

# TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

- WHERE DISCIPLES MAKE DISCIPLES -

**“We must meet the  
uncertainties of this world  
with the certainty of the  
world to come.”**

**~ A.W.Tozer**



TRINITY  
Methodist Church

**6 January 2019****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 Silent Prayer & Meditation** *(see top of p7 for some guidance)*

**Church Bells**

**Prelude**

Mr Nicholas Leow

## **PRAISING**

**\*Call to Worship**

Rev Alvin Chan

Leader: Arise! Shine!

People: God's light has come to reveal The Way in this New Year.

Leader: Arise! Shine!

People: The glory of the Lord has risen upon us.

Leader: Arise! Shine!

People: God's light penetrates the darkness that covers the world.

Leader: Arise! Shine!

People: Nations shall come to God's light and kings to the brightness of God's dawn.

ALL: Arise! Shine! For the Glory of the Lord has risen upon us.

**\*Hymn of Praise** "O God, Our Help in Ages Past"

UMH 117

## **PRAYING**

Prayer Hymn

“By Gracious Powers”

UMH 517  
(tune UMH 645)

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By gracious powers so wonderfully sheltered,  
and confidently waiting, come what may,  
we know that God is with us night and morning,  
and never fails to meet us each new day.

**Personal Silent Prayer & Confession**

**Prayer On Behalf of All**

**Organ Response**

## **PARTICIPATING**

Greetings & Welcome

Concerns & News

Tithes & Offering

\*Doxology

“My Tribute”

UMH 99

## **PROCLAIMING**

Scripture Reading Romans 8:31-39 (TNIV p1044) Mr Ng Yao Loong

Sermon “Confidence for the New Year” Rev Sng Chong Hui

## **PARTAKING**

\*Communion Hymn

“My Hope Is Built”

UMH 368

(During the singing of this hymn, we will receive  
the Communion Offering for the TRAC Disaster Relief Fund, see p8)

**Celebration of Holy Communion**

UMH 12  
(responses to be sung UMH 17 & 18)

**The Lord’s Prayer** (sung ~ Malotte)

## Communion Hymns

Mrs Patricia Zoey Tan

1) UMH 411  
4) UMH 528

2) UMH 451  
5) UMH 700

3) UMH 467  
6) UMH 714

## **PROMISING**

\*Hymn of Promise “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” UMH 140

\*Benediction

## Postlude

*(Please remain seated until after the Postlude and refrain from clapping)*

## Church Bells

## Prayer Ministry at Altar

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.....Depart to serve✝

\*indicates congregation to stand



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

**6 January 2019**

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**PREPARING** (see top of p7 for some guidance)

**"5 Kuehs & 2 Kopsis"** (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 Jestyn Koh

\*Singing of Praise & Worship Songs

**PRAYING**

Praise Reports & Prayers (collated during "5 Kuehs & 2 Kopsis")

Ms Eugenia Koh

**PARTICIPATING**

Tithes & Offering

\*Doxology

Greetings & Announcements

Community Time

**PROCLAIMING**

\*Song of Preparation

Mr Jestyn Koh

Scripture Reading

Romans 8:31-19

Ms Rose Tan

Sermon

"Confidence for the New Year"

Rev Sng Chong Hui

## **PARTAKING**

Communion Song

Mr Jestyn Koh

(During the singing of this hymn, we will receive  
the Communion Offering for the TRAC Disaster Relief Fund, see p8)

**Celebration of Holy Communion**

## **PROMISING**

\*Closing Song

\*Benediction

**Community Time**

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.....Depart to serve†

\*indicates congregation to stand



<b>Pulpit Ministry</b>	
<b>13 January</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday after the Epiphany   Baptism of the Lord   Dedication of CM Teachers & Helpers	Rev Paul Nga
<b>20 January</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday after the Epiphany	Rev Timothy Yong
<b>27 January</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday after the Epiphany	Dr Hum Sin Hoon
Sermons Online: <a href="http://www.tmc.org.sg/pulpit.html">www.tmc.org.sg/pulpit.html</a>	

### **Practising Silence and Solitude**

1. Close your eyes and calm your mind and body with slow deep breaths.
2. Repeat a few times the Jesus Prayer "Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on me, a sinner".
3. Look into the order of service to read a bible passage, or hymn, meditate on the words.
4. Pray and give thanks.

### **Season of Epiphany**

We are in the new Church Season of Epiphany. The word, "Epiphany", comes from the Greek word meaning "manifestation" or "showing forth". This is the season when we celebrate Jesus Christ "shown forth" or "manifested" (epiphanized) to all as Saviour of the World.

The liturgical colour is **green**, the colour of the world of nature, signifying the universality of Christ's redemptive purpose and power.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**FIRST LOCAL CONFERENCE 2018/2019** will take place on 19 Jan (Sat) at 8.00am in The Upper Room @ L3. Our District Superintendent, Rev Derrick Lau will preside over the meeting.

