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JUNE 24 & 25, 2017 FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS

# GOD IN OUR FAMILIES

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LESSONS FROM DEUTERONOMY 6 ELDER LOK VI MING

#### **UPCOMING MESSAGES**

JUL 1 & 2 A Call To Pray

JUL 8 & 9 Spiritual Hygiene (Part1)

### **ESSENTIAL** INFORMATION

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This newsletter can also be downloaded at www.bbtc.com.sg/newsletter.

### CHURCH SERVICES

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YOUTH CHURCH Chapel 4pm-6pm

#### ENGLISH SERVICE

*Sanctuary* 5pm-7pm

HOKKIEN SERVICE Hall 1 6.45pm-8.30pm

#### SUN

*Sanctuary* 8.30am-10.30am 10.45am-12.45pm

**ENGLISH SERVICE** 

#### **CHILDREN'S CHURCH**

Hall 2 and Kindy Assembly Hall 8.30am-10.30am 10.45am-12.45pm

MANDARIN SERVICE Hall 1 10.30am-12.30pm

#### FILIPINO MINISTRY

*Chapel* 10.45am-12.30pm

INDONESIAN FELLOWSHIP Genesis 1-06 10.45am-12.30pm

**TELUGU SERVICE** *Kindy Assembly Hall* 6.30pm-9.30pm

## SCRIPTURE MEDITATION

#### **HEBREWS 13:1-5**

Let brotherly love continue. Do not forget to entertain strangers, for by so doing some have unwittingly entertained angels. Remember the prisoners as if chained with them those who are mistreated—since you yourselves are in the body also. Marriage is honorable among all, and the bed undefiled; but fornicators and adulterers God will judge. Let your conduct be without covetousness; be content with such things as you have. For He Himself has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you."

### PRAYER FOCUS

That our love for God is shown by our love for our brothers.

#### 1 JOHN 4:21

And this commandment we have from Him: that he who loves God must love his brother also.

### TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Tithes and offerings are collected at every worship service. For cheques, write "BBTC". To tithe via bank transfer, use **OCBC 591-006432-001**, bank code: **7339**, branch code: **591**.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

JUL 1	JUL1 The Significant Woman Preview	
JUL 1 – 2	We.Wear.White	
JUL 1 – AUG 9	40-Day Season of Prayer	
JUL 6, 13, 20, 27	Spiritual Parenting Training	
AUG 6	Baptism Service	
AUG 8	Day of His Power	

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The months of May and June were a celebration of the God-ordained institution of family.

On Mother's Day and Father's Day, we honoured those who have sacrificed so much to make us the men and women we are today. We heard pulpit messages on how to enjoy relationships that are holy and acceptable to the Lord. We affirmed that we are to honour the holy institution of marriage, one man, one woman, for one lifetime. We learnt how to be spiritual parents to the generations to come.

## This celebration of family will culminate in the weekend of July 1–2, when we.wear.white in unity with the wider church.

Some day, we will all be clothed in white robes to honour the returning King (Rev 19:14). Until then, we don white in an intentional, corporate statement of our resolve to pursue holiness and purity, as commanded and commended by our holy and pure God.

Join us in wearing white during our weekend services on July 1 & 2. The family of God stands as one for the institution of family.

### **40-DAY SEASON OF PRAYER**

### STAND IN THE GAP FROM JULY 1 TO AUGUST 9

Come July 1, churches nation-wide will kick off the 40-day season of prayer as we stand in the gap for the nation. In BBTC, there will be Corporate Worship & Intercession held every day at 8pm.

In this season, we encourage every BBTCian to:

**CORPORATELY** participate in the sessions of Corporate W&I together with the body of Christ

AS A FAMILY rebuild family prayer altars by coming together to have spiritual conversations & pray

INDIVIDUALLY level up in prayer in our personal prayer closets

Prayers lay the tracks along which the grace of God will come. If we say we want revival, if we want to claim the promises and peace of God for Singapore, then we need to pray. Let's stand in the gap for our nation, our family, and ourselves.

