



JANUARY 18 & 19, 2020

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UPCOMING MESSAGE

JANUARY 26
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Share Your Faith - 1 Peter 3:15

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CHURCH SERVICES

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YOUTH CHURCH

Chapel

4pm-6pm

ENGLISH SERVICE

Sanctuary

5pm-7pm

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Kindy Assembly Hall

5pm-7pm

HOKKIEN SERVICE

Hall 1

6.45pm-8.30pm

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ENGLISH SERVICE

Sanctuary

8.30am-10.30am

10.45am-12.45pm

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Hall 2 and

Kindy Assembly Hall

8.30am-10.30am

10.45am-12.45pm

MANDARIN SERVICE

Hall 1

8.30am-10.30am

10.45am-12.45pm

FILIPINO MINISTRY

Chapel

10.45am-12.30pm

INDONESIAN FELLOWSHIP

Genesis 1-01

10.45am-12.30pm

TELUGU SERVICE

Kindy Assembly Hall

6.30pm-9.30pm

SCRIPTURE MEDITATION

MATTHEW 4:18-22 (NKJV)

And Jesus, walking by the Sea of Galilee, saw two brothers, Simon called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea; for they were fishermen. Then He said to them, "Follow Me, and I will make you fishers of men." They immediately left their nets and followed Him.

Going on from there, He saw two other brothers, James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother, in the boat with Zebedee their father, mending their nets. He called them, and immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed Him.

PRAYER FOCUS

That we experience the power of His kingdom through the work of His Spirit.

MATTHEW 12:28 (NKJV)

But if I cast out demons by the Spirit of God, surely the kingdom of God has come upon you.

TITHES AND OFFERING

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.

To tithe via PayNow, use UEN: 198402921M



UPCOMING EVENTS

MONTH OF JAN	LEADERS DEDICATION 2020
JAN 22	WORD ON WEDNESDAY
FEB 1	HOKKIEN & MANDARIN WORSHIP CNY OUTREACH
FEB 15 - APR 4	PRE-MARITAL COURSE
FEB 18 - MAR 17	NEW DISCIPLES' TRACK

CHURCH CAMP 2020 PAYMENT INFORMATION

Thank you for the overwhelming response to Church Camp 2020. The early bird registration is now closed. Early bird registrants have till February 2 to make full payment. If full payment is not received by then, registration will be cancelled automatically and rooms given to those on the wait list.



Payment Mode

1. Bank Transfer: please use Standard Chartered Bank 59-0-000200-0
2. PayNow: please use UEN 198402921MBBT
3. Cheque Drop-off at Church Office Reception / Level 3 Mailbox: please write to BBTC

We strongly encourage campers to make payment via electronic means (Bank Transfer and PayNow).

Payment Reference (back of cheque OR online transaction reference)

CC20 (space) Camp Registration ID (space) mobile number

Example: CC20 100020 91234567

Payment Counter

We will also set up payment counters at Hallelujah Quadrant on the following dates to collect cheques from our campers:

Dates	Time
Jan 11 (Saturday)	7pm to 8pm
Jan 12 (Sunday)	10am to 1pm
Jan 18 (Saturday)	7pm to 8pm
Jan 19 (Sunday)	10am to 1pm

For any enquiries, please email to camp@bbtc.com.sg or visit <https://www.bbtc.com.sg/cc2020/> for more information.

LEADERS DEDICATION 2020

JANUARY 18-19, 2020

CP, CO, CS, CGL, ACGLs: Tribes of Antioch Gatekeepers, Asher, Dan, EverJoyful, Sanctuary, Hallelujah, Niko, Wise, Living Stones and Vineyard

MINISTRY LEADERS/HEADS/CORE GROUP: NDT & DTC trainers, Pre-marital Course trainers, RTF Ministry Givers, Breakthrough House, BCS, BBTK, Heads of Telugu, Filipino & Indonesian Ministries, Alpha, Educators, Eagles Football team, Writers Inc, Performing Arts, Special Events, Church staff, Staff of Para-church Organisations and Mission Agencies, etc

JANUARY 25-26, 2020

WORSHIP TEAMS and **WELCOME TEAMS** for all services, **SERVICE TEAMS** heads, Intercessors/WOK/ Prayer Altar ministers, Video Crew, Bread Bakers.

