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CHURCH THEME 2026:

*A Sabbath Year Of Recalibration And Renewal  
For Flourishing, Fruitful And Sustainable Ministry*

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# WELCOME TO WESLEY

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## **SATURDAY WORSHIP SERVICES | 03 Jan 2026**

- ♦ **Youth Service**  
[On site | Wesley Hall – 2.00pm]  
**Run Well** | Rev Raymond Fong
- ♦ **The Saturday Service**  
[On site | Wesley Hall – 5.00pm]  
**For His Glory** | Rev Gladwin Lee

## **SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES | 04 Jan 2026**

- ♦ **Traditional Worship Services**  
[On site | Sanctuary – 7.30, 9.30, 11.30am and 5.00pm | Live-streamed – 9.30am]  
**Spiritual Blessings In Christ** | Rev Lim Jen Huat
- ♦ **Prayer & Praise Worship Services**  
[On site | Wesley Hall – 9.30 & 11.30am | Live-streamed – 9.30am]  
**For His Glory** | Rev Gladwin Lee
- ♦ **Filipino Worship Service**  
[On site | Plaza Hall – 2.00pm]  
**Zakar** | Rev Michael Tan
- ♦ **Mandarin Ministry Worship Service**  
[On site & Live-streamed | Sanctuary – 2.15pm]  
**当爱无法等待时** | 洪秀琪牧师  
**When Love Couldn't Wait** | Rev Lilian Ang

## **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY**

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## WESLEY METHODIST CHURCH

# TRADITIONAL SERVICES

Wesley Sanctuary 7.30am | 9.30am (Live-streamed) | 11.30am | 5.00pm

**4 January 2026 | EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

Liturgical Colour: White

Lectionary (Year A): Jeremiah 31:7–14, Psalm 147:12–20,  
Ephesians 1:3–14, John 1:1–18

Songs: Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven (UMH 66)

Father, I Thank You

Speak, O Lord

Grace Greater than Our Sin (UMH 365)

My Tribute (UMH 99)

Jesus, the Light of the World (#100)

Sermon: Spiritual Blessings in Christ (Ephesians 1:3–14)

## EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

We begin the new year with the revelation of the Christ child.

**Epiphany is all about light.** The star in the sky leads the magi to Jesus, the light of the world, the revelation of divine love who came to dwell among us.

Let us take a moment to consider the role darkness plays in helping us notice the light—the darkness that helps regulate our sleep-wake rhythms, the darkness that draws us into a state of calm and peace. The magi noticed the star's light in the dark of the night. Darkness is needed to be able to follow the light.

Like the magi, we have wandered over the last year, sometimes across rough terrain and other times over smooth roads, to seek the promise that God is doing a new thing among us. When we renew our covenant together, we commit once again to continue on the path of the Christ child throughout the coming year. We choose to see, hear, touch, smell, and even taste the world around us as bearers and seekers of divine love.

*Adapted from [umcdiscipleship.org](http://umcdiscipleship.org)*

## I. GATHERING

*We gather in the Lord's name weekly to be renewed in our hearts and minds. Our worship of God is a response to his revelation as he reveals his truth to us through Scripture, sermon, prayers and songs.*

### PREPARATION PRAYER

God, you are the host who welcomes us into your presence.  
In your presence we humbly bow.  
Search us, and purify us Lord with your holy Word.  
Mold us and shape us after your will,  
while we are waiting, yielded and still.  
Speak, O Lord, as we prepare our hearts to worship you today.  
Have thine own way, Lord. Have thine own way.  
Amen.

### MEDITATION VERSES

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
who has blessed us in the heavenly realms  
with every spiritual blessing in Christ.

Ephesians 1:3

God chose us in Jesus Christ before the creation of the world  
to be holy and blameless in his sight.

Ephesians 1:4

The LORD sends his command to the earth;  
his word runs swiftly.

He spreads the snow like wool  
and scatters the frost like ashes.

