



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: "Serving Together"

Service: 8-9.30am and 10-11.45am

Memory Verse: "Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ." Gal 6:2 (NIV)

Speaker: Elder Roland Tan

Context: Gal 6:1-3 Brethren, if a man is overtaken in any trespass, you who are spiritual restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness, considering yourself lest you also be tempted. *2 Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ.* 3 For if anyone thinks himself to be something, when he is nothing, he deceives himself. (NKJV)

Serving as a TEAM:

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1. Be Consistent: Yes be Yes, No be No
2. Avoid gossip
3. Spend time together

- **E mpathy**

1. Slow down
James 1:19 let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath; (NKJV)
2. Ask Question(s), and linger
Prov 20:5 Counsel in the heart of man is like deep water, But a man of understanding will draw it out. (NKJV)
3. Express and feel emotions
Rom 12:15 Rejoice with those who rejoice, and weep with those who weep. (NKJV)

- **A ccomodation**

1. Needs
2. Ideas
3. Personalities
4. Faults

Talk about this in your small groups

- **M ission**

- Love one another
- Serve the community
- Make ready the bride of Christ
- This is Harmony at its best: Video "Oh Love..."

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.

We're 54!
To God Be The Glory



Dear Frankelite:

As we celebrate our church's 54th anniversary, we first look up to our faithful Triune God with thanksgiving and praise. In the 1950s, He guided the Bethesda (Katong) leaders to establish a Kindergarten, Sunday School, Gospel witness and Assembly at Frankel Estate.

Second, we look back with loving appreciation for the pioneers who planted our church in 1958, and to the Kindergarten added a church building in 1964 for a growing congregation and ministry needs, including a Boys Brigade and then Girls Brigade Company. Many of the original members have gone Home to glory, but their spiritual legacy lives on.

Third, we look within to our calling to be God's people and His servants in our "Jerusalem" and beyond, with the prayer, "Oh may all who come behind us find us faithful!" Let us tell the next generation the wonderful deeds of the Lord.



TODAY WE COMMEND FRANKELITES...

Aged 80 and above. It is our practice to honour them at every anniversary! Isaiah 43:18, 19 - "Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past. See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it?"

Brothers: Yeo Oon Sek; Sebastian Tan; Kelly Tan; Wong Poh Wah; Laurie Chan; Tan Ban Cheng; Tan Kim Suan; Teo Teck Ann; Liew Teck Seong; Koh Khek Chew;

Sisters: Kay Szto; Yeo Kheng Neo; Tan Poey Im; Rosalind Seet; Sim Liew Neo; Bertrand Lai Yuen; Loh Siew Yoong; Patricia Sabapathy; Wee Cheng Neo; Chiew Pek Neo; Iris Tan; Pauline Phuah; Tan Chee Chee; Victoria Ti; Tan Geok Choo; Nancy Boon; Rosy Ho; Tang Geok Inn; Doris Koh; Lily Tan; Chong Hoon Hor; Tay Lee Kheng.

Let us also keep the following in prayer...

Tan Seow Kheng; Seow Suan Jeong; Tong Cho Ming; Tan Kim Neo; Heng Wee Chee; Koh Siew Kheng; Dolly Soh; Chan Sing Sum; Susie Goh; Joe Sim; Koh Hood Kiang; Lioe Moek Khin; Lee Siong Chye; Choy Wing Choong; William Sung.

40
days of
community

24 JUN TO 12 AUG



Finally, we look ahead to the many opportunities for service and witness before us, during the 40DOC, and all the days ahead while the Lord still tarries, so that we may always be part of the Bride of Christ ready at His return. We have His assurance that His goodness and love will follow us all the days of our life, and we will dwell in the house of the Lord forever (Psalm 23:6).

"This is the day that the Lord has made - we will rejoice and be glad in it" (Psalm 117:24). A joyful, God-blessed Anniversary, BFEC!

Grace, peace and love,

Elder Ernest Chew
on behalf of the Council



This Week's Prayer Focus: "WE SERVE BETTER TOGETHER"... Pray that

- * we may experience continual empowerment & joy in serving Him who called us.
- * we may discover & use our spiritual gifts & talents to serve God by serving others.
- * we may serve each other in humility, recognizing that "every ministry is important", whether visible or behind the scenes.
- * we will inspire & enrich the lives of others, especially those whom we are shepherding in our cell groups, Sunday schools and ministry groups.

