

GOING DEEPER 2019

# EPHESIANS

GOSPEL TRUTHS FOR A DEEPER COMMUNITY

**“We are called to stand in for God here in the world, exercising stewardship over the rest of creation in his place as his vice regents. We share in doing the things that God has done in creation—bringing order out of chaos, creatively building a civilization out of the material of physical and human nature, caring for all that God has made... Work has dignity because it is something that God does and because we do it in God’s place, as his representatives.”**

**~Timothy J. Keller, Every Good Endeavor**



TRINITY  
Methodist Church



**1 September 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 Ong Te-Min****PRAISING****\*Call to Worship****Rev Paul Nga**

Leader: Beloved, we are called to love one another, because  
love is from God.

People: God's love is poured in us from our birth.

Leader: We are called to extend the love of God to all people.

People: God's loved is taught to us through the witness of God's  
faithful people.

Leader: We are called to proclaim God's love in all that we say  
and do.

People: In all creation, in all our relationships, may God's love  
be made known.

**\*Hymn of Praise****"Tell Out, My Soul"****UMH 200****PRAYING****Prayer Hymn****"Spirit Song" (v1)****UMH 347****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 Ephesians 6:5-9 Ms Esther Khor  
(TNIV p1082)

Sermon Sermon Series: "Gospel Truths for a Deeper Community"  
"A Witnessing Community" Rev Alvin Chan

## **PARTAKING**

\*Communion Hymn "For the Bread Which UMH 614  
You Have Broken"

(During the singing of this hymn, we will receive  
the Communion Offering for Trinity Theological College, see p7)

Celebration of Holy Communion UMH 12  
(responses to be sung UMH 17 & 18)

The Lord's Prayer (sung ~ Malotte)

Communion Hymns Ms Jean Santa Maria  
1) UMH 700 2) UMH 539 3) UMH 528  
4) UMH 526 5) UMH 462 6) UMH 451

## **PROMISING**

\*Hymn of Promise "We've a Story to Tell to the UMH 569  
Nations"

\*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

1 September 2019

1.30 pm

*The Sunday Contemporary Service*

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

**PREPARING**

Personal Silent Prayer & Meditation

**PRAISING**

\*Call to Worship

Mr Adrian Cheong

\*Singing of Praise & Worship Songs

**PRAYING**

Praise Reports & Prayers

Rev Byron Teo

Corporate Prayer

**PARTICIPATING**

Tithes & Offering

\*Doxology

Greetings & Announcements

Community Time

**PROCLAIMING**

\*Song of Preparation

Mr Adrian Cheong

Scripture Reading

Ephesians 6:5-9

Ms Rose Tan

Sermon

Sermon Series: "Gospel Truths for a Deeper Community"

"A Witnessing Community"

Rev Alvin Chan

## **PARTAKING**

Communion Song

Mr Adrian Cheong

(During the singing of this hymn, we will receive  
the Communion Offering for Trinity Theological College, see p7)

**Celebration of Holy Communion**

## **PROMISING**

\*Closing Song

\*Benediction

Community Time

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.....Depart to serve†

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| Pulpit Ministry  |  |                    |
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| <i>Sermon Series:</i><br><i>“Ephesians - Gospel Truths for a Deeper Community”</i>   |  |                    |
| <b>8 September</b><br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Kingdomtide<br>  63 <sup>rd</sup> Church Anniversary<br>(regular services) | “A Ready Community”<br>(Ephesians 6:10-20) | Rev Dr Gordon Wong |
| <i>End of Sermon Series</i>  |  |                    |
| <b>15 September</b><br>4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Kingdomtide   | Rev Sng Chong Hui                          |                    |
| <b>22 September</b><br>5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Kingdomtide   | Rev Alvin Chan                             |                    |
| <b>29 September</b><br>6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Kingdomtide<br>  CM Sunday  | Rev Peter Warren                           |                    |
| Sermons Online: <a href="http://www.tmc.org.sg/pulpit.html">www.tmc.org.sg/pulpit.html</a>                                 |  |                    |

## KINGDOMTIDE

We are in the Season of Kingdomtide. This is a season when the Church affirms that all we do in our personal, social, economic, political and religious life is under the Kingship of Jesus Christ, our Lord. The liturgical colour is GREEN, symbolizing growth and vitality.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Community Bible Experience.** There are only two sessions left! Those who attended the earlier sessions are invited to come for these sessions. Senior Pastor Denesh Divyanathan (The Crossing Church) is the Guest Facilitator at the last session on 12 Sep. If you will be coming for this session, please sign up at iSunday Counter.

