

*THE CALL TO*  
**SERVE**



THE CALL TO  
**GROW**

» THE REALITY ABOUT  
EQUIPMENT REPAIRS  
FOR THE CONTRACTOR

**SERVE**



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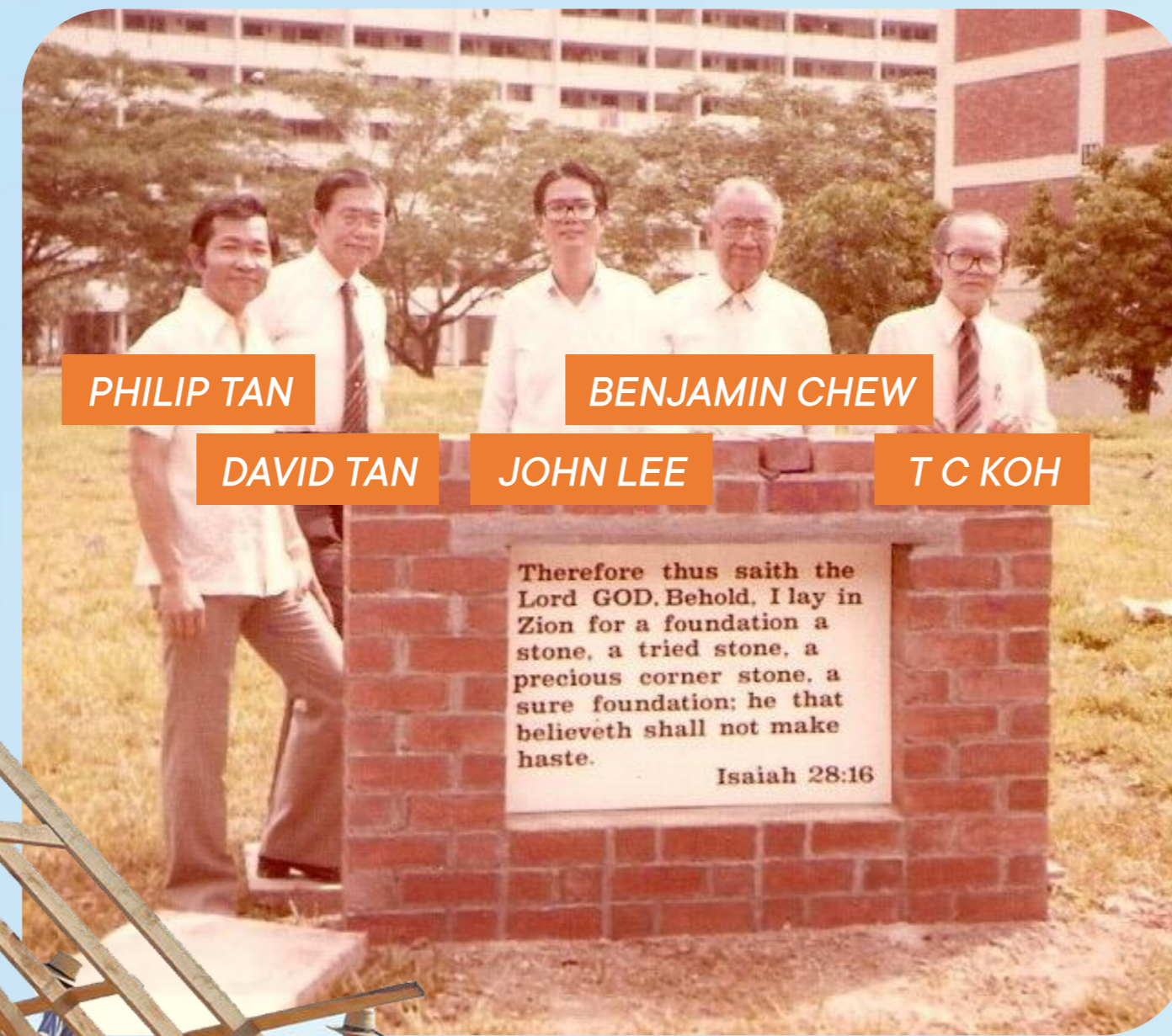




