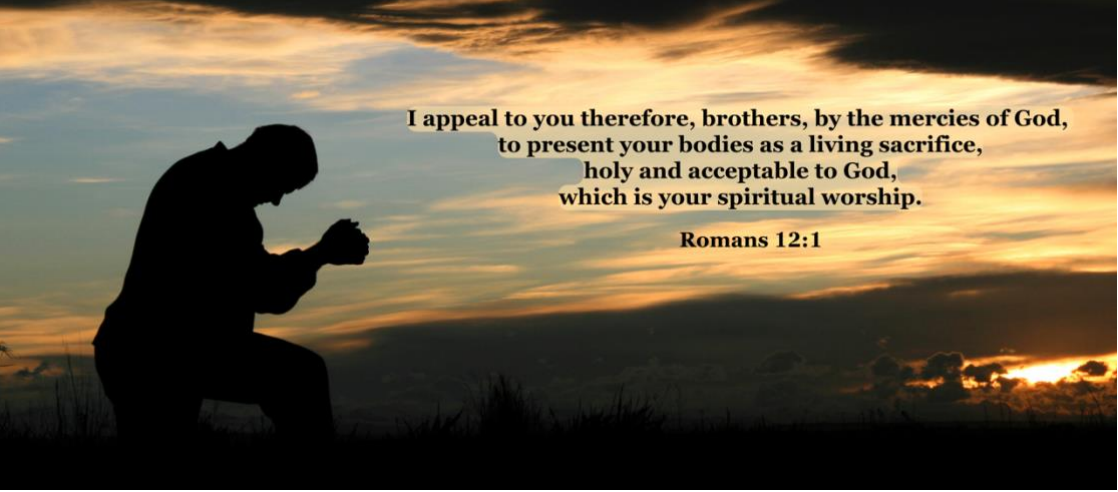




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Romans 12:1

ENGLISH SERVICES

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Order of Service

Call to Worship

Doxology

Worship in Songs:

AM: O Great God; When I Survey the Wondrous Cross; This Life I Live

PM: We Are Yours Forever; I Am Not My Own;

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Scripture Reading: Leviticus 1:1-17 (ESV 2001 Ver), Romans 12:1-2 (ESV)

Message: Logical Worship

Response Hymn: Consider Christ

Corporate Life & Prayer

Offering

Benediction

Announcements

Welcome

We are pleased to welcome you to worship with us! If you are new to Zion Bishan, do drop us a note on our contact form and our hospitality team will get in touch with you in the coming week:

zionbishan.org.sg/rf

Sunday Services at a glance

8.30am Mandarin Service

9.00am Hokkien Service

9.30am Tamil Service

8.30am/10.30am/4.30pm English Service

10.30am Mandarin-English Service

10.45am Cantonese-Mandarin Service

Domestic Helpers Fellowship (DHF)

Bible Study Groups – to join via Zoom, register at zionbishan.org.sg/dhf

8.45am DHF 1A in English/Tagalog, for all nationalities) *In-person in Room 106 & Zoom*

8.45am DHF 2 (in Myanmar language) *In-person in Room 105 & Zoom*

2.30pm DHF 3 (in Bahasa Indonesia) *via Zoom*

8.45pm DHF 1B (in English/Tagalog, for all nationalities) *only upon request, via Zoom*

Children/Youth Discipleship Classes

Register interest: zionbishan.org.sg/cd-yd

Join us on Telegram / WhatsApp

Keep up to date with our latest bulletin and church announcements:

zionbishan.org.sg/broadcasts

Serving You Today

Speaker: Ps Vernon Quek

8.30am

Service Coordinator: Sharon Quek

Worship Leader: Eld Tay Beng Hwee

Vocalist & Musicians: Am Music Team 3

10.30am

Service Coordinator: Dn Mervyn Phan

Worship Leader: Dn Tiew Chew Meng

Vocalist & Musicians: Am Music Team 3

4.30pm

Service Coordinator: Ernest Kay

Worship Leader: Elder Roland Low

Vocalist & Musicians: Pm Music Team 3

Pastors and Ministry Staff

E-mail: user ID followed by @zionbishan.org.sg

Rev Dr Alby Yip, Senior Pastor	alby
Rev Dr Dev Menon, Pastor	dev
Rev Lim Jit Thye, Pastor (Cant-Mand)	jtlm
Rev Daniel Nge, Pastor	daniel
Rev Vernon Quek, Pastor	vernon
Rev Ng Zhiwen, Pastor	zhiwen
Rev Paul Yeo, Pastor (Hokkien/Mand)	paul
Rev Ebi Mohan, Assoc. Pastor (Tamil)	ebi
Rev Chris, Asst Pastor (Tamil)	christopher
Mrs Emily Quek, Special Projects	emily
Ms Elizabeth Hira, Children's Ministry/DHF	hira
Mrs Sha.ron Quek, Overseas Ministries	sharon
Mr Danny Chua, AG/Safeguarding	danny
Dr Quek Tze-Ming, Ministry Staff	tzeming
Mrs Jacqueline Ong, Youth Ministry	on maternity
Mrs Vanessa Khoo, Women's Ministry	vanessa
Mr Joel Khoo, YAs/Discipleship	joel
Mr Timothy Ong, Missions Education	timothy
Rev Dr David Wong, <i>Advisory Pastor</i>	
Rev Dr Quek Swee Hwa, <i>Pastor Emeritus</i>	

Confidential Care & Counselling e-mail:

care@zionbishan.org.sg

Logical Worship

Romans 12:1-2

Intro: Spiritual (Greek: Logical) Worship (12:1b)

[1] I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual (logical) worship.