Psalms 147:15–16

The LORD sends his word and melts them, . . .  
He has revealed his word to Jacob,  
his laws and decrees to Israel.

Praise the LORD!

Psalms 147:18a, 19, 20b

### PRELUDE

### GREETING

**L:** May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God the Father,  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**P:** **And also with you.**



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## CALL TO CONFESSION

based on John 1

L: In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

He was with God in the beginning.  
Through him all things were made;  
In him was life, and that life was the light of all mankind.

The Light was in the world, and though the world was made through him,  
the world did not recognize him nor receive him.

Let us confess our sins to God.

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

based on Ephesians 1 and 2

**All:** Holy and Merciful God,  
Because of our sin, you gave your one and only Son to us,  
so that we might become your children, children of God—  
children born not of natural descent, nor of human decision, but born of God.

Yet, many a times, we forget our new identity as children of the Light.  
Our words and deeds reflect that of darkness rather than light,  
stumbling those who have yet known you,  
and hurting those who have already known you,  
our fellow brothers- and sisters-in-Christ,  
whom your Son has died for.

You have chosen us in Christ to be holy and blameless in your sight.  
Forgive us when we chose to gratify the cravings of our flesh.  
You have made us alive in Christ even when we were dead in transgressions.  
It is by grace we have been saved, through your gift of faith,  
not by works, so that no one can boast.

We are your handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works.  
Turn our wavering and rebellious hearts to you once again today,  
Holy and Merciful God.

Forgive us our sins and renew a steadfast spirit in us as one body today.  
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ,  
the head of your church,  
Amen.

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

L: To all who turn from sin in sorrow,  
this is God's Word of grace:  
We are accepted, we are forgiven, we are loved.  
This is the gift we have from God.

**All: Thanks be to God!**

## CALL TO WORSHIP \*

by Dr. Lisa Hancock, 2025

We gather as people looking for the star,  
a sign that God is at work in the world.

**God, help us find your glory.**

We gather as people listening for the whispers of the Spirit,  
hints of the good news in the least likely places.

**God, help us notice your glory.**

We gather as people yearning for Love's presence,  
the assurance that we are not alone and Love will have the last word.

**God, help us encounter your glory.**

On this Epiphany Sunday, may the Light of Love shine among us,  
revealing divine glory through neighbors known and unknown,  
vulnerable children, and unexpected gifts.

**All: God, reveal to us anew the glory of your expansive Love  
that gathers us together and sustains us in loving service  
to one another and all creation.  
Amen.**

## OPENING HYMN \*

**Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven**

UMH 66

PRAYER HYMN

**Father, I Thank You**

Words and Music: Steve Stewart

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1. Father, I thank you for all that you've done.  
You gave your Son freely for me.  
And I praise you for calling me, drawing me near.  
Out of blindness, you caused me to see.
  
2. Spirit of life, you are God's holy fire.  
You've kindled my heart with your blaze.  
And I know you're refining me, changing my life.  
And by faith you're revealing your ways.
  
3. Jesus, I need you as Lord of my life.  
I give all I have unto you.  
Lord, I want to come under your heavenly hand,  
and to praise you in all that I do.

SILENT PRAYER

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**Speak, O Lord**

St. 1a

Words and Music: Keith Getty and Stuart Townend

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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.  
Amen.

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

**II. SERMON**

Sermon Title	Spiritual Blessings in Christ
Scripture Text	Ephesians 1:3–14
Speaker	Rev Lim Jen Huat

III. WE RESPOND IN PRAYER, SHARING, AND GIVING

*We respond to God's Word through (a) praying for the church and the world, (b) sharing of God's peace with one another (2 Cor 13:11, Gal 5:13) after having received the peace of Christ, and after having made peace with one another; (c) offering to God our tithes and gifts (Matt 5:24), as a response to Christ's sacrificial offering (Eph 5:2, 1 Pet 2:5).*

