



Welcome to our Church



2014 Motto: "But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ." 2 Peter 3:18a

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

Series: "Who Do Christians Think We Are?"
Sermon: "We Are SAVED"

Service: 8 - 9.30am & 10 - 11.45am
Speakers: Elder Alex Lo & Chadson Ng



Ephesians 2:1-10

"As for you, you were dead in your transgressions and sins, in which you used to live when you followed the ways of this world and of the ruler of the kingdom of the air, the spirit who is now at work in those who are disobedient. All of us also lived among them at one time, gratifying the cravings of our flesh and following its desires and thoughts. Like the rest, we were by nature deserving of wrath. But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions – it is by grace you have been saved. And God raised us up with

Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus, in order that in the coming ages he might show the incomparable riches of his grace, expressed in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus. For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith – and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God – not by works, so that no one can boast. For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do."

1. Why do we need saving?

- The difference between Works and Grace.
- The problem of sin.

2. What are we saved from?

- We are Saved from our sinful past.
- We are Saved from death.
- We are Saved from the power of sin in the Present.
- We are Saved Forever for the Future.

3. What does being saved have to do with our identity?

4. What are we saved for?

- We are Saved for good works.

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 or in the Black Box at the Hall entrance. **Holy Communion:** We welcome baptized believers to join in the Lord's Supper.

Offering: Red Bag - General & Ministry Fund/Blue Bag - Missions Fund.

Pulpit Series: CHURCH-WIDE JOURNEY! 2 Mar - 3 May (10 weeks)

DO KNOW YOUR TRUE IDENTITY IN CHRIST?

Today	We are Saved	Elder Alex Lo & Bro Chadson Ng
13 Apr	We are Reconciled	Bro Nick Chung & Deacon Samuel Ng
18 Apr*	We are Afflicted	Elder Roland Tan & Sis Tan Ying Kheng
20 Apr**	We are Heard	Brothers Tan Lai Yong & Noel Lean
27 Apr	We are Gifted	Elder Caleb Chua & Bro Jonathan Cho



Frankel Intercessors Ready Everywhere & everytime
Have A Prayer Request? Write it on in the Response Form so we can alert the F.I.R.E. team to pray with you.

Mission Prayer Focus for April... Please see attached sheet. Lets's pray for our missionaries . A note from BFEC Pastoral Care Team is on the reversed side.

Alpha Day Away... This Sat 12 Apr, 9am to 4pm

Do pray for the participants to experience the presence of God and respond in faith. Held in church at the Upper Room.



Congratulations to...
 Harold Heah & Sarah Lim on their Holy Matrimony yesterday, 5 July.
 Solemnised by Elder Quek Mong Hua.

Please Note:

- * 18 Apr - Good Friday Service
ONE Service only at 9am
- ** 20 Apr - Easter Sunday cum
 Baptism Service



"IDENTITY IN CHRIST"

Retreat! Date: 1-3 May 2014
Venue: Pulau Springs Resort
Subsidized cost: only \$95 per pax twin-sharing. Excludes transport cost. Lodging for children is also subsidized. Full details and Registration with Shirley Soo/Lim Seow Cheng at the table outside.
Sign up as a cell today! Closing date: Next Sun.



Have you had an "aha!" moment...

that sudden revelation that surprises you with insight? Kyle Idleman, author of *Not A Fan*, wrote a new book, *AHA*. "A" refers to the *Awakening* to the reality of our true spiritual condition. This leads us to see ourselves and our need for a Saviour with renewed *Honesty* (that's the "H"), which then leads to *Action* ("A"), where we obey God's commands and follow the example set by Christ. *Awakening. Honesty. Action.*

Indeed, my prayer is that this discipleship series, "Who do Christians think we are" will bring you your own "aha" moment. Knowing *about* your identity in Christ is not enough. You need to let the truth expounded each Sunday grip the core of your inner being, translating into a change in outlook and transforming action. So instead of counting down to the end of this admittedly longer-than-usual series, you ought to instead ask honestly, "What is the Lord saying to me? What is He asking me to honestly face up to? What changes should I make?"



We have organised the upcoming "Identity In Christ Retreat" in the hope that you will encounter the Lord in your own "AHA" moment. In coming away, we give ourselves permission to seek God without distraction, worship Him in community and have extended times of prayerful reflection. Understandably some with school-going children may not be able to attend, but many others can and should take advantage of what your Elders and shepherds have been led to do for you. Could spouses bless and release your partner to be refreshed?

Sign up in faith and expect to meet with God, the One who defines who you and I are in Christ.

In love,
Elder Jim
 On behalf of the Elders

Last Week's Service... Ephesians 1:15,16 (ESV): "For this reason, because I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers."

Our Prayer: "Father, thank You that we are precious to You, that You call us Your inheritance. You are aware of our service and sacrifices, and You understand and appreciate us, even when others don't. Only in You are we complete. Please help us to be more appreciative of others. Grant us the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that we may know Jesus better and be like Him. Thank You for the hope we have in Christ, that You have prepared something wonderful for those who love You. And thank You that all of us have access to Your power, which was manifest in Christ and is available to us through prayer. We pray for grace to claim these spiritual blessings by taking the first step of faith."

Café Leaf ...Christians At Frankel Estate, Let's Eat

And Fellowship. Today's menu: Yummy Nasi Lemak Bento set with fish, chicken wing, egg, ota and ikan billis. All for only \$4.50!
 Warmly prepared by Samuel Ng & YA group. Guests, please join us, on the house.



Deacon Chin Chang, Jacqueline, Evyn & family wish to express their heart-felt thanks and appreciation for your kind attendance, condolences, prayers and contribution during their recent bereavement.

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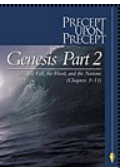
A Special Talk organised by T&E Ministry

Date: This Sat 12 Apr 2014 **Time:** 2 - 5 pm **Venue:** BFEC

Speaker: Dr Tjin Swee Chuan, a lecturer at NTU & Chairman of Precept Ministries.

Register with Seow Cheng (seowcheng@bfec.org.sg or 91081935) if you wish to attend. All are welcome.

Precept Course - Genesis Part 2: The Fall, the Flood, and the Nations (Study of Gen 3-11)



This is the book that holds the key to understanding the origin of sin and evil , the justice of God's judgment, the mercy of God's plan for the redemption of mankind, and the hope for a lost and dying world.

When/Time: 24 Apr-23 Oct.
 Fortnightly classes on Thu 7.45-10pm
Course fees: \$34 (includes worksheets, file and refreshment).
 Participants can still sign up without attending Part 1.
 Register with Seow Cheng (seowcheng@bfec.org.sg or 64491843)

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Dates: Wed 30 Apr (7.30 - 10pm) & Thu 1 May (9am - 6pm)
Venue: Suntec Singapore Level 6
Admission by ticket: one ticket per person
Registration & other details in the flyer at the entrance & office.



OTHER MEETINGS THIS WEEK

9214 (Seniors): Fellowship (Sun 10am); Frankel Lights (Mon 10 - 11.30am); Games (Thu 3pm)

International Fellowship: Sun 10-11.40am
 (Filipino & Indonesian) Level 3 Excel Room & Classroom C3

Ladies' Group Meeting: Tue 8pm Speaker: Sis Ng Tjoh Dju

Church Prayer Ministry: Fri 8pm. Topic: "The Power of Supplication" Speaker: Elder Alex Lo

Peranakan Ministry: Sat 4pm Topic: Christ redemption work for mankind. Speaker: Rev Jimmy Wong

Foreign Indian Workers' Fellowship: Sat 9pm.
 Ground Floor classroom at front playground.