



THE BEST FEARS ARE HOLY

We live in a climate of fear. Social media feeds, news headlines fuel it. But fear is not necessarily bad. It's the most basic physiological instinct we're given. We might not always understand our fears, but without it survival is impossible. When you cross a busy road and hear the screeching brakes of a vehicle, fear propels you into a sprint for safety. When you're walking alone at night and hear footsteps behind you, fear heightens your alertness. Fear is good and necessary.

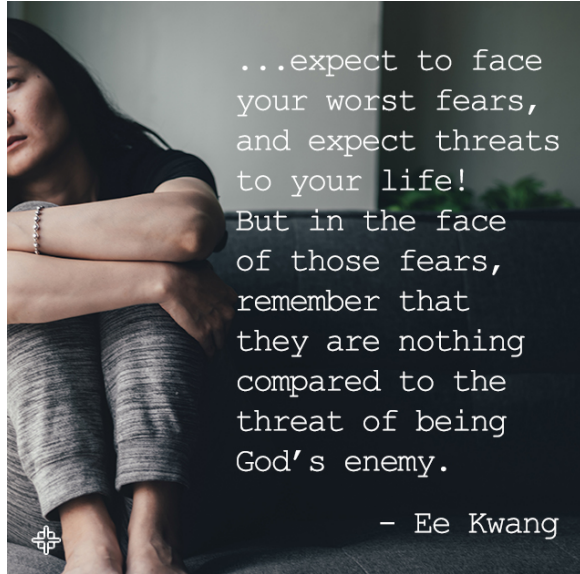
However, when it comes to our spiritual life, many choose to suppress our fears. We may cite Scripture which reinforces the need to "Fear not!".

But, the Bible teaches that it's not the 'feeling of fear' we are called to flee from. Rather, it's the source of our fears that needs to be examined. We often fear the loss of our jobs, the deterioration of our health, or a dip in our likeability amongst peers. The Bible instead calls us to prioritise a different kind of fear.

Jesus declared to his Apostles, "Do not fear those who can kill the body but cannot kill the soul." (Mat. 10:28) He is saying, expect to face your worst fears, and expect threats to your life! But in the face of those fears, remember that they are nothing compared to the threat of being God's enemy. The most precious and necessary kind of fear is in making God the first of our fears. A holy fear that produces the most desirable fruit, "the fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom." (Prov. 9:10)

Friends, fear is good and necessary, but holy fear is better. Don't make the loss of comfort, health and safety the focus of your fear. Instead let a holy threat consume the lesser fears of your heart. The fear of being His enemy, and the fear of living in disobedience to His Word. We need a fear that propels us to flee to God and holds fast to His will. We need the fear of the Lord. A dangerous mistake the believer can make is to live without Holy fear.

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CLASSES & TRAINING

BULLETPROOF MARRIAGE WORKSHOP

Presented by Gospel Light Family Life Ministry led by Pastor Kay Hong.

Who should attend? Pre-Marriage prep and married couples who desire to strengthen their marriage.

Registration is limited to 15 couples.

Dates: Wednesdays starting **7,14,21,28 Jul** via Zoom
*Subsequent workshops will be conducted in Nov
Time: 8:45pm – 10:30pm
Duration: 4 sessions

Click to register: <http://bit.ly/39bBsPt>
Closing date of registration: **27 June**

For more enquiries, contact Sis May Lim at kayhong.lim@gospellight.sg or 9859 4684.

EXPOSITORY BIBLE STUDY – BOOK OF MARK

This Tuesday, 1 June 2021, we will be covering Mark 9:1-13. This passage describes the event we call the Transfiguration, surely one of the most dramatic in the career of Jesus, and yet it is one of the least understood.

By: Brother Jerry Koh

Date: **Tues, 1 June**

Time: **8pm**

Click Zoom link: <https://bit.ly/2SxeAEi>

Meeting ID: 893 0771 2792

Passcode: 597964

RECRUITMENT

JOBS AVAILABLE

1. Building Maintenance Technician

If you or anyone you know would be interested to serve with us for the above position, please contact Benita Teo at benita.teo@gospellight.sg. Details of the job position are available via our website under gospellight.sg

Contact > Careers.