RESCUE

RESCUE is a programme that helps men overcome habitual sexual sin through accountability and fellowship. The programme is centred on confidentiality that allows participants to find support through deep supportive friendships on their journey. In small groups, men will gain a deeper understanding of God's intent for human sexuality. At Rescue, participants will learn practical tools which will aid their recovery journey. The content used in RESCUE is a curriculum-based programme written by **Josh Glaser**, Executive Director of Baltimore-based Regeneration Ministries.

We welcome all men who seek to walk in holiness before the Lord in the realm of their sexuality, in thought and in deed. All participants of RESCUE will be held to a strict non-disclosure and confidentiality policy.

This term of RESCUE at BBTC will run for 14 weeks, every Thursday, beginning from 6 February 2020. Due to limited spaces, applicants are expected to commit for all 14 weeks. **An interview will be conducted prior to enrolment.** Interested applicants can fill up this google survey form at <http://bit.ly/RESCUE2019>. If you require more information, email rescue@bbtc.com.sg

NEW DISCIPLES' TRACK

New to the faith? How can you grow in your relationship with Jesus? Be equipped with the Word of God for your Christian journey. This course is suited for new believers or anyone interested to build strong foundations of your new life in Christ.

Date: February 18 to March 17 (Tuesdays)

Time: 8pm – 10pm

Venue: Hall 2 (Level 2)

Cost: \$5

Closing Date: February 11 (Wednesday)

TOPICS

Salvation – The Gospel, Assurance of Salvation (February 18)

Word – How to read the bible, Time Alone with God (February 25)

Prayer – How should we pray? Assurance of Answered Prayer (March 3)

Forgiveness – What is sin? Assurance of Forgiveness (March 10)

Discipleship – Assurance of Guidance, Assurance of Victory, Spirit-filled life (March 17)

Sign up at <http://bit.ly/ndt2020>. For queries, please email Jessica at jessica@bbtc.com.sg.

APPLICATION FOR BAPTISM

The application for baptism to be held on **April 12** is now open. Applicants for baptism **MUST** attend all classes of the New Disciples' Track as indicated above. Interview and spiritual preparatory sessions will be conducted separately on other days. There will be a course fee of **\$5** to be paid on **lesson 1 on February 18**.

Please register online at <https://tinyurl.com/BBTC-Baptism2020>. The alternative, application forms are available at In-Tray outside Sanctuary. Completed forms are to be deposited into the Drop-in box at the same level.

Registration closes on **12 February (Wednesday)**. For any queries, please contact Joanna at joannahan@bbtc.com.sg or 66450705.

CHINESE NEW YEAR OUTREACHES

Invite your pre-believing loved ones to the various Chinese New Year Outreaches in BBTC!

HOKKIEN SERVICE CNY OUTREACH

Date: February 1, 2020 (Saturday)

Time: 6.30pm to 8.30pm

Venue: BBTC Hall 1 (Level 1)

Speaker: Ps Ernest Chow

HOKKIEN MIDWEEK FELLOWSHIP CNY OUTREACH

Date: February 4, 2020 (Saturday)

Time: 11.30am

Venue: BBTC Hall 1 (Level 1)

Speaker: Ps Ernest Chow

Enquiry email for Hokkien Service Outreaches – hsevent@bbtc.com.sg

MANDARIN WORSHIP CNY OUTREACH 数算恩典 福杯满溢

Date: February 1, 2020 (Saturday)

Time: 12.30pm to 4pm

Venue: Hallelujah Quadrant

MANDARIN WORSHIP CNY OUTREACH 乐元宵

Date: February 8, 2020 (Saturday)

Time: 9.30am to 1.30pm

Venue: Hall 1 (Level 1)

For the Mandarin events, register with Serene Lam serenelam@bbtc.com.sg or Shirley Tan xining@bbtc.com.sg.

