

A JUDGING MESSIAH

THE GOSPEL OF MATTHEW

Matthew 25:31-46

Pastor Jonathan Ji



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Scripture Text : Matthew 25:31-46

SERMON
NOTES

Summary Statement: Allegiance to the Judging Messiah is revealed through our Head, Heart and Hands.

1) The Judging Messiah Separates (vv31-33)

- a) The Return (v31)
- b) The Gathered (v32)
- c) The Distinction (vv32-33)

Principle: Jesus will return to judge everyone and will separate us to his right and left.

2) The Judging Criteria (vv34-45)

- a) The Surprise (vv37-39, 44)
- b) The Evidence (vv35-36, 42-43)
- c) The Recipients (vv40, 45)

Application: The 3 Hs – Head / Heart / Hands

3) The Judgement (vv34, 41, 46)

- a) The Reward (v34)
- b) The Punishment (v41)
- c) The Certainty (v46)

Principle: Judgement is certain, and it has eternal consequences – be on the right side!

Conclusion: Be prepared to stand before the Judging Messiah with your head, heart and hands.

Sermon Discussion Questions for MISSIONAL CELLS
1. Jesus is the Judging Messiah – what does this statement mean to you?
2. How can we ensure that there is consistency in our head, heart and hands as we seek to remain faithful and prepared for Jesus' return?
3. Who are the "least of these brothers and sisters" in our modern church context and community? How can we serve each individual groups? (If the Lord has placed a specific group on the heart of the MC, discuss how your MC may serve this group.)
4. Pray for one another.

JESUS THE MESSIAH

THE GOSPEL OF MATTHEW

RESOURCES

CAMPAIGN RESOURCES



<http://tinyurl.com/BCCONEALLRESOURCES>

SHORT GOSPEL FILMS



<http://tinyurl.com/BCCONEGOSPELFILMS>

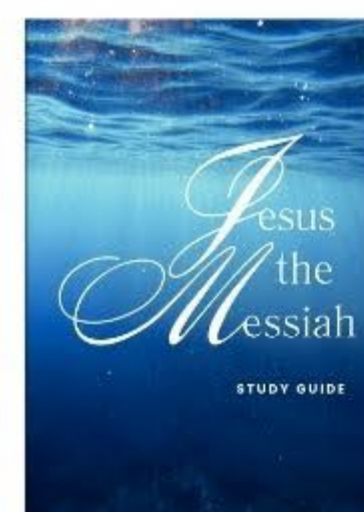
DAILY LISTENING PLAN

14 Feb - 31 Mar 2024



'ONE Hearing the Word' App

STUDY GUIDE



<http://tinyurl.com/BCCONESTUDYGUIDE>

ANNOUNCEMENTS (1)

NOMINATION OF ELDERS TO BE ELECTED AT AGM ON 19 MAY 2024

God provides and anoints leaders for every season. We serve in this process by identifying and affirming His choices. Nomination will be opened for 15 days from **3 March (Sunday) to 18 March (Monday) 5pm**. Please visit <https://bartley.ch/AGM2024-EldersNomination> or scan the QR code for information on the qualifications for an Elder, instructions on how to nominate, what happens after nomination, and the list of members in the Elders Nomination Committee. If you have queries, please email EldersNC@bartley.org.sg. Thank you.



LAST CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS FOR GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

We need volunteers for the following:

- 1) Actor/Director - Experienced theatre actor or director.
- 2) Make-up/Wardrobe Artist.
- 3) Choir - If you have a good singing voice, join our choir!
- 4) Ushers - If God has given you the gift of hospitality, we love to have you be part of the team!



Volunteer at: <https://bartley.ch/BCCGoodFriday> or scan QR code!

COMMISSIONING OF IRENE CHUNG

We rejoice with our family in the Chinese Congregation as Bartley Christian Church commissions Irene Chung from the role of preacher (传道) to Pastor (牧師) on 10 March 2024. We thank her for her faithful service for the past 11+ years and look forward to many more years of service with much fruitfulness and joy.

MISSION'S BOOK LAUNCH

The Missions Office congratulates Amy on her recent book launch, Homebound Melody. The newest title highlights Singaporean students returning into mainstream schools from overseas, but not quite being local.

She hopes to start conversations around "third-culture kids" leaving for or returning to unfamiliar cultures. Challenging the label, but more importantly hoping to ignite conversations on how to love our neighbours better.

