# Sunday

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord;
Hosanna in the highest.

MATTHEW 21:9



### TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

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9 April 2017 PALM SUNDAY 8.45 am

**⊕Enter to Worship** ......(Please switch phone to silent mode)

As you enter the Sanctuary, let your conversation with others cease and begin to commune with God.

### PREPARING

**Personal Prayer & Meditation** 

**Church Bells** 

Prelude Dr Linda Fang

Introit "Lead On, O King Eternal" Dr Khor Tong Hong

(Lancashire)

& Mrs Irene Ooi

### **PRAISING**

\*Call to Worship Mrs Claire Lowe

Leader: Sing for joy! The Saviour comes!

People: Riding on a colt, He enters in victory!

Leader: Hosanna! Blessed is the One who comes in the name

of the Lord!

People: Hosanna! Rejoice for the Lord is in our midst.

Leader: He comes with joy and hope.

People: He comes to set us free from fear.

All: Hosanna! Glory to God!

\*Hymn of Praise "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" UMH 278

### **PRAYING**

Prayer Song "Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross" UMH 301

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Jesus, keep me near the cross; there a precious fountain, free to all, a healing stream, flows from Calvary's mountain.

Refrain:

In the cross, in the cross, be my glory ever, till my raptured soul shall find rest beyond the river.

Personal Silent Prayer & Confession

Prayer On Behalf of All

The Lord's Prayer (sung ~ Kam)

**Organ Prayer Response** 

### **PARTICIPATING**

Greetings & Welcome Pastor Timothy Yong

**Concerns & News** 

**Tithes & Offering** 

Offertory on String "Amazing Grace" Dr Khor Tong Hong

& "I Cannot Tell" & Mrs Irene Ooi

(Londonderry Air)

\*Doxology "Praise God, from Whom UMH 95

All Blessings Flow"

### **PROCLAIMING**

\*Hymn of Preparation "Tell Me the Stories of Jesus" UMH 277

Scripture Reading Luke 19:28-48 Mr George

(TNIV p969) Sathiasingam

Sermon "Saviour on a Donkey" Dr Tan Soo Inn

### **PROMISING**

\*Hymn of Promise "Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates"

**UMH 213** 

\*Benediction

Benediction Response "All Glory, Laud, and Honour" (St. Theodulph)

**Postlude** 

(Please remain seated until after the Postlude)

**Church Bells** 

**Prayer Ministry at Altar** 

.....Depart to serve

<sup>\*</sup>indicates congregation to stand



### **PALM SUNDAY**



# "He who has ears to hear, let him hear" (Matthew 11:15)

9 April 2017

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### PREPARING

**"5 Kuehs & 2 Kopis"** (From 10:45am)

"They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer" (Acts 2:42)



### **PRAISING**

\*Call to Worship Mr Adrian Cheong

\*Singing of Praise & Worship Songs

### **PRAYING**

Praise Reports & Prayers (collated during "5 Kuehs & 2 Kopis") Pastor Alvin Chan

### **PARTICIPATING**

**Tithes & Offering** 

\*Doxology

**Greetings & Announcements** 

**Community Time** 

### **PROCLAIMING**

\*Song of Preparation Mr Adrian Cheong

Scripture Reading Luke 19:28-48

Sermon "Saviour on a Donkey" Dr Tan Soo Inn

### PROMISING

- \*Closing Song
- \*Benediction

**Community Time** 

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Pulpit Ministry				
Holy Week & Easter Services				
<b>10 April</b> (8.00pm) Monday of Holy Week	"The Saviour Must Die and So Must We" (Luke 9:18-27)	Dr Tan Soo Inn		
<b>11 April</b> (8.00pm) Tuesday of Holy Week	"The Saviour Better Be Real" (Luke 9:28-43)	Dr Tan Soo Inn		
<b>12 April</b> (8.00pm) Wednesday of Holy Week	"Coming Home" (Luke 15:11-32)	Dr Tan Soo Inn		
13 April (8.00pm)  Maundy Thursday   Holy  Communion	"The Person that Deserves the Crown" (Hebrews 12:1-6)	Pastor Alvin Chan		
<b>14 April</b> (3.00pm) Good Friday	"The Crucified Saviour!" (Isaiah 53:1-5; Mark 15:16-37)	Rev Dr Kang Ho Soon		
<b>16 April</b> (6.30am) Easter Sunrise	Pastor Timothy Yong			
<b>16 April</b> (9.00am) Easter Combined   Baptism Service	"EASTER: Who and Where are You Now?" (Luke 24:25-27, 33, 44- 45)	Pastor Paul Nga		

### PALM SUNDAY

On Palm Sunday, we celebrate the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem to celebrate the Passover, the week before His death and resurrection. Palm Sunday is often referred to as "Passion Sunday", as it marks the beginning of Holy Week, which concludes on Easter Sunday. When Jesus entered Jerusalem, the crowds greeted Him by waving palm branches and covering His path with palm branches and shouted "Hosanna to the Son of David" and "Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord" to honour Him as their long-awaited Messiah and King. Immediately following this great time of celebration in the ministry of Jesus, He begins His journey to the cross.

### **ABOUT THE PREACHER**

Dr Tan Soo Inn is a Director of Graceworks (www.graceworks.com.sg), a training and publishing consultancy committed to promoting spiritual friendship in church and society. He runs this ministry in partnership with his wife, Bernice. Bernice and Soo Inn have four sons.

