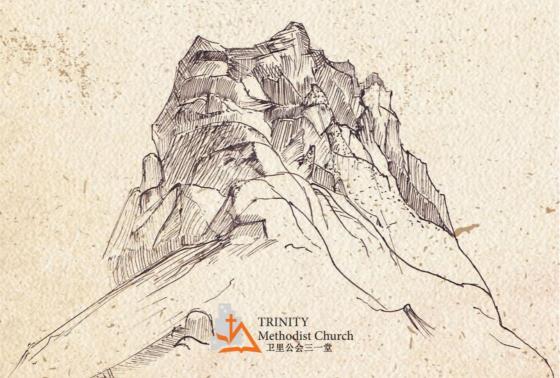
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"Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob, that he may teach us his ways and that we may walk in his paths."

For out of Zion shall go forth the law, and the word of the Lord from Jerusalem."

Isaiah 2:3



Epiphany Holy Communion

	Sunday, 8.00am & 9.45am Traditional Services		
Preparing	Personal Silent Prayer & Meditation • Prelude		
Praising	*Call to Worship <i>(see p4)</i> *Hymn of Praise - "How Great Thou Art" (UMH 77)		
Praying	Prayer Hymn - "Be Thou My Vision" (UMH 451) Personal Silent Prayer & Confession Prayer On Behalf of All Prayer Response		
Participating	Greetings & Welcome Concerns & News Tithes & Offering *Doxology - "My Tribute" (UMH 99)		
Proclaiming	Scripture Reading - Isaiah 55:1-13  Sermon Series: "Ascending Together"  Sermon - "Ascending Togther"  • Rev Alvin Chan		
Partaking	Communion Hymn - "This Is a Day of New Beginnings" (UMH 383) Communion Offering (for the TRAC Disaster Relief Fund <sup>1</sup> ) Celebration of Holy Communion (UMH 12) The Lord's Prayer (sung - Malotte) Communion Hymns (see p4)		
Promising	*Hymn of Promise - "Saviour, Lead Me Up the Mountain" (see p4)  *Benediction • Postlude  (Please remain seated until after the Postlude and refrain from clapping)  Church Bells  Prayer Ministry at Altar		

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> TRAC Disaster Relief Fund gives assistance to people affected by disasters. It is administered by TRAC.

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### 4 & 5 January 2020

**Epiphany** 

# Saturday, 4.30pm The Saturday Service

#### **Praising**

\*Singing of Praise & Worship Songs

#### **Praying**

Praise Reports & Prayer Requests

#### **Participating**

Welcome Announcements Tithes & Offering \*Doxology

#### **Proclaiming**

Scripture Reading - Isaiah 55:1-13 Sermon Series: "Ascending Together" Sermon - "Ascending Together"

Rev Alvin Chan

#### **Promising**

- \*Response Song
- \*Benediction

**Community Time** 

# Sunday, 9.45am Sunday Contemporary Service

#### **Preparing**

Personal Silent Prayer & Meditation

#### **Praising**

- \*Call to Worship
- \*Singing of Praise & Worship Songs

#### **Praying**

Praise Reports & Prayers Corporate Prayer The Lord's Prayer

#### **Participating**

Tithes & Offering
\*Doxology
Greetings & Announcements
Community Time

#### **Proclaiming**

\*Song of Preparation Scripture Reading - Isaiah 55:1-13 Sermon Series: "Ascending Together" Sermon - "Ascending Together"

Rev Byron Teo

#### **Promising**

- \*Closing Song
- \*Benediction

**Community Time** 

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#### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Lord, You have called us to the mountaintop.

People: Help us to look forward to where You would have us go.

Leader: Help us to listen carefully to the words of Your healing love.

People: Open our hearts and spirits to receive Your glorious directions.

Leader: Place your trust in the Lord in all your ways.

ALL: Lord, we have come here to give our lives to You. AMEN.

#### **COMMUNION HYMNS**

1) UMH 140

2) UMH 145

3) UMH 369

#### **HYMN OF PROMISE**

#### Saviour, Lead Me Up the Mountain

Words: Anonymous, Music: Philip Paul Bliss

Saviour, lead me up the mountain,
 Where the Lord alone is seen,
 Where we hear the voice from heaven,
 Where the air is pure and clean.

#### Chorus:

Lead me higher up the mountain, Give me fellowship with Thee; In Thy light I see the fountain, And the blood it cleanses me.

- Higher up where light increases,
   Far above all earthly strife,
   Where the strain of effort ceases,
   Where in Christ we reign in Life. (Chorus)
- Saviour, keep me up the mountain
   Pressing on toward the goal,
   Till, as one, we share Thine image,
   And Thy love and grace extol. (Chorus)

Next Week				
Sermon Series: "Ascending Together" (Isaiah 2:3)				
11 & 12 Jan 2020 Reception of New Members	A New Level of Thinking			
Sermon Library: www.tmc.org.sg/pulpit.html				

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Easter 2020 Baptism & Membership Classes.** If you have already accepted the Lord Jesus Christ into your life and are now ready to make a public declaration of your faith and want to continue to grow in maturity in Christ, sign up at the iSunday counter for these classes on 8 Sundays, Jan 19, Feb 2, 9, 16, 23, Mar 1, 8 & 15. Time: 2.00-4.00pm. More information at www.tmc.org.sg/baptism.html. Enquiries to Park Ming 96717100 / parkming@tmc.org.sg Registration deadline on 12 Jan. Important dates to take note of:

12 Apr (Sun) - Baptism of Children and Adults

26 Apr (Sun) - Reception of New Members

**Alpha Marketplace Facilitators Training 2020.** If you have non-believing colleagues, relatives and friends whom you like to reach out and do not know how to, this short 2.5 hour course is meant for you!