**BLESS Someone this Mid Autumn Festival** and bring your non believing family, friends, neighbours and colleagues to experience Christ in a Chinese festival celebration! | 16 Sep | 6:30-8:30pm | Plaza @ L1 |  
Admission is free but register by Sunday 8 Sep @ <https://tinyurl.com/yyd3nssp>  
Hard copies of this invitation is available at the iSunday counter. For any queries, please contact Mandarin Service Eddie Goh @ 9835-5058.

**Mission Trip.** The Missions Committee thank those who had responded to the call for the Great Commission by signing up for the Mission trip in October 2019. There will be a briefing today for all at 11:00am to be held in the Abraham @ L1. Please come for this introductory briefing.

## 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 (\$\$) |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| As at 25 Aug 2019 | 297 members &<br>36 friends | 1,494,099.00          |

The **Last Local Conference** will take place on 21 Sep (Sat) at 8.00am in The Upper Room@ L3. Our District Superintendent, Rev Derrick Lau will preside over this meeting.

Members who wish to view the report, please contact the church office @ 6282-4443.

**Re-Opening of Resource Centre.** The Resource Centre has re-opened after undergoing recent transformation works. The centre will operate on Sundays from 10am to 12pm.

**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.

**Today's Communion Offering** will be in support of the ministry needs of Trinity Theological College (TTC) which is the appointed theological institution for both Methodist ministers and lay people.

**Deepest Condolences** to Rosalin Ee Swee Lim & David Yeo Hwai Lee and their families on the passing of Rosalin's mother, *Mdm Ting Sam Moi*, who went home to be with the Lord on 24 Aug.

**Floral Offering:**

**With Thanksgiving from**

- Clifton & Mildred, for God's blessings and everlasting faith
- John & Nellie
- Darren Ng & family, for God's blessings and love

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## PASTORAL AND STAFF MATTERS

**Rev Sng Chong Hui** is preaching and presiding over the Holy Communion at the Mandarin Service (11.00am) today.

**Staff on Leave.** 2 to 3, 5 to 6 Sep, Diana Koh | 6 to 9 Sep, Wong Ting Ling.

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## THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

**Tue, 3 Sep**

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

**Wed, 4 Sep**

**10.00am**                      **Yum Cha@10** - Plaza @ L1

**Thu, 5 Sep**

**2.00pm**                      **Precept Upon Precept (Kings & Prophets pt 2)** - The Upper Room @ L3

**8.00pm**                      **Community Bible Experience** - Sanctuary @ L1  
(6.30pm Dinner)

**Fri, 6 Sep**

**Mandarin Service Mission Trip** - Pontian

**9.15am**

**Friday Bible Study** - Prayer Chapel @ B1

**7.30pm**

**Disciple 4** - Benjamin @ L2

**Sat, 7 Sep**

**10.00am**

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

**SERVING TODAY**

|                               | Traditional (8.45am)   | Contemporary (1.30pm)   |
|-------------------------------|--|---|
|                               | <b>Ushers / Befrienders</b><br>Ong Eng Hong, Samuel Wong,<br>Chiang Suat Hong, Helen Tio,<br>Tan Poh Ling, Anita Leo,<br>Lim Yuet Lin, Au Chui Lin<br>/ Quek Lay Kuan, Tan See Nin | <b>Service Hosts</b><br>Audra Seah, Aaron Fang  |
| <b>AV Team</b>                | Wong Ting Ling, Stephen Lo   | Koh Shi Xuan, Lynette Tan   |
| <b>Worship Band</b>           |  | Bryan Wong, Jason Chia,<br>Christabel Goh, Nathanael Ooi,<br>Jill Koh, Dionne Hoe,<br>Melissa Tan |
| <b>Communion<br/>Stewards</b> | Anthony Woo, Pamela Lim,<br>Lee Lik Ngan, Tan Seng Hee,<br>Heather Pates, Khor Tong Hong,<br>George Sathiasingam, Robert Yeo   | James Tang, Susan Ang,<br>Jillian Goh, Christabel David,<br>Joshua Wong, Clinton Yeo              |



