



# Welcome to our Church



**Our Vision** "To be the bride of Christ ready at His return."

**Our Mission** "We spur one another to grow as disciples of Christ living out fully God's purposes for our lives."

*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: "Empowered by Jesus Through the Holy Spirit"**

**Service: 8 - 9.30am and 10 - 11.45am**

**Key Verse: "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." Acts 1:8**

**Speaker: Elder Jeffrey Goh**

## 1. POWER TO LIVE A GODLY LIFE

## 2. POWER TO OVERCOME AND WITNESS

## 3. POWER TO RECEIVE BOLDNESS, TO LIVE FEARLESSLY IN FEARFUL TIMES

## 4. POWER TO BE MORE THAN CONQUERORS

### QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSIONS

1. Why is living a godly life such a challenge in the world today? How can the Christian, as a disciple of Christ, say NO to ungodliness and worldly passions? Titus 2:11-13
2. How can our daily living be a testimony to God's work in our lives? What do you think it means when we say that God not only saves us but He keeps us? Rev 12:11
3. According to 1 John 4:17-18, how is love made complete in us? What are the fears Christians faced in the world today? In what ways can Christians exercise boldness in daily living?
4. Romans 8:31-39 tells us that we are more than Conquerors in Christ Jesus. How can we have this power to be more than conquerors? What will the world be like if all believers exercised this power?

# “The Highest Call” Pulpit Series on Discipleship...

Today “Empowered by Jesus” (Acts 1)  
20 May “The Challenge”

Elder Jeffrey Goh  
Elder Jimmy Tan

**Next Sunday**  
**BFEC 38TH AGM**  
**ONE COMBINED SERVICE**  
**One Church . One Challenge**  
**Sun, 20 May 2012. Time: 9.30am–Noon**  
*A simple buffet lunch celebration follows the AGM.*



Let's come together to give thanks & seek His will.



- Copies of the Church's 2011 Annual Report, Audited Accounts and Minutes of last AGM are **available to members only outside the Annex upon request.**
- Bring your children as the Creche, KSS and JSS will be open from 9.30am . The SSS has an evangelistic event following AGM.
- Chinese Ministry members will jointly participate in this service from the Chapel.

### Affirmation of Elders & Deacons/Deaconess

The Elders are pleased to commend the following Deacons/Deaconess for re-election and introduce 1 new Elder and 4 new Deacons to serve the Lord at the coming AGM:

#### Re-election (Deacons and Deaconess)

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| 1. Ivan Koh        | 7. Jason Sin                 |
| 2. Ng Geok Chye    | 8. John Teo                  |
| 3. Koh Pee Keat    | 9. Ngoo Chih Yuan            |
| 4. Cheok Cheng Jan | 10. Sharon Ngoo              |
| 5. Woon Chin Chang | 11. Alan Goh (Sabbatical)    |
| 6. Lim Tzyy Chang  | 12. Vincent Lim (Sabbatical) |

#### Election of New Deacons

- Kiang Tzy Peng
- Daryl Liu
- Matthias Ong
- Willy Ong

#### Elders

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| 1. Jimmy Tan      | 7. Danny Chua       |
| 2. Ernest Chew    | 8. See Toh Ming Yew |
| 3. Quek Mong Hua  | 9. Ong Paak Loey    |
| 4. Melville Szto  | 10. Thomas Lor      |
| 5. Roland Tan     | 11. Chong Kum Wah   |
| 6. Chua Soon Boon |                     |

#### Appointment of New Elder

- Alex Lo

#### Advisory Elders

- Lionel Ong
- Tan Ban Cheng
- Yeo Oon Sek



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.

The Chairman & Council wish all our mums & “spiritual mums” A God-blessed Mother's Day!  
“A woman who fears the LORD is to be praised.” Proverbs 31:30



### Bring a child to ... Vacation Bible School 2012

Date: 28 to 30 May (Mon to Wed),  
Time: 9.30am to 12.30pm (28 & 29 May)  
9.30am to 2pm (30 May)

Venue: BFEC Cost: \$20

Organized by KSS & Bethesda (Katong) Kindergarten with Scripture Union.

Hurry, sign up now at Kindergarten Sunday School on 3rd level.



### Congratulations to...

Francis Ong & Maggie Ong on their Holy Matrimony solemnised by Elder Joshua Quek yesterday, 12 May.



### Returning Missionary... Sister Seah Lay

Khim is back from the Mission field after 10 years in East Asia. She will be in Singapore for a season as she prayerfully considers her next move. She will be on official leave till end June 2012. Let's welcome her back!



### Congratulations to our Missionaries

Pauline Chung will be graduating from SBC with Master of Art in Counselling on Sun 13 May at Bartley Christian Church. She has done well and is awarded the Counseling Award.

Daniel Lau has completed his Masters in Christian Studies with BGST and will be graduating on Sat 26 May at Telok Ayer Chinese Methodist Church. Congratulations also to our member Francis Yong, who has completed his Masters in Christian Studies with BGST. Well done Pauline, Daniel & Francis!



### International Fellowship Ministry...

which ministers to our foreign domestic helpers from Philippines, Indonesia and other nationalities now meets at the 3rd Floor Classroom 4 and Excel Room. Members, let's encourage our helpers to join in this ministry at this new location.



**Last Sunday's Service:** Matthew 28:19 The Gospel in the Great Commission "...Therefore go & make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father & of the Son & of the Holy Spirit..." The Father: Loved us & sent His Son; The Son: Died & rose again so that our sins can be forgiven; The Holy Spirit: Brings to mind God's word, guides us into all truth.

**Our Response:** Father, I see my weakness, and pray for grace not to doubt. May I allow You to transform my life, so that my life will fulfill Your purpose in this generation. Reveal Your specific ill for me, and let me not harbor the attitude "what's in it for me?". Thank You that You are always with me.

### OTHER MEETINGS THIS WEEK

**9214 (Seniors):** Fellowship (Sun 10am). Exercise (Mon 8am). Frankel Lights (Mon 9.30– 11am). Games (Thurs 3pm)

**International Fellowship** (Filipino & Indonesian), 3rd Floor Classroom 4, Time: 10 - 11.40am.

**Ladies Ministry** Tue 8pm Speaker: Mrs Ang Woon Chuan

**Church Prayer Ministry** Fri 8am "Money Talk" with Chuck Bentley (CEO, Crown Financial Ministries)

**Foreign Indian Workers' Fellowship** No meeting in May.

GLOBAL DAY OF PRAYER  
TOWARDS JUBILEE

**Pentecost Sunday**  
**27 May 2012 7.30pm**

Our Church will join the gathering at BBTC this year!!!

Let us join in this world-wide prayer movement!

Take a flyer at the entrance.

6 Weeks to... **40** days of community

24 Jun to 12 Aug

In 6 weeks' time, we will embark on 40 Days of Community. Let us saturate this initiative in PRAYER. Our prayers matter to God.

#### THIS WEEK: Pray for the 40 DOC Committee

- for each person involved in the main committee to rely on God's sufficiency & strength.
- for unity, harmony & lasting friendships to develop.
- for their families, that they will be prayerful, supportive and supported during this busy season.
- for effective communication of plans between them, church staff, council members, cell groups leaders & ministry heads.
- for God's anointing power to accomplish great things through each team member.



If you wish to serve in the 40 Days Of Community Prayer Sub-com, please contact Florence Lee (96661266)

Reminder: Please submit any announcement for consideration in the next bulletin by Tuesday.