

# IS HE WORTHY

## ADVENT SERIES 2025



**ENGLISH SERVICES**

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### ***Order of Service***

Call to Worship

Doxology

Worship in Songs

AM: Thou Who Wast Rich Beyond All Splendour;

Sing We the Song of Emmanuel; Jesus, Joy of the Highest Heaven

PM: Angels We Have Heard On High; Joy Has Dawned;

What Child Is This; How Many Kings

Scripture Reading: Philippians 2:5-11 (NIV)

Message: He Humbled Himself

Response Hymn: The Servant King

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](http://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](http://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](http://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](http://zionbishan.org.sg/broadcasts)

## Serving You Today

**Speaker:** Ps Danny Chua

**8.30am**

*Service Coordinator:* Judah Koh

*Worship Leader:* Eld Tay Beng Hwee

*Vocalist & Musicians:* AM Music Team 4

**10.30am**

*Service Coordinator:* Dn Charles Chia

*Worship Leader:* Dn Sam Ong

*Vocalist & Musicians:* AM Music Team 4

**4.30pm**

*Service Coordinator:* Judah Koh

*Worship Leader:* Eld Reginald Tan

*Vocalist & Musicians:* PM Music Team 4

## Pastors and Ministry Staff

Rev Dr Alby Yip, <i>Senior Pastor</i>	9844 9536
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Rev Ng Zhiwen, <i>Pastor</i>	9092 6095
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**Confidential Care & Counselling:**

[care@zionbishan.org.sg](mailto:care@zionbishan.org.sg)

**He Humbled Himself**

Philippians 2:5-11

**The One Who...**

1. Held back His might (v 6)
2. Laid aside His rights (v 7)
3. Entered our plight (v 8)
4. Is worthy in God's sight (v 9-11)

**Discussion Questions:**

1. How well do you know the One who humbled Himself at Christmas – Jesus?
2. What do you think about Jesus and His humility? Do you wish to find out more about Him and why He acted in such a way?
3. For those of us who trust in Christ, what about His humble coming at Christmas encourages you?

## *Prayer Points*

### **Our Church**

**January Sermon Series** – Let's pray that the Lord will grow our understanding of what it means to #GetRest, as we as a church family hear Him speak through the January sermon series. May the Lord prepare us for the rest of 2026 through the sermons.

**Terusan Outreach** – Thanks be to God for how He has led and immensely blessed this guest worker ministry through 2025! It has been a joy to see many men eager to learn about Jesus. Pray for our plans to start small-group Bible studies to help these men grow in their faith in the new year. Pray and ask God with us for more volunteers (especially Tamil-speaking brothers) and for continued favour with the Terusan management so that our Sunday services can continue unhindered.

**ME Youth Camp** - Thank God for a fruitful 4 day 3 night camp with 21 campers! Thank God for good weather and for the messages shared from the book of Philippians by our apprentices, Judah, Melvin and Jen Wei. Pray that the campers would continue to live out what they have learnt through this camp.

### **Our People**

**EN, NI, CL, JC** - Pray for EN, NI, CL as they attend their missions organisation's once in 3 years gathering of all workers serving in the MENA region (28 Dec - 2 Jan). Pray for good divine connections that lead to open doors for strategic ministry for 5 other Singaporeans to be sent out long term. Pray that they will be an encouragement towards the existing frontline workers. CL & 1 colleague proceed immediately after to another nearer region conference (3 - 5 Jan). JC will join them from 1 - 5 Jan. Pray for journey mercies, strength, health, deep conversations and protection of their loved ones as they travel.

### **Our Denomination**

**Emmanuel BP** – We thank God for the 5 new members that have joined the church this Christmas day. Quite a few young people attended a catechism class over the last few months and we are hoping that the others will get baptised or received into membership soon! Pray for the newly formed preaching team that will be preaching through the book of Isaiah from Feb 2026 onwards.

## Last Week

Sunday Service	Attendance	Offering
English Service Livestream*	14	
English Service 8.30am	175	\$1,004.00
English Service 10.30am	470	
English Service 4.30pm	313	
Chinese Service livestream*	10	
Chinese Service 8.30am	71	\$746.00
Cant/Mand Service 10.45am	81	\$2,903.00
Mand/English Service 10.30am	57	\$983.00
Hokkien Service	79	\$1,426.00
Tamil Service	14	\$294.00
DHF	22	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1306</b>	<b>\$7,356.00</b>

*\*Livestreaming peak concurrent viewers*

Electronic Transfer \$99,365.87

**Weekly Total \$106,721.87**

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

### GENERAL PROJECTS FUND

Electronic Transfer \$2,889.50

**Weekly Total \$2,889.50**

**Total Gift Received To-Date \$6,006,595.68**

## Church Family News

1. Ps Vernon is preaching at Mt Hermon BP & Mt Horeb BP today.
2. Ps Dev is preaching at both GKY locations this morning & afternoon.