LET THE  
**BRETHREN**  
CONTINUE IN  
**LOVE.**

*HEBREWS 13:1*

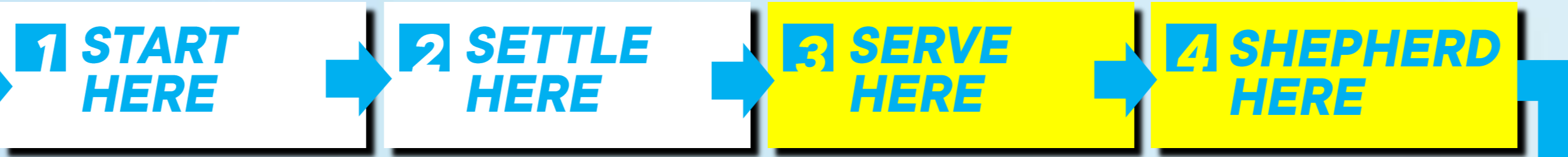








# THE BBTC JOURNEY OF A DISCIPLE



**1 START  
HERE**  
FOR SEEKERS +  
NEW DISCIPLES

**2 SETTLE  
HERE**  
FOR GROWING  
DISCIPLES +  
NEW BBTCIANS

**3 SERVE  
HERE**  
FOR MATURING  
DISCIPLES

**4 SHEPHERD  
HERE**  
FOR POTENTIAL  
LEADERS

**SHARE CHRIST!**





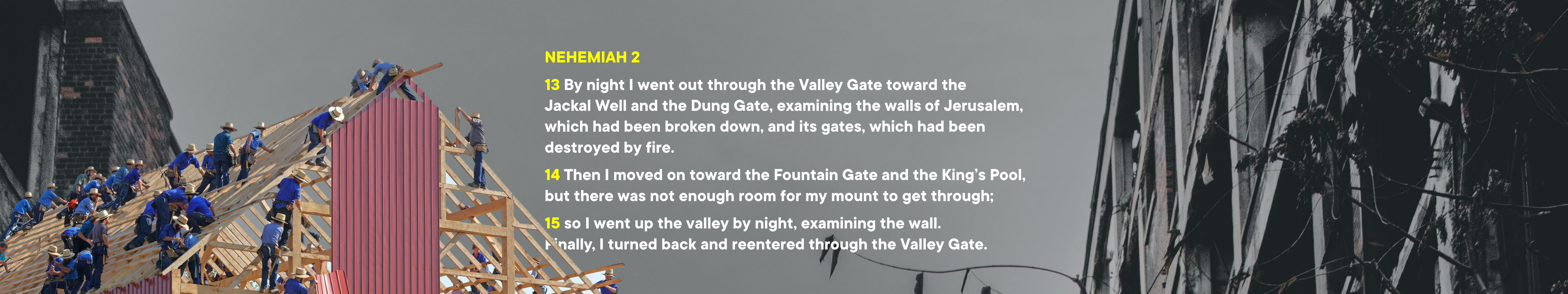
## *THE CALL TO SERVE*

**1. IF NOT NOW, THEN WHEN?**

**2. IF NOT YOU, THEN WHO?**

**3. IF DON'T DO, THEN HOW?**





## NEHEMIAH 2

**13** By night I went out through the Valley Gate toward the Jackal Well and the Dung Gate, examining the walls of Jerusalem, which had been broken down, and its gates, which had been destroyed by fire.

**14** Then I moved on toward the Fountain Gate and the King's Pool, but there was not enough room for my mount to get through;

**15** so I went up the valley by night, examining the wall. Finally, I turned back and reentered through the Valley Gate.



# 1. IF NOT NOW, THEN WHEN?

**“You shall call your walls Salvation, and your gates Praise.” (Isa 60:18)**

- Walls = **Salvation** and Gates = **Praise**
- A city in ruins is not really about the buildings
- It's about people who are far from salvation and unable to praise

**This was recognised in the verse that guided BBTC's early years:**

- “Your people will rebuild the ancient ruins and will raise up the age-old foundations you will be called Repairer of Broken Walls, Restorer of Streets with Dwellings.” ISAIAH 58:12



# 1. IF NOT NOW, THEN WHEN?

**THE KEY FACTOR IN *WHEN TO SERVE* IS *WHEN PEOPLE ARE IN NEED*.**

However, very often we make it about US.

When it is most convenient for us, or when we feel we are ready.