Purchase copies here: <https://graceworks.com.sg/store/category/latest-publications/homebound-melody/>

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Pastor Mah & Elaine on the wedding of their son, Caleb on 2 March.

CONDOLENCES

Our deepest condolences to Ann Nee Lacroix-Lim's family on the demise of her beloved father, the late Mr Lim Joo Hing who has gone home to the Lord on 2 March. May God's peace and comfort be with them during this time of grief.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (2)

RAMADAN CHARITY DRIVE

This Ramadan, Bartley Community Care Services (BCCS) Limited is providing 1,200 hot meals, as well as groceries to Muslim families in Lorong Lew Lian and Macpherson. We would be grateful for your donation to this cause. Click link to donate <https://www.giving.sg/donate/campaign/1200-meals-for-muslim-friends-this-ramadan-!>, or simply scan the QR code below.

*Hot Meals to warm
bellies and hearts
this Ramadan*



Support us as we provide 1200 hot meals for Muslim families. We also provide groceries so the families enjoy peace of mind as they welcome Ramadan.

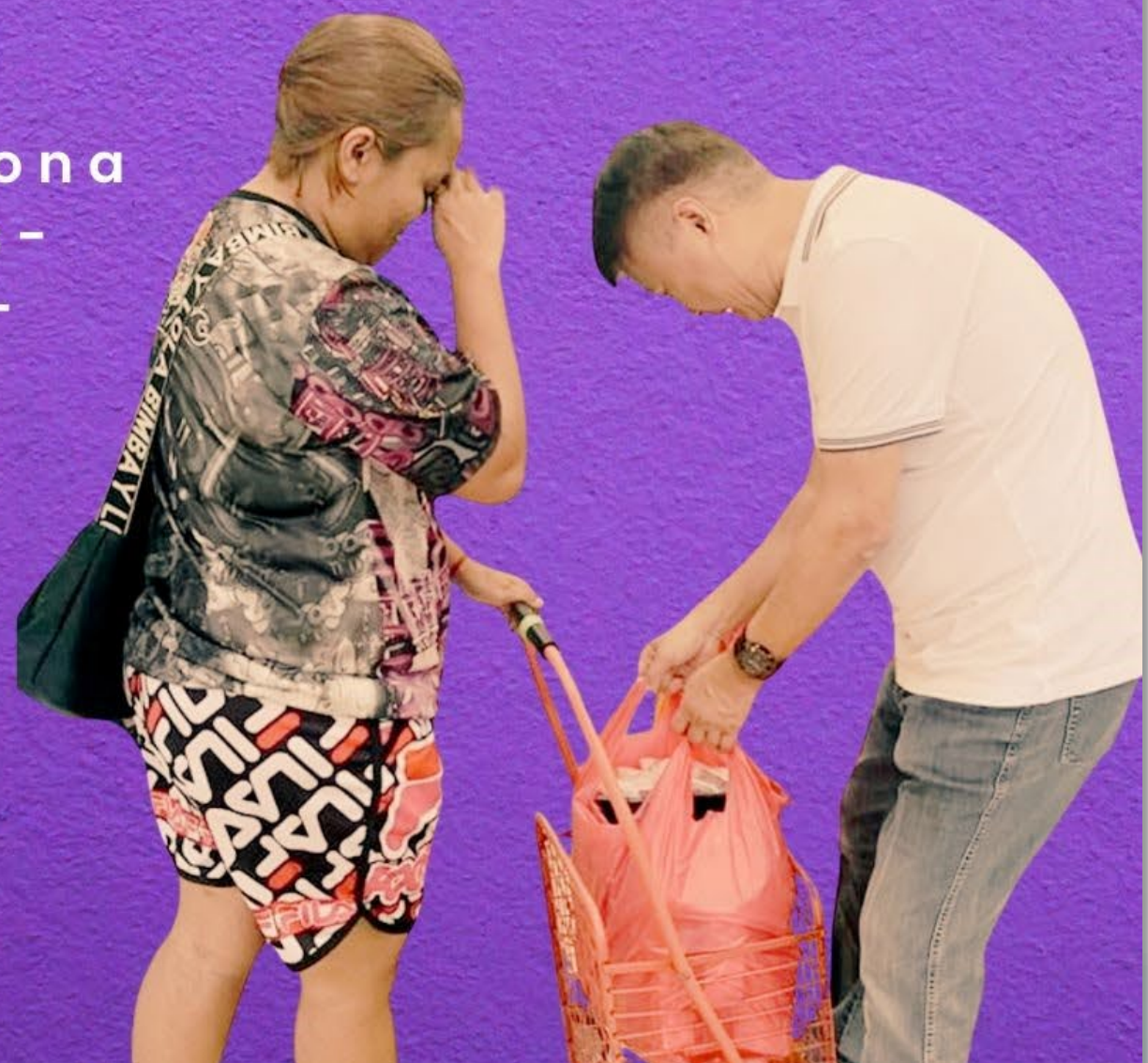
TO DONATE:

