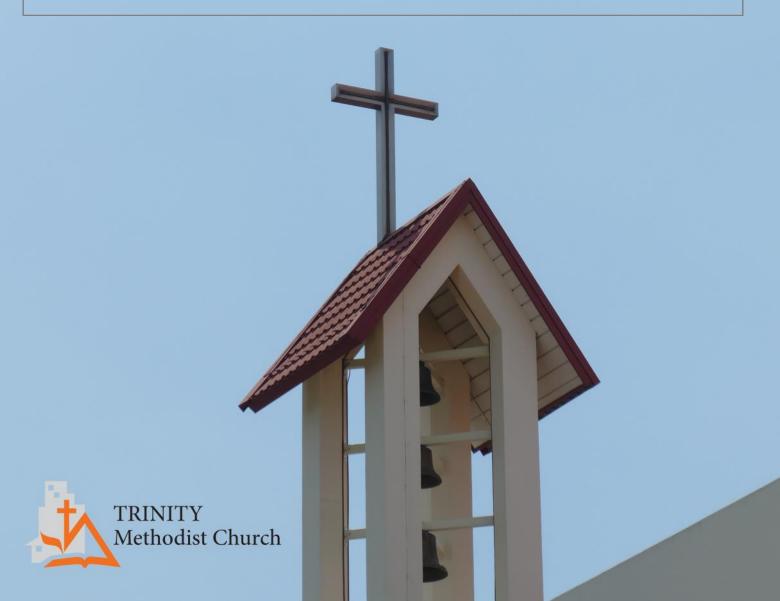
GOING DEEPER 2019

# EPHESIANS

GOSPEL TRUTHS FOR A DEEPER COMMUNITY

"Who has not read and re-read the closing verses of the third chapter of the Ephesians with the feeling of one permitted to look through parted curtains into the Holiest Place of the Christian life?"

~ Bishop Handley Moule



### **6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

21 July 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 Ms Diana Kostova

### **PRAISING**

\*Call to Worship Mrs Patricia Zoey Tan

Leader: Today is a day especially created for us to find peace

and hope.

People: In the midst of our hectic lives, we surely need such a

time as this.

Leader: Come, rest in the Lord.

People: Our souls long for God's refreshing love.

Leader: Let the demands of our week melt away in God's

presence.

ALL: Refresh and restore us, O Lord. Dwell in our hearts

today!

\*Hymn of Praise "God of Love and God of UMH 578

Power"

\*Affirmation of Faith UMH 885

\*Gloria Patri UMH 71

### **PRAYING**

### **Prayer Hymn**

### "Give Thanks"

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Give thanks with a grateful heart

Give thanks to the Holy One

Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son

And now let the weak say, "I am strong"

Let the poor say, "I am rich

Because of what the Lord has done for us"

Give thanks...

**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 "Speak, O Lord"

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1. Speak, O Lord, as we come to You

To receive the food of Your Holy Word.

Take Your truth, plant it deep in us;

Shape and fashion us in Your likeness,

That the light of Christ might be seen today

In our acts of love and our deeds of faith.

Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us

All Your purposes for Your glory.

- Teach us, Lord, full obedience,
  Holy reverence, true humility;
  Test our thoughts and our attitudes
  In the radiance of Your purity.
  Cause our faith to rise; cause our eyes to see
  Your majestic love and authority.
  Words of pow'r that can never fail—
  Let their truth prevail over unbelief.
- 3. Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds;
  Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us—
  Truths unchanged from the dawn of time
  That will echo down through eternity.
  And by grace we'll stand on Your promises,
  And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us.
  Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built
  And the earth is filled with Your glory.

**Scripture Reading** 

Ephesians 3:14-21 (TNIV p1080)

Mr Ng Yao Loong

Sermon

Sermon Series: "Gospel Truths for a Deeper Community"

"A Community Rooted in Love, Strengthened in Power" Rev Sng Chong Hui

### PROMISING

\*Hymn of Promise "Make Me a Captive, Lord"