[2] Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect

The Appeal: Sacrificial Worship (12:1b)

Worship: Presenting holy and acceptable sacrifices (Leviticus 1-7)

Gospel-Shaped Sacrificial Worship:

- i. A response to God's Mercies (12:1a)

God's Mercies in Romans 1-11

ii. A Spiritual & Logical Response (12:1b & 2a)

The Spirit's work in transforming our minds (8:5, 8:13-14 etc)

Transformed, not conformed (1:21, 28's futile and debased minds)

Conclusion: Our Logical Response: Worship!

Questions for Reflection & Discussion:

1. What do you think of Paul's appeal? What is your response to being a living sacrifice? What are your reasons behind saying yes or no to this appeal?
2. What difference does the Gospel from Romans 1-11 make to your response? Do you think being a living sacrifice is a logical response?
3. How would you describe the Spirit's role in all of this? How exactly does He help transform your mind?
4. In what specific ways have you been challenged to be a Living Sacrifice personally today? What does this look like in our life together as a wider Zion Bishan family?

Prayer Points

Our Church

Tamil Congregation 41st

Anniversary - Pray for the Celebration Service, taking place this evening at Terusan. Let us especially lift up the Guest Workers who will be attending, that they may experience the love of Christ and the joy of fellowship.

Our People

Esther Tan HW - Thank God for our local mission worker who serves both the alumni at East Asia School of Theology (EAST) and students as an interim registrar. She also leads a ZB fellowship group of mothers every Wednesday - studying the Bible, praying & journeying together. She also teaches the Indo DHF (Domestic Helper Fellowship) once a month. She requests for prayer to have wisdom and strength, and most of all to have a close walk with the Lord daily. May Esther be Christ to those whom God put across her path.

Our Denomination

BPCIS - Please do pray for the new office bearers who were elected yesterday. Pastor David Leong is the new Moderator, taking over from Rev Ben Tsao from Shalom BP. Pray that the denomination will continue to grow and support one another as it approaches its 15th Anniversary in 2026!

Our World

Nepal - Group 1 from Zion Bishan is currently in West Nepal running youth camps and programmes for young adults & Centre leaders. Yesterday, group 2 arrived in Nepal and will minister to ministry leaders in 2 places, from the 4th week of Sep. Please pray for all in these communities to be built up in their faith in the Lord. Pray for healing for sister J, from group 1 who is unwell since last week. Pray also for safe travels, especially after the violence and conflict in the last 3 weeks in Kathmandu.

Last Week

Sunday Service	Attendance	Offering
English Service Livestream*	19	
English Service 8:30am	180	\$670.00
English Service 10:30am	528	
English Service 4:30pm	237	
Chinese Service livestream*	10	
Chinese Service 8:30am	84	\$2,026.00
Cant/Mand Service 10:45am	78	\$1,224.00
Mand/English Service 10.30am	48	\$1,206.00
Hokkien Service	70	\$4,048.00
Tamil Service	14	\$963.75
DHF	23	
TOTAL	1291	\$10,137.75

**Livestreaming peak concurrent viewers*

Electronic Transfer	\$67,832.47
Weekly Total	\$77,970.22

Weekly offering to meet budget for 2025/26: \$94,181

GENERAL PROJECTS FUND

Gift No: 0020	\$2,000.00
Electronic Transfer	\$5,890.10
Weekly Total	\$7,890.10
Total Gift Received To-Date	\$5,914,280.83

Church Family News

Ps Dev is preaching at Emmanuel BPC this morning.

Info for Giving

For tithes and offering:
General & Missions Fund



DBS Current A/C: 070-901056-3
PayNow: T10SS0029GGMF
ZION BISHAN BP CHURCH

To give towards the
General Projects Fund



DBS Current A/C: 070-901055-5
PayNow: T10SS0029GGPF
ZION BISHAN BP CHURCH – GPF

Please provide your CONTACT
NUMBER on each cheque

Looking Ahead

Fri, 26 Sep

8.00pm: Prayer Meeting

Register at zionbishan.org.sg/fpm

Sat, 27 Sep

4.00pm: Youth Fellowship

Register at zionbishan.org.sg/yf

Sun, 28 Sep

Worship Services at **8.30am, 10.30am & 4.30pm**

Romans

28 Sep – Romans 12:3-21

Dr Quek Tze-Ming (8.30 & 10.30 am)

Ps Vernon Quek (4.30 pm)

5 Oct – Romans 13:1-7

Dr Quek Tze-Ming (8.30 & 10.30 am)

Mr Danny Chua (4.30 pm)

12 Oct – Romans 13:8-14

Ps Ng Zhiwen (8.30 & 10.30 am)

Ps Dev Menon (4.30 pm)

19 Oct – Romans 14:1-12

Ps Ng Zhiwen (8.30 & 10.30 am)

Ps Vernon Quek (4.30 pm)

Connect With Us

Thank you for joining us today!

