



Welcome to our Church

1 Thessalonians 5:8: But since we belong to the day, let us be sober, putting on faith and love as a breastplate, and the hope of salvation as a helmet.

Rooted in the Living Word Empowered by the Holy Spirit Abiding in Christ only Daring to Hope and to Love Yielding Fruit To God's Glory

Topic : A Journey Worth Making

Services : - 8am & 10am service

Key Verse: Matthew 28:18-20

Speaker : - Daniel Lau

Bible passage & Key verse

Matthew 28:18-20 (ESV)

“All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

Sermon Outline

1. G _____

2. A _____

3. M _____

4. I _____

Discussion questions

1. What misconceived ideas did you previously have with regards to missions or discipleship?
2. Of the 4 main points above, which one resonates with you the most?
3. In light of Jesus' promises to us, what concrete steps would we take in our personal journey toward Christlikeness?

My Response: Our Response during the service is an act of worship. Do write your reflections on a Response Form and place it in either of the offering bags. **Holy Communion:** We welcome baptized believers to join in the Lord's Supper.

Tithes & Offerings: Giving cheerfully & sacrificially of our finances is part of our worship. Giving serves as a constant reminder that God is our provider, & we seek to honour Him with our tithes & offerings. **Red Bag** - General & Ministry Fund, **Blue Bag** - Missions Fund. Please address your cheque to: "Bethesda Frankel Estate Church".

Today's Sermon—A Journey Worth Making

Our missionary to Japan, Daniel Lau, will be sharing about how the past few years in the mission field has taught him to re-evaluate many preconceived ideas, in particular The Great Commission.

Baptism TODAY (27 Nov)

We rejoice with these brothers & sisters as they publicly proclaim their faith in Jesus through the act of baptism.

- Sis Ng Siu Cheng &
- Bro Teng Yeh Show
- Sis Florence Kok
- Bro Augustine Koh
- Bro Amalrajprabu



We also welcome Bro Tamas Miklos Ivicz & Sis Karen Lim who are transferred officially into our BFEC fellowship.

December Pulpit Series: Come Let Us Worship The King



We are familiar with Christmas carols that ring through the airwaves and in shopping centres from November onwards, but are we familiar with the songs recorded in the Bible to celebrate the birth of Jesus?

Mary sang a song to God after she got over the shock that she was going to give birth to the saviour. Zechariah was an elderly priest who sang after being visited by Angel Gabriel. Simeon also had a song. The angels sang a song to the shepherds who were watching their flocks in the night. The shepherds also glorified and praised God for all that they had heard and seen.

Come, let us ponder anew their songs & worship the King of kings this advent season.

4 Dec	Mary's Magnificat (Luke 1:46-55)	Ps Tang Kok Fai (PPHBC)
11 Dec	Zechariah's Benedictus (Luke 1:67-79)	Prof Freddy Boey (RLC)
18 Dec	The Angels' Song (Luke 2:13-14)	Elder Francis Maniam (BKC)
25 Dec	Simeon's Song (Luke 2:22-35)	Elder Ernest Chew

Please note: Christmas Service — One Service at 9am on 25 Dec

"Christmas—A Season of Sharing & Giving"

BFEC Community Christmas Celebration with Siglap South CC
Sat 17 Dec 5pm-9pm @Siglap South CC (6 Palm Road)

We are 3 weeks from the Celebration! Have you or your small groups:

- **Bought the tickets?** - Purchase your tickets today! Only 88 tickets left
- **Signed up for the bus?** - As parking is very limited, we have chartered a bus to transport from Kembangan MRT & BFEC to Siglap South CC
- **Signed up to volunteer?** - We still need 28 volunteers to serve food and 15 volunteers to help with carnival booths
- **Donated the food items** for BB's Share-a-Gift Program?



The Boys' Brigade Share-a-Gift program seeks to bring cheer to the less fortunate by collecting food items (listed below), and fulfilling Christmas wishes of the 38,317 beneficiaries.



- **Rice** (5kg)
- **Cooking Oil** (1 litre)
- **Biscuits**
- **Instant Noodles**
- **Beverages** (e.g. 3-in-1 Milo, Coffee/Tea, Cereal, Adult Milk Powder, etc.)
- **Condiments/Seasonings** (e.g. Soya Sauce, Salt, Sugar)
- **Halal Canned Food** (not fruits) (e.g. Sardines, Tuna, Curry, etc.) ←most needed

Bring along the food items as you attend the event on 17 Dec. BFEC & Siglap South are ready to receive the items from now until the day of the event.

Do contact geok_chye@yahoo.com.sg / shirleysoo@bfec.org.sg if you have further queries.

Annexe Closed until 18 Dec

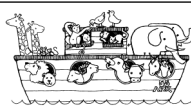
The Annexe will be closed until 18 Dec to facilitate the collection and storage of food items for Boy's Brigade Share-a-gift Program.