PRAYER

Prayers of the People

THE APOSTLES' CREED, ECUMENICAL VERSION

UMH 882

RITUAL FOR HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation

Confession and Pardon

Exchange of Peace

The Great Thanksgiving (spoken responses)

The Lord's Prayer (ASAS)

Giving the Bread and Cup     **Grace Greater than Our Sin**

UMH 365

SHARING

Welcome

Family News

GIVING

Offertory Prayer

Tithes and Gifts to God

7.30am	A New Year Dawns with Grace and Hope Words: Jon Paige and Jonathan Martin Tune: ELLACOMBE; Arranged by Jon Paige and Brad Nix © 2015 by Hal Leonard-Milwin Music Corp.	<i>Dawnbreakers</i>
9.30am	The Meditations of My Heart Words: based on Psalm 19:14 Music: Elaine Hagenberg © 2017 Beckenhorst Press, Inc.	<i>John Wesley Choir</i>
11.30am	Jesus Is the Living Stone Words: adapted from 1 Peter 2:4-8 Music: Mary McDonald © 2010 Lorenz Publishing Company	<i>Wesley Chorale</i>
5.00pm	Look at the World Words and Music: John Rutter © 1996 Oxford University Press	<i>Wesley Heralds</i>



Communion Offering to  
The Methodist Schools  
[Fairfield Methodist (Secondary), Anglo-Chinese School (Primary)  
and Anglo-Chinese School (Junior)]

Doxology \*

**My Tribute**

UMH 99

#### IV. SENDING FORTH

*Having been renewed in our hearts and minds, we are to go forth into the world as Christ's ambassadors in the ministry of reconciliation.*

CLOSING HYMN \*

#### Jesus, the Light of the World

St. 1–3

Words: St. 1 and 2 by Charles Wesley (1707-1788), P.D.,

St. 3 and 4 by Alan J. Hommerding

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Music: George D. Elderkin © 2000 GIA Publications, Inc.

1. Hark the herald angels sing.

Jesus, the Light of the world.

Glory to the newborn King.

Jesus, the Light of the world.

2. Hail, the heaven-born Prince of Peace.

Jesus, the Light of the world.

Hail, the Sun of righteousness!

Jesus, the Light of the world.

#### Refrain

We'll walk in the Light, beautiful Light.

Come where the dew-drops of mercy shine bright.

Oh, shine all around us by day and by night.

Jesus, the Light of the world.

3. Help us shine for all to see.

Jesus, the Light of the world.

As we follow faithfully

Jesus, the Light of the world. (Refrain 2x)

BENEDICTION \*

Visit <https://wesleymc.org/wm/resources> for the newer songs covered.

<b>4 JANUARY 2025 WORSHIP SERVICE TEAMS</b>				
	<b>7.30am</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>11.30am</b>	<b>5.00pm</b>
<b>Preacher</b>	Rev Lim Jen Huat			
<b>Congregational Pastor</b>	Rev Chia Chin Nam	Rev Lilian Ang	Rev Lilian Ang	Rev Chia Chin Nam
<b>Worship Leader</b>	Henry Tan	Celine Sia	Alvin Tay	Aw Choon Hui
<b>Conductor</b>	Samuel Wong	Samantha Chong	Belynda Tan	Kenny Chua
<b>Choir</b>	Dawnbreakers	John Wesley Choir	Wesley Chorale	Wesley Heralds
<b>Pianist</b>	Tan Suat Kian	Dabria Yiong	Cheong Sook Fun	Aaron Goh
<b>Organist</b>	Joanna Low	Evelyn Lim	Susan Lee	Lee Shea Lin
<b>Sound</b>	Keefe Quek	Ho Han Ming	Edwin Tan Elaine Lee	William Chan
<b>Slides</b>	Loh Wai Meng	Lee Shin	Lim Cheng Hee	Ho Yee Kwong
<b>Camera</b>	Wong Chi Kong	Cheng Kang Lim	Chris Chua	Cheah Lulu
<b>Live-streaming</b>	N.A.	Vanessa Wee James Phoen	N.A.	N.A.
<b>Head Usher</b>	Lawrence Koh	Leong Wing Kong	Peter Chow	Alan Lam
<b>Congregational PTM</b>	Victor Chan Trixie Chin	Chow Yuen Peng Eddy Chan Felix Yeo	Alvena Khoo Jabez Fong Kayyona Lim	Gerhardine Foo Kevyn Lai Tina Khoo
<b>Service Manager</b>	Serene Teo	Serene Teo	Serene Teo	Dorcas Kwok
<b>Floral Arrangers</b>	Chia Pee Keng (Leader), Hedy Lim, Koh Eng Kie, Michelle Lim, Sheila Ho, Shirley Quek, Tan Siang Hoon			

