



**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 worship.**

Romans 12:1

ENGLISH SERVICES

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Order of Service

Call to Worship

Doxology

[MORNING]

Worship in Songs: Here is Love Vast as the Ocean; This is Love; We Belong to the Day

Scripture Reading: Romans 13:8-14 (ESV)

Message: The Debt of Love; The Day is at Hand

[AFTERNOON]

Worship in Songs: This Life I Live; This is Love; All I Have is Christ

Scripture Reading: Romans 13:8-14 (ESV)

Message: The Debt of Love; The Day is at Hand

Response Hymn: Take My Life

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

Speakers:

Ps Dev Menon (8.30 & 10.30 am)

Ps Ng Zhiwen (4.30 pm)

8.30am

Service Coordinator: Dn Lim Nan

Worship Leader: Eld Tay Beng Hwee

Vocalist & Musicians: AM Music Team 2

10.30am

Service Coordinator: Dn Tiew Chew Meng

Worship Leader: Elder Chuah Chin Yew

Vocalist & Musicians: AM Music Team 2

4.30pm

Service Coordinator: Dn Peter Wang

Worship Leader: Dn Kemp Aw

Vocalist & Musicians: PM Music Team 2

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)	jtlim
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, Advisory Pastor	
Rev Dr Quek Swee Hwa, Pastor Emeritus	

Confidential Care & Counselling e-mail:

care@zionbishan.org.sg

The Debt of Love; The Day is at Hand

Romans 13:8-14

Paul's Obligation

Mercy Driven Church

Law Fulfilled By Love

Knowing the Time

Conclusion: Daily Mind Management

Discussion Questions:

1. List down a few things that you remember from the sermon and the passage.
2. What does Paul mean to have this 'debt of love' towards others? What happens if I don't feel such a thing? What can I do?
3. What does it mean to 'know the time'? What is Paul referring to?
4. What will happen if I'm not intentional about my mind management?

The Debt of Love; The Day is at Hand

Romans 13:8-14

The Jesus Culture

The Debt of Love that fulfills the Law

The Day is at Hand

Reflection Questions:

1. How should we Christians relate to God's law? How does the 'debt of love' change the way you think about God's law?
2. What (kairos) time is it? How does this give urgency to living a Jesus-culture kind of life?
3. Have you resolved to put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and to no longer indulge in your evil desires?

Prayer Points

Our Church

Christianity Explored — Praise God for guiding us through the past 7 weeks of the Christianity Explored course, which just concluded this week. Let's pray for the 7 seekers that God will continue to reveal Himself to them and that the seeds planted will grow. Pray also for ongoing, meaningful follow-up conversations as we journey alongside them.

Our World

BGST: Equipping ambassadors for Christ in churches and marketplaces. Thank God for 36 years of God's faithfulness to the Biblical Graduate School of Theology, who celebrated this milestone with a luncheon for partners and supporters on Sat 11 October. Pray for:

- a) Timely completion of the renovations for their new home "BGST NEXUS" so that they can move in before the end of 2025;
- b) Faithfulness to its mission: to provide Christian education and equipping for marketplace professionals, ministry leaders, and lay Christians, with a commitment to nurture intimacy with Christ, ensure cultural relevance, encourage thoughtful engagement, and offer learning that is flexible, integrative, and applicable.

Nepal Team Visits -

- a) **Village Team** - Thank God that 3 brothers from our church had smooth journey and 7 hour trek to a remote mountain village to meet our partner and encourage a brother in Christ and his family there. We praise God that this brother's daughter committed herself to Jesus last week. Pray for this family to grow in their faith and trust in Jesus so that they can share this with their own people.
- b) **Youth Camp Team** – Thank God for 3 sisters who have joined sister JN in Nepal to conduct a junior camp for 60 participants from the partner's centres last week. Thank God for the opportunity to train 12 youth camp leaders who helped to manage the 60 campers. This helps grow their faith and leadership abilities. The theme of camp is HIStory, learning about how God is present in their lives. May this camp deepen their experience of how God is present in their lives so that they can be firm in their faith.
- c) **Leaders' Development Team** – Thank God for HR and CT from our church who are currently in Town B to serve and encourage the ministry leaders there. Pray specifically that the fruit of gospel transformation will be real in their lives and that they will disciple others in such a way that they too can disciple others.