**UMH 421** 

\*Benediction

### **Postlude**

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

**Church Bells** 

**Prayer Ministry at Altar** 

.....Depart to serve ₽

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

### **6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

21 July 2019

7he Sunday Contemporary Service

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

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

**Personal Silent Prayer & Meditation** 

### PRAISING

\*Call to Worship Mr Jestyn Koh

\*Singing of Praise & Worship Songs

### **PRAYING**

Praise Reports & Prayers Ms Eugenia Koh

Corporate Prayer followed by The Lord's Prayer

### PARTICIPATING

**Tithes & Offering** 

\*Doxology

**Greetings & Announcements** 

**Community Time** 

### PROCLAIMING

\*Song of Preparation Mr Jestyn Koh

Scripture Reading Ephesians 3:14-21

Sermon Series: "Gospel Truths for a Deeper Community"

"A Community Rooted in Love, Rev Sng Chong Hui

Strengthened in Power"

Personal Response & Prayer

### PROMISING

\*Closing Song

\*Benediction

**Community Time** 

.....Depart to serve 🕆



Pulpit Ministry  Sermon Series:  "Ephesians - Gospel Truths for a Deeper Community"				
4 August 8 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost   Holy Communion	A Renewed Community (Ephesians 4:17-32)	Rev Alvin Chan		
<b>11 August</b> 9 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost   National Day Sunday	A Fragrant Community (Ephesians 5:1-20)	Rev Byron Teo		
(Break in Sermon Series)				
<b>18 August</b> 10 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost   TTC Sunday	Rev Dr Edwin Tay			
Sermon Series:				
"Ephesians - Gospel Truths for a Deeper Community"				
<b>25 August</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday in Kingdomtide	A Transformed Community (Ephesians 5:21-6:4)	Mr Tan Kim Lam		
Sermons Online: www.tmc.org.sg/pulpit.html				

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

### **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.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Children's Ministry Programme for 8.45am & 1.30pm on 28 Jul. CM Workers will be having their yearly retreat from 26-28 Jul. While the CM Workers are away for the retreat, Rev Byron Teo and some volunteers will conduct the children's programme (kindergarten and primary levels) for 8.45am and 1.30pm sessions in Hallelujah @ L3. Your child/ren will be dismissed from Hallelujah @ L3 at 10.15am and 3.00pm respectively. Children's Ministry will resume on 4 Aug. Kindly take note the crèche ministry from age 0-36 months (0-3 year olds) is still open in the Kindergarten @ L1. If you have any queries on 28 July 2019 please contact Ling Ling at 9824-3438.

Girls' Brigade 55<sup>th</sup> Company Annual Fund Raising | next Sunday | Please support the GB girls appealing for donations and the food sale after the 8.45 am service by the GB, with support from GYM & WSCS. The funds will go towards GB's own programmes and activities for the girls and officers. The mission of GB is to help every girl discover and develop her unique potential by equipping, empowering, and enabling her to be a community leader and a positive influence to those around her. GB is present in 74 primary and secondary schools, with a membership of 3,314 girls. They hope to raise \$800,000 for this year's GB Fortnight 2019.

**Missions Sunday** will also be observed next Sunday. There will be 2 stations – 1 features craft by Cambodians (by Barker Road MC), the other features TMC's Missions activities & sign-ups for Mission Trips in October.

### **FAMILY MATTERS**

**Pledge Update.** We thank God for those who have pledged for the financial year of 2019/2020. If you have not pledged yet, we encourage you to do so. You may drop your pledge card in the offering bags during the services or send it to the Church Office.

Budgeted Total Receipts for 2019/2020: \$3,166,606 Budgeted Pledges: \$1,800,000

Date	Pledges Received	Amount Pledged (S\$)
As at 14 Jul 2019	263 members & 29 friends	1,346,625.00

**The Resource Centre (RC)** will continue to be closed for enhancement works. Borrowed resources can be returned when the RC reopens. Thank you for your understanding and patience.

**A Tot-ful Morning** is seeking volunteers on Thursday mornings, 9.00-10.30am. Volunteers literally just need to be friendly and conversational to participating moms and tots. You do not need to be a mom. Male volunteers are welcome. Enquiries to Tricia / atotfulmorning@gmail.com / 6282 4443.

