



Westside Baptist Church

Bulletin

December 17, 2023

During worship

- Be still and prepare your heart for worship.
- Please take care of your personal belongings to avoid theft.

Offering

- Welcome to donate via E-transfer, email: westsidebaptistoffering@gmail.com
- To donate by cash or cheque, please use an offering envelope and put it into the offering bag during worship.
- When making a donation, please indicate the donation envelope number and the full legal name. The offering envelope number can be obtained from the church office.

Notes to CitRUs parents

- The enrollment age for CitRUs Children's Ministry starts from age 3; one parent can accompany children under 3 to participate in worship in Room B.
- Classes are held on Sunday mornings at 11:30 am at Room E & F.
- After class, please supervise the children who have been picked up from the classroom.

Parking

- The upstairs parking lot (Parking Lot 1) is designated for new comers, people with reduced mobility, the elderly and families with young children. Parents whose children are already enrolled in CitRUs, please use other parking lots or street parking.
- Additional parking spaces are available at 8508 Ash Street (Parking Lot 3) and #1-8765 Ash Street (Parking Lot 4) on Sundays from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Maps are available in the foyer.
- For the safety of the congregation, please do not double park.
- When parking in the outdoor parking lot downstairs (Parking Lot 2), please be careful not to block the fire escape and keep a distance of 3 feet from the building's exterior wall so that the fire door can be fully opened.
- **To be considerate of your neighbors, please do not park outside the residential area.**
- The indoor parking lot downstairs (Parking Lot 2) will be closed at 1:00 pm on Sundays. If you exceed the time limit, you will have to wait until 10:00 am on Tuesday morning to collect your vehicle.

Announcements

- **EM prayer meetings** are held every Sunday at 10:30 am at Room D (the library). All are encouraged and welcome to attend.
- As the last Sunday this year falls right on December 31st and the bank will be closed until January 2nd. If you would like your offerings and donations to be included in the 2023 tax receipt, please make your cash or cheque offerings on December 24th. E-transfers can be sent up to noon on December 31st.
- Also, if you have change your address or legal name in the past two years, please notify the office immediately in order for us to prepare your tax receipt accordingly.
- We will be **Christmas carolling** at Marine Gateway on December 24 between 1:00 - 2:00pm! We hope to tell our neighbourhood the good news of the birth of our Saviour Jesus through our music.
- The church will hold a **Clothing Drive fundraiser**, and the proceeds will be donated to UNICEF to provide humanitarian support to children caught in the Gaza crisis. Congregants can place donated clothing in Room G downstairs on December 24 and 31 between 11:15 and 11:30am. Please put clean and resalable clothing into 26"x36" plastic bags. Lost and found items at the backstage will also be donated. Please check if there is any item on the shelf that is belong to you before December 31.
- The church will have a **baptismal and transfer of membership worship service** on December 25 (Monday) between 10am and 12 noon. There will be no children program. But parents can join the worship service with their kid(s).
- The church will hold a **joint worship service** at 10 a.m. on December 31. The tickets for the farewell luncheon held for Pastor Gladys after the service have been sold out. Thank you brothers and sisters for your active participation. Participants please bring their own dinnerware & cutlery!





Westside Baptist Church Worship Service

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- Speaker: Pastor Mark Wong
- Scripture: [Luke 2:8-15](#)

Grow + Overflow: Overflow with Hope

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Announce His Peace

Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace to those on whom his favor rests. Luke 2:14

Sermon Outline

Introduction

What and who is this peace for?

My Reflection

- What did God tell me through the message today?



Peace comes from Christ.

Peace is reconciliation.

My Reflection

- What did God tell me through the message today?



My Prayer Response

- Write down your responsive prayer for God's word today.

My Action Response

- What changes will I make in response to God's word today?