### BBTC MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT RETREAT

AUG 18 - 20, AMARI HOTEL, JOHOR BAHRU, MALAYSIA

**THIS IS NOT A COURSE BUT AN ENRICHMENT RETREAT** for BBTC couples especially those who are married for 5 years and above. The retreat is aimed with the loving purpose of giving our BBTC married couples an opportunity to have relaxed, fun and meaningful quality time together, to renew, rejuvenate and rediscover each other.

#### **PROGRAMME INCLUDES:**

- •Building Strong Foundations
- •The Tale Of Two Brains
- •The Art Of Communication
- •How To Create Marriage Time
- Resolving Conflict
- •Sex In Marriage And Renewal Of Marriage Vows
- •How To Stay Married
- •Q&A-Laugh Your Way To A Better Marriage

**RETREAT COST** – SGD 360\* per couple \*Includes 2 breakfasts, 1 lunch and 2 dinners of which one is a romantic candlelight dinner

RETREAT FACILITATOR - Jeffrey Goh / Bob Chi

The retreat is limited to 25 to 30 couples (preference to couples married for 5 years and above). Sign up online at https://tinyurl.com/bbtc-MER17. Closing date and payment by 17th July 2017.

### SPIRITUAL PARENTING (SP) TRAINING

Dates: Jul 6, 13, 20 & 27 2017 (Thurs)

- Time : 8.00pm to 10.00pm
- Venue: Kindy Hall (Basement)
- Facilitators: Ps Chua Seng Lee and Ps Eunice Low
- Cost: S\$10 per person
- Pre-requisite: Must be recommended by CG Leader

At the heart of the Great Commission is the spiritual reproduction of disciples who would obey and fulfil all that Jesus has commanded us. The key to spiritual production is Spiritual Parents who would pray, evangelise and disciple those in their sphere of influence. Do you desire abiding spiritual fruits in your life? If you do, join the Spiritual Parenting Course and be equipped to be an intentional disciple-maker for Christ.

#### Class size is limited to the first 50 participants. Register early to avoid disappointment.

Please register at http://tinyurl.com/SPT-1-2017 before 26 June 2017.

## CELEBRATING THE FAMILY AT BBTC

As a family church, BBTC recognises the importance of the family as an essential basic unit of our society. In celebration of the family, BBTC has lined up a series of sermon messages for the upcoming months on family relations. The celebration also extends to an array of events to strengthen family bonds and to equip BBTCians with a biblical understanding of the various roles within the family. Here are some of the exciting highlights that has taken placed in May and some of the upcoming events in the weeks ahead.

PAST EVENTS		
May 10	Mandarin Worship MiB Family Outing	Family bonding at Coney island.
May 13	Elijah7000 – Fan the Fire (Kum Yan Methodist Church)	Fanning the Fire for Christian fathers to restore the family foundation.
May 13 & 14	Mothers' Day Celebration	Honoring mums through a special prayer dedication as we celebrated Mother's Day.
May 20	Family Appreciation Night 2017 (By Hokkien Service)	We celebrated and appreciated our family members through games, performances, gifts and a special dinner. Rev Oh Beng Khee shared the gospel to over 500 attendees with 7 decisions to receive Jesus as Lord and Saviour.
May 25 to 27	The World Needs a Father / The Brilliant Mother (Emmanuel House)	Training communities of men and women to understand the value of their role as fathers and mothers.
June 17 & 18	Fathers' Day Celebration	We appreciate the sacrifices of every father in our midst and recognize the vital role they play in the family.

UPCOMING EVENTS				
July 1 & 2	We.Wear.White	Come dressed in white as part of We.Wear.White. As we see a concerted and deliberate effort to re-define the family, the onus is on us not to remain silent but to stand up together to affirm God's original design for Marriage & the Family.		
Jul 12 - Sept 6	Marriage Dialogue Course	Course designed and aimed to enrich the marriage to make it a lasting & fulfilled one.Part of BBTC's initiative to build strong marriages.		
Aug 18 – 20	BBTC Marriage Enrichment Retreat (Amari Hotel, Johor Bahru, Malaysia)	An enrichment retreat for BBTC couples to renew, rejuvenate and rediscover each other. Part of BBTC's initiative to build strong marriages.		