# PROJECT

# ACTS

# -PAND

Managing church growth @ TMC

Update on 1 September 2019



## SERVICES

### New Service Timings

These are the new service days and timings, and their effective dates:

|                                    |                  |                          |
|------------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>The Saturday Service</b>        | Saturday, 4:30pm | Starting 5 October 2019  |
| <b>8:00am Traditional Service</b>  | Sunday, 8:00am   | Starting 1 December 2019 |
| <b>9:45am Traditional Service</b>  | Sunday, 9.45am   |                          |
| <b>Sunday Contemporary Service</b> |                  |                          |
| <b>Children's Ministry</b>         |                  |                          |
| <b>Mandarin Service</b>            | Sunday, 11.30am  |                          |

### TMC Anniversary

There will be the usual **3 services** (8:45am Traditional, 11:00am Mandarin and 1:30pm Contemporary) for **TMC's Anniversary on 8 September 2019**, instead of a single combined service.



## MINISTRIES

If you are already in a Discipling Relationship and looking for opportunities to Serve as the next step in your Discipleship Journey, do prayerfully consider the following:

### Ushers / Service Hosts (All Sunday Services)

The Hospitality Ministry is looking for more Ushers and Service Hosts to serve at TMC's "ACTSpanded" Sunday Services, and **especially at the Sunday Contemporary Service**. All that is required is a friendly smile and warm handshake. Please contact **Koh Shuwen** ([shwern@gmail.com](mailto:shwern@gmail.com)) or approach any of the friendly Ushers / Service Hosts.

### Worship Band (Sunday Contemporary Service)

If you have a passion to serve through making music, this ministry is for you! The Worship Band is looking for more singers and musicians, especially **electric bassists** and **drummers**. Please contact **Samuel Lee at 9234 5137** or come chat with us before or after service!

### AV Team (All Sunday Services)

The AV Team plays a vital role in facilitating what is seen and heard at each Service. Would you like to utilize beautiful visuals to enhance the worship experience? Or help ensure that everything spoken, sung or played during a Service is heard clearly? It is as easy as pushing a few buttons - the correct ones of course. **No prior experience is required, and training will be provided.** The AV Team is **especially short-handed for the 2 Sunday Traditional Services** starting 1 December 2019. Press the "Send" button on an email to **Joshua Loke** at [avhead@tmc.org.sg](mailto:avhead@tmc.org.sg) or approach any of the AV Crew at each Service.



## FUNDRAISING

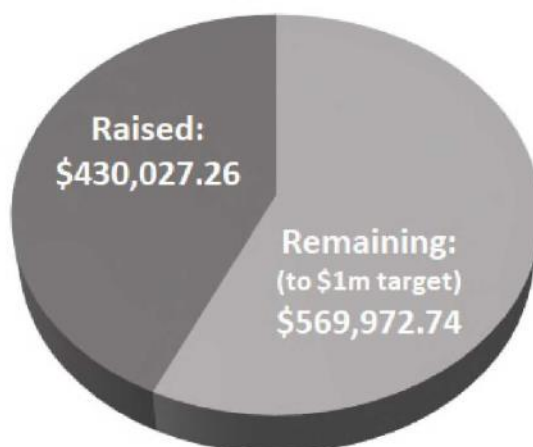
To donate to Project ACTSpand, please:

- 1) Write a **cheque** to **Trinity Methodist Church**;
- 2) **PayNow** to **UEN No. S87CC0538F**; or
- 3) Make a **bank transfer** to **DBS A/C: 047004108-2**.

If you are donating in support of a specific campaign (see below), please indicate **"ACTSpand (Campaign Name)"**. Otherwise, please indicate **"ACTSpand"**.