**The truth is, there will never be a “good time” to serve.**

- When you're a student?
- ... Young adult?
- ... Starting a family?
- ... Middle-aged?
- ... Retired?
- ... And then you die :(



# 1. IF NOT NOW, THEN WHEN?

## KEY PRINCIPLE: WE PAY FOR THE PRIVILEGE TO SERVE!

- **Serving God comes at a price! If it costs nothing, it means nothing!**
- **“Suppose one of you wants to build a tower. Won’t you first sit down and estimate the cost to see if you have enough money to complete it? ... In the same way, those of you who do not give up everything you have cannot be my disciples.” LUKE 14:28 & 33**
- **When we say “not now”, what we usually mean is:  
There is something we are not willing to give up to serve God**

“DIE TO YOUR DREAMS”



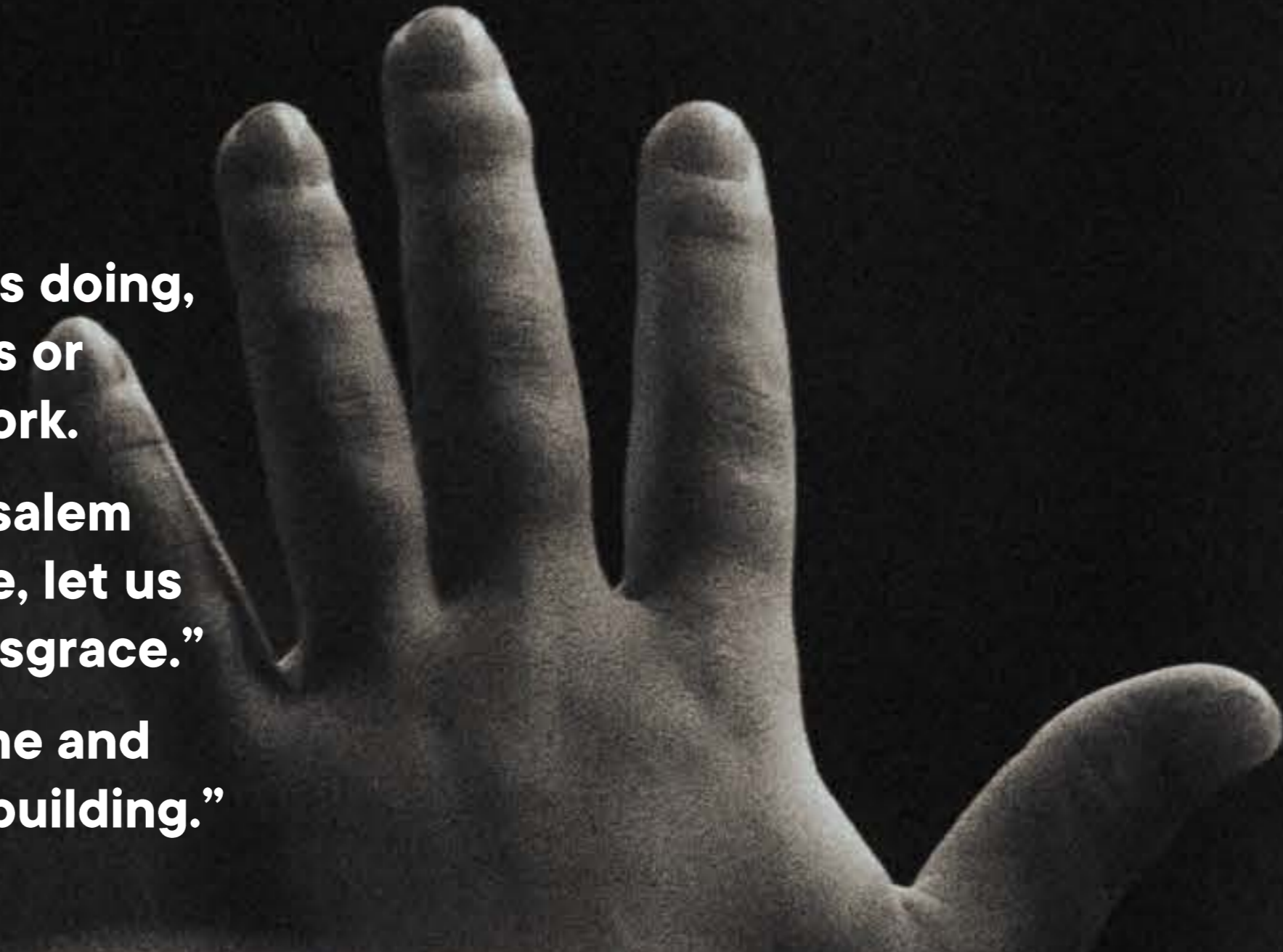
## 2. IF NOT YOU, THEN WHO?

### NEHEMIAH 2

**16** The officials did not know where I had gone or what I was doing, because as yet I had said nothing to the Jews or the priests or nobles or officials or any others who would be doing the work.

**17** Then I said to them, “You see the trouble we are in: Jerusalem lies in ruins, and its gates have been burned with fire. Come, let us rebuild the wall of Jerusalem, and we will no longer be in disgrace.”