### THE MARRIAGE DIALOGUE COURSE

### EVERY WED FROM JUL 12 TO SEP 6, 7.30PM TO 10.15PM

Course facilitators:Elder Ho Tuck Leh & ShirleyCourse fee:\$20 per couple

This course is designed and aimed to enrich your relationship with your spouse to make it a lasting & fulfilled one. The course content comprises the following which will be covered over 8 sessions – Wednesday (7.30 pm to 10.15pm) from 12 Jul to 6 Sep 2017

- 1. Why Get Married?
- 2. Oneness
- 3. His or Hers
- 4. Sowing & Reaping
- 5. Freedom of Forgiveness
- 6. The Power of Agreement
- 7. Intimacy
- 8. Life Patterns

Course format includes teachings, group sharing/ conversation and take-home couple dialogue assignments.

If you have been married for more than 5 years and want to nurture your marriage towards growth and transformation, please register at https://www. surveymonkey.com/r/MarriageDialogue2017. "NEXT TO YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH THE LORD, THE BEST INVESTMENT YOU CAN MAKE HERE ON EARTH IS THE RELATIONSHIP WITH YOUR SPOUSE."

For further enquiries, email Elder Tuck Leh at htl.mandate@gmail.com

### **BBTC ALL LEADERS PRAYER**

As part of the 40–Day Season of Prayer, the All Leaders Meeting (ALM) will be replaced by All Leaders Prayer on July 19, 8pm to 9.30pm at the BBTC Sanctuary (Level 3).

### BBTC 32ND ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)

BBTC's 32nd Annual General Meeting will be held on 19th July 2017 (Wednesday) at about 8.00pm at the Sanctuary on Level 3 before the All Leaders Prayer. The Audited Financial Report can be found on the noticeboard outside the Sanctuary (Level 3).

### WE'RE HIRING: BBTC CORPORATE COMMUNICATIONS EXECUTIVE

#### SCOPE:

- Oversee videography projects and equipment
- Design and produce digital content and printed collaterals
- Assist in various Corporate Communications projects

#### **PREREQUISITES:**

- Diploma in media related courses with strong, videography and photography skills
- Proficiency in Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator and Premiere preferred
- · Motivated and independent worker willing to work on weekends

For interested applicants, please send your resume to huaichieh@bbtc.com.sg.

### **BBTK RECRUITMENT - ENGLISH TEACHER**

**Bethesda (Bedok-Tampines) Kindergarten** is looking for an **English Teacher** with the following pre-requisites:

- Certificate or Diploma in Early Childhood Care and Education
- ·Loves God and people, with a heart to serve God and children
- · Good interpersonal skills and a team player

Join us in our mission to build in every child godly character and nurture the love for learning in partnership with parents.

Please email your resume to graceseah@bbtk.com.sg and chelstan@bbtk.com.sg.

### CONGRATULATIONS

We rejoice with Francis and Elizabeth Chua on the birth of their newborn daughter, Anya Brielle Chua, on Jun 18.



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### CONNECT WITH BBTC

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#### We want to hear your testimony

We are looking for testimonies, especially if you have been ministered by the word of knowledge shared over the pulpit. Submit your testimony to huaichieh@bbtc.com.sg.



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#### Want to hear a previous sermon?

Weren't able to attend service, or want to listen to a sermon for a second time? All our sermons are available online at www.bbtc.com.sg/audio-sermons-2017.



#### Caring for the community

Bethesda Care & Counselling Services Centre (BCCSC) serves the children, youths, families and the elderly in need in Bedok. Find out more about our range of services at www.bccsc.org.

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#### Looking for a cell?

Get plugged in with a group of brothers or sisters with whom you can share your passions and struggles. Visit www.bbtc.com.sg/getting-connected.



#### Declare your faith

Baptism services are held thrice a year in BBTC — on Resurrection Sunday, National Day weekend and Christmas. Application forms are available outside the Sanctuary.

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Name	Gender	Age
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I want to learn how to have a personal relationship with God	I'd like to join a CG (Churd	ch-in-Action group)
I'd like to find out more about a specific ministry:		
Other inquiries:		

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