



TRINITY
Methodist Church

DEEPER IN CHRIST

A CALL TO DEEPER DISCIPLESHIP

"...whereas Greeks and Romans prized virtues such as courage or military prowess, Jesus exemplified humility, self-sacrifice, and love."

~ Andreas J. Kostenberger

2ND SUNDAY IN LENT

17 March 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

Church Bells

Prelude

Mr Josiah Poh

PRAISING

*Call to Worship

Dr Chan Chong Hiok

Leader: Jesus calls us to servant ministry.

People: We must be willing to help others, not counting the cost or rewards.

Leader: Pretense, disharmony, greed have no place in discipleship.

People: Serving God means receiving each person as though they were a beloved child.

Leader: Lord, help us to truly become your disciples.

People: Create in us hearts for ministries of compassion and kindness.

ALL: Let us worship God in our service.

*Hymn of Praise “Christ for the World We Sing”

UMH 568

*Affirmation of Faith

UMH 886

*Gloria Patri

UMH 71

PRAYING

Prayer Hymn

“Dear Lord and Father of Mankind”

UMH 358
vv 1, 4

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Dear Lord and Father of mankind,
forgive our foolish ways;
re-clothe us in our rightful mind,
in purer lives Thy service find,
in deeper reverence, praise.

Drop Thy still dews of quietness,
till all our strivings cease;
take from our souls the strain and stress,
and let our ordered lives confess
the beauty of Thy peace.

Personal Silent Prayer & Confession

Prayer On Behalf of All

The Lord’s Prayer (sung ~ Kam)

Organ Prayer Response

PARTICIPATING

Greetings & Welcome

Rev Alvin Chan

Concerns & News

Tithes & Offering

*Doxology

“Praise God, from Whom
All Blessings Flow”

UMH 95

PROCLAIMING

*Hymn of Preparation

“The Servant King”

see p4

Scripture Reading

John 13:1-17 (TNIV p993)

Ms Esther Khor

Sermon

Sermon Series: “Deeper in Christ”

“Deeper in Christ:
Being a Servant”

Dr Kwa Kiem Kiok

PROMISING

***Hymn of Promise** “Lord, Whose Love Through
Humble Service”

UMH 581

***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

Hymn of Preparation

The Servant King

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1. From heav’n You came, helpless Babe,
Entered our world, Your glory veiled;
Not to be served but to serve,
And give Your life that we might live.

Chorus:

*This is our God, the Servant King,
He calls us now to follow Him,
To bring our lives as a daily offering
Of worship to the Servant King.*

2. There in the garden of tears,
My heavy load He chose to bear;
His heart with sorrow was torn,
‘Yet not my will but Yours,’ He said.
3. Come see His hands and His feet,
The scars that speak of sacrifice;
Hands that flung stars into space
To cruel nails surrendered.
4. So let us learn how to serve,
And in our lives enthrone Him;
Each other’s needs to prefer,
For it is Christ we’re serving.

2ND SUNDAY IN LENT

THE
11-15
SERVICE

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

17 March 2019

✠Enter to Worship(Please switch phone to silent mode)

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 Richard Seng

*Singing of Praise & Worship Songs

PRAYING

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

Rev Sng Chong Hui

Corporate Prayer followed by The Lord's Prayer

PARTICIPATING

Tithes & Offering

*Doxology

Greetings & Announcements

Community Time

PROCLAIMING

*Song of Preparation

Mr Richard Seng

Scripture Reading

John 13:1-17

Sermon

Sermon Series: "Deeper in Christ"

"Deeper in Christ:
Being a Servant"