WORSHIP SERVICES DURING CNY

Kindly note that there will be **no Saturday Service, Youth Service and Hokkien Service** on January 25 (Saturday) as it falls on the first day of the Chinese New Year. The English Worship 1st and 2nd Service as well as the corresponding Kids For Christ Services will resume as per normal on January 26 (Sunday).

ALPHA@BBTC

DATES: March 20, 27 / April 3, 17, 24, 30 / May 8, 15, 22
 Alpha Day Away – May 16
 Alpha Graduation – May 31

TIME: 6.45pm to 8pm (Dinner)
 8pm to 9.30pm (Programme)

Alpha is a series of sessions exploring the Christian faith. Set in a relaxed and informal environment over 10 sessions plus a Weekend Away. Participants will have dinner, watch a short video and discuss in small groups with a group facilitator.

There will be a Children's Alpha running concurrently with the Adult's Alpha.

Sign up at <http://bit.ly/bbtcalpha>.

EVANGELISM EXPLOSION COURSE

Dates: March 19, 26, April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, May 14, 21

Time: 7:30pm to 10pm

Venue: BCS Outer Hall (Level 2)

Evangelism Explosion is a ministry that trains people how to share their faith in Christ and how to bring people from unbelief to belief. It utilizes a variety of components including prayer, actual on-the-job training where the experienced lead the inexperienced, and the principle of spiritual multiplication.

By learning small parts of the Gospel each week, including Bible verses and illustrations, people incrementally grasp a Gospel tool that becomes a lifelong mission. Lessons include how to start a conversation with a pre-believer, presenting the gospel with confidence & handling of common objections.

Requirements:

- Lessons including on-the-job training by going out for street evangelism or home visitation.
- Committed to attend all the 10 sessions

For registration and enquiries, email ernest@bbtc.com.sg.

PRE-MARITAL COURSE

This is a mandatory 8-session pre-marital programme for all couples in BBTC planning to get married in 2020.

Synopsis of Course

Sessions are a combination of teaching/equipping lessons based on biblical perspectives and text, with interactive engagement.

As part of the course, each couple is required to complete an online PREPARE/ENRICH inventory that will provide the couple with a snapshot of their relationship. A trained PE facilitator will review the PE report with the couple and encourage them to dialogue about their relationship in meaningful and productive ways, and increase practical relationship skills in Communication, Conflict Resolution, Closeness, Flexibility, and Financial Management.

Session 1 – Foundation of Marriage

Session 2 – Roles of Husband & Wife

Session 3 – Responsibilities of Husband & Wife

Session 4 – Communication

Session 5 – Financial Management

Session 6 – Building Intimacy

Session 7 – Review of Couple's Prepare Enrich Report

Session 8 – Pre-Marital Counselling

Dates: From Feb 15, 22, 29, Mar 7, 14, 21, 28, Apr 4 (Every Saturday)

Time: From 9.30am to 12.30pm

Venue: Kindy Hall (basement)

Cost: \$70 per couple (In addition, couple must pay \$30 for the Prepare/Enrich online inventory. The payment will be made online via credit card when couple logs in. This cost is a direct charge by the external party)

Register at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/PMC-1-2020> before 5 February 2020 (Wednesday).

For further details of the course, visit www.bbtc.com.sg/pmc or email jessica@bbtc.com.sg.

YC PARENTS DAY 2020

FEBRUARY 1, 3PM TO 7.30PM, BCS HALL (LEVEL 2)

The saying goes that it takes a village to raise a child and BBTC is here to journey with you as your “village” to raise this family God has gifted you. As parents, the responsibilities bestowed upon you is no small matter and BBTC Youth Church wants to partner you in raising your child to love and seek God, to experience a full life in Jesus Christ.