**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

## Floral Offering: With Thanksgiving from

• Family of Mr & Mrs Lim Khia Teck

### In Loving Memory of

- Fang Yea Yee, from Sin Guek, Aaron, Hannah, Cheryl and Zhong Yi
- our parents, Chng Yew Kim and Hoe Geok Ho, from Chng Cheng Lian and Rosemary Chng

### **PROJECT ACTSpand**

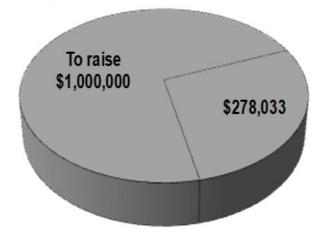
### **ACTSpand Donation Update**

If you would like to support **ACTSpand** financially, please:

- 1) Write out a cheque to "Trinity Methodist Church";
- 2) PayNow to UEN No: S87CC0538F; or
- 3) Make a bank transfer to DBS A/C: 047-004108-2.

Please indicate "ACTSpand (Campaign Name)" at the back of the cheque or as the transaction reference, if you are supporting a particular fundraising campaign. Otherwise, please indicate "ACTSpand". Thank you.

### Project ACTS pand as at 14 Jul 2019



### **ACTSpand (Breakfast Special)**

**Piping Hot Fish Porridge** prepared and cooked in our kitchen by Chef Thomas Chiam using the 5.3 kg Tengiri auctioned last week, generously contributed back by the winning bidder. Also available - **Freshly Cut Dragon Fruit** (17kg) donated by our chef and **Warm Soya Bean Milk (unsweetened)**. Limited portions available on a first-comefirst-served basis, served to you by WSCS. Please feel free to contribute a warm love gift for the warm food and desserts in support of Project ACTSpand!

### **ACTSpand** (Ride)

Come visit the ACTSpand (Ride) booth before or after Service today - for photo opportunities with the fully-kitted-out riders and their streamlined bikes and to experience exciting challenges on specially set-up cycling simulators.

A group of TMC cyclists (Richard Seng, Kelvin Tan, Albert Yeo, Wong Ting Ling, Daryl Ong, Melvin Chan, and Lincoln Mah) are cranking wheels to cycle a total of 10,000km from 1 June to 8 Sep 2019. Each cyclist will need to double or triple their usual weekly mileage to achieve this target. **Come "race" against the riders by donating \$10 in \$upport of every punishing kilometre riden by the riders, to help raise a target of \$100,000 for Project ACTSpand.** See if the \$upport raised can equal or overtake the equivalent distance covered by the riders! Contact Richard Seng (spidyseng@gmail.com) if you would also like to "exercise" your faith by cycling for ACTSpand (Ride).

RACE REPORT as at 13 July 2019 (Week #6 of 14)

- Distance Covered: **2,389km** (equivalent to \$23,890 at \$10 per km)
- \$upport Raised: **\$6,500**
- Additional \$upport required (to "catch-up" with the riders): \$17,390

### ACTSpand (Call for Proposals)

Do you have a Project ACTSpand fundraising idea or proposal? If so, please write to Robert Yeo (<a href="mailto:ryeoch@gmail.com">ryeoch@gmail.com</a>) or Daryl Ong (<a href="mailto:ong-daryl@hotmail.com">ong-daryl@hotmail.com</a>). We look forward to hearing from you!

### PASTORAL AND STAFF MATTERS

**Pastoral Team Retreat.** Rev Alvin Chan, Rev Paul Nga, Rev Sng Chong Hui, Rev Byron Teo, Alice Lim, Eddie Goh, Ang Hern Shung, Tan Kim Lam, Lee Park Ming, Wong Ting Ling & Choy Wai Cheng will be attending the retreat on 22 & 24 Jul.

**Pastors on Leave.** 21 Jul, Rev Paul Nga is at Christalite Methodist Chapel's 14<sup>th</sup> Anniversary | 26 to 27 Jul, Rev Alvin Chan (duty).

**Staff on Leave.** 26 to 27 Jul, Ang Hern Shung (duty) | 26 to 28 Jul, Alice Lim (duty).

### THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

Tue, 23 Jul

7.30pm Precept Upon Precept (John pt 1) - The Upper Room @ L3

Thu, 25 Jul

**10.00am** Serving at St Luke's Eldercare Centre - 217 Serangoon Ave 4 #01-156

2.00pm Precept (Kings & Prophets pt 1) - The Upper Room @ L3

**8.00pm** Community Bible Experience - The Upper Room @ L3

(6.30pm Dinner)

