

July 18, 2021

CELEBRATION SERVICE

*Please remain silent in the sanctuary & prepare
your heart for worship*

Entering Worship

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements

Call To Worship
Praise & Worship
Tithes & Offering

**Prayer
Scripture Reading**

1 Corinthians 12

Message

Don't be Ignorant: Fish, T-bone and Cucumber

Responding to the Divine Voice

Closing Song

Sending Off into the World of Service

Doxology
Benediction

Sermon Notes July 18, 2021

Speaker: Dr. William Tsui

Don't be Ignorant: Fish, T-bone and Cucumber

Introduction: Fish, T-bone and Cucumber

Don't be ignorant (1-3)

1. **Don't be ignorant but be faithful** (4-11)

We are different but we are the same (4-6)

The Spirit has given and we have received (7-11)

2. **Don't be ignorant but be respectful** (12-20)

We are different but we are all useful

We are not no body but somebody in the body of Christ

3. **Don't be ignorant but be mindful** (21-26)

They are not you and you are not them

I am not you and I need you, you are not me

and you need me (Philippians 2:4)

4. **Don't be ignorant but be responsible** (27-31)

We are different but we are the same body

We possess our gifts and not other's, accept and be responsible
for them

Conclusion : Be the person you were meant to be

Let's keep our body healthy and keep our church healthy.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **Welcome:** We are so glad that you chose to join us for our online service and worship our risen Saviour with us.
2. **Services Online:** If you missed a Sunday service or if you want to share it with a friend you can access each Sunday's playlist on our Bridle Trail Baptist Church Youtube channel <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC4010Y3x2wnmUDU5oi71XTw>
3. **Silas Connections:** Find out about the latest news and upcoming events for our Senior High School Fellowship. To connect with other students and our counsellors follow us on Instagram@btbcasilas or contact Pastor Wayne to receive notices by email and Whatsapp and receive invites to join online. Silas fellowship will be resuming and will be take place on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month.
4. **Given the ongoing risk of exposure to COVID-19 and following the mandated suspension of large gatherings of people, BTBC has decided the following:**
Effective on Monday, June14, 2021, the church office re-open with office hours between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m., Tuesday to Friday.
Sunday morning worship services will continue to be made available online by 9:00 am every Sunday morning.
All other on-site BTBC church activities remain suspended until further notice.
We encourage Tithes and Offerings to be made through e-Offering. Please visit <https://www.btbc.org/english/> and click on 'give', for details and registration. If church members would still like to make their offerings through other ways, please phone the church office.
Prayer meetings and some fellowships have moved to online meetings. Please check our website or contact your ministry leaders for details.
The Deacon Board is regularly monitoring health official guidelines for reopening the church and will announce plans and details once they become available.
5. **We encourage everyone to follow recommended safety measures to protect the community and the spreading of COVID-19.**
 1. Stay home and minimize outdoor travel to getting essential needs only and please do not go out if you're not feeling well.
 2. Maintain physical and safe distances from others when outside (at least 2 metres) and wear a face mask/covering when indoors
 3. Take regular precautions to help prevent the spreading of infections by washing your hands frequently (with soap and water) or hand sanitizer, covering your mouth and nose if you sneeze/cough, avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth.
Clean high touch surfaces often with disinfectants
 4. Reach out and stay in contact with others through social media, telephone or email.
6. **BTBC Online Sunday School Classes:** 11:30 AM - 12:30 Sunday
High School Students: Please contact Gord Won (englishcongregation@btbc.org) to connect to the Zoom Online group to study "the Top 13 Questions about God"
University and College: We are studying a series A Man Named Martin: Martin Luther at 11:00am. Please contact Pastor Wayne
Adults: Everyone is welcome as we study various topics and Bible passages on Zoom at 11:30 am. Contact Pastor Peter or Ruth Toy for more details.
7. **The Caring Ministry** would like to partner with you in assisting our congregation. If you know someone who could use help in whatever capacity, please email btbc.ec.caring@gmail.com and let us know who the person you think could use assistance. In your email, please include your name and best way to contact you, and the name of the person you wish us to help. The caring ministry would contact you, and look further into seeing how we can help. We look forward to hearing from you. Thank you for your support of the Meal Train for the Hoover family who are expecting a new addition to their family at the end of June. All spots have been filled.

8. **Facebook Page:** For more information on all that is happening in the BTBC English Congregation, check out our Facebook page at: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/btbcenglishcongregation>
9. **Children Ministry:**
The Children Ministry is currently looking for volunteers to help with the Jr. High Sunday school and Edge Fellowship program. Please contact Children Ministry (childrenMinistry@btbc.org) if you are interested in helping with this ministry.
10. **EC Re-Opening Plan:** With the opening of Ontario, the English congregation is also planning to return to the church. We are planning to have one service on July 25 that will be live streamed from the church on our YouTube channel (<https://www.youtube.com/c/BridleTrailBaptistChurch>) at 9:30am. We are also looking at having some services in August that will be live streamed as well as open to some congregation members. We also plan to have two outdoor welcome back picnics in the church parking lot, one on July 24 and one on August 14. Because of limited numbers, if you are in a small group or caring group, you will get personal invitations. Please stay tuned for more information.