The objective of Parents’ Day is for the Youth Pastoral Team and Youth Leaders to engage, connect and share with you about Youth Church’s vision and activities for 2020. This year, we invite parents to join us for Youth Service to have a first-hand experience of Youth Church. We look forward to seeing you at the upcoming YC parent’s day and the partnership in 2020.

Please sign up through this link by January 24 (Friday): <https://tinyurl.com/ParentsDay2020>.

WORD ON WEDNESDAY (WOW)

Join us from January 22 as we dig into the book of Joshua and find out how you can enrich your own personal devotion time with the skills acquired during this course.

WHEN: 22 Jan, 12 Feb, 26 Feb, 11 Mar, 25 Mar, 8 Apr, 22 Apr, 13 May, 27 May

VENUE: Chapel/Hall 2

SIGN UP: bit.ly/bbtcwow2020

Do note there is no kids programme so please make your own alternative childcare arrangements before you come. The Chapel cry room will be open for children. This is a one-off sign-up form for us to gauge attendance for the first session on January 22, to help us with printing and facilitation arrangements.

COME DISCIPLE THE NEXT GENERATION FOR JESUS!

We are in need, will you step up? If you are passionate for the next generation and want to impact them for the Lord, then come serve in the Kids for Christ ministry!

Commitment (one of the following)

Every Saturday 4.30pm – 7pm

Every Sunday 8.15am – 10.30am

Every Sunday 10.30am – 12.45pm

Scope (one of the following)

Lead in children's worship

Take a class, teach the Bible

Helpers (non-teaching role, help with logistics, caring for younger children)

If you have been with us for the past 2 years, belong to a cell group and available to serve every Saturday/Sunday, we would like to hear from you. Call Pastor Jacqueline @ 66450700 (during office hours) or email jacng@bbtc.com.sg for more information.

CHRISTMAS DRAMA PRODUCTION 2020 RECRUITMENT

This year's Christmas drama production is coming soon and we are looking for actors, dancers and production crew members.

If you are interested to serve in this year's production, please sign up via this link:

<https://tinyurl.com/bbtccchristmas2020>

Details on the story and roles are also found via the same link.

Audition Dates: February 8 and 15
8pm, Sanctuary



CHINA MISSION FUNDRAISING BREAKFAST SALE

Some youths from the BBTC Youth Church will be selling breakfast on January 19 to raise funds for the poor and needy in the villages, schools and churches that they are visiting. We encourage BBTCians to play a part in blessing the people there by supporting the breakfast sales.

PARKING IN CHURCH

We seek your understanding in not parking in the church compound during the Saturday and Sunday services. Parking lots in BBTC should be reserved for visitors only. We politely request that those ferrying young children or the elderly drop their passengers off in church first before parking outside the church compound.

A handful of lots in the BBTC car park involve double-parking, where a parked car may block the car behind it. For those who park in these lots, please observe the following rules:

1 Write your name, handphone number and location within church on the form provided.

Leave this on your windscreen so the driver of the blocked car can contact you. Check your phone regularly to ensure you are not preventing someone from moving his or her car.

2 If you intend to stay in church for an extended period, please avoid these lots altogether.

CONDOLENCES

We extend our heartfelt condolences and deepest sympathies to **Peter & Mandy Loh** and their daughter, **Ketrisha** on the homecall of Peter's beloved mother, the late **Mdm Sim Siew Cheng**, on January 16.



SHARE

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.



NEED HELP?

Caring for the community

Bethesda Care Services (BCS) serves the children, youths, families and the elderly in need in Bedok. Find out more about us at <http://bethesdacare.sg>.



BAPTISM

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.



LISTEN

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-2020.



BODY LIFE

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.



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Name _____ Gender _____ Age _____

Email Address _____ Mobile _____

Invited By _____ Invitor's Mobile _____

I want to learn how to have a personal relationship with God I'd like to join a CG (Church-in-Action group)

I'd like to find out more about a specific ministry: _____

Other inquiries: _____

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