

SERMON NOTES

CHILDREN LEARN WHAT THEY LIVE

Scripture: Deuteronomy 6:4-9 • Speaker: Bro David Leong

Reflection Questions:

1. What is one new or fresh revelation about God's perspective from Deuteronomy 6:4-9 about bringing up children in the Christian faith?
2. What inspired or moved you as a parent, teacher, church leader and or member after listening to the song based on Dorothy Law Nolte's poem "Children Learn What They Live" which was first published in 1954?
Source: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7SNs30yqup0>
3. An African Proverb says "It takes a whole village to raise a child." What is one practical thing you think that parents, teachers and the whole Church community can do, either individually or corporately with God's help, to nurture this current generation of children and youth to love the Lord wholeheartedly and love others passionately?

Senior Pastor:
Rev Chua Yeow San

English Congregational Pastor:
Rev John Loke

EC Ministry Worker (Family Ministry):
Sis Jannie Chiu



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UNCHANGING MISSION FOR A CHANGING WORLD

15 September 2024
11:30am



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WELCOME to the English Congregation Worship Service!

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

Family News

Pastoral Prayer

Worship in Praise

Responsive Reading

Worship in Offering

Reception of New Members

Scripture Reading

Sermon:

Speaker • Bro David Leong

Children Learn What They Live

Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Response Song

Benediction

Silent Meditation

Pastor/ Deacon On Duty • Rev John Loke

Worship Leader • *Timothy Wong*

Kindly switch all mobile devices to silent mode during service

OUR COMMUNITY

Children Sunday School	Sunday, 11:30am Onsite
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
Lunch Fellowship	1st Sunday of each month

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

CHURCH NEWS

YOUTH WORSHIP

Title: *Epaphroditus – A loser to be honoured*

Text: Philippians 2:25-30, 4:18 (ESV)

Speaker: Dr Jennie Fung

COMBINED EXCO PRAYER MEETING

will be held online **27 Sep** (Fri) at **8pm**, the theme is "*Radical Leadership*". All the EXCO members are welcome to attend

GRACE ELDERLY WORLD - OUTING TO S.E.A.

For those attending the outing to S.E.A. Aquarium, Sentosa on 19 September 2024 (Thursday), please meet at church at 9:15am. Mineral water will be provided. The tour will take place from 10:00am to 3:00pm
Transport: MRT+LRT and lunch at own cost (Malaysian Food Street)
Today is the last day of registration, please register with Brother Yee Tong Hoi.

AGM COMBINED WORSHIP

22 Sep (Sun) | **9am** | Sanctuary
Guest speaker Ps Nicky will speak on "*Born of the Spirit for Missional Goodness*" (Titus 3:1-8).
There will be NO Saturday Worship on 21 Sep due to the Combined Worship Service.

THE 2024 AGM COMBINED CHILDREN'S PROGRAM

22 Sep (Sun) | **9-11am**

Venue: Preschool – Rm 407,
Primary School – Rm 103

Theme: *Little Hands, Big Blessings*

The AGM Combined Children's Program will be conducted in English for children aged 3 to 12.

2024 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM) AND ELECTION OF DEACONS 2024-2026

Please refer to attachment on the last page.

DEACONS CUM CHURCH LEADERS COMMITTEE MEETING

will be held on **25 Sep** (Wed). All outgoing and incoming deacons, including new reserve deacons and pastors, are to attend the meeting punctually. The respective

deacon portfolios will be deliberated on. Further, all meeting attendees and office staff are jointly invited to a thanksgiving dinner prior to the meeting at **6:30pm** at Rooms 106-109.

On the day of AGM ...

light refreshments will be available after the combined service and before the AGM starts at 11:15am. We encourage everyone to bring their own water bottles to refill at the water dispenser on level 1. This helps minimize bottled water use and reduce plastic waste, contributing to environmental protection. Thank you for your cooperation.

EVERGREEN COMMUNITY

17 Sep (Tue) | **10am-3pm** | Rooms 102/104

10:00am Workout

10:45am **Mobile Photography 2**

12:30pm Lunch

2:00pm Special interest groups – crochet, rummikub, international chess

For this coming Tuesday, Sis Stephanie Yan will continue with Part 2 of her **Mobile Photography** talk-cum-demonstration. Do come to learn more about *how to take better photographs with your handphone*. Handouts will be given out during the session. If you would like to have a copy of the handout, please let any Evergreen Planning Committee member know.

MODES OF OFFERING:

a) **PayNow** (is now available to ALL funds)

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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

• *English Congregation Pastor*

• *Mandarin Congregation Pastor*

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

FAMILY NEWS

CONGRATULATIONS

CC Bro Leung Kin Yat John and Sis Wu Sau Ling were blessed with a baby girl on 11 Sep. May God's grace be upon the child always.