Last Week

Sunday Service	Attendance	Offering
English Service Livestream*	11	
English Service 8.30am	216	\$1,967.00
English Service 10.30am	491	
English Service 4.30pm	208	
Chinese Service livestream*	7	
Chinese Service 8.30am	87	\$2,018.00
Cant/Mand Service 10.45am	75	\$911.00
Mand/English Service 10.30am	56	\$776.00
Hokkien Service	47	\$694.00
Tamil Service	15	\$700.75
DHF	27	
TOTAL	1240	\$7,066.75

**Livestreaming peak concurrent viewers*

Electronic Transfer	\$74,883.76
Weekly Total	\$81,950.51

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

GENERAL PROJECTS FUND

Electronic Transfer	\$3,195.00
Weekly Total	\$3,195.00
Total Gift Received To-Date	\$5,939,780.98

Church Family News

Ps Zhiwen is speaking at Neighbourhood Church 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, 17 Oct

8.00pm: Prayer Meeting

Register at zionbishan.org.sg/fpm

Sat, 18 Oct

4.00pm: Youth Fellowship

Register at zionbishan.org.sg/yf

Sun, 19 Oct

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

Romans

19 Oct – Romans 14:1-12

Ps Ng Zhiwen (8.30 & 10.30 am)

Ps Vernon Quek (4.30 pm)

26 Oct – Romans 14:13- 15:7

Dr Quek Tze-Ming

2 Nov – Romans 15:8-13

Ps Dev Menon (8.30 & 10.30 am)

Ps Danny Chua (4.30 pm)

9 Nov – Romans 16

Ps Danny Chua (8.30 & 10.30 am)

Ps Ng Zhiwen (4.30 pm)

16 Nov – Romans 12-16 Review

Ps Vernon Quek

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!

BAGLE – Running Long in Gospel Ministry

Over the past 12 months, around 20 Action Group leaders and potential leaders joined the Basic AG Leaders Equipping (BAGLE) course that I facilitate and run. During the last of 6 sessions we conducted, we take a pause to examine our pace and intensity of ministry. The final session touches on the idea of sustainable ministry.



We ask ourselves – *“How can we run the long race of ministry and the Christian life?”*
“How can we lean on God with zeal and passion to serve, without fizzling out?”
“What are our own fleshly desires and fears that drive us towards burnout?” *“What mindsets or spiritual habits do we need to change or cultivate for a more Spirit-dependent posture of ministry?”*

Scripture, of course, is full of wisdom and guidance on this. At the same time, there are no easy answers. One of the Bible passages we reflected upon came from Luke 10:1-24. We paused to consider how the plentiful harvest can surface great demands in gospel ministry, inside and outside our AGs and local. We pondered the temptation to rejoice in seasons of fruitfulness and success, as the 72 disciples mistakenly did when the demons submitted to them.

Most importantly, we stopped to wonder how valuable Jesus’ words are: *“... do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.”* (10:20).



How can we as a church family grow a culture that rejoices in our adoption as God's children, our privileged status as sons and daughters of the most High God? How can we – as much as we desire to be an outward-looking, gospel-sending church – root ourselves in our unshakeable identity as beloved, and our future as unbreakably secure in the book of life?

Please pray along with me for all of our AG leaders – your AG leaders. Please pray that we will always have our greatest joy found in our being joined with Jesus, and children of the Father. May all our ministry flow bountifully and wondrously out of this great, treasured status we have as the beloved.

Announcements

Praying For Our Leaders

We will be using two of the upcoming **Friday Prayer Meetings**, **24 Oct & 21 Nov, 8 - 9pm** to pray for our elected leaders.

This is something that many of us have been more convicted to do on a regular basis.

Meetings will be held on **Zoom**.

Register at zionbishan.org.sg/fpm

Interserve: Open Doors Prayer Meeting

2 Nov (Sun) 1:30–3:30 PM

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November is the Global Month of Prayer for the Persecuted Church.

Come and hear from a leader from the Middle East— firsthand stories of lived out faith, perseverance, and hope in the face of persecution. Pray with us and cultivate a closer identification with the persecuted Church.

Sign up by **31 Oct** at <https://forms.gle/bwMv9ufhD57L6Ddc8>

Zion Bishan Youth Camp 2025: No Greater Mercy

Early bird sign-ups close **TODAY!**

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.

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

The church family is also invited to join us for dinner at camp on **Wed 17 Dec**:

tinyurl.com/zbyc25churchdinner
or to prayerfully consider supporting the camp financially:
tinyurl.com/zbyc25sponsor

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