**18** I also told them about the gracious hand of my God on me and what the king had said to me. They replied, “Let us start rebuilding.” So they began this good work.





## 2. IF NOT YOU, THEN WHO?

**NEHEMIAH 3 GIVES MORE DETAIL ON WHO JOINED IN:**

- **3:1** The High Priest Eliashib and his priests
- **3:8** Goldsmiths, perfume-makers
- **3:9** Sons of rulers
- **3:12** Daughters of rulers
- **3:14-16** Rulers
- **3:17-18** The Levites
- **3:32** Merchants

**BASICALLY ... ALMOST EVERYBODY!**





## 2. IF NOT YOU, THEN WHO?

### **Everyone CAN serve**

- Everyone has a gifting or resource to offer

### **Everyone SHOULD serve**

- No one is “above” or “beneath” serving

### **Everyone MUST find the right fit to serve**

- Not everyone can do all things
- But everyone can do the thing they’re called to do!





**Serve from  
the right place!**

Some guiding principles for  
those thinking of serving



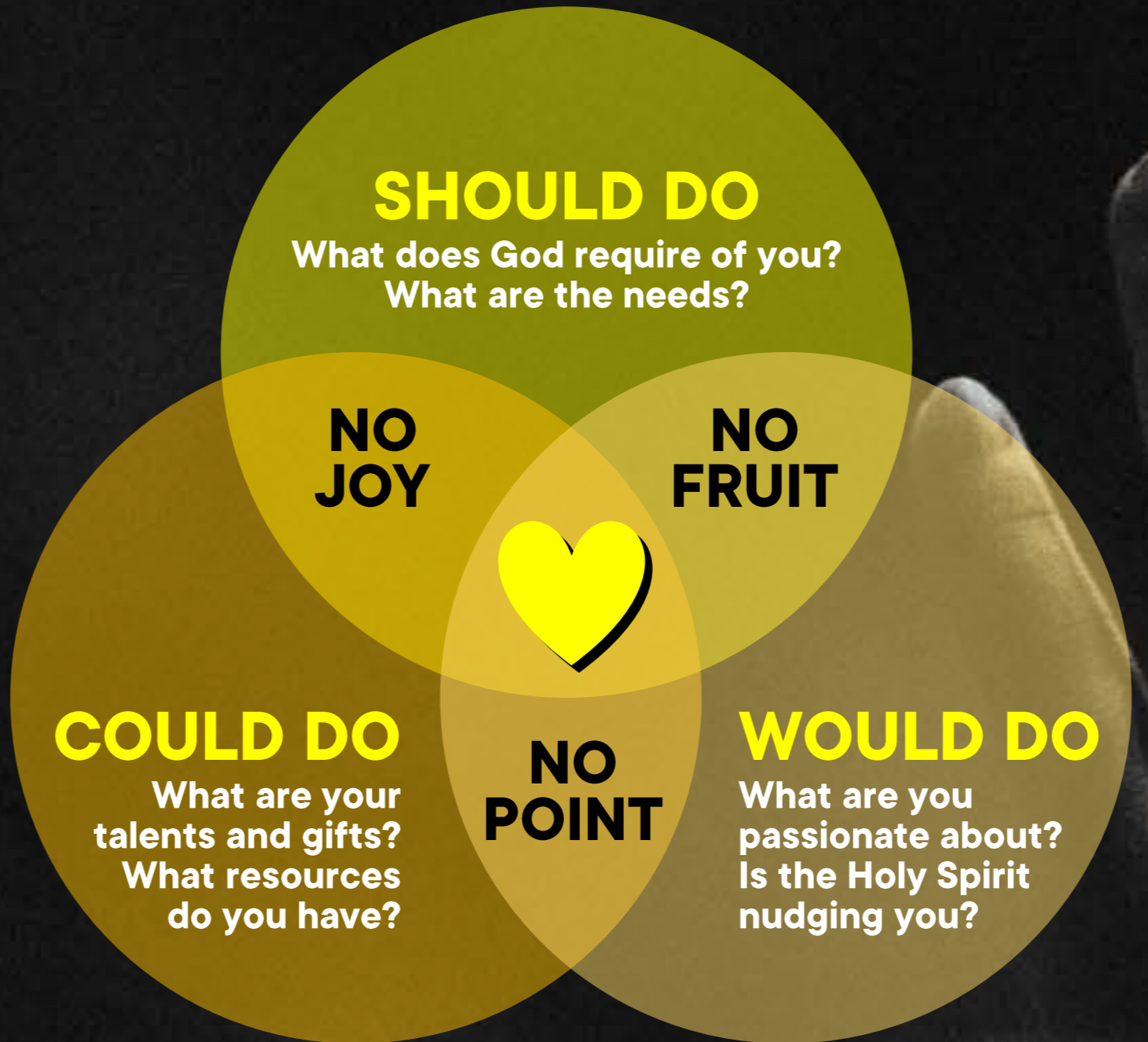


**1.**  
**We serve in  
the area of our  
calling, gifting  
and portion.**

(1 Cor 12, Rom 12:3-8)

EG 1.  
EG 2.  
DONATION  
EG 3.

