CROSSROADS CHURCH DUBAI

For God has not called us for impurity,
but in holiness.

1 Thessalonians 4:7

01 November 2026 | Sunday | 10:30 am
Al Khor Ballroom | Swissôtel Al Ghurair | Deira | Dubai

WELCOME TO CROSSROADS CHURCH DUBAI

Greetings! Malugod ko po kayong binabati sa gathering ng Crossroads Church Dubai.

Kami po ay isang Taglish-speaking evangelical church. Ang Salita ng Diyos ay ang aming sole source of authority. Naniniwala kami na sa pamamagitan ng Salita ng Diyos, we become “wise for salvation through faith in Jesus Christ” (2 Tim. 3:15).

Our goal here in Dubai is to display God’s glory in all things, as Jesus taught us. Upang maisagawa ito, we gather together every Sunday to corporately read, pray, sing, listen to, and preach God’s Word, and see the gospel through the ordinances of baptism and the Lord’s supper. Ang purpose namin ay i-display nang sama-sama ang gospel ni Kristo — nang sa lahat ng ito, mabigyan namin Siya ng kadakilaan at kaluwalhatian na tanging nararapat lamang sa Kanya.



Pastor Alvin

ALVIN LITONJUA
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HERE ARE A FEW DETAILS AROUND TODAY'S WORSHIP:

- Please **silence** your during the service.
- **Children are always welcome** to participate in worship with their families.
- The **foyer area is available** for nursing mothers or for kids who are restless during the service.
- If this is your first time to attend, we would like to give you a **free** ! Please approach one of our ushers to receive one.

Scan the QR code to find out more about our church or to listen to past sermons.

You may reach us directly via WhatsApp at **056 258 0568**.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Awit sa Paghahanda HOLY, HOLY, HOLY	JUN ANDAYA MUSIC TEAM
Welcome / Mga Anunsyo	MIKE POLLANTE
Panawagan sa Pagsamba PSALM 89:1-2	
Panalangin ng Papuri	
Pagsamba sa Pamamagitan ng Awitan ALL PRAISE TO HIM HOLY	JUN ANDAYA MUSIC TEAM
Panalangin ng Pagsisisi ROMANS 1:21-26	MIKE POLLANTE
Kasiguraduhan ng Kapatawaran	
Pagsamba sa Pamamagitan ng Awitan I WILL GLORY IN MY REDEEMER	JUN ANDAYA MUSIC TEAM
Pastoral na Panalangin	JAYSON MAJARUCON
Pagsamba sa Pamamagitan ng Pagkakaloob HOLY SPIRIT	JUN ANDAYA MUSIC TEAM
Tugunang Pagbasa 1 TESALONICA 4:1-12 (MBB)	KIM DOMINGO CONGREGATION
Pagsamba sa Pamamagitan ng Salita THE GOSPEL-SHAPED LIFE 1 THESSALONIANS 4:1-12 (ESV)	DAVID JAMES BRILLANTES
Pagtugong mga Awitin ONLY A HOLY GOD MAY THE PEOPLES PRAISE YOU	JUN ANDAYA MUSIC TEAM
Benediksyon	DAVID JAMES BRILLANTES

Upcoming Events

We take a moment to note upcoming events and opportunities for service in our church community.

MGA ANUNSYO

Working in the UAE for the Glory of God
Topic: God's Design for Work
Nov. 08, 15, 22, 29 & Dec.06
Sundays | 9:00 am - 10:15 am
Al Khor Ballroom | Swissôtel Al Ghurair
Teacher: Joevan Bellote
Please see page 6 of this Bulletin for more information.

Confidence In Christ | 1 John 5:13-21
Nov 08 | Sunday | 10:30 am
Al Khor Ballroom | Swissôtel Al Ghurair
Preacher: Jayson Majarucon

KEPT BLAMELESS AT HIS COMING
A Gospel-Shaped Hope | 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
Nov 15, 22, & 29
Sundays | 10:30 am
Al Khor Ballroom | Swissôtel Al Ghurair
Preacher: James Brillantes

BAPTISM

Nov 17 | Tuesday | 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
DECC, Jebel Ali

MEMBERS' MEETING

Nov 22 | Sunday | 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm
Al Khor Ballroom | Swissôtel Al Ghurair

JUST FOR STARTERS
Seven Foundational Bible Studies
Scan the QR code to receive an e-copy of the discipleship material.



