

SERVICE

PRAISE & WORSHIP

SCRIPTURE READING

OFFERING

(Bank Transfer to

DBS 017-008265-5 or

via Church QR)

MESSAGE

RESPONSE SONG

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcements:

1. SUNDAY SERVICES

Please register weekly for Sunday Services.

Service on 18 Apr 2021 consists of meditative worship (no singing), and sermon

Attendance is capped at 80 persons with a maximum of 50 per zone.

Please register for 18 Apr;

<https://tinyurl.com/befcreopen18Apr> or scan:



Those who are unwell, have pre-existing medical conditions and above the age of 65 are advised to stay home for the online broadcast at 9 am.

2. SERMON SERIES ORIENTATION

Please note that SSO: 'Living Joyfully' – Philipians, will be held shortly after service on today. Zoom details Meeting ID: **878 1154 0611** Passcode: **SSO110421**

3. READING PROGRAMME

Continue to keep our volunteers in prayer as they engage with the students for the next 7 Wednesday afternoons.

4. CHURCH ANNIVERSARY

As part of our church's anniversary commemoration, we will launch a new BEFC T-shirt. Members, do stay back after SSO to indicate your T-shirt sizing.

5. PRAYER

- Members are encouraged to join the nightly synchronised prayer at 10 pm.
- Pre-worship prayer is held onsite at 8.30am before Sunday Service.

6 REMAIN IN ME: Hermeneutics course

We are thankful for the wonderful opportunity for members to learn under the guidance of Pastor Leow Wen Pin from BGST since Feb. We are now coming to the last session in April and are thankful for members' continued and fervent desire to know how to uncover the Word of God and to truly know Him!

7. COME AND SEE: Floral Arrangement Workshop

Pray for a meaningful time and an opportune sharing of the Gospel through this creative event!

8. COME AND SEE: BEFC Gardening Community

We're thankful for our first meet-up with NParks and for the launch of our gardening plot. Stay tuned for more exciting developments!

BEFC Staff off day

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| Rev Dr Desmond Soh | Monday |
| Louis Seng | Wednesday |

| | 11 Apr 2021 | 18 Apr 2021 |
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| Preacher | Rev Dr Desmond Soh | Rev Dr Desmond Soh |
| Sermon Passage | Infectious Joy: Living out the Gospel Phil 1:1-11 | Infectious Joy: Living out the Gospel Phil 1:12-18a |
| Worship Team | Calvin Han Kuang Zi Ling Sarah Gan | Penith Boolsambatra Ng Yui Yun |
| AV/IT Crew | Janjira Soh Grace Chan | Calvin Han Sarah Gan |
| Interpreter | Yew Ker Lan | Wendy Soh |
| Befrienders | Mavis Chen Oh Jing Jing Joshia Kwa | Raymond Tan Grace Chan Jonathan Tang |
| Sunday School Teachers | Foo Feng Yi | Lee Li Hui |

**Infectious Joy:
Living out the Gospel**
Phil 1:1-11

INTRODUCTION

Difference between happiness and joy.

Background. Acts 16- Paul's Macedonian vision led him to Philippi.

Question. How can we be joyful in difficult times? What will give us joy?

BODY

I. We are joyful when we P_____ in the Gospel work (w3-5)

II. We are joyful when we P_____ wait for God's good work (v.6)

III. We are joyful when we P_____ in God's grace of suffering for and defending the Gospel (v.7)

CONCLUSION

Reflection Questions

1. Read Acts 16 to understand the background of the church in Philippi. Despite being wrongly imprisoned and beaten up badly, how did Paul respond? How would you describe Paul's tone in Philippians 1:1-11? Why did Paul have that disposition?
2. How do you define joy? What's the difference between joy and happiness? What brought joy to Paul (v.3-5)
3. Paul mentioned about the "gospel" twice (v.5 & 7b). What did the *gospel* bring to the Philippians and Paul? Similarly, what can this gospel work bring to us today? What gospel work are you involved in now
4. Notice the phrase "day of Jesus Christ" (v.6b & 10b) is repeated twice. How can an end-times (eschatological) view of Christ's return bring us joy and hope?

This sermon's recording will be available online at <http://bethanyefc.org.sg/sermons.html>



WELCOME

We hope you will enjoy your time with us today and find the worship meaningful, the message encouraging, the people friendly and the atmosphere warm.

If you are our guest today,
please do not feel obligated to
give in the offering.

WEEKLY SERVICES & MEETINGS

ENGLISH SUNDAY SERVICE 9AM
SUNDAY SCHOOLS

English Sunday School for Children / 9am

PRAYER MEETINGS

Pre-Service Prayer / Sunday 8:30am

Monthly Prayer Meeting / Last Friday of the Month 8pm

LEADERSHIP MEETINGS

Board Meeting / Third Wednesday of the Month 8pm

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