Soo Inn has a BDS from the University of Singapore, a ThM in New Testament from Regent College, Vancouver, and a DMin from Fuller Seminary. His primary passions include connecting the Word of God to the struggles of daily life, and the promotion of the discipline of spiritual friendship.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Holy Week Services** | Mon-Wed, 10-12 Apr | 8.00pm. This Holy Week, together with our speaker, Dr Tan Soo Inn, we explore one of the big questions of life: Why is there so much pain and suffering in the world? Find out what the significance of the cross means and how it redeems pain and suffering. Do invite your family, friends and colleagues with the invitation cards available at the iSunday counter.

**Understanding and Applying Exodus** | Fri 12 May | 7.30pm | TMC. Dr John N Oswalt, visiting Distinguished Professor of Old Testament, will be speaking. His book - "EXODUS The Way Out" - has been referred to by Pastor Alvin in the latter's sermons.

Dr Oswalt has served on the translation team of the New International Version and the editorial teams of the New Living Translation of the Bible. His earlier works include "Called to be Holy". Register at iSunday Counter.

**Certificate in Mission Practice**, offered by Trinity Theological College, is designed from Christians involved in cross-cultural missions in various capacities

including members of mission committees, frequent mission trippers, those considering mid-term (6 months to 2 years) mission assignments. The courses will help learners to establish biblical foundations, understand field issues, appreciate cultures and religious worldviews – holistic missional perspectives vital for strategizing and fieldwork. Come for the launch of CMP on 18 Apr, 7-8:30pm, Multi-purpose Hall at Trinity Theological College. Dinner provided. Register by 14 Apr at cdcm@ttc.edu.sg.

### **FAMILY MATTERS**

**Young Adults' Lunch Fellowship** | Today. If you are 19 years old and above, join TMC's young adults after the 11.15am service today for a time of food and fellowship. Meet in the Plaza at the water cooler. Queries to Daniel / 90271356 or Eliza / 91114357.

Children's & Youth Ministries will be in recess on Easter Sunday, 16 Apr.

Fellowship of Ukulelians will be in recess on 15, 29 Apr & 20 May.

**Double-Parking** is only permitted in B3. If you have to double-park, please ensure that you provide your handphone number legibly on the dashboard, and remove your car immediately after the service. If you have not yet registered your vehicle with us, or if you have changed your vehicle registration number since registering with us, please register or let us know at the iSunday Counter. **Easter Sunday Parking.** If you have parked within TMC, please be prepared to wait till the Baptisms & Service are over.

**Communion Offering.** A total of \$5,391.90 was collected during the services last Sunday for the **Methodist Welfare Services**.

**New Baby.** Congratulations to Adrian & Colleen Man on the birth of Alicia Faith Man, their first child on 4 Apr.

**Condolences.** With deepest sympathy to the family of *Mr Goh Peng Leong*, who went home to be with the Lord on 4 Apr. The funeral was held on 8 Apr.

# Floral Offering: With Thanksgiving from

• Family of Mr & Mrs Lim Khia Teck

## **PASTORAL AND STAFF MATTERS**

**Staff on Leave.** 3 to 13 Apr, Ang Hern Shung (Reservist Training) | 7 to 10 Apr, Calvin Ang.

# TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES				
Mon, 10 Apr				
8.00pm	Holy Week Service Sanctuary @ L1			
Tue, 11 Apr				
10.00am	Companions in Christ Hallelujah @ L3			
8.00pm	Holy Week Service Sanctuary @ L1			
<u>Wed, 12 Apr</u>				
8.00pm	Holy Week Service Sanctuary @ L1			
Sat, 15 Apr				
1.00pm	Youth Avenue Captains Leaders' Development 123 Serangoon North Ave 1			

SERVING TODAY				
	8.45am	11.15am		
	David Lee, Daniel Ho, Steven Koh, Koh Soo Yee, Alvin Fu, Arical Fu	Chiam Young, Grace Chiam, Jason Tang, Audra Tang, Tan Ai Ling		
AV team	David Yong, Stephen Lo	Winston Lee, Justin Ong		
Worship Band		Daniel Gwee, Benny Koh, Daryl Ong, Samuel Lee, Gladys Lie		

REGULAR ACTIVITIES				
Sundays				
8.45am	English Service Sanctuary @ L1			
	Children's Ministry (in recess on 16 Apr) Hallelujah @ L3			
9.00am	<b>Youth Ministry</b> (in recess on 16 Apr) The Upper Room @ L3			
	<b>Serving at IMH</b> (last Sunday of the month) 10 Buangkok View			
9.30am	Mandarin Service Prayer Meeting Prayer Chapel @ B1			
11.00am	Mandarin Service Sanctuary @ L1			
11.15am	English Service Emmanuel Hall @ L2			
	Children's Ministry (in recess on 16 Apr) Hallelujah @ L3			
After 11.15am service	Young Adults' Lunch Fellowship (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month) Meet in Plaza @ L1			
Wednesdays				
10.00am	Yum Cha@10 (1st Wed) Plaza @ L1			
8.00pm	Church Prayer Meeting Prayer Chapel @ B1			
Thursdays				
10.00am	Serving at St Luke's Eldercare Centre (last Thurs of month) Blk 217 Serangoon Ave 4 #01-156			
Fridays				

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9.00am Fellowship of Ukulelians (not on 15 & 29 Apr)
Hallelujah Room @ L3

(1st and 3rd Fri) Prayer Chapel @ L1

**Healing Ministry** 

Prayer Chapel @ B1

9.15am

8.00pm

Saturdays

Friday Bible Study on Nehemiah

For a snapshot of all church events, please visit <a href="https://www.tmc.org.sg/calendar.html">www.tmc.org.sg/calendar.html</a>
For our Data Protection Policy, please refer to <a href="https://www.tmc.org.sg/pdpa.pdf">www.tmc.org.sg/pdpa.pdf</a>