunday) Children Convention for primary school level will be in rooms 407, 408 and 502. Parents with preschoolers may join the Mission Sunday Combined Service at rooms 108 and 109. Note: There is no programme for preschoolers.

### 48TH MISSION FAITH PLEDGE UPDATE

The Faith Pledge target for the 48th Mission Year had been set at S\$1,000,000. We thank God that as of 12 June, the total mission offering received is **S\$1,010,800**. The collection for the current Mission Year will end on 30 June.

### MISSIONARY UPDATE

- Dr Tee and family (OM) are back to Singapore from 16-27 Jun.
- Lee Mei Mei (CEF) will be visiting Singapore from 23 Jun-2 Jul.
- Ho Chu Yin (COCM) will be back in Singapore from 25 Jun- 16 Jul.

## EC NEWS

### EQUIPPING SCHOOL (ONLINE VIA ZOOM)

**1 July 2022 (Fri) | 7:30pm**  
Topic: *Mental Health*

This lesson covers a broad introduction to the different categories of mental health and the present interventions and treatments.

On a practical note, it will seek to help the attendees identify the symptoms of those that need help. How is the Christian community uniquely equipped to minister to those suffering mentally? Are there some pitfalls that Christians need to be mindful of in reaching out to those with mental needs? These concerns will be explored in this lesson.

Speaker: Chua Chiew Peng  
 Chiew Peng has been a Pastor for over 20 years both locally and abroad. Subsequently, God directed her to study counselling. While studying for her Masters, she held the position of Advisory Pastor to Covenant Community Baptist Church. Chiew Peng is now serving full-time. Besides her own private practice, she is also an Associate Counsellor at Grace Counselling Centre and The Haven in Singapore Bible College.

Kindly register with Ps John Loke (HP: 96863814 / [john.loke@gsgccc.org.sg](mailto:john.loke@gsgccc.org.sg)) for non-Cell Group members.

**APPLICATION FOR BAPTISM**

Worshippers seeking to be baptised in coming Aug may approach Pastor John Loke for registration. Closing date for the registration: 19 Jun (today).

**APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP TRANSFER**

Worshippers seeking membership transfer to Grace Church may approach Pastor John Loke for registration. Closing date for registration: 3 July.

**OUR FAITHFULNESS (12 JUNE 2022)**

On-site attendees (incl. service crew): 114  
 No. of livestream worship units (max): 32  
 EC Offering (Overall): \$7,664

**MEETINGS**

DB cum CLC Meeting  
**22 June 2022 (Wed) | 7:30pm** | Online

**FURTHER EASING OF SAFE MANAGEMENT MEASURES FOR RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES**

DB had made further adjustments on 25 May 2022 as below:

1. Consumption of food and beverages will be allowed, with immediate effect, based on the table below

On Sunday	Food must be served individually, with individuals stationary while consuming their meals	Participants should put on their masks as soon as they have finished eating or drinking
Weekdays and Saturday	Food need not served individually, and with individuals stationary while consuming their meals	Safe distance will not be required between individuals

2. The distribution of disinfection wipes will cease from 1 June onwards. The follow implementation remains in force:
  - a. Mask-wearing once individual steps into the church premises at the entrance gates– to be clear, church premises includes the level 1 open area, carpark lots
  - b. Safe entry check be removed except for combined services whereby safe entry check will be conducted
  - c. Singing by worshippers during all gathering types, with masks on, is allowed
  - d. There will be no restrictions on the number of performers and crew, or the number of performers allowed to unmask for live performances (including for singing or playing instruments that require intentional expulsion of air). There will be a 2 meters setback between persons involved in the conduct of live performance elements and worshippers and this distance will be reviewed later
  - e. No recreational activities within church premises remains
  - f. Car parking on weekdays and Saturdays will be allowed when attending church activities. Saturday worship service car park arrangement will be the same as pre-Covid

	<b>26 June 2022</b>
Speaker Title & Scripture Pastor On Duty Worship Leader	<b>MISSION SUNDAY COMBINED SERVICE</b>