MISSION NEWS

CMPM UPDATE

Missions Prayer - Please log in to the church mobile app to access our recent August Combined Missions Prayer Meeting (CMPM) prayer points. Click 'Menu' at the taskbar -> 'Mission' for CMPM prayer booklet 23 August 2024. Do contact Missions Department < missions@gsgccc.org.sg > if you need help/support to access. **Note:** For members and regular attendees who have registered with church only. Please do **NOT** circulate.

Mission Prayer News – Published on 15 September

Please log in to the church mobile app to obtain an e-copy of the latest mission prayer news. You can search/find it under 'Menu' -> click into 'Mission' to access. **Note:** For members and regular attendees who have registered with church only.

EC NEWS

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFER

There is a reception for transferred

members into our EC family today:

- Sis Yeo Swee Tian
- Sis Khoo Joo Lay, Junn

Do welcome them and pray for their adjustments, bonding and growth as they render Grace Church their spiritual home.

EC EQUIPPING SCHOOL

20 Sep (Fri) | **7:45 pm** | Via Zoom

Lesson #10: 1&2 Kings

We will continue to cover the books of the Old Testament. The lesson is taught by **Dr Randall D. Smith** who currently lectures at the Great Commission Bible Institute (GCBI). He has carefully developed a curriculum and taught through the entire Bible each year with students from the GCBI. He is also a Director at Global Vision Outreach, Inc. and Christian Travel Study Programs, Inc. He serves as a pastor of Grace Bible Church in Florida, US. Non-CG members kindly register with Rev John Loke (john.loke@gsgccc.org.sg) for the zoom link.

EC RETREAT

4-7 Dec 2024 (Wed-Sat)

Lotus Desaru Beach Resort

Registrations for the EC Retreat will close **today**. Those registered will be informed how and when to make payment for the retreat - the church has already placed a non-refundable deposit with the resort.

Please scan QR or access link for registration:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScPeJJr-NVfEacYq2Sm19UeLmwZiVTcmgRtU-SrktIDatv4A/viewform?usp=sf_link



OUR FAITHFULNESS (8 SEPTEMBER 2024)

On-site attendance (incl. service crew):138
No. of livestream worship units (max): 23
EC Offering (Overall): \$10,155.62

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MEETING

DB Meeting
18 Sep (Wed) | **7:30pm** | Online

	22 September 2024
	AGM COMBINED WORSHIP

1. 2024 Annual General Meeting (AGM) and Election of Deacons 2024-2026 (two-year term) will be held on **22 September 2024**

(Sunday). Please be reminded that participation at AGM and Election of Deacons is a membership obligation.

2. According to the Church Constitution, there shall be no more than 15 deacons in the Deacon Board. The number of nominees for the coming Election shall be 12 in total and 9 deacons shall be elected. Together with the 6 deacons of the current term, there will be a total of 15 members in the new Deacon Board 2024/2025. A deacon's term of office shall be two years and he/she shall be eligible for re-election for a maximum of one consecutive term, except for the office of Treasurer.

Nominees:

CC: Wendy Chu Hiu Wen, Javier Kong Wai Meng, Eric Chu Ming Cheung, Lui Chi Pang, Henry Poon Pui Him

MC: Mervin Ng Sheng Tong, Ronald Tsui Chin Hin, Sunny Chui Kuk Sun

EC: Terence Tan Chye Leng, Wong Yan Seng, Lin Yin Peng, Tse Man Yiu

Incumbent Deacons:

Mak Sum Shing Andrew, Young Tak Yue Taky, Leung Ka Hin, Cheok Ru Sern, Chong Fui Kim, Koh Kin Teng

3. At the AGM, members will be electing two internal auditors. The requirements are as follows:

- i) Being a member of Grace (SCC) Church for 3 years and above;
- ii) In compliance with the auditor's code of confidentiality;
- iii) Possessing a minimum of 3 years' accounting and/ or auditing experience; LCC Higher Certificate (or equivalent) or higher.

4. The agenda for Annual General Meeting are as follows:

1. Opening Prayer and Thanksgiving by Rev. Chua Yeow San
2. To Confirm the Minutes of Annual General Meeting 2023
3. To Accept the Annual Report and Financial Report for the Period 1 July 2023 to 30 June 2024
4. To Confirm the Appointment of the Trustees 2024/2025
5. To Approve the Appointment of Two Internal Auditors for the Financial Period from 1 October 2024 to 30 September 2025
6. To Approve the Appointment of the External Auditor for the Financial Year 2024/2025
7. To Approve the Budget for Grace Church Combined Retreat Camp 2025
8. Annual Election of Deacons 2024 (2-year term)
9. Any Other Matters
10. Closing Prayer by Rev. See Choo Har