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Bartley
Community Care Services



ANNOUNCEMENTS (3)

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH ON 2ND SUNDAY

The missional cells will be preparing the fellowship lunch to bless newcomers **this Sunday, 10 March after 2nd service**. All are welcome for a koinonia time together.

PJWMEF

The purpose of PJWMEF (Pastor John Willis Missions Endowment Fund) is to build up a significant pool of money for investment to generate income to promote, support and fund missions work including church planting in Singapore and overseas. Only income earned will be disbursed for missions' work.

PJWMEF

PASTOR JOHN WILLIS MISSIONS ENDOWMENT FUND UPDATES

Amount Collected (in February)	: \$2,810
Cumulative Amount Collected	: \$2,112,677
Cumulative Disbursement	: \$228,228

UPCOMING EVENTS (1)

YA CONNECT GOSPEL-THAT-GOES TRAINING

Want to help someone take one step closer to knowing Jesus Christ but not sure how to? Preparing to go for missions and need to be refreshed on how to share your faith and life with others? Come join us for our upcoming YA Connect: Gospel-That-Goes equipping workshop!

Register here by 11 March (Monday): <https://bartleychurch.breezechms.com/form/gtgtraining>



UPCOMING EVENTS (2)

YOUNG FATHERS' MINISTRY

Come join us this **16 March Saturday 9:30am** for a time of father's connection and learning with one another. Sign up here: <https://rebrand.ly/bccyfm>



CHAPTER 8

THE FATHER AS REFUGE

16TH MAR 930 - 1130AM ROOM 3.3

<https://rebrand.ly/bccyfm>

“The LORD is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my God is my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold. Ps 18:2”

Let us learn how to be a tower of refuge for our family.

Come and learn from other fathers and walk alongside another

the FATHER connection
JOSH McDOWELL

HOW YOU CAN MAKE THE DIFFERENCE IN YOUR CHILD'S SELF-ESTEEM AND SENSE OF PURPOSE

MARCH GLOBAL WATCH

Join us in prayer as we hear from our missions' personnel, Marcus Chua on "Our Samaria in Kyrgyzstan." Please register at: <https://www.bccmissions.com/globalwatch>

If you need packet lunch, please order via: <https://tinyurl.com/GWLunchOrder>. Orders will close at 12noon, this Friday (15 March).



MARCH GLOBAL WATCH

OUR SAMARIA

IN KYRGYZSTAN

BY MARCUS CHUA

17TH MARCH 2024 1:00PM

ONSITE & ONLINE

SIGN UP HERE

ЖАПАЛАБАТ
ОБЛУСУ
ТОКТОГУЛ РАЙОНУ

UPCOMING EVENTS (3)

ALPHA

We are at our final week for registering for Alpha Film Series. Thank you for sending the word out this past two months ☺. Do pray with us as we embark on this great adventure with our guests! **Register by 15 March (this Friday) at: bartley.ch/register-for-alpha**



Final Week!

Alpha

Alpha Film Series
24 March – 26 May
Sundays 1:00–3:30PM
Bartley Christian Church
4 How Sun Drive

Got questions?



