

## SERMON NOTES

### KING DAVID--A MAN AFTER GOD'S OWN HEART

Scripture: 1 Samuel 16:6-13; Acts 13:22; Psalm 51:16-17 • Speaker: Rev John Loke

#### Reflection Questions:

1. What does it mean to have a heart after God? Write it down in your own words.
2. What is your attitude and response toward sin and the consequences that follow?

**Senior Pastor:**  
Rev Chua Yeow San

**English Congregational Pastor:**  
Rev John Loke

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

31 August 2025  
11:30am

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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  
Worship in Offering  
Children's Message

Scripture Reading

Sermon:

Speaker • Rev John Loke

**King David--A man after God's own heart**

1 Samuel 16:6-13; Acts 13:22; Psalm 51:16-17

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

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

There will be **no** Youth Worship today. All youths are to attend the Inter-generation Worship by their corresponding congregation.

### THE EVERGREEN COMMUNITY

**2 Sep** (Tue) | Rooms 102/107

#### 10 - 11am

HPB's Resistance Band Exercises – *please register beforehand using activity code B0828*

#### 11:15am - 3pm

Special Interest Activities - crochet, Rummikub, chess and table-tennis (After Lunch 12:15-1:45pm, Room106)

#### 2pm - 3:30pm

(Rooms 102-105 & 107)  
Rolling Good Times Programme – Session 11

#### PRE-AGM DIALOGUE SESSION

**20 Sep** (Sat) | **1-3pm** | via Zoom

You can register via <https://tinyurl.com/gcpreagm2025> to attend the pre-AGM dialogue session. Registration closes at 6pm on 19 September 2025.

#### CHURCH COMBINED RETREAT - UPDATES

##### 1) Verification of Personal Information

The organizing committee will be purchasing ferry tickets, travel insurance, and confirming hotel details. To avoid errors, a list of participants' submitted personal information will be sent via WhatsApp starting next week. Please check carefully, especially your full name, NRIC/ID number, passport number, passport expiry date, and provide any missing details. Kindly reply "OK" if all are correct or indicate any changes needed.

2) **Customized camp T-shirts** will be provided. From 6 Sept (Sat) to 14 Sept (Sun) after worship service, please visit the church library to try on sizes and select your preferred colour.

3) A **Talent Night** will be held in the evening of 16 Dec (Tue). Participant(s) may choose to perform individually or in

groups. Each performance is limited to 4 minutes. 10 performance slots will be available. Registration opens on 6 Sept at the church library.

DB Chairman Deacon Chong Fui Kim will be on overseas trip for business from 1-5 Sep. During his absence, Dn Javier Kong (DB Vice Chairman) will cover the Chairman duties.

#### PASTORAL MOVEMENTS

Mission Pastor Ps Paul Teoh will be on leave from 2-11 Sep.

#### STAFF MOVEMENTS

We thank God that the Deacon Board has approved the employment of Sis Leong Ching See (member of Reformed Bible Presbyterian Church) as an Admin Executive. She has started work on 18 August. Please remember Sis Ching See in prayer for her adjustments in this new post.

#### 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**
- **Children Ministry Pastor**
- **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](mailto:hr@gsgccc.org.sg)

## MISSION NEWS

### MISSION CONNECT

**13 Sep** (Sat) | **1:30-3:30pm** | Rooms 102-5

Topic: *Sharing by youths serving at Klang*  
Let us be inspired by how God is moving just across the causeway!

Join us for an afternoon session as our members share powerful testimonies and firsthand encounters from their recent trip with ElShaddai Centre - a ministry reaching out to refugees in Malaysia.

From empowering communities through practical skills and quality education, to planting seeds of faith and hope, ElShaddai is making a lasting impact, and our church members had the privilege of witnessing it up close.

Come and discover how God is at work and explore how you can be part of His mission too!

### JAPAN MEMBER CARE MISSION TRIP

There is opening for a short-term member-care mission trip to Japan from 21 Oct to 31 Oct 2025. It will be a trip that is planned to provide ministry support to the local churches and workers. There will be member-care visit to church supporting mission partners, Victor and Candy (CRU) to learn about their ministry and extend prayer support. Priority would be given to members of the CG that is providing member care to our mission partners.

This will be great opportunity for mission exposure with mandatory trainings to learn about the closed and sensitive culture, and ministering to the unreached people group. In consideration of the cultural background, there is a limited capacity to a single trip. For those who are unable to attend this upcoming member-care trip, you are encouraged to consider other mission trips next year 2026.

The trip is open to Grace church members. Interested members may contact our Mission Pastor, Ps Paul Teoh at [paul.teoh@gsgccc.org.sg](mailto:paul.teoh@gsgccc.org.sg) for more information.

## EC NEWS

### EC EQUIPPING SCHOOL

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

Lesson #14: Esther

We will listen and learn from the teachings under the ministry of You Can Learn the Bible whose mission is to help Christians make more sense of the Bible in less time so believers not only just understand the Bible, but delight in it, and experience its transforming power personally.

Non-CG members kindly register with Rev John Loke ([john.loke@gsgccc.org.sg](mailto:john.loke@gsgccc.org.sg)) for the zoom link.

### CHILD DEDICATION

Parents who wish to present their child for Child Dedication on 5 Oct (Sun) may register with Rev John Loke. Application closing date is **today**.

### OUR FAITHFULNESS (24 Aug 2025)

On-site attendance (incl. service crew): 126  
No. of livestream worship units (max): 26  
EC Offering (Overall): \$12,419

### MEETINGS

*Mission Com Meeting*

**14 Sep** (Sun) | 2pm | Room 407-8

*DB Meeting*

**24 Sep** (Wed) | 7:30pm | Online

7 September 2025	
Speaker	Rev William Wan
Title & Scripture	<i>Architects of Lives</i> Colossians 3:23-24
Pastor On Duty	Rev John Loke
Worship Leader	Ruth Wong