SLIDE DESIGN  
QUAKE  
DEUT 8:18





2.  
**We serve from  
the overflow  
of our walk  
with God.** (1 Thess 3:12)

*Therefore: We require all  
who wish to serve to be:*

- *Plugged into body-life (CG)*
- *Endorsed by leadership (CGL+)*

One way to see  
that overflow is in  
a “FAST” BBTCian:

Faitiful

Available

Submissive

Teachable





3.  
**We serve with  
skilful hands  
and integrity  
of heart.** (Psalm  
78:72)

*Therefore: We require all  
who serve to commit to  
continuous, lifelong discipleship,  
equipping and church alignment.*

Evidenced through:

Character (CHRISTLIKENESS)

Competence

Chemistry





## **ALMOST EVERYONE JOINED IN ... EXCEPT:**

**NEHEMIAH 2:19** But when Sanballat the Horonite, Tobiah the Ammonite official and Geshem the Arab heard about it, they mocked and ridiculed us. “What is this you are doing?” they asked. “Are you rebelling against the king?”

**2:20** I answered them by saying, “The God of heaven will give us success. We his servants will start rebuilding, but as for you, you have no share in Jerusalem or any claim or historic right to it.”

**3:5** ... The next section was repaired by the men of Tekoa, but their nobles would not put their shoulders to the work under their supervisors.



### 3. IF DON'T DO, THEN HOW?

**NEHEMIAH 2:20** “We his servants will start rebuilding, but as for you, you have no share in Jerusalem or any claim or historic right to it.”

**The city was rebuilt in just 52 days!**

But Tobiah, Sanballat & Geshem were not named among the residents of the rebuilt Jerusalem listed in Nehe 11-12.

In fact, not just them but even some of their families were shamed (Tobiah in Nehe 13:8, Sanballat in Nehe 13:28).



### 3. IF DON'T DO, THEN HOW?

**NEHEMIAH 2:20** “We his servants will start rebuilding, but as for you, you have no share in Jerusalem or any claim or historic right to it.”

**ESTHER 4:14** “If you remain silent at this time, relief and deliverance for the Jews will arise from another place, but you and your father’s family will perish. And who knows but that you have come to your royal position for such a time as this?”



### 3. IF DON'T DO, THEN HOW?

**SERVING GOD IS A PRIVILEGE HE EXTENDS TO US!**

- **God's plans WILL come to pass one way or another. It is OUR loss if we don't serve!**
- **Every time we pass on a chance to serve Him, we miss a chance to please Him and our reward in heaven**
- **Will you join in this "partnership in the Gospel"? PHIL 1:4-5**





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1. IF NOT NOW, **THEN WHEN?**

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3. IF DON'T DO, **THEN HOW?**

4. IF I WANT TO DO, **DO WHAT?**



OPPORTUNITIES  
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## WORSHIP TEAM

**Worship leaders, choir singers and musicians  
for English Worship Service & Youth Church**

- ☆ **REQUIREMENTS** Must pass an audition
- ☆ **COMMITMENT** Rostered for service (incl rehearsals) once a month, Saturday & Sunday
- ☆ **CONTACT** Worship Pastor Jessie Tan  
[worship@bbtc.com.sg](mailto:worship@bbtc.com.sg)





# OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE IN BBTC

## AUDIO-VISUAL TEAM

### Audio, Visual and Lights Crew

- ★ **REQUIREMENTS**
  - Audio:** Keen ear for music/sound
  - Visual:** Computer literate, eye for detail
  - Lights:** Eye for atmosphere & aesthetics
- ★ **COMMITMENT**
  - Rostered for service (incl rehearsals) at least once a month
- ★ **CONTACT**
  - Clarissa Neo • [worship@bbtc.com.sg](mailto:worship@bbtc.com.sg)





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## VIDEO & PHOTO TEAM

### **Live-stream Camera Crew & Photographers**

- ☆ **REQUIREMENTS** No prior experience needed!  
However, familiarity with cameras or live-stream equipment is a bonus
- ☆ **COMMITMENT** Sat 5pm service at least once a month  
Photogs: Only on special occasions
- ☆ **CONTACT** Clarissa Neo • [worship@bbtc.com.sg](mailto:worship@bbtc.com.sg)