Scan to register or visit:
bartley.ch/register-for-alpha

KINGDOM TREASURES (SENIORS' FELLOWSHIP)

20 March (Wednesday), 11am at The Meeting Point.

Sign up at: <https://bartley.ch/KT-3rdWed-Fellowship>



**Kingdom Treasures
seniors gathering
20 March 2024
(Wednesday)**

**Come, celebrate life!
And enjoy the Bread of Life
with Music, Activity, Food
And more !**

Time: 11AM - 2:30PM

Bartley
CHRISTIAN CHURCH
PSALM ONE



Register Now

UPCOMING EVENTS (4)

RESTORE & REBUILD

A 13-session support group for people who have recently been separated or divorced using DivorceCare materials covering topics from Deep Hurt, Grief & Depression, Financial & Legal Issues to Forgiveness. *For any enquiries or registration, please contact Jessie Ng at 9831 9362.*



FEED 221 – OVERVIEW OF GENESIS

Register at: <https://rebrand.ly/Feed221-Genesis> | Closing date : 17 March (next Sunday)

Overview of Genesis
In Preparation of
Genesis
Sermon Series
(7 Apr – 30 Jun)

Instructor: Ps Mah Yeow Beng
26 Mar, Tues, 8.00pm – 9.45pm via ZOOM

Class details: (no fees required)
Overview of Genesis
Sermon series period: 7 Apr – 30 Jun
Class is open to all who are keen to learn and recommended for all sermon discussion facilitators

F.E.E.D 221

Learn how to facilitate
GENESIS
sermon discussions

Register by 17 Mar



<https://rebrand.ly/Feed221-Genesis>

UPCOMING EVENTS (5)

FEED 379 – MENTORING THRU... THE RISE OF CATHOLICISM & THE WHY OF DENOMINATIONS

Register at: <https://rebrand.ly/Feed379-CnD> or scan QR code | Closing date : 7 April

**FEED 379** MENTORING THROUGH **The Rise of Catholicism and the Why of Denominations**

A SINGAPORE BIBLE COLLEGE Certificate of Church Ministry module featuring:
Dr Violet James
(Alumni Advisor/Adjunct Lecturer at SBC)

13, 27 Apr, 11 & 25 May 2024
(4 Saturday Mornings)
9:00am – 1:00pm
Hudson Taylor Hall, BCC

Fee: \$70*
Early-Bird Special (by 10 Mar): \$65*

CLOSING DATE OF REGISTRATION: 7 APR 2024

DETAILS & REGISTRATION
<https://rebrand.ly/Feed379-CnD>
(Indicate FEED379 when making payment.)



*Special DISCOUNTED FEES only for BCC as VENUE-HOST (Normal fee = \$108). Further discounts for FEED alumni.

FEED 217 MENTORING THROUGH THE 7 CHURCHES & IN THE STEPS OF THE APOSTLES (Türkiye-Greece Study Trip: 26 November–12 December 2024)

**TURKEY & GREECE STUDY TRIP**
26 Nov – 12 Dec 2024

FEED 217 MENTORING THROUGH
The 7 Churches & In The Steps Of The Apostles

REGISTRATION and more information: SCAN QR CODE →
or click <https://event.actxplorer.com/> (Enter pw: BCC2024ATR)



OPTIONAL INFO SHARING SESSIONS (Attend any one):
Session 1: 14 Apr (Sun) 10:45am-12pm @ Level 4 Lounge, BCC
Session 2: 14 Apr (Sun) 12:45pm-2pm @ Level 4 Lounge, BCC
Session 3: 24 Apr (Wed) 8:00-9:30pm via ZOOM
To attend, sign up at: <https://rebrand.ly/FEED217-InfoSharing/24>
← or scan QR Code (Note: Attendance in this session does not ensure a place in the REGISTRATION.)





\$5,700
per person



- 1) REGISTER FOR THE TRIP at: <https://event.actxplorer.com/> [Enter pw: BCC2024ATR]
- 2) Sign up at: <https://rebrand.ly/FEED217-InfoSharing/24> to attend the INFO SHARING SESSIONS.

CONNECT WITH US!

- > I'M NEW and would like someone to follow up with me.
- > I would like to JOIN a Missional Cell, Young Adults Ministry or Youth Ministry

