



TRINITY  
Methodist Church

# DEEPER IN CHRIST

A CALL TO DEEPER DISCIPLESHIP

**“The reason why we are so little illuminated by the Holy Spirit and so little guided by the motions of His gifts is that our soul is sensual and full of a multitude of earthly thoughts, desires, and affections, which extinguish within us the Spirit of God.”**

**~ Louis Lallemant, French Jesuit priest (17<sup>th</sup> Century)**

## 3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN LENT

**24 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 Nicholas Leow

### **PRAISING**

**\*Call to Worship**

Dr Ang Poh Kit

Leader: If God is for us, who is against us?

People: He who gave us His son, now gives us the Spirit in  
power!

Leader: The Holy One is in our midst: equipping us for life in the  
service of Christ.

People: In Christ we are more than conquerors,  
for nothing in creation can separate us from the love of  
God!

Leader: May the all surpassing grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be  
with you.

People: And the unshakable love of God be with you.

Leader: The joyous communion of the Holy Spirit be with you.

People: And also with you!

**\*Hymn of Praise** "Come, Thou Almighty King"

UMH 61

## **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 Timothy Yong

Concerns & News

Tithes & Offering

\*Doxology

“Praise God, from Whom  
All Blessings Flow”

UMH 95

## **PROCLAIMING**

\*Song of Preparation

“Come, Holy Spirit”

(see p4)

Scripture Reading

Galatians 5:16-26  
(TNIV p1077)

Dr Guo Xiaoxuan

Sermon

Sermon Series: “Deeper in Christ”

“Spirit-Led: Controlled”

Rev Alvin Chan



# **PROMISING**

**\*Hymn of Promise**      “Holy Spirit, Truth Divine”

UMH 465

**\*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



Song of Preparation:

## **Come, Holy Spirit**

Words & Music: Caroline Tjen, City Harvest Church

Come Holy Spirit fall on me now  
I need Your anointing, come in Your power  
I love you Holy Spirit  
You're captivating my soul  
And every day I grow to love You more

Chorus:

I'm reaching for Your heart  
You hold my life in Your hands  
Drawing me closer to You  
I feel Your power renew  
Nothing compares to this place  
Where I can see You face to face  
I worship You in Spirit and in truth

## 3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN LENT

THE  
11-15  
SERVICE

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

24 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 Adrian Cheong

\*Singing of Praise & Worship Songs

### **PRAYING**

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

Ms Eugenia Koh

Corporate Prayer followed by The Lord's Prayer

### **PARTICIPATING**

Tithes & Offering

\*Doxology

Greetings & Announcements

Community Time

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"Spirit-Led: Controlled"

Rev Alvin Chan

Personal Response & Prayer

## **PROMISING**

\*Closing Song

\*Benediction

Community Time

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\*indicates congregation to stand

<b>Pulpit Ministry</b>		
<b><i>Sermon Series: “Deeper in Christ”</i></b>		
<b>31 March</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent	Spirit-Led - Connected	Rev Timothy Yong
<b>7 April</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent   Holy Communion	Spirit-Led - Called	Rev Alvin Chan
<b><i>(Break in Sermon Series)</i></b>		
<b>14 April</b> Palm Sunday	“Jesus Prayerfully Prepares”	Rev Dr Andrew Reid
<b>15 April</b> (8.00pm) Monday of Holy Week	“The Passion of Jesus: Observing the Participants”	Rev Dr Andrew Reid
<b>16 April</b> (8.00pm) Tuesday of Holy Week	“The Passion of Jesus: The Enthroned King”	Rev Dr Andrew Reid
<b>17 April</b> (8.00pm) Wednesday of Holy Week	“The Passion of Jesus: Practical Impact”	Rev Dr Andrew Reid
<b>18 April</b> (8.00pm) Maundy Thursday   Holy Communion	Rev Timothy Yong	
<b>19 April</b> (3.00pm) Good Friday	Rev Paul Nga	
<b>21 April</b> (6.30am) Easter Sunrise	Ms Violet Khor	
<b>21 April</b> (9.00am) Easter Combined English   Baptism of Children & Adults	Rev Sng Chong Hui	

<b>Sermon Series: "Deeper in Christ"</b>		
<b>28 April</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter	Loves Neighbour: Forgiveness	Dr Chan Chong Hiok
Sermons Online: <a href="http://www.tmc.org.sg/pulpit.html">www.tmc.org.sg/pulpit.html</a>		

## 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 1 WEEKS' TIME.**

We expect the booth to be quite busy over the next 2 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. If you are not comfortable with signing up online, please approach the booth for assistance, and have a photo/photocopy of your passport. The booth will be open at the **Plaza** after each service. **NOTE:** You have to make payment by next Sunday, to enjoy the early bird prices. If you are looking for a roommate, do not hesitate to approach us!

**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

**Change of Location of Services next Sunday.** **Mandarin Service** will move to Emmanuel Hall @ L2 and **11.15am Service** to Sanctuary @ L1 to accommodate the **BB-GB Enrolment Dedication Service**. 11.15 worshippers, please help to play host to families of BB, GB and staff of Serangoon Garden Secondary School, and join them for lunch.

**Boys' Brigade Week 2019 Food Sale** | Today | In conjunction with BB's week 2019, Teleios-in-Christ is organising a food sale after the 8.45am service. This is to help raise funds in support of the 47<sup>th</sup> BB Coy for running their programmes and activities. We look forward to your kind and generous support.

**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](mailto:tmccomms@gmail.com) for more details.

**Deepest Condolences** to Lim Choo Siang & Nancy Chua and their family on the passing of Choo Siang's mother, *Mdm Boey Yuet Kwai*, who went home to be with the Lord on 16 Mar.

**Floral Offering:**

**In Loving Memory of**

- our beloved grandmother, *Mdm Lau Teck Seng*, from Mr & Mrs Tay Soon Hock
- *Ron Teo Ee Meng*, from Mrs Roslyn Teo & family

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## PASTORAL AND STAFF MATTERS

**Staff on Leave.** 28 to 29 Mar, Eddie Goh | 28 to 29 Mar, Jenny Seow | 28 to 31 Mar, Claire Lowe | 29 Mar, Sunitaa Cathrine | 30 Mar, Choy Wai Cheng.

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### TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

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

### THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

**Tue, 26 Mar**

**7.30pm**     **Precept Upon Precept Bible Study (John pt 1)**  
The Upper Room @ L3

**Wed, 27 Mar**

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

**Thu, 28 Mar**

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

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

**Fri, 29 Mar**

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

**Sat, 30 Mar**

**1.00pm**     **Marriage Preparation Class**  
Hallelujah @ L3



## SERVING TODAY

	8.45am	11.15am
	<b>Ushers / Befrienders</b> David Lee, Toh Soo Yee, Alvin Fu, Arical Fu, Chuah Li Li, Tay Jam Chin, Daniel Ho / Tan See Nin, Judy Yip	<b>Service Hosts</b> Chiam Young, Grace Chua, David Yeo, Low Giat Ling
<b>AV Team</b>	David Yong, Stephen Lo	Lynette Tan, Joshua Loke
<b>Worship Band</b>		Shaun Lai, Daniel Gwee, Clarence Ow, Olivia Ng, Samuel Lee, Shermaine Foo, Josephine Ngam

*Sermon Notes*

## 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, not in Jan-Mar)  
Blk 217 Serangoon Ave 4 #01-156

### Fridays

- 9.15am Friday Bible Study** (1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Fri)  
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)  
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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