## 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, 2 Jan

**8.00pm:** Prayer Meeting

*Register at [zionbishan.org.sg/fpm](http://zionbishan.org.sg/fpm)*

### Sat, 3 Jan

**4.00pm:** Youth Fellowship

*Register at [zionbishan.org.sg/yf](http://zionbishan.org.sg/yf)*

### Sun, 4 Jan

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

## Advent Series: Is He Worthy?

**31 Dec – Revelation 22:12-21**

*Ps Ebi Mohan*

## Jan Series: Be Still

**4 Jan – Recap & Rest**

*Ps Dev Menon*

**11 Jan – Rest and Rhythms**

*Ps Ng Zhiwen*

**18 Jan – Means and Rules**

*Ps Danny Chua*

**25 Jan – Time and Space**

*Dr Quek Tze-Ming*

## 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](http://bit.ly/ZBinterest) and we will put someone in touch with you as soon as possible!

### **The God Who Lowers Himself for the Lowly**

On this last Sunday of the year, I wonder: how has 2025 been for you? Has it been a good year, or a year you would rather forget about and move on from?

Over these last few days of the year, let me encourage you to reflect on the year past, and to spend some deliberate time with the Lord committing the coming year into His hands.

This past week at both our Christmas Services, we heard the wonderful reminder about what kind of God we have – the Most High God who willingly lowered Himself to dwell not in the greatest of palaces, but in a lowly manger.

I was struck by just how much this shows us God's heart – and that encourages me as I look forward to 2026.

Listen to what Luke records for us in the prophecy of Zechariah about his son John the Baptist: (Luke 1:76-79)

[76] And you, child, will be called the prophet of the Most High;  
for you will go before the Lord to prepare his ways,  
[77] to give knowledge of salvation to his people  
in the forgiveness of their sins,  
[78] because of the tender mercy of our God,  
whereby the sunrise shall visit us from on high  
[79] to give light to those who sit in darkness and in the shadow of death, to  
guide our feet into the way of peace."

These precious words again give us confidence that no matter what we've gone through in 2025, no matter how messy or broken the year was for us, that we have a God, a Saviour, who is utterly committed to giving light to our darkness, even to the point of giving up His 'Most High-ness' and coming down to dwell with us and take on all our brokenness.

I hope that once again our God's heart shown through what He has done for us in Jesus shapes your thoughts and prayers as you speak to Him about 2026. Whatever may come for you in the New Year, may your confidence in Jesus and His love for us be unshakable.

Have a very Blessed New Year!

## Announcements

### Watchnight Service 2025

Let's close this year and usher in the new with a time of testimony sharing and re-dedication of ourselves to the Lord - The end of all our longings.

**Testimony sharing:** 9.30 - 1030pm

**Holy Communion Service:**

10.45pm-12mn

**Venue:** Main Sanctuary

**New Year's Eve Family Devotion** is also available at [zionbishan.org.sg/new-year-eve-devotion](https://zionbishan.org.sg/new-year-eve-devotion)

### BGST Courses Jan-May 2025

Registration for **BGST's AY2025/26 Semester 2 Courses** is now live! For classes such as: "Christianity, Culture, and Society," "Christian Theology," "Old and New Testament Foundations," "Biblical Hermeneutics and Interpretation."

To view all courses offerings and to register: [courses.bgst.edu.sg](https://courses.bgst.edu.sg)

Vouchers for course fees are available for ZB members, please contact [tzeming@zionbishan.org.sg](mailto:tzeming@zionbishan.org.sg)

### Zion Bishan Church Camp 2026

12-15 June 2026 (Friday to Monday) at Four Points by Sheraton Desaru, Malaysia. **LAST 5 days for Early Bird Discount!**

Register NOW at

<https://bit.ly/ZBCamp2026>

### English as Second Language (ESL)

#### Teachers Needed!

Looking ahead to 2026, we are looking for more ladies to teach English and/or Bible stories.

Classes take place on **Monday mornings, 10am-12pm** in Zion Bishan Church.

Please contact **Cynthia Ng ( 98577696 )** for more info.

### ZB Women's Weekend 2026

#### Finding Joy

**17 Jan (Sat) 9.30am-3pm**

( Lunch included )

**Zion Bishan BP Church, L4 Chapel**

Speaker: Mrs Chew Chern Morgan, Grace City Church

Joy seems to be commanded everywhere in the Bible! But how can I be commanded to be happy, especially when there are so many things in life that stop me from experiencing joy?

**Inviting all ladies** in Zion Bishan to come explore these questions together, and hear about how we as Christians can find true and lasting joy. There will be a bible talk, discussions, workshops, and plenty of time for fellowship!

Sign up before **10 Jan 2026**

at: <https://bit.ly/zbww26>

Feel free to approach Vanessa Khoo or Dns Debbo for more information.