Missionary Families:

- Rev. Lau & family in Asia
- Conrad & Fiona Kwok (CBM)
- Rev. Joseph K P Wong (Send International)
- Rev. Stephen and Esther Hawkins (OM)
- Richard Chen in Asia
- Lewis and Felain Lam (CBM)
- Alice Cheung (GO International)

Church Families & Ministries:

- Pray for our church – Pray for the search for a Full Time Permanent Senior Pastor for BTBC and Children Pastor.
- Please remember to pray for congregation members who are sick and recovering from illness and ailments.
- Pray for the leaders for wisdom in discerning when is God's timing to reopen the church and how to best do this.

Worship Service Schedule for July 2021

Date	July 18	July 25	Aug 1
Speaker	Dr. William Tsui	Rev. Peter Toy	Rev. Peter Toy
Worship Leader	Vinson	Whit/Tru/Alex	TBA
Chairperson Prayer/Scripture	Austin	Chelsea	Chelsea

BTBC Church LOGO – Invitation for submission of Designs

The Deacon Board is undertaking an initiative to establish a church logo “LOGO / logo” to be used on all publications and promotions that will identify and recognize Bridle Trail Baptist Church

The board will provide very broad criteria to encourage creativity and innovative imagination for design submissions. A final selected design - logo- will be trademarked, in Canada, by the church to protect and limit its use for BTBC church purposes only

The church will award the designer of a final selected design with a ceremonial appreciation plaque along with an appreciation gift.

Limited criteria, and guideline for design submissions

- Design/Logo should (or will eventually) identify, recognize and distinguish Bridle Trail Baptist Church
- Submissions must be original and bear no obvious similarities to other registered trademarks
- Submissions should ideally be in digital format (.png, .jpg, .jpeg, .jpe, .jfif, .bmp, .dib, .gif, .tif, .tiff, ico, .3mf, .stl, .ply, .obj, .glb, .fbx or another commonly recognized/used format)
- A hand-drawn submission is acceptable, but must be submitted digitally (ie. scanned)

- The select-logo will be placed on all formal church publications (including letterhead, business cards, publications, website, etc.); select-logo should be an abstract that can be visibly easy to identify on church publications
- There is no requirement to include the church name (or BTBC) in the design
- Submissions will be accepted from all BTBC members. Non-members who regularly attend our church services and wish to submit a design are welcome to co-submit with a BTBC member (submitting for)
- After a submission/design is approved by the Deacon Board to become the church logo, the designer will need to relinquish all rights and ownership to BTBC as part of the trademark application process

Submission process and deadline

Submissions should be made through email as an attachment to:

Deacons Alvin LAM (Alvin.Lam@btbc.org) and Willy Jeung (Willy.Jeung@btbc.org)

Deadline for submissions is **Tuesday, August 31, 2021**

Schedule for the Ordination of Pastors (BTBC 2021)

Please pray for our candidate for ordination: Pastor Wayne Huen as we affirm his calling from God as Pastors.

May 23 (Sun)	To post the names of candidates for ordination and the schedule of ordination to the congregations for the request of prayers	
Jun. 20 (Sun)	Deadline for church members to propose the nomination of candidate in writing.	Note 1
Jul 10 (Sat)	Deacon Board meeting to finalize names of candidates for ordination	Note 2
Jun. 21 to Jul. 25	Ordination Council to examine all of the recommendations from both the Board of Deacons and church members	
Jul. 26 to Aug. 3	Candidates for ordination will be interviewed by CBOQ Credentials Committee	Note 3
Aug. 8 (Sun)	To approve the final list of candidates for ordination and post their personal information for public notice	
Aug. 9 to Aug. 20	Candidates for ordination will be interviewed internally by the Ordination Council with desugbated Pastors including CBOQ representatives	
Aug. 22 (Sun)	To announce the nomination list of candidates for ordination to the congregations	
Sep. 19 (Sun)	Deadline to accept any written opinion from church members	Note 4
Oct. 24 to Nov. 14 (4 Sundays)	Congregations vote to accept the candidates for ordination	Note 5
TBD	Ordination Ceremony and Ceremonial Dinner	Note 6

Note 1 – The Church Constitution (5.1.1) permits members with joint signatures to nominate a candidate in writing.

Note 2 – A Deacon Board meeting to finalize the names of all candidates for Ordination.

Note 3 – BTBC will arrange with CBOQ Credential Committee to meet and review BTBC candidates (July 26 to August 3)

Note 4 – The Church Constitution (5.1.1) allows for members opinions, 4 weeks, after the announcement of the nomination list for ordination.

Note 5 - The Church Constitution (5.1.1) outlines a Members vote 8 weeks after the announcement of the list of candidates for ordination to the congregations. Candidates require 75% affirmation by Members (5.1.2) and the Deacon Board agreed voting will be done through paper ballots. The Deacon Board will allow 4 Sundays to vote, similar to last year's church election; Furthermore, the Deacon Board has aligned voting for this year's church election schedule (for 2022) to be same 4 Sundays.

Note 6 – Given the Pandemic and restrictions for in-person gatherings and restaurant dining, the Deacon Board agreed to schedule the Ordination Ceremony and Ceremonial Dinner at a later time with a preference to host these events in-person after pandemic restrictions are eased.