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

WORSHIP SERVICE

During this period of heightened alert, all our services will be live-streamed. Details given below:

Sunday Services

Worship Service	Timing	Livestream Link
English	9am	http://bit.ly/38BU0rA
Chinese	9am	https://bit.ly/2Ng0TXT
Filipino	2pm	https://bit.ly/30FjYFU
Bahasa	11am	Nil
Varsity	2:30pm	No services for the month of June
Telugu	5pm	https://bit.ly/30G4fXl

Saturday Service

Worship Service	Timing	Livestream Link
Youth	4.30pm	https://bit.ly/2AaF8C3 (Zoom ID: 659 128 5331) Password: Gospel

Children Service will not resume on-site service. Their current online services remain.

Bahasa service will be cancelled until further notice.

For any queries, please write to shine@gospellight.sg.

MEET YOUR PASTOR!

Date: **Sun, 30 May** | Time: **10:20am**

Click Zoom link: <https://bit.ly/2SMYSH4>

Meeting ID: 836 428 872 | Password: **Pastor**

CHILDREN SERVICE

Children Service will not resume on-site service. Their current online services remain. Parents who are interested to sign up their children for Children Service (P1 to P6 only) can write to hannah.chee@gospellight.sg to register.

SERVICES AND PRAYER MEETINGS

- **English Service – Sunday 9am:** <https://bit.ly/33X72MN>
- **Chinese Service - Sunday 9am:** <https://bit.ly/3akSf0v>
- **Filipino Service - Sunday 2pm:** <https://bit.ly/3dABVen>
- **Telugu Service - Sunday 5pm:** <https://bit.ly/2xma2WL>
- **Youth Service– Saturday 4:30pm - 6:00pm:** <https://bit.ly/2AaF8C3> (Zoom ID: 659 128 5331)
Password: Gospel
(For more details contact Yu Fei @ 91285331)
- **Bahasa service will be cancelled until further notice.**
- **Varsity (19-25 y/o) – Sunday 2:30pm: No services for the month of June. For more details contact Luzerne @ luzerne.cheng@gospellight.sg**
- **Wednesday Prayer Meetings – 8pm:** <https://bit.ly/35HS8uy>
- **Sunday Prayer Meetings – 8:15am:** <https://bit.ly/3drPHPn>

If you are interested to receive our weekly prayer list, please email shine@gospellight.sg

SERMON REFLECTIONS

The Deja Vu Message (Gen 20,21)

23 May 2021
By Pastor Jason

People say, "once bitten, twice shy".
Sadly, Abraham didn't learn from his sin 25 years ago in Egypt, for he repeated his deception here in Genesis 20. The story is like a deja vu- how Abraham sinned, how God stepped in, and how Abraham was enriched despite his sin.

But there are important spiritual lessons God and the author intend for us.
We will learn about the sharp contrast between man's faithlessness and God's faithfulness.
We will learn about the faithfulness of God based not on man's worthiness, but on God's worthiness.
We will also learn about the works of the flesh versus the works of God.

Check out this sermon here for more!

Questions

1. Share a take-home message for you in this sermon
2. Share how you've "messed up" with sin in your life.
3. Share how though you messed up, God still blessed or used you.
4. Share how you drive out the works of the flesh in your life.

EVENTS FORECAST

May	June	July
Expository Study, Book of Mark Inductive Bible Study	Expository Study, Book of Mark Inductive Bible Study	Expository Study, Book of Mark Inductive Bible Study New Believers Class Chit Chat! Bulletproof Marriage Workshop

For details. Please refer to gospellight.sg > Connect > Events > 2021 Calendar

GIVING ONLINE

You may give your offerings in the following ways:

1) PayNow

- Under the UEN/Bill Reference No. section you can:
- State "NA" - Offering will go towards General Fund
 - State IFL or Missions - To designate the offering

(a) Via "Scan and Pay"

- Open up your bank app and select "Scan and Pay"
- Scan the QR code below:



(b) PayNow UEN

You can also opt to key in the UEN: **S88SS0082AGF1**

2) Internet Banking

- Add payee as Gospel Light Christian Church
- Account Number: **033-021695-5**
- Name of Beneficiary Bank: DBS Bank
- Under the Remarks section, you can leave it blank for the offering to go towards the General Fund or indicate IFL or Missions if you want to designate the offering.

3) Cheque

- Crossed cheque made payable to "Gospel Light Christian Church"
- On the reverse of the cheque, write **Gospel Light Christian Church** and the respective bank account numbers:
 - General Fund - **033-021695-5**
 - Missions Fund - **001-042653-2**
 - Punggol IFL Repayment - **015-902803-8**
- Cheques can be deposited at any POSB or DBS bank into the church's accounts.