Scan to join



<https://bartley.ch/newcomer-response-registration>

- > I would like to get BAPTISED
- > I would like to be a MEMBER

Scan to register



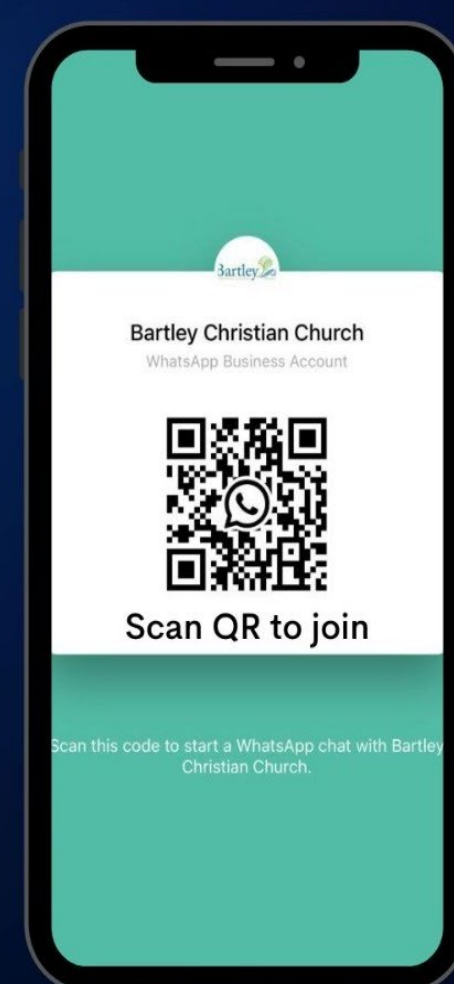
<https://bartley.ch/baptism-membership>

STAY CONNECTED

Receive weekly updates, including E-bulletin, via WhatsApp broadcast. Send a message with your full name to **8780 3955** and be connected!

E-bulletin is on the church website too! (<https://www.bartley.org.sg/bulletin>)

Receive the latest
announcements on
**WhatsApp
Broadcast**
8780 3955
send us your full name



OUR PURPOSE

A God-loved
missional community that
worships passionately
evangelises faithfully
disciples intentionally
serves selflessly
sent out to reach the world for Christ



Kingdom Jewels Children Ministry

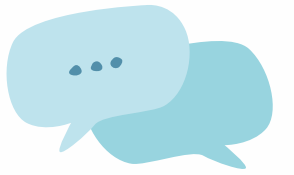
We welcome children aged 12 years & below to join our Sunday School program. If you have a child 12 years and under and would like to find out more, please visit our webpage at:
<https://www.bartley.org.sg/kingdom-jewels>.

Please contact Nan at nansiew@bartley.org.sg,
PeiYun at peiyunyin@bartley.org.sg or Gerard at gerardsu@bartley.org.sg if you have queries.

OUR CORE VALUES

Believing Prayers
Accountable Relationships
Reaching Out to the Nations
Teaching the Word
Loving Families
Exercising Stewardship
Yielding to the Spirit

Need to talk to someone?



If you need prayer, ministry or wish to respond to God's Word, our pastors & elders will be at the front to meet with you after each service. You may also email:
info@bartley.org.sg if you have any prayer requests or wish to speak with our pastors.

If you have counselling needs, visit
counselling@bartley.org.sg to request counselling from our lay counsellors.

TITHES & GIVING can be given via:

1) Inter-Bank Transfer -

For PJWMEF Only: BARTLEY CHRISTIAN CHURCH DBS Autosave A/c No: 003-911373-0
(Bank/Branch code: 7171/003)

For Tithes & Missions: BARTLEY CHRISTIAN CHURCH DBS Autosave A/c No: 047-007309-0
(Bank/Branch Code 7171/047)

2) PayNow - Unique Entity Number (UEN): 197801655D.

PASTORS

Senior Pastor Joseph Lee
Pastor Jason Lee (English Lead)
Pastor Mah Yeow Beng (English)
Pastor Tony Clayton Chong (English)
Pastor Jonathan Ji (Youth Lead)
Pastor Eric Wong (Chinese Lead)
Pastor Irene Chung (Chinese)
Pastor Celeste Cruzat (Filipino Lead)
Pastor Kim Taehoon (Korean Lead)
Associate Pastor Alvin Tan (English)
Associate Pastor Lim Beng Hee (Chinese)
Associate Pastor Danny Modi (Telugu Lead)
Lay Pastor Agnes Lau (Chinese)
Lay Pastor Solomon Adhikari (Nepali Lead)

ELDERS

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Vice Chairman Elder Chua Teck Chuan
Secretary Elder Jeffrey Lee
Treasurer Elder Vikram Mengi
Elder Jeffrey Lum
Elder Ronald Yong
Elder Yew Hock Meng

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Media & Communications - June Lim-Foo
Young Adults - Gloria Pereira-Tan
Kingdom Treasures, Seniors – May Lee-Kwan
Kingdom Jewels, Children - Leong-Woo Nan Siew
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Bartley Community Care Services - Kenneth Teo