OPEN TO ALL

Equipping Class Series

Working in the UAE for the Glory of God

Nov. 08, 15, 22, 29 & Dec. 06

Sundays | 9:00 am - 10:15 am | Al Khor Ballroom | Swissôtel Al Ghurair

Date	Week	Title
Nov. 08	1	God's Design for Work
Nov. 15	2	The Brokenness of Work
Nov. 22	3	Christ Redeems Our Work
Nov. 29	4	A New Purpose for Work
Dec. 06	5	Working for God’s Glory

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee
Holy, Holy, Holy, Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, Holy, Holy, All the saints adore Thee
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee
Who wert and art, and evermore shalt be

Holy, Holy, Holy, Though the darkness hide Thee
Though the eye of sinful man, Thy glory may not see
Only Thou art Holy, there is none beside Thee
Perfect in power, love, and purity

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!
All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea
Holy, Holy, Holy, Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Words: Reginald Heber
(1783-1826)
Music: John Bacchus Dykes
(1823-1876)

ALL PRAISE TO HIM

All praise to Him, the God of light
Who formed the mountains by His might
All praise to Him who names the stars
That sing His fame in skies afar
All praise to Him who reigns in love
Who guides the galaxies above
Yet bends to hear our every prayer
With sovereign pow'r and tender care

All praise to Him whose love is seen
In Christ the Son, the Servant King
Who left behind His glorious throne
To pay the ransom for His own
All praise to Him who humbly came
To bear our sorrow, sin, and shame
Who lived to die, who died to rise
The all-sufficient sacrifice

All praise to Him whose pow'r imparts
The love of God within our hearts
The Spirit of all truth and peace
The fount of joy and holiness
To Father, Son, and Spirit now
Our souls we lift, our wills we bow
To You, the Triune God, we raise
With loving hearts our song of praise

Based on the hymn
All Praise to Him Who Built the Hills
by Horatius Bonar
(1808-1889)
Music and additional words:
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and Bob Kauflin
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HOLY

What heart could hold
The weight of Your love
And know the heights
Of Your great worth

What eyes could look
On Your glorious face
Shining like the sun?

You are Holy, Holy, Holy
God most high and God most worthy
You are Holy, Holy, Holy
Jesus, You are
Jesus, You are

Your name alone
Has power to raise us
Your light will shine
When all else fades

Our eyes will look
On Your glorious face
Shining like the sun?
Who is like You God?

Who shall we say You are?
You're the living God
Who shall we say You are?
You're the Great I Am
The highest name of all
You're all You say You are

And You will come again in Glory
To judge the living and the dead
All eyes will look on Your glorious face
Shining like the sun?
Who is like You God?

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I WILL GLORY IN MY REDEEMER

I will glory in my Redeemer
Whose priceless blood has ransomed me
Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails
And hung Him on that judgment tree

I will glory in my Redeemer
Who crushed the power of sin and death
My only Savior before the holy Judge
The Lamb who is my righteousness
The Lamb who is my righteousness

I will glory in my Redeemer
My life He bought, my love He owns
I have no longings for another
I'm satisfied in Him alone

I will glory in my Redeemer
His faithfulness my standing place
Though foes are mighty and rush upon me
My feet are firm held by His grace
My feet are firm held by His grace

I will glory in my Redeemer
Who carries me on eagle's wings
He crowns my life with lovingkindness
His triumph song I'll ever sing

I will glory in my Redeemer
Who waits for me at gates of gold
And when He calls me, it will be paradise
His face forever to behold
His face forever to behold

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[Pray] for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way.
1 Timothy 2:2

PRAYER FOR THE EMIR OF SHARJAH

H.H. Sheikh Dr. Sultan bin Mohammed Al Qasimi
Ruler of the Emirate of Sharjah
and Member of the UAE Federal Supreme Council

PRAYER FOR OTHER CHURCHES IN UAE

Grace Baptist Church
Senior Pastor **Anand Samuel**
gracesharjah.com

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BAPTIST CHURCH
We Preach Christ Crucified



Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples!
Psalm 96:3

SCAN ME

PRAYER FOR THE NATIONS

MONGOL, ALXA IN CHINA



Source: Operation China, Asia Harvest

Population: **29,000**
World Popl: **29,000**
Total Countries: **1**
People Cluster: **Mongolian**
Main Language: **Kalmyk-Oirat**
Main Religion: **Islam**
Status: **Frontier Unreached**
Evangelicals: **0.00%**
Chr Adherents: **0.00%**
Scripture: **New Testament**

HOLY SPIRIT

Holy Spirit, living breath of God,
Breathe new life into my willing soul.
Let the presence of the risen Lord,
Come renew my heart and make me whole.
Cause Your Word to come alive in me;
Give me faith for what I cannot see,
Give me passion for Your purity;
Holy Spirit, breathe new life in me.

Holy Spirit, come abide within,
May Your joy be seen in all I do.
Love enough to cover every sin,
In each thought and deed and attitude.
Kindness to the greatest and the least,
Gentleness that sows the path of peace.
Turn my strivings into works of grace;
Breath of God show Christ in all I do.

Holy Spirit, from creation's birth,
Giving life to all that God has made,
Show Your power once again on earth,
Cause Your church to hunger for your ways.
Let the fragrance of our prayers arise;
Lead us on the road of sacrifice,
That in unity the face of Christ
May be clear for all the world to see.

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In reading the Scripture corporately, we remind ourselves that we worship the God who has revealed Himself in His Word and has specifically revealed how we should come to Him in worship.

