

SERMON NOTES
“ARE YOU CALLED?”

Scripture: 1 Cor 1:1-9 • Speaker: Dr Lim Kay Tham

Reflection Questions:

1. How do we know that God still calls?
2. Why does God choose the foolish over the wise, to call?
3. How should we live as God’s holy people?

Senior Pastor:
Rev Chua Yeow San

English Congregational Pastor:
Rev John Loke

EC Ministry Worker (Family Ministry):
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**Spiritual
Succession**

20 July 2025
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
Worship in Offering
Children’s Message

Scripture Reading

Sermon:

Speaker • Dr Lim Kay Tham

“Are you Called?”

1 Cor 1:1-9

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: *Abide in Me*
Text: John 15:1-10 (NLT)
Speaker: Sister Philina

COMBINED EXCO PRAYER MEETING

will be held online on **25 July** (Fri) at **8pm**, the topic is *"Building the Foundation for Spiritual Succession"*. All the EXCO members are encouraged to attend.

THE EVERGREEN COMMUNITY

To commemorate our first anniversary, we are having an overnight outing to Kukup on 22 July. Hence there is no session that day. We will *resume* our weekly activities the week after, ie on 29 July.

GRACE ELDERLY WORLD OUTING

For those attending the outing JB Kulai one day trip on **31 July 2025** (Thu), please meet at church at **7:15am**. Please take note of the following:

1. Passport should be valid for at least 6 months
2. Do bring along your passport, sufficient cash (in Ringgit) and dress comfortably. Mineral water will be provided. The trip will start at 7:30am and end at 6:30pm. We have a total of 42 participants. Please pray for good weather and a smooth journey.

SEMINAR: THE IMPACT OF AI TECHNOLOGY ON THE CHURCH

26 July (Sat) | **10am – 12nn** | Sanctuary, 2/F

Will the church be replaced by AI? In the age of AI, do we still need to build relationships with others? This seminar on AI, organized by Mandarin Congregation, will feature an insightful presentation by Dr Kelvin Chong, Lecturer of SBC. There will also be a Q&A session. No registration is required. The seminar will be conducted in Mandarin with no English interpretation.

NOTICE OF AGM 2025

Members will receive the first notice of AGM 2025 in the coming week, either by email (for those with a registered address with the church) or by postal mail (for those without). This notice contains important information regarding the AGM and invites members to

- 1) Update Your Email Address;
- 2) Raise Motions for the AGM; and
- 3) Register for a Printed Copy of the Annual Report 2024-2025.

Kindly follow the instructions provided in the notice to complete the actions relevant to you.

2025-2027 DEACONS ELECTION

Please refer to the last page for details.

DB Chairman Deacon Chong Fui Kim will be on overseas trip for personal matters from 24-27 July.

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

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

Administration Executive

Part-time HR Executive

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

MISSION NEWS

52ND MISSION CONVENTION DIGITAL HANDBOOK, FAITH PLEDGE & COMMITMENT FORMS

As we continue in this 52nd Mission Year, we encourage everyone to prayerfully consider your personal response to God's call for missions.

Please take time to seek the Lord and submit your Commitment Card and Faith Pledge Card as a step of faith and obedience. Your prompt response will help us plan and support the work of missions that we support.

Let us partner together in faith, trusting that God will use each of our offerings—great or small—for His glory.

The closing date for submitting faith pledge and commitment forms (digital or hardcopy) is **31 July 2025**.

The amount pledged to date is **S\$851,191** and the number of Faith Pledge forms submitted is **237** (as of 14/7).

The number of Commitment Forms submitted is **113**: **15** indicated a personal commitment to serve full-time or 3 months; **87** are keen to be involved in mission activities; **44** desire to participate in local cross-cultural missions; **99** are keen to provide missionary care & prayer; and **17** are interested in BAM (Business as Mission) or marketplace ministry. **Note**: numbers tally is based on options indicated per section.

a. The link and QR code of digital commitment form:

<https://tinyurl.com/52MCCCommitment>



b. The link and QR code of digital faith pledge:

<https://tinyurl.com/52MCFaithPledge>

c. The link and QR code of digital handbooks:

English version:
<https://tinyurl.com/52MCHBdownload>



Chinese version:

<https://tinyurl.com/52MCHBdownload-C>

CHILDREN MISSION OFFERING

Thank God that the total collection of children mission offering is S\$1,050 as of 30 Jun 2025. This amount will be contributed to OM Children project as adopted by the Children Ministry.

MISSION PRAYER NEWS – PUBLISHED ON 20 JUL

The latest mission prayer news will be disseminated through CG leaders as the church mobile app is currently unavailable. **Prayer content is strictly confidential. Please**

handle with sensitivity. Do not post or forward. Note: For members and regular attendees who have registered with church only.

EC NEWS

Lunch Fellowship Cum EC Prayer 3 Aug (Sun) | 1pm | Rooms 407-8

Registration for the next lunch fellowship via QR code is now open. The deadline is 27 July.

Corporate prayer will follow after lunch. Here is the QR code and the link for registration:



<https://forms.gle/qoSceN4Rlgx6xee67>

OUR FAITHFULNESS (13 July 2025)

On-site attendance (incl. service crew): 148
No. of livestream worship units (max): 13
EC Offering (Overall): \$16,228.25

MEETINGS

DB Meeting

30 July (Wed) | 7:30pm | Online

	27 July 2025
Speaker	Bro David Leong
Title & Scripture	TBA
Pastor On Duty	Rev John Loke
Worship Leader	Casey Mui

2025-2027 Deacons Election

- 2025 Annual General Meeting (AGM) and Election of Deacons 2025-2027 (two-year term) will be held on 28 September 2025 (Sunday). The deacon board has decided to conduct the AGM onsite and details will be given later. Please be reminded that participation at AGM and Election of Deacons is a membership obligation.
- According to the Church Constitution, there shall be no more than 15 deacons in the Deacon Board. There will be a total of 15 members in the new Deacon Board 2025/2026. 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.
- There're 15 deacons in the current board, 6 deacons (Young Tak Yue Taky, Mak Sum Shing Andrew, Koh Kin Teng, Cheok Ru-Sern, Leung Ka Hin, Chong Fui Kim) can be re-nominated. The remaining 9 deacons (Kong Wai Meng Javier, Tse Man Yiu, Lin Yin Peng, Wong Yan Seng, Tsui Chin Hin Ronald, Chu Ming Cheung Eric, Chu Hiu Wen Wendy, Chui Kuk Sun Sunny, Poon Pui Him Henry) need not stand for election this year.
- As per last year, the incumbent pastors and deacons plus members will concurrently make their nominations of candidates. Members who wish to make nominations may obtain the "Nomination Form for Election of Deacons" by downloading it from our Church Website.
- Members who wish to table item(s) for discussion during the AGM should write in to the Deacon Board before or on 10 August 2025 (Sunday) through Deacon Board Secretary via email (db.secretary@gsgccc.org.sg), which will deliberate on the suggested items and where suitable, will include the item(s) in the AGM Agenda. The person tabling the item(s) has to be present on the day of AGM to participate in the discussion.
- The nomination has started from 6 July 2025. The completed nomination forms and proposed item(s) should reach Deacon Board Secretary via email (db.secretary@gsgccc.org.sg) before or on 10 August 2025 (Sunday). The Deacon Board will deliberate on all the nominees in the CLC meeting on 23 August 2025. Please uphold the preparation of AGM and Election of Deacons in prayer.