Should you be interested to find out more about Jesus, indicate your response at

bit.ly/ZBinterest and we will put someone in touch with you as soon as possible!

Leading By Faith

Over the last 2 years I have been helping a sister church together with a few brothers and sisters - who have given their time, energy and comfort to #getsent over there.

We didn't have much of a plan or a methodology, other than to prioritise the preaching of God's Word and do our best to genuinely love the saints. Most weeks things didn't look too rosy. Many lamented over the seemingly insurmountable challenges and issues.

Yet little by little, God surprised us. As we kept faithfully teaching and serving, some visitors came and even stayed. A few returned to the Lord after a season of absence, and a couple of AGs were formed. We even elected a new shepherd!

In recent times, a new generation has come in. Youth from unexpected places gathered and requested baptism! It felt like life was returning in a small but substantial way.

For us who were in the thick of things, it felt like mini miracle after mini miracle (the real benefit of church leadership!). Just trust and keep plodding on – God will provide, God will lead, God will guide...

More and more I am convinced that we should never trust in the flesh – not in our resources, wealth, intellect, expertise, techniques or even ministry experience. We must trust in the Lord, we must walk by faith, we must lead by faith – God will do everything!

Please continue to pray for resilience and trust in Jesus, as the leaders and members face challenges in their personal lives.

Ephesians 3:20-21 Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen.

(Would you like to come and help? contact Pastor Dev - dev@zionbishan.org.sg)

Announcements

Zion Bishan 31st Anniversary Thanksgiving Service & Ordination Service of Brother Danny Chua

We are remembering 31 years of God's goodness and faithfulness to us at Zion Bishan and inviting all to witness the ordination of our Brother Danny Chua.

The thanksgiving and ordination service will start at **4.30pm on 25 Oct (Sat)**.

Due to ongoing A&A works, there will be **no dinner on-site**, but you can register for a dinner bento that you can dabao after the service. We highly encourage you to gather in homes and in your AGs to enjoy this bento together!

Each dinner bento costs \$5.

Register by 5 Oct at tinyurl.com/zb31as

Men's Ministry Retreat

All men of Zion Bishan, please register and join us for a time to Reflect, Recharge and Rise in Christ at this year's 16th MM Retreat.

Topic: More Than Conquerors
Speaker: Ps Ng Zhiwen
Dates: 19 – 21 Oct 2025
Venue: Le Grandeur Palm Resort, Johor
Cost: \$295 (Twin-sharing)

Registration:
<https://tinyurl.com/ZBMMRetreat2025>

Missions Prayer Night

Pray for Indonesia's Biggest Island

26 Sep (Fri) 8pm over Zoom

Hear from our partner, his church-planting vision and the disciple-making work that is currently ongoing.

For security purposes, sign-up is required at <https://bit.ly/MPN26Sep> by **24 Sep**.

Note that the zoom link will be disseminated via email.

Peer Support Ministry

Self-Harm – What, Why and How to Help

Speaker: Mrs. Sim Nga Hoon

27 Sep (Sat) 9am - 12pm, Chapel (L4)

1 in 4 young people in Singapore have engaged in self-harm, often starting around age 14, according to a national study by IMH. Many hide it due to shame and stigma, making it hard for parents and caregivers to notice.

This talk will explore why self-harm happens, the warning signs to look out for, and how peers, parents, and caregivers can recognise and respond appropriately to support those affected.

Come join us if you know of someone who self-harms or you are concerned that your children may follow this increasingly common trend.

Sign up by **today**:

<https://forms.gle/7QCi8CKZUybvZu5w7>

Zion Bishan Youth Camp 2025: No Greater Mercy

Youth Camp is happening **15-20 Dec 2025!** This year's theme is No Greater Mercy. The messages will follow the familiar story of Jonah: how God showed mercy to the city of Nineveh and to the disobedient prophet Jonah. Campers will be invited to consider — why do we need His mercy? How has God shown us His mercy? And how can we show the same to the people around us?

Our prayer is that through camp, the youth will respond to the good news — that all of us are sinners, saved only because of His great mercy.

Come join us for a time of fun, fellowship & learning more about our loving & merciful God!

All youth ages 12-21 are invited to sign up at tinyurl.com/zbyc25.

Do reach out to **Lael**, Commandant (**83459099**) or **Daniel**, Vice-Commandant (**96324325**) if you have any questions!

Mission Worker Support

If you would like to give specifically to our church's mission workers (both local and overseas), please click on this link for more info and the options to give:

<https://forms.gle/xvyMehh87YgB3CYw9>

A&A Building Project – Side Entrance Closure

Kindly note that the side entrance from HDB car park beside Blk 154 will be closed from Monday to Wednesday (22-24 Sep) this week for the erection of a temporary shelter over the passageway. Please use either the front or back entrances only on those dates.