You will learn how to discuss questions about the Christian faith with them in a non-threatening environment outside church.

15 Jan (Wed) | 7.00-9.30pm | Alpha Singapore Office, 250 Tanjong Pagar Road, St Andrews Centre #03-02, S088541 | Cost fee: \$20/pax

Please register at singapore.alpha.org/events/marketplacetraining If you have any questions, please contact TMC Alpha coordinator Katherine Loh @9749 9068 or W&E LES Wai Cheng @ 8797 8113.

Youth Avenue Study Help Programme for 2020. Volunteer tutors needed to assist students on Tues and/or Wed at various times in English (P3, P4, P5 & Sec 1, 4), Math (P4), Science (Sec 2, Sec 4) Chinese (P3, P4, P5, P6). Full schedule at <a href="www.tmc.org.sg/osc.html#ya">www.tmc.org.sg/osc.html#ya</a>. Please contact Cathrine Sunitaa / 6285 8450 / <a href="cathrine@tmc.org.sg">cathrine@tmc.org.sg</a> to volunteer. Youth Avenue at 123 Serangoon North Ave 1 is run by TMC and provides a safe environment for youths to meet and engage in wholesome, meaningful and fun activities. The centre is a place for fostering relationships with youths and their families. The Study Help programme is one of the services offered at Youth Avenue.

Marriage Preparation Course (MPC) is being planned for Saturday afternoons (Feb 1, 8, 15, 29, Mar 14, 21, 28 & Apr 4). More details can be found at http://www.tmc.org.sg/d&n.html#mpc or collect the flyer from iSunday Counter.

WSCS Pre-Order Sales. WSCS will be taking orders for Apple-and-Date Cakes, Achar, as well as CNY Floral Arrangements today and 12 Jan in Plaza @ L1. Your collection of food items will be on 19 Jan from Plaza @ L1. Enquiries to Mary Foo 9620-2311.

#### **PASTORAL AND STAFF MATTERS**

**Rev Paul Nga** is preaching and presiding over the Holy Communion at the Mandarin Service (11.30am) on Sunday.

#### **FAMILY MATTERS**

**CM Dedication.** Dedication of CM Workers will be held at 9.45 am (Traditional Service) on 19 Jan 2020. Parents are reminded to bring your children to the service and participate in the Dedication. The children will attend their respective classes thereafter. Primary level children will gather at the Plaza, while others at the Kindergarten room.

**Thank You.** We thank all who were involved in planning and organizing and carrying out the following:

25 Dec – the Combined Christmas Bilingual Service & Baptism, and Fellowship Lunch;

31 Dec – the Dinner-Programme for Pastor Sng, as well as the Wesleyan Covenant Renewal and Watchnight Service.

We trust those who made time to participate found them meaningful and enjoyable. God Bless You All.

**Christmas Offering.** A total of \$13,179.05 was collected during the Christmas Service for the **Community Fund**.

**Deepest Condolences** to Serene & Chew Yeow Tay and their family on the passing of Serene's father, *Mr Sim Poh Kian*, who passed away on 24 Dec.

#### Floral Offering:

#### With Thanksgiving from

- John & Nellie
- Mdm Yap Yoke Dong
- Mdm Ho Sau Yong

#### THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

#### **TODAY**

9.30am Mandarin Service Prayer Meeting - Prayer Chapel @ B1

Wed, 8 Jan

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

8.00pm Prayer & Intercession Meeting - Prayer Chapel @ B1

Thu, 9 Jan

9.00am A Tot-ful Morning - Hallelujah @ L3

Fri, 10 Jan

**8.00pm** Healing Ministry - Prayer Chapel @ B1

In Recess

Friday Bible Study, Fellowship of Ukulelians



# Managing church growth @ TMC

Update on 5 January 2020



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:

#### AV Team (Both Traditional Services)

The AV Team plays a vital role in creating and facilitating what is seen and heard at each Service. There is an urgent need for 4 more AV Crew for the 8:00am and 9:45am Traditional Services. It is as easy as pushing a few buttons - the correct ones of course. No prior experience is required, and training will be provided. Press the "Send" button on an email to Joshua Loke (avhead@tmc.org.sg) or approach any of the AV Crew.



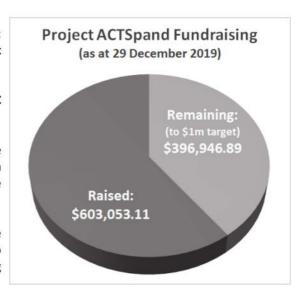
# **FUNDRAISING**

To donate to Project ACTSpand, please:

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

To support a specific campaign, please indicate "ACTSpand (Campaign Name)". Otherwise, just indicate "ACTSpand".

If you have a fundraising idea, please contact Robert Yeo (ryeoch@gmail.com) or Daryl Ong (ong daryl@hotmail.com).



#### **WORSHIP SERVICES**

Sat, 4.30pm Sun, 8.00am

The Saturday Service (Contemporary) **English Service (Traditional)** 

@ Emmanuel Hall, L2

Sun, 9.45am

The Sunday Contemporary Service

@ Emmanuel Hall, L2

Sun, 11:30am

Mandarin Service

@ Sanctuary, L1

@ Sanctuary, L1

Sun, 9:45am

**English Service (Traditional)** 

@ Sanctuary, L1

**Children's Ministry** 

9:45am

@ Hallelujah @ L3

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