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## PERFORMING ARTS MINISTRY

**Directors, Actors/Actresses, Sets, Props,  
Costumes, Makeup, AV Crew, Dancers,  
Songwriters, Animators, Special FX, Marketing,  
Graphic Designers, Project Managers ...**

☆ **COMMITMENT** Gearing up towards large productions

☆ **CONTACT** Sophia Chua • [sophiachua@bbtc.com.sg](mailto:sophiachua@bbtc.com.sg)





# OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE IN BBTC

## SERVICE TEAM

### ***Ushers for English weekend worship services***

- ☆ **REQUIREMENTS** Friendly disposition, watermelon smile
- ☆ **COMMITMENT** Serve at one service a month  
Come 45 minutes before service starts
- ☆ **CONTACT** Service Team I/C Adrian Goh  
[admin@bbtc.com.sg](mailto:admin@bbtc.com.sg)





# OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE IN BBTC

## BREAKFAST SALES

**Looking for CGs to sell breakfast on Sundays**

- ★ **REQUIREMENTS** Can either order or cook for approximately 200 pax
- ★ **COMMITMENT** Serve as a CG or ministry to sell breakfast on Sunday mornings (9-11am)
- ★ **CONTACT** Sign up at [bit.ly/bbtcbfsales](https://bit.ly/bbtcbfsales)





# OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE IN BBTC

## CHURCH CAMP 2023

**Volunteers needed for various programmes**

**(Eg Children's programme, workshops, Bus I/C)**

- ★ **REQUIREMENTS** Depends on programme
- ★ **COMMITMENT** Serve during Church Camp 2023  
June 5-8 at Sunway Pyramid/Resort
- ★ **SIGN UP AT** [bit.ly/bbtcevol23](https://bit.ly/bbtcevol23)

BBTC CHURCH CAMP

5 to 8 JUNE 2023

SUNWAY RESORT/  
PYRAMID HOTEL

CAMP SPEAKER:  
DR JOHN ANDREWS



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# OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE IN BBTC

## HOUSE OF PRAYER

**Join a H.O.P. as a prayer warrior!**

- ★ **REQUIREMENTS** Hunger and willingness to pray
- ★ **COMMITMENT** Join in our weekly H.O.P.s  
(See BBTC newsletter for schedule)
- ★ **CONTACT** Cell Pastor Jason Teo  
[jason@bbtc.com.sg](mailto:jason@bbtc.com.sg)





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## **CANCER CARE MINISTRY**

***Provide emotional and spiritual support for  
cancer patients, survivors and caregivers***

- ☆ **REQUIREMENTS** Cancer survivors and caregivers
- ☆ **COMMITMENT** 1-2 meetings a month
- ☆ **CONTACT** Peter Tang  
[therock.tang@gmail.com](mailto:therock.tang@gmail.com)



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## MARRIAGE MINISTRY

### *Marriage Mentors to newlyweds*

- ☆ **REQUIREMENTS** Married for at least 10 years  
Marriage built on godly foundations
- ☆ **COMMITMENT** 3-year commitment  
Training will be provided
- ☆ **CONTACT** Ps Andrew Tan  
[71andrew@gmail.com](mailto:71andrew@gmail.com)





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## KIDS FOR CHRIST (KFC)

### **KFC Teachers & Teaching Assistants**

- ☆ **REQUIREMENTS** Love for children  
Teaching experience is a bonus!
- ☆ **COMMITMENT** Weekly or bi-weekly
- ☆ **CONTACT** Children's Pastor Joseph Leo  
[kfc@bbtc.com.sg](mailto:kfc@bbtc.com.sg)





# OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE IN BBTC

## YOUTH CHURCH

### YC Cell Leaders

- ☆ **REQUIREMENTS** Spiritual Parent & CGL Training  
Able to connect with youths
- ☆ **COMMITMENT** Weekly YC & CG  
Monthly leaders' meeting & events
- ☆ **CONTACT** Youth Pastor Sarah Khong  
[sarahkhong@bbtc.com.sg](mailto:sarahkhong@bbtc.com.sg)





# OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE IN BBTC

## GLO (SPECIAL NEEDS MINISTRY)

***Befrienders for our friends with special needs***

- ☆ **REQUIREMENTS** Patient and willing hearts  
Experience with special needs is a bonus
- ☆ **COMMITMENT** 2nd & 4th Saturdays, 10am-12pm
- ☆ **CONTACT** Pastor Jeffrey Aw  
[jeffreyaw@bbtc.com.sg](mailto:jeffreyaw@bbtc.com.sg)





