

SERMON NOTES

NEW WINE: A REFLECTION ON TRANSFORMATION

Scripture: John 2:1-11 • Speaker: Dr Lim Khay Tham

Reflection/Discussion Questions:

1. Why is it concerning that there is little real-life difference between professing or even actual Christians on the one hand, and non-Christians on the other?
2. Do the common failures of Christian leaders and lay people prove that transformation into Christlikeness is impossible?
3. How do grace and human effort correlate in one's transformation into being Christlike?

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

19 January 2025
11:30am



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WELCOME to the English Congregation Worship Service!

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

Family News
Mission Spotlight
Pastoral Prayer

Worship in Praise
Worship in Offering
Children's Message

Scripture Reading
Sermon:

Speaker • Dr Lim Khay Tham

New Wine: a Reflection on Transformation

John 2:1-11

Response Song

Benediction

Silent Meditation

Pastor/ Deacon On Duty • *Rev John Loke*
Worship Leader • *Chee Yong Qing*

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: *Using Your Gifts for God's Glory*

Text: 1 Corinthians 12: 4-7 (NLT)

Speaker: Bro Charles Ho

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EVERGREEN COMMUNITY

As Chinese New Year is round the corner, we will take a break for the next three Tuesdays, ie from Jan 21 to Feb 4, and **resume** our activities on **Feb 11** with a CNY Lohei celebration. More details of the celebration will be announced later.

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PARENTS PRAY, ON AIR

Our **Family Ministry** is organising a prayer group across three congregations via WhatsApp for all the parents. This group is for the parents with children from 0 years old up to JC/ Poly/ ITE/ NS.

Aim: Giving support and encouragement for the parents through prayers.

Please contact Joyce Leung: 98006939 for more information.

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GRACE ELDERLY WORLD

- There will be **no** activities on 23 Jan (before CNY) and 30 Jan (Second day of CNY). Activities will resume on 6 Feb (Thu).

- **15th Anniversary cum CNY luncheon with abalone**

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

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

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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.

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GRACE CHURCH 75TH ANNIVERSARY COMBINED CHILDREN'S PROGRAM

26 Jan (Sun) | 9:30am

Venue: Preschool – Rm 407,

Primary School – Rm 102

Theme: *I BELONG to Grace Church*

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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).

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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.

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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.

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MODES OF OFFERING:

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

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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

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RECRUITMENT NOTICE

- **English Congregation Pastor**
- **Mandarin Congregation Pastor**
- **Mission Pastor**

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

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FAMILY NEWS

CONDOLENCES

- Father of MC Bro Yu Sodong was called home to be with the Lord on 11 Jan. The funeral service was held on 13 Jan.
- Father of MC Bro Goh Keng Hoch was

called home to be with the Lord on 13 Jan. The funeral service was held on 17 Jan.

Do keep the families in prayer during this time of bereavement.

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)

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Mission Prayer News – Published on 19 January

Please log in to our church website via 'Useful Links' > 'Church Mobile App' to obtain an e-copy of the latest mission prayer news. At the Mobile App screen, please select 'Menu' (bottom right corner) > click into 'Mission' to obtain the most recent mission prayer news. Note: For members and regular attendees who have registered with church only.

EC NEWS

OUR FAITHFULNESS (12 January 2025)

On-site attendance (incl. service crew):147

No. of livestream worship units (max): 26

EC Offering (Overall): \$19,971

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MEETINGS

DB Meeting

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

	26 January 2025
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