TUGUNANG PAGBASA NG BIBLIYA

(RESPONSIVE READING)

1 TESALONICA 4:1-12 (MBB)

1 Kaya nga, mga kapatid, isa pang bagay ang ipinapakiusap namin at ipinapayo sa inyo sa pangalan ng Panginoong Jesus. Sana'y lalo pa ninyong pagbutihin ang inyong pamumuhay ngayon, sang-ayon sa inyong natutunan sa amin, upang kayo'y maging kalugud-lugod sa Diyos.

2 Alam naman ninyo kung ano ang mga katuruang ibinigay namin sa inyo buhat sa Panginoong Jesus.

3 Kalooban ng Diyos na kayo'y maging banal at lumayo sa lahat ng uri ng kahalayan.

4 Dapat maging banal at marangal ang pakikitungo ng bawat isa sa kanyang asawa,

5 at hindi upang masunod lamang ang pagnanasa ng laman tulad ng inaasal ng mga Hentil na hindi nakakakilala sa Diyos.

6 Sa bagay na ito, huwag ninyong gawan ng masama at dayain ang inyong kapatid, sapagkat paparusahan ng Panginoon ang gumagawa ng ganitong kasamaan, tulad ng mahigpit naming babala sa inyo noon.

7 Tayo'y tinawag ng Diyos upang mamuhay sa kabanalan, hindi sa kahalayan.

8 Kaya, ang sinumang humamak sa aral na ito ay humahamak, hindi sa tao, kundi sa Diyos na siyang nagkakaloob sa atin ng kanyang Espiritu Santo.

9 Tungkol naman sa pag-ibig na dapat iukol sa mga kapatid, hindi na kailangang paalalahanan pa kayo dahil itinuro na sa inyo ng Diyos kung paano kayo magmahalan.

10 At ito na nga ang ginagawa ninyo sa mga kapatid sa buong Macedonia. Gayunman, ipinapakiusap pa rin namin sa inyo, mga kapatid, na pag-ibayuhin pa ninyo ang inyong pag-ibig.

11 Pagsikapan ninyong mamuhay nang tahimik, pag-ukulan ninyo ng pansin ang sariling gawain at hindi ang sa iba. Maghanapbuhay kayo tulad ng itinuro namin sa inyo.

12 *Dahil dito, igagalang kayo ng mga hindi mananampalataya at hindi na ninyo kailangang umasa sa iba.*

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PAGSAMBA SA PAMAMAGITAN NG SALITA

(WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD)

1 THESSALONIANS 4:1-12 (ESV)

1 Finally, then, brothers, we ask and urge you in the Lord Jesus, that as you received from us how you ought to walk and to please God, just as you are doing, that you do so more and more.

2 For you know what instructions we gave you through the Lord Jesus.

3 For this is the will of God, your sanctification: that you abstain from sexual immorality;

4 that each one of you know how to control his own body in holiness and honor,

5 not in the passion of lust like the Gentiles who do not know God;

6 that no one transgress and wrong his brother in this matter, because the Lord is an avenger in all these things, as we told you beforehand and solemnly warned you.

7 For God has not called us for impurity, but in holiness.

8 Therefore whoever disregards this, disregards not man but God, who gives his Holy Spirit to you.

9 Now concerning brotherly love you have no need for anyone to write to you, for you yourselves have been taught by God to love one another,

10 for that indeed is what you are doing to all the brothers throughout Macedonia. But we urge you, brothers, to do this more and more,

11 and to aspire to live quietly, and to mind your own affairs, and to work with your hands, as we instructed you,

12 so that you may walk properly before outsiders and be dependent on no one.

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ONLY A HOLY GOD

Who else commands all the hosts of heaven
Who else could make every king bow down
Who else can whisper and darkness trembles
Only a Holy God

What other beauty demands such praises
What other splendor outshines the sun
What other majesty rules with justice
Only a Holy God

Come and behold Him
The One and the Only
Cry out, sing holy
Forever a Holy God
Come and worship the Holy God

What other glory consumes like fire
What other power can raise the dead
What other name remains undefeated
Only a Holy God

Who else could rescue me from my failing
Who else would offer His only Son
Who else invites me to call Him Father
Only a Holy God
Only my Holy God

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MAY THE PEOPLES PRAISE YOU

You have called us out of darkest night,
Into Your glorious light
That we may sing the wonders of the risen Christ

May our every breath retell the grace
That broke into our strife
With boundless love and deepest joy, with endless life.

May the peoples praise You, let the nations be glad
All Your blessing comes that we may praise
May praise the name Jesus

All the earth is Yours and all within
Each harvest is Your own
And from Your hand we give to you, to make Christ known

May the seeds of mercy grow in us
For those who have not heard
May songs of praise build lives grace, to spread Your Word

This our holy privilege to declare
Your praises and Your name
To every nation, tribe and tongue Your church proclaim

Holy, holy, is the Lord Almighty
Worthy, worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Holy, holy, is the Lord Almighty
All creation praise Your glorious Name

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COMMUNITY GROUPS

At community groups, we study the passage ahead of the sermon that will be preached on Sunday.

If you're not yet in a group, we want to encourage you to take time out of your week to join one. It's helpful in becoming more familiar with God's Word and sharing our lives with one another.

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