Fri-Sun, 26-28 Jul

CM Teachers & Helpers Retreat - Batam, Indonesia

Fri, 26 Jul

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

Sat, 27 Jul

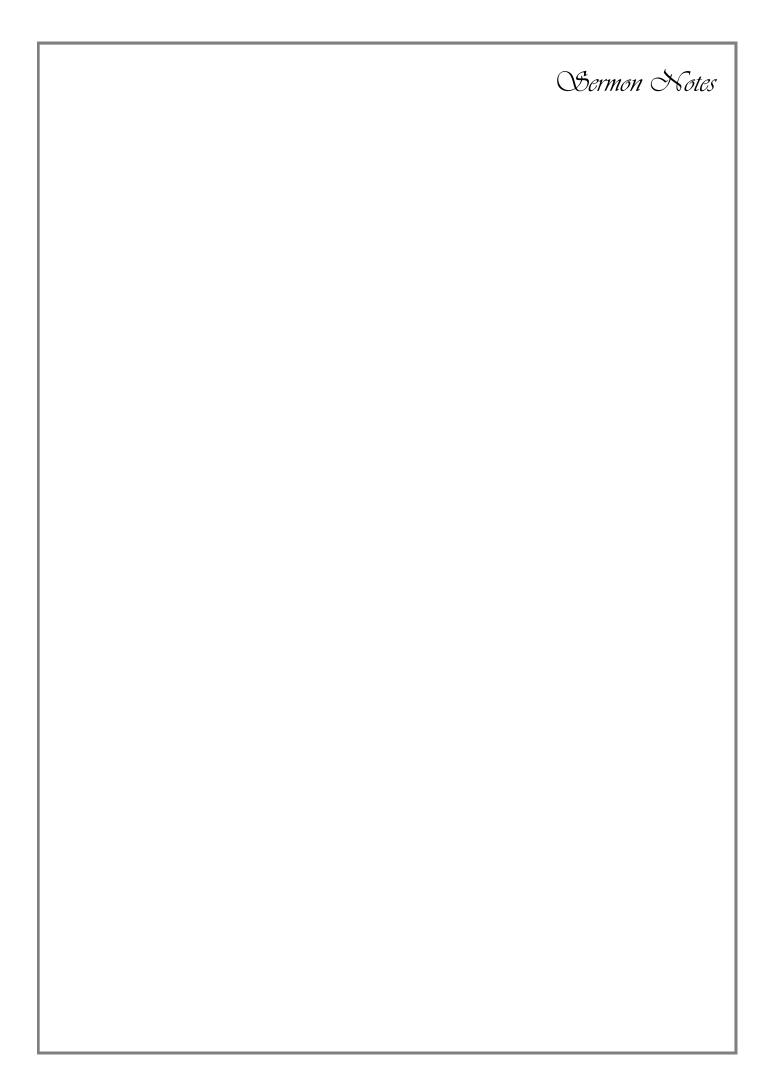
**9.30am** Fellowship of Ukulelians - Hallelujah @ L3

**1.00pm** Youth Avenue Pizza Party - 123 Serangoon North Ave 1

**2.30pm** Alpha Teatime Talks - The Upper Room @ L3

6.30pm Youth Avenue National Day Dinner

SERVING TODAY				
	Traditional (8.45am)	Contemporary (1.30pm)		
	Ushers / Befrienders Lee Marn Seng, Janet Tan, Mary Foo, VK Kengadharan, Jessie Sim, Lelia Seow / Daisie Yip, Yip Syn Wun	Service Hosts Jason Tang, Audra Seah, Koh Shuwen		
AV Team	Wong Ting Ling, Stephen Lo	Desmond Tay, Guo Xiaorong		
Worship Band		Bryan Wong, Jason Chia, Christabel Goh, Nathanael Ooi, Samuel Lee, Dionne Hoe, Melissa Tan		



# 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

Mandarin Service Sanctuary @ L1

Children's Ministry Hallelujah @ L3

English Service Sanctuary @ L1

<u>Wednesdays</u>

11.00am

1.30pm

**10.00am** Yum Cha@10 (1<sup>st</sup> Wed)

Plaza @ L1

8.00pm Church Prayer Meeting

Prayer Chapel @ B1

**Thursdays** 

9.00am A Tot-ful Morning

Hallelujah @ L3

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)

Prayer Chapel @ B1

**8.00pm Healing Ministry** (in recess)

Prayer Chapel @ B1

**Saturdays** 

**9.30am** Fellowship of Ukulelians (2<sup>nd</sup> and

4<sup>th</sup> Sat)

Hallelujah Room @ L3

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