Dr Kwa Kiem Kiok

Personal Response & Prayer

PROMISING

*Closing Song

*Benediction

Community Time

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.....Depart to serve✚

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Pulpit Ministry		
Sermon Series: “Deeper in Christ”		
24 March 3 rd Sunday in Lent	Spirit-Led - Controlled	Rev Alvin Chan
31 March 4 th Sunday in Lent	Spirit-Led - Connected	Rev Timothy Yong
7 April 5 th Sunday in Lent Holy Communion	Spirit-Led - Called	Rev Alvin Chan
(Break in Sermon Series)		
14 April Palm Sunday	Rev Dr Andrew Reid	
15 - 17 April (8.00pm) Holy Week	Rev Dr Andrew Reid	
18 April (8.00pm) Maundy Thursday Holy Communion	Rev Alvin Chan	
19 April (3.00pm) Good Friday	Rev Paul Nga	
21 April (6.30am) Easter Sunrise	Ms Violet Khor	
21 April (9.00am) Easter Combined English Baptism of Children & Adults	Rev Sng Chong Hui	
Sermon Series: “Deeper in Christ”		
28 April 2 nd Sunday of Easter	Loves Neighbour: Forgiveness	Dr Chan Chong Hiok
Sermons Online: www.tmc.org.sg/pulpit.html		

ABOUT THE PREACHER

Dr Kwa Kiem Kiok is Lecturer in missiology and inter-disciplinary studies at Biblical Graduate School of Theology. She enjoys classical music, reading and walking in the outdoors.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Church Camp. DEEPER 2019 will take place from 7 to 10 June 2019 at Hatten Hotel Melaka.

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION (AND PAYMENT) CLOSES IN 2 WEEKS' TIME.

We expect the booth to be quite busy over the next 3 weeks, so we strongly encourage you to register online at <http://tmc.churchretreat.com.sg> to skip the queues, before making payment at our booth. The booth will be open at the **Plaza** after each service. **NOTE:** You have to make payment by 31st March 2019, to enjoy the early bird prices. If you are looking for a roommate, do not hesitate to approach us!

Not Sure How To Share Christ With Your Non-Christian Family Members?

Attend the seminar 'Communicating Christ in Asian Cultures and Families' and learn some practical handles on how we can honour God and maintain harmonious family relations and respond to Chinese traditions such as Qing Ming and funeral rites.

The Seminar and Discussion will be held in Emmanuel Hall @ L2 on 23 Mar (Sat), 11am – 4pm (lunch included). Register by 17 Mar. Special guests: I'Ching Thomas and Dr Lai Pak Wah.

To register : <https://tinyurl.com/engage2303> or visit the booth in the Plaza today.



YM FAMILY NIGHT | The Youth Ministry will be holding a fun family night on Saturday, 23rd March 2019, starting at 6.00pm. Whether you are a youth, a parent or family member of a youth, or simply someone who is passionate & interested in investing into the next generation of our Church, this is especially organised for you. It promises to be a great evening of great food, engaging performances and good fun as we gather as a YM Community! Sign up today at www.tinyurl.com/fearlessfamilynight

There will also be a **PARENTS ENGAGEMENT SESSION** prior to the YM Family Night at 5.30pm. The Youth Ministry will be undergoing some major changes in the coming months, and we would like to take this opportunity to share more with you where God is calling us into as a ministry, as well as hear from you on how we can better partner with you in the discipleship of your youth. We hope you would join us for this!

Want to be an overcomer in this VUCA world? Life is volatile and uncertain where relationships at work or home can be perplexed or complex. How do we face life's ambiguities with courage? Come and hear Rev Wendy Tay, Brenda Leow, June

Chuah, Fong Loo Fern, Judy Foo and Rev Jenni Ho-Huan at the VUCA Conference on 4 May (Sat) from 9am to 4pm at Faith Methodist Church.
Fee of \$15/pax includes breakfast and lunch. Registration starts next Sun, 17 Mar at the plaza after service. Closing date 14 Apr.

FAMILY MATTERS

The Saltshaker is TMC's in-house publication which is produced on a quarterly basis. Its purpose is to support readers in their discipleship journey, and to inform them of the happenings in TMC. Layout designers are urgently required to continue this publication. The commitment will be quarterly. A knowledge of Adobe InDesign or equivalent is a must. Please contact Tricia / tmccomms@gmail.com for more details.

Change of Location of Services on 31 Mar. **Mandarin Service** will move to Emmanuel Hall @ L2 and **11.15am Service** to Sanctuary @ L1 to accommodate the **BB-GB Enrolment Dedication Service**.