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## BOYS' BRIGADE PRIMERS @ ITE

**Befriend ITE College East students through  
leadership training and outdoor activities**

- ☆ **REQUIREMENTS** Heart for ITE students
- ☆ **COMMITMENT** 1st, 2nd & 4th Friday (2-5pm) each month  
+ 3rd Saturday (8am-1pm) each month
- ☆ **CONTACT** Pastor Jeffrey Aw  
[jeffreyaw@bbtc.com.sg](mailto:jeffreyaw@bbtc.com.sg)





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## BCS YOUTHSPACE

***Befriend community youths at BCS YouthSpace***

- ☆ **REQUIREMENTS** Comfortable with engaging youths
- ☆ **COMMITMENT** Each drop-in session takes about 4 hours  
Days flexible, but timing fixed at 2-6pm  
No minimum commitment!  
Min 21yo (volunteers), 18yo (peer leaders)
- ☆ **CONTACT** [lutherlai@bethesdacare.sg](mailto:lutherlai@bethesdacare.sg)





# OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE IN BBTC

## YOUNG ADULT INTEREST GROUPS

**Befrienders or Activity I/Cs for Young Adult  
Interest Groups (running, badminton, tennis,  
board games) – or even start your own group!**

- ★ **REQUIREMENTS** No need to be an expert, just need heart!
- ★ **COMMITMENT** Varies depending on activity
- ★ **CONTACT** Ministry Staff Abigail Lee  
[abigaille@bbtc.com.sg](mailto:abigaille@bbtc.com.sg)





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## BETHESDA CARE SERVICES MEALS ON WHEELS

*Deliver meals to homebound seniors*

## MEDICAL ESCORT & TRANSPORT

*Help seniors receive timely medical treatment*

☆ **CONTACT**

[michellelow@bethesdacare.sg](mailto:michellelow@bethesdacare.sg)





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## COMMUNITY OUTREACH

***Blessing the community by distributing  
vegetables at Block 113 Bedok North St 2***

- ☆ **REQUIREMENTS** Chemistry with heartland residents
- ☆ **COMMITMENT** One Sunday a month, 8.30-9.30pm
- ☆ **CONTACT** Pastor Paul Chua  
[paulchua2003@yahoo.com.sg](mailto:paulchua2003@yahoo.com.sg)





# OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE IN BBTC

## BLOCK OUTREACH

### **Community befrienders & street evangelists**

- ☆ **REQUIREMENTS** Good to be bilingual (English & Chinese)  
Even better if you can speak dialect
- ☆ **COMMITMENT** At least once a month  
on either the 1st or 3rd Thursday
- ☆ **CONTACT** Pastor Ernest Chow  
[ernest@bbtc.com.sg](mailto:ernest@bbtc.com.sg)







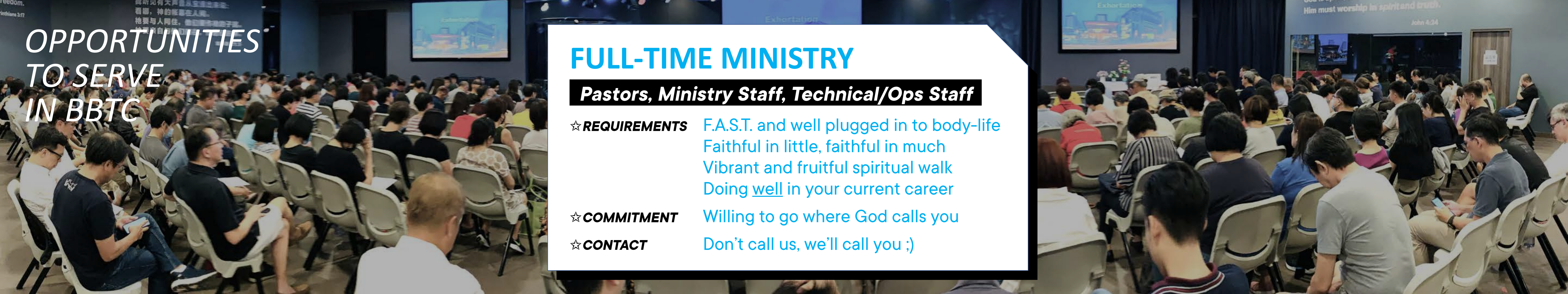
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## BODY-LIFE LEADERSHIP

### Shepherd here! Starts with Spiritual Parenting

- ★ **REQUIREMENTS** Been in your CG at least 6-12 months  
Endorsed by your Cell Leader/Overseer
- ★ **COMMITMENT** Must attend SPT Training, CGL Training  
Must commit to faithfully serve your CG
- ★ **CONTACT** Your CGL will contact YOU  
when they can see you're ready!