This week's Memory Verse...

Gal 6:2 "Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ."

Let's Gather... National Day 9 Aug 10am @ BFEC

It's our *Signature Event* for 40DOC! Come witness the "great wall" of 2000 shoeboxes on display. Host our community of invited neighbours & BKK parents. A lunch celebration follows. Guest of Honour: MP Charles Chong; Guest Artist: Moses Lim. **Invite your friends! Frankelites, remember to wear your BFEC t-shirt.**



Guest Artist: Moses Lim

Project Shoebox

Praise God for 2019 boxes adopted by 58 cells & ministries. Remember to return them (filled) after service!

Works Projects by Cell Groups & Ministries...

Thank God for 46 cells & ministries involved to date!

Shoobox mobilization Team (22 July/ 18 Aug/25 Aug): Michael Mak; Teh Chee Kiang; Ben Mah; Chua Hoe Chin; Quek Bee Poh; Joyce Seow

Bethany Methodist Nursing Home: Dyeo Kok Hong

Radion: Chew Kia Seng; Tony Soh; David Poh; Chua Soon Boon; Jeremy Ong; Noel Lean

Project Thank You Neighbours (4 & 5 Aug): Lim Seow Cheng; Wong Lee Pin; Pang Tzer Fang; Raymond Cheah; IFM

Food Hamper Blessing (4 Aug): Laurie Chan; Patrick Lee; Kelvin Lau; Kester Kay; Gerald Wong

Chinese Nurses: Chong Shing Yian

The Helping Hand: Kong Kin Piew

FIWF - India Independent Day (18 Aug): Ladies Group; Chong Yew Thy

Abra Outreach: Paul Tan

Healthserve (Bird Park on National Day): Loh Meng See

Home Improvement Project: Rita Ong; Danny Chua; Daniel Lau Chee Seng; Aaron Soo; YA; SSS

St Luke's Hospital: Tan Eng Gee; Henry Tan; 9214; Flower Ministry

Pastoral Visits: Melville Szto; David Poh; Liew Teck Seong

Prison Fellowship: Chong Shing Yian; David Poh

FIWF - Health Screening @ Foreign Workers Dormitory (4 Aug): Lindis Szto; Goh Kim Eng

Congratulations to Matthias Ong & Davina Low on their Holy Matrimony solemnized by Elder Jimmy Tan on 28 July 2012.



Café Leaf... The humble nasi lemak, an all time favorite, makes its way to Cafe Leaf for a good price of only \$3.50. Cool it off with a special ice cream sandwich treat, served specially on wheels. Make a date with us. Served by David Poh/Ng Kim Geok's group.



Our Condolences & Love to Irene & Ian on the homecall of Francis Lim on 25 July 2012. Funeral today. Cortege leaves 2.45pm from St Teresa Church to Mandai Crematorium Hall 3 for cremation at 3.45pm

OTHER MEETINGS THIS WEEK

9214 (Seniors): Fellowship (Sun 10am); Exercise (Mon 8am); Frankel Lights (Mon 9.30-11am); Games (Thu 3pm)

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

Ladies Ministry Tue 8pm
Topic "Worshipping Together" Speaker: Mrs Rani Mathew

Next Baptism on 23 Sep 2012

"Discovering BFEC Membership" Baptism Class 101 starts 5 Aug

If you are not yet baptized, do take this step of faith. Candidates must attend all lessons, held over 4 Sundays, 8.30am - 10.00am, followed by an interview with church leaders.

Kindly note that no make-up lessons will be arranged.

- 5 Aug: Session 1 "Our Salvation"
- 19 Aug: Session 2 "Baptism & The Lord's Supper"
- 26 Aug: Session 3 "Our Church Statements"
- 2 Sep: Session 4 "Our Church Strategy & Structure"

Transfer your Membership

Classes are also arranged if you would like to transfer your membership to BFEC.

- 19 Aug: Session 3 "Our Church Statements"
- 2 Sep: Session 4 "Our Church Strategy & Structure"

Application forms for Baptism or Membership Transfer can be obtained from the church office.

Closing date: Today! Sign up without delay!

Church Prayer Ministry Fri 8pm

Topic: "How to worship weekly" Speaker: Lim Tzyy Chang
Chairperson: Soontheri

Foreign Indian Workers' Fellowship
Sat 9pm Ground floor classroom at playground