KSS RECRUITMENT EXERCISE

Date : Sunday, 11 December 2016

Time: 11.30 am

Place: Upper Room, Level 3 (former Café Leaf)



We are inviting members of BFEC who can come alongside our pool of teachers, worship leaders, pianists and story-tellers to serve in KSS in 2017. Please contact Luan Kho: 9677 9978 or Florence Tan: 90178662 if wish to be part of our KSS Ministry or to find out more.

Precept Upon Precept Study on Exodus 5 Jan. to 20 Jul 2017

Thursdays fortnightly 7.45pm to 9.45pm with breaks in Mar & Jun.

Course fee \$40. Please sign up by 9 Dec at goo.gl/3FhJQP or contact SeowCheng@bfec.org.sg so that we can place order for the materials.



Frankel Intercessors Ready Everywhere & everytime

Have A Prayer Request? Write it in the Response Form so we can alert the F.I.R.E. team to pray with you.

Pray for Frankelites on Missions

13th Bible Distribution Trip (19—28 Nov)

32 BFEC members are currently visiting tribes & rural churches in Yunnan & Fuzhou to distribute 2,300 Bibles in Miao, Lisu, & Han language.

IP Ministry Monsoon Relief Distribution (23—27 Nov)

11 Frankelites brought foodstuff to our IP brothers and sisters in preparation of the flooding due to the monsoon & are returning today

Music Mission to Sendai, Japan (3—12 Dec)

A team from BFEC's worship ministry, in partnership with Trans-World Radio (TWR), is going to Sendai, Japan to share the gospel.

Teaching Mission to Iloilo, Philippines (4—9 Dec)

3 sisters from BFEC will be visiting two Christian-based private schools, spending 4 days teaching English to the kindergarten children, as well as character development through storytelling & art to elementary school pupils.

Sunday Prayer Hour—Next Sunday 12.30pm @ Chapel

"Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful." Col 4:2
Prayer sustains and nourishes our church and we encourage all to make an effort to join us for an hour for our monthly prayer sessions.

Cheer Gift 2016

Each year, a Christmas Cheer Gift offering is received during Sunday services in December. The Cheer Gift will be apportioned to our full-time, pastoral & missionary staff (as their year-end bonus), associated missionaries, and the needy. May we prayerfully consider setting aside this gift, to be put in envelopes provided marked "Cheer Gift Offering" and placed in any offering bag. Cheques must be addressed to "Bethesda Frankel Estate Church Ltd" and not to any individual or ministry. Envelopes will be available from the entrance or from church office. We thank God for \$320,464.80 given by generous Frankelites last year.

Internship with BFEC

We want to intentionally engage our youths (minimum age: 16 years) & young adults who are willing to spend at least 3 months or more (up to a year) with us for ministry & spiritual training. Interested, please email ShirleySoo@bfec.org.sg

OTHER MEETINGS

Cell Groups... 51 cell groups meet during the week. To join one, contact Shirley Soo Tel: 62414622 Email: ShirleySoo@bfec.org.sg

9214 (Seniors): Bible Study & Fellowship (Sun 10am @ ClassRm A1); FrankeLights (Bible Study) (Mon 10am-11.30am @ Vineyard) Games @ Upper Rm (Tue 6pm, Thu 3pm, Sat 9.30am)

Ladies' Group: Tue 8pm @ Annexe
29/11 Praise & Sharing 6/12 Sharing by Daniel Lau
13/12 Mrs Leong King Ting 20/12 Ladies Christmas Celebration

Church Prayer Ministry: Fri 8pm @ Chapel
2/12 Elder Soon Boon : New Heaven, New Earth, & New Jerusalem
9/12 Elder Soon Boon : A Message from God (Ch 10)
16/12 Donald Foo : The King Is Coming
23/12 Elder Alex Lo : A History of Hatred (Rev 12:1-7)
30/12 Frankel One CG : Open Ministry

Peranakan Ministry: 2nd & 4th Sat 4pm @ Chapel
17/12 Kasih Sayang Yang Mengagumkan : Elder David Tan

Foreign Indian Workers' Fellowship (Spoken English class & Tamil Service): Every Sat except last Sat of the month 8-9.30 pm @ Class Rm A1 and Sundays 11.15am-12.30pm @ Fellowship Room. Contact Letch (HP:93870245)

International Fellowship (Indonesian & Filipino): Sun 10am-11.40am @ Lvl 3 Excel Room & Class Rm C3

WAG: Sat 10 December. Time: 7.30 pm. Speaker: Jeffrey Goh.
Topic: The Promise of Christmas.
Place: Home of Lim Ai Ling and Mah Tat, 15 Siglap Avenue.