### **Discipleship & Nurture (D&N) Empowerment Series – Engage.**

#### **"Preparing ourselves and our disciples to Engage with pre-believers"**

In TMC, we have a discipleship road map that is defined in four categories (4Es) – Engage, Establish, Equip and Empower. We are facilitating a series of Workshop called the Empower Series for disciplers in making disciples in each of these categories. We invite you to come for the **D&N Empower Series Workshop on ENGAGE**. It is co-organised by D&N and the Witness and Evangelism committee. Seize this opportunity as Chinese New Year is drawing near, where we can ENGAGE with our pre-believing family and friends. We will cover some the following commonly asked questions:

- ♦ What are some road blocks to people believing in Jesus Christ?
- ♦ How can we understand the backgrounds of other religions?
- ♦ What are some bridges we can build to share Jesus with them?
- ♦ How can we intercede and support each other to reach out to our friends?

This Empowerment Series Workshop on Engage will be held on **26 Jan (Sat) from 9.30am to 12.30pm**, followed by **lunch**. In order for us to cater for lunch, please RSVP to Kim Lam (kimlam@tmc.org.sg) OR at the iSunday Counter by **12 Jan**.

**Marriage Preparation Course (MPC)** is being planned for Saturday afternoons from 26 Jan till 30 Mar. Closing date for registration is extended to 7 Jan. More details can be found at <http://www.tmc.org.sg/highlights.html#mpc> or collect the flyer from iSunday Counter.

**Retirement Service for Rev Melvin Huang** | 29 Jan (Tue) | 8.00pm (with dinner from 6.45pm) | Wesley Methodist Church, 5 Fort Canning Road, Singapore 179493 | There will be a Retirement Service for Rev Huang, who was a Pastor in TMC from 1986 to 1994. Please register at iSunday Counter for catering purposes by 13 Jan.

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## FAMILY MATTERS

**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.

**Communion Offering** today is channelled to **TRAC Disaster Relief Fund** and administered by TRAC. It is a fund for giving assistance to people affected by disasters.

**Floral Offering:**

**With Thanksgiving from**

- Darren Ng & family, for God's blessings, love and grace
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## PASTORAL AND STAFF MATTERS

**Pastor Paul Nga** is presiding over Holy Communion at the Mandarin Service Holy Communion Service (11.00am) today.

**Staff on Leave.** 7 to 11 Jan, Claire Lowe | 9 & 12 Jan, Wong Ting Ling.

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## THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

### Thu, 10 Jan

- 9.00am**                      **A Tot-ful Morning**  
Hallelujah @ L3
- 2.00pm**                      **Precept Upon Precept Bible Study (1 & 2 Sam)**  
The Upper Room @ L3

### Sat, 12 Jan

- 10.00am**                      **Youth Avenue Captains Leaders' Development**  
123 Serangoon North Ave 1

## SERVING TODAY

	8.45am	11.15am
<b>Ushers / Befrienders / Service Hosts</b>	Lee Marn Seng, Janet Lee, Evelyn Tan, Mary Foo, Lelia Seow, VK Kengadharan / Terrence Ooi, Pamela Khoo	Chiam Young, Grace Chua, Jason Tang, Audra Seah, Tan Ai Ling, David Yeo
<b>AV Team</b>	Wong Ting Ling, Stephen Lo	Guo Xiaorong, Zoe Chai
<b>Worship Band</b>		Jason Chia, Bryan Wong, Christabel Goh, Nathanael Ooi, Jill Koh, Dionne Hoe, Melissa Tan
<b>Communion Stewards</b>	Ian Gan, Quek Lay Kuan, William Chua, Heather Pates, Lee Lik Ngan, Paul Ng, Anthony Woo, Pamela Lim	Debbie Tng, Ray Ang, Christabel David, Andrew Wong, James Tang, Susan Ang, Sonny Yuen, Wong Lai Ping

## REGULAR ACTIVITIES

### Sundays

- 8.45am** **English Service**  
Sanctuary @ L1
- Children's Ministry**  
Hallelujah @ L3
- 9.00am** **Youth Ministry** (not on 1<sup>st</sup> Sun)  
The Upper Room @ L3
- Serving at IMH** (last Sun)  
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**  
Hallelujah @ L3
- After 11.15am service** **Young Adults' Lunch Fellowship**  
Meet in Plaza @ L1

### Wednesdays

- 10.00am** **Yum Cha@10** (1<sup>st</sup> Wed)  
Plaza @ L1
- 8.00pm** **Church Prayer Meeting**  
Prayer Chapel @ B1

### Thursdays

- 10.00am** **Serving at St Luke's Eldercare Centre** (last Thu)  
Blk 217 Serangoon Ave 4 #01-156

### Fridays

- 9.15am** **Friday Bible Study** (1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Fri, in recess)  
Prayer Chapel @ B1
- 8.00pm** **Healing Ministry**  
Prayer Chapel @ B1

### Saturdays

- 9.30am** **Fellowship of Ukulelians** (2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sat, in recess)  
Hallelujah Room @ L3

For a snapshot of all church events, please visit  
[www.tmc.org.sg/calendar.html](http://www.tmc.org.sg/calendar.html)

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