If you have a fundraising idea, please email Robert Yeo ([ryeoch@gmail.com](mailto:ryeoch@gmail.com)) or Daryl Ong ([ong\\_daryl@hotmail.com](mailto:ong_daryl@hotmail.com)).

### Project ACTSpand Fundraising as at 25 Aug 2019



### ACTSpand (Hand-Baked)

Please come visit our booth in the **Plaza** on **8 September** to buy some **freshly-baked madeleines, biscotti, apple pie and scones**. While stocks last, and all earnings go towards Project ACTSpand.

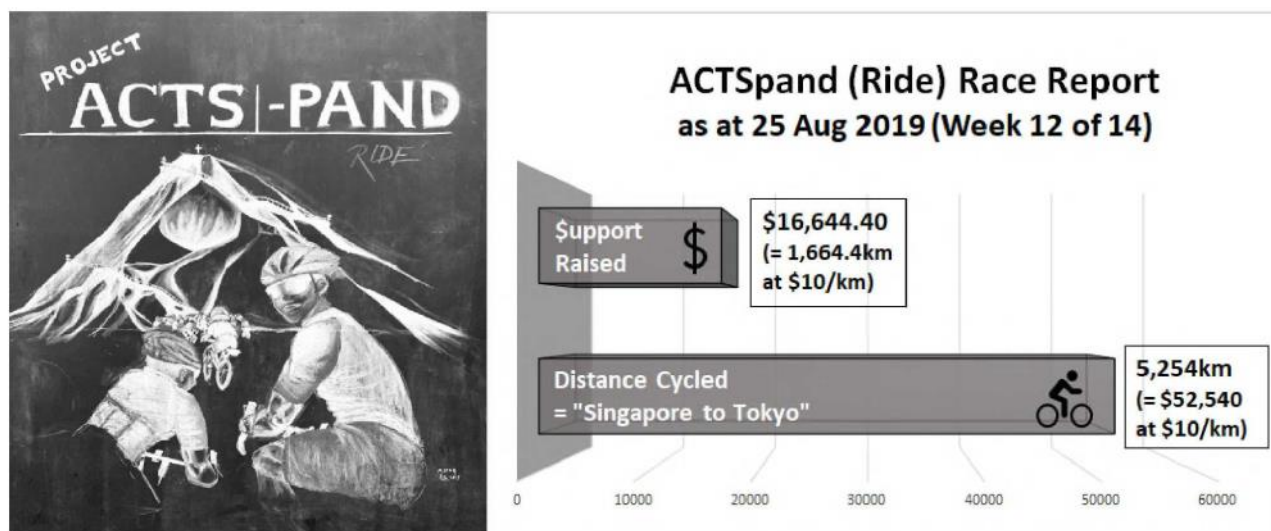
### ACTSpand (Busking)

Come and be entertained by our **buskers** at the **Plaza** on **8 September** from **10:15am to 11:00am** and from **12:45pm to 1:30pm**. Express your appreciation for their music with a donation towards Project ACTSpand!

### ACTSpand (Ride)

Come visit our booth **today**, where we will be **cycling up the 1,036m high Alpe du Zwift** (based on the real Alpe d'Huez mountain in France) on cycling simulators! **Come cheer us on, support us with your donations (last week to do so!) or try out the cycling simulators**, on which your distance cycled will also count towards the ACTSpand (Ride) mileage.

Richard Seng, Kelvin Tan, Albert Yeo, Wong Ting Ling, Daryl Ong, Melvin Chan, Lincoln Mah and Stian Hallan are cycling from 1 June to 8 Sep 2019 to raise funds for Project ACTSpand. **Every \$10 donated contributes 1km for the Donors in the race between the Donors and Riders!**



## REGULAR ACTIVITIES

### Sundays

- 8.45am** **English Service**  
Sanctuary @ L1
- Children's Ministry**  
Hallelujah @ L3
- 9.00am** **Youth Ministry**  
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
- 1.30pm** **English Service**  
Sanctuary @ L1
- Children's Ministry**  
Hallelujah @ L3

### Wednesdays

- 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**  
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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