### SERMON NOTES PRESSING FORWARD TO GOD'S CALL (II)

Scripture: Philippians 4:4-13,19 • Speaker: Rev John Loke

### **Reflection/Discussion Questions:**

- 1. Read and meditate on Psalm 13. What is it that gives joy to the weary spirit of the psalmist?
- 2. What stressful situations do you need God to give you peace in today? How can praying with thanksgiving transform your mind?
- 3. What you think about your thoughts would have an impact on your well-being? Do you agree or disagree with this statement? Why?

#### Senior Pastor:

Rev Chua Yeow San

**English Congregational Pastor:** 

Rev John Loke

**EC Ministry Worker (Family Ministry):**Sis Jannie Chiu



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# Spiritual Succession

12 January 2025 11:30am



### GRACE (S.C.C.) CHURCH

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 $\textbf{Welcome} \ to \ the \ English \ Congregation \ Worship \ Service!$ 

(Online Streaming: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/c/gracesccchurch">www.youtube.com/c/gracesccchurch</a>)

**Family News** 

Pastoral Prayer

Worship in Praise
Worship in Offering

Scripture Reading

Sermon:

Speaker • Rev John Loke

Pressing Forward to God's Call (II)

Philippians 4:4-13,19

**Holy Communion** 

**Response Song** 

Benediction

Silent Meditation

Pastor/ Deacon On Duty • Rev John Loke Worship Leader • Casey Mui

Kindly switch all mobile devices to silent mode during service

### OUR COMMUNITY

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Sunday, 11:30am Onsite	
Sunday, 9:30am Online/ On-site Online/ On-site on some Sundays to be informed by fellowship mentors	
Sunday, 10:45am Online/ On-site Online/ On-site on some Sundays to be informed by fellowship mentors	
Kindly contact EC pastor	
1st Sunday of each month	

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

### **CHURCH NEWS**

### YOUTH WORSHIP

Title: We are His Witnesses

Text: Isaiah 43:10, Acts 20:24 (NIV)

Speaker: Pastor Suhandy Yao

### **EVERGREEN COMMUNITY**

**14 Jan** (Tue) |**10am-3pm**|Rooms 102/104

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10:00am Workout

10:45am Special Interest Activities -

crochet, Rummikub, chess and

table-tennis

12:15pm Lunch

1:45pm Talk on "Palliative Care in

**Singapore"** by Dr Chau Mo Yee, Associate Consultant in Family Medicine. She is a Grace Church member, currently working in Dover Park Hospice.

### **GRACE ELDERLY WORLD**

### • CNY Shopping Trip

Participants are reminded to reach the church at **9:15am** on **16 Jan**. Do bring along thermal bags or shopping bags. Bottled water will be provided. The tour will take place from 9:30am to 3:30pm. You may still register with Bro Yee Tong Hoi today (last day for registration).

- There will be no activities on 23 Jan (before CNY) and 30 Jan (Second day of CNY). Activities will resume on 6 Feb (Thu).
- 15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary cum CNY luncheon with abalone

6 Feb (Thu) | 10:30am - 3:00pm

Fee: \$2/pax. All elderlies are welcome.

## GRACE CHURCH 75TH ANNIVERSARY CUM ORDINATION COMBINED WORSHIP 26 Jan (Sun) | 9:30am

Rev Dr Samuel Too will be our guest speaker. Do uphold this in your prayers and

be punctual for the service.

Note: There will be no Saturday Worship on 25 Jan due to the Combined Service on 26 Jan.

The **Ordination Ceremony** for Pastor Nicky Chong will be held during the worship. The Ordination Council members are Rev Chua Yeow San, Rev Dr Stephen Coertze, Rev Dr Clive Chin, Rev Dr Samuel Too. Please attend this ceremony and witness the grace of God upon our church and Pastor Nicky Chong. Let us keep the entire ordination process, preparation and Pastor Nicky Chong's future ministry in prayer.

### Grace Church $75^{\text{th}}$ Anniversary Combined Children's Program

26 Jan (Sun) | 9:30am

Venue: Preschool – Rm 407, Primary School – Rm 102

Theme: I BELONG to Grace Church

The Program is in English, for children aged 3 to 12. Parents may take their children who are under 3 years old to attend the Worship Service in the Creche (Rm 111).

### **COMBINED EXCO PRAYER MEETING**

will be held on **24 Jan** (Fri) at **8pm** online. The topic is "Looking Back And Looking Forward". All the EXCO members are welcome.

### **NEW YEAR THANKSGIVING OFFERING**

will be collected in the whole January 2025 during the worship services of the respective congregations. Worshippers may collect the "New Year Thanksgiving Offering" envelope from the Admission Counter at the entrance on Level 1. Should you use PayNow, please indicate "TGEC" (EC)/ "TGYW" (YW) at the Reference. Please prepare your hearts to give as an expression of thanksgiving unto God.

### 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

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#### RECRUITMENT NOTICE

- English Congregation Pastor
- Mandarin Congregation Pastor
- Mission Pastor

### MISSION NEWS

### MISSION COMMITTEE 2024-2025

The mission department would like to thank the committee members who have served in the 2023-2024 mission committee.

Please pray for the Lord's guidance, wisdom and strength as the 2024-2025 Mission Committee serves together with church members to participate in the Great Commission!

Pastoral Advisor: Rev Chua Yeow San
Chairperson: Dns Lin Yin Peng
Vice Chairpersons: Dn Eric Chu (CC) &

Lim Yaw Shyan (MC)

Missions Ministry Worker: Phyllis Chia Mission Secretary: Jane Ng

Pastoral Representatives:

Rev See Choo Har, Rev John Loke, Ps John Su,

Ps Franky Lo, Rev Joseph Hiow

Members: Dn Javier Kong (CC), Lawrence Lo (CC), Lynn Law (CC), Woo Siew Lin (MC), Esther Chan (MC), Dessy Pello (EC),

Christine Ng (EC)

### **EC NEWS**

EC EQUIPPING SCHOOL

17 Jan (Fri) | 7:45 pm | Via Zoom
Lesson #11: 1 & 2 Chronicles

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@gsccc.org.sg) for the zoom link.

### OUR FAITHFULNESS (5 January 2025)

On-site attendance (incl. service crew):132 No. of livestream worship units (max): 23 EC Offering (Overall): \$ 25,335.25

General Offering (Dec): \$28,106 Love Offering (Dec): \$1,599

Mission Fund Offering (Dec): \$15,240

Building Fund (Dec): \$2,037

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**MEETINGS** 

Mission Com Meeting
12 Jan (Sun) | 2pm | Rooms 407-8

DB Meeting

**22 Jan** (Wed) | **7:30pm** | Online

	19 January 2025
Speaker	Dr Lim Khay Tham
Title & Scripture	TBA
Pastor On Duty	Rev John Loke
Worship Leader	Chee Yong Qing