Boys' Brigade Week 2019 Food Sale | 24 Mar | In conjunction with BB'S week 2019, Teleois-in-Christ SG is organising a food sale after the 8.45am Service. This is to help raise funds in support of the 47th BB Coy for running their programmes and activities. We look forward to your kind and generous support.

Pledges by GIRO or Internet Banking. For those who wish to contribute their pledges through GIRO or Internet Banking, please transfer the amount to Trinity Methodist Church DBS Auto Save Account no. 047-004108-2 (Serangoon Garden Branch). You must indicate your name or pledge no., and email jenny@tmc.org.sg

Deepest Condolences to William & Emily Wilfred, P Sathiasingam & Janet and their families on their families on the passing of **Lily Poomalar Wilfred** (William's mother; P Sathiasingam's sister), who went home to be with the Lord on 10 Mar.

Floral Offering in Loving Memory of

- *Mr Ron Teo Ee Meng*, from family of Mr & Mrs Lim Khia Teck
- *Lily Poomalar Wilfred*, from William, Emily, Mark, Andrew & Aaron Wilfred, and families

PASTORAL AND STAFF MATTERS

Staff on Leave. 18 to 22 Mar, Francis Chew | 23 Mar, Choy Wai Cheng.

TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

2.00pm **Baptism & Membership Class** - The Upper Room @ L3

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

Tue, 19 Mar

7.30pm **Precept Upon Precept (John pt 2)** - The Upper Room @ L3

Wed, 20 Mar

10.00am **Youth Ave Career Sharing** - 123 Serangoon North Ave 1

3.00pm **Youth Ave Nerf Game** - 123 Serangoon North Ave 1

8.00pm **Church Prayer Meeting** - The Upper Room @ L3

Thu, 21 Mar

Mandarin Service Mission Trip - Pontian, Malaysia

9.00am **A Tot-ful Morning** - Hallelujah @ L3

2.00pm **Precept Upon Precept (1&2 Samuel)** - The Upper Room @ L3

Fri, 22 Mar

7.30pm **Disciple 4** - Hallelujah @ L3

Sat, 23 Mar

11.00am **ENGAGE Deeper: Communicating CHRIST in Asian Cultures and Families** - Emmanuel Hall @ L2

1.00pm **Youth Ave Captains' Leaders Development** - 123 Serangoon North Ave 1

2.30pm **Youth Ave Rummikub Game Competition** - 123 Serangoon North Ave 1

5.30pm **Youth Ministry Parents Engagement Session** - The Upper Room @ L3

6.00pm **Youth Ministry Family Night** - Plaza @ L1

SERVING TODAY

	8.45am	11.15am
	Ushers / Befrienders Edwin Koh, Vinotha Washington, John Foo, Catherine Foo, Bernard Ting, Desiree Wee, Polly Hwang / Ang Poh Kit, Judy Yip	Service Hosts Chiam Young, Grace Chua, David Yeo, Low Giat Ling
AV Team	Stephen Lo, Joshua Loke	Koh Shi Xuan, Deanna Tan
Worship Band		Benny Koh, Tan Wei Chian, Shermeen Cheong/Charlotte Chong, Daryl Ong, Samuel Lee, Tan Sue-Ann, Gladys Tay

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

Sundays

- 8.45am English Service**
Sanctuary @ L1
- Children's Ministry**
Hallelujah @ L3
- 9.00am Youth Ministry** (not on 1st 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** (1st Wed)
Plaza @ L1
- 8.00pm Church Prayer Meeting**
Prayer Chapel @ B1

Thursdays

- 10.00am Serving at St Luke's Eldercare Centre** (last Thu, not in Jan-Mar)
Blk 217 Serangoon Ave 4 #01-156

Fridays

- 9.15am Friday Bible Study** (1st and 3rd Fri)
Prayer Chapel @ B1
- 8.00pm Healing Ministry**
Prayer Chapel @ B1

Saturdays

- 9.30am Fellowship of Ukulelians** (2nd and 4th Sat)
Hallelujah Room @ L3

For a snapshot of all church events, please visit
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