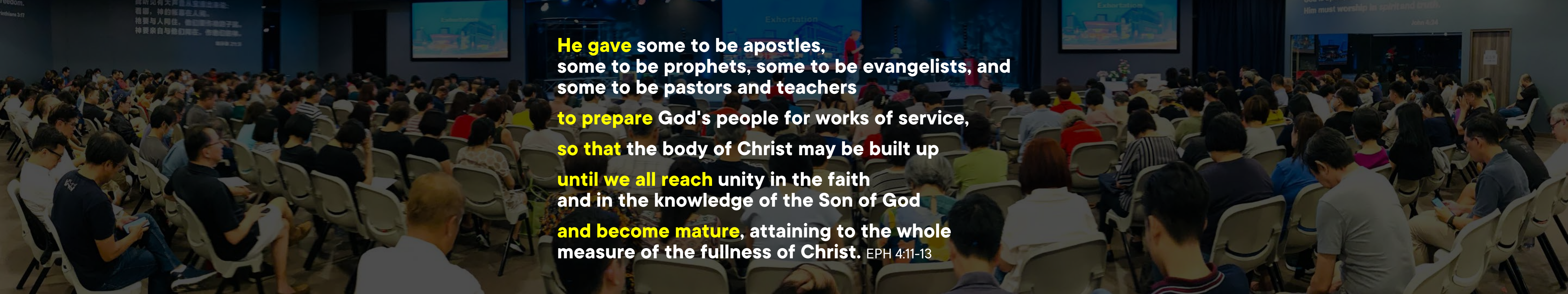
# OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE IN BBTC

## FULL-TIME MINISTRY

**Pastors, Ministry Staff, Technical/Ops Staff**

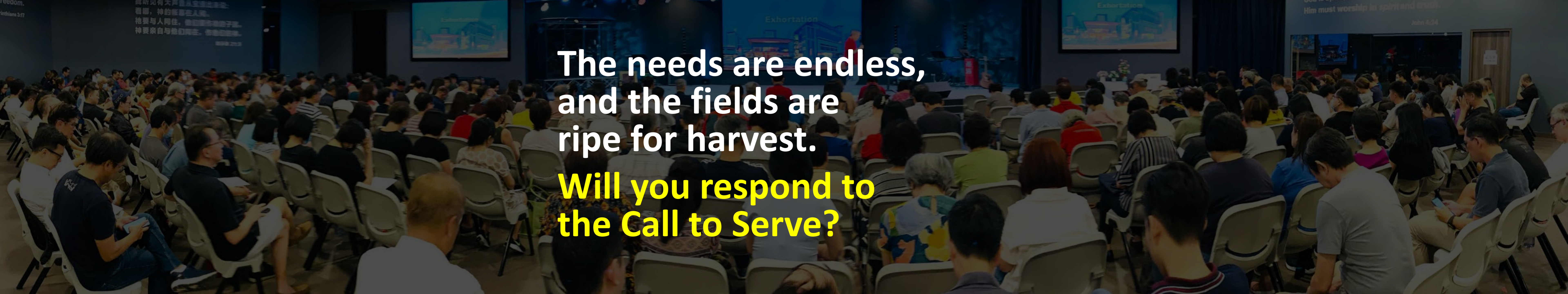
- ☆ **REQUIREMENTS** F.A.S.T. and well plugged in to body-life  
Faithful in little, faithful in much  
Vibrant and fruitful spiritual walk  
Doing well in your current career
- ☆ **COMMITMENT** Willing to go where God calls you
- ☆ **CONTACT** Don't call us, we'll call you ;)





**He gave** some to be apostles,  
some to be prophets, some to be evangelists, and  
some to be pastors and teachers  
**to prepare** God's people for works of service,  
**so that** the body of Christ may be built up  
**until we all reach** unity in the faith  
and in the knowledge of the Son of God  
**and become mature**, attaining to the whole  
measure of the fullness of Christ. EPH 4:11-13





我听见有大声音从宝座出来，  
说：『神的帐幕在人间。』  
祂要与人同住，祂要住人的子民，  
祂要亲自与他们同住，祂要亲自与他们同住。  
约翰福音 1:14

**The needs are endless,  
and the fields are  
ripe for harvest.**

**Will you respond to  
the Call to Serve?**

Him must worship in spirit and truth.  
John 4:24