# Prayer & Praise Service

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## INTO HIS PRESENCE

PRE-SERVICE PRAYER

## CELEBRATE GOD'S MIGHTY ACTS!

WORSHIP THROUGH SONGS OF PRAISE

Sing and worship in the Spirit focusing our minds on Jesus,

... with all our hearts to the Lord,

... with freedom.

Let everything that has breath PRAISE THE LORD!

## CORPORATE PRAYER

### ONE IN CHRIST

SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

### FOR YOU ALONE, GOD!

PRESENTATION OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERING

2ND/COMMUNION OFFERING for The Methodist Schools

### DOXOLOGY

**To God Be The Glory, To God Be The Glory**

To God Be The Glory For The Things He Has Done

With His Blood He Has Saved Me

With His Power He Has Raised Me

To God Be The Glory For The Things He Has Done

### GOD'S WORD FOR US

TSS Sat 5.00pm,

P&P Sun 9.30am & 11.30am

**Ephesians 1:3-4**

### SERMON

TSS Sat 5.00pm,

P&P Sun 9.30am & 11.30am

**For His Glory**

**Rev Gladwin Lee**

### YES, LORD!

SONG OF RESPONSE

### HOLY COMMUNION

### BENEDICTION

**SERVICE LEADER/CONGREGATIONAL PASTOR/HOLY COMMUNION CELEBRANT**

TSS Sat 5.00pm  
P&P Sun 9.30am & 11.30am

Rev Ian Lee  
Rev Ian Lee

**CONGREGATIONAL STAFF**

TSS Sat 5.00pm  
P&P Sun 9.30am & 11.30am

Loke Ai Mei  
Jabez Fong, Jairus Thomas & Rebecca Yong

**SERVICE COORDINATOR**

TSS Sat 5.00pm  
P&P Sun 9.30am & 11.30am

Suzanne Yong  
Matthew Peter

**WORSHIP TEAM**

TSS Sat 5.00pm  
P&P Sun 9.30am & 11.30am

Glenn Chung, TSS Band  
Ngai Qian Li, P&P Band

**TSS COMMUNITY BUILDERS/P&P HOSPITALITY TEAM IN-CHARGE**

TSS Sat 5.00pm  
P&P Sun 9.30am  
P&P Sun 11.30am

Chia Shi Jin & Charmaine Lim  
Amberle Ann Lee & Feyone Ng  
Irene Tan & Karin Xiao

**TSS COMMUNITY BUILDERS/P&P HOSPITALITY TEAM**

TSS Sat 5.00pm

Cynthia Goh, Ernest Yeo,  
Koh Kian Wee & Perry Lau  
Ade Olopade, Anya Ho,  
Chen Siu Ming, Cherie Ong,  
Chia Nyook Kheun, Eagle Bala,  
Eric Ang, Janice Ong,  
Joanne Lo, Lee Chee Soon,  
Tabitha Tan & Yvette Yeo  
Alvin Lim, Aquila Tan,  
Chloe De Souza, Edbert Koh,  
Edwin Ho, Howie Jiang,  
Irene Koh, Jasmine Tan,  
Kelly Chan, Maureen Chua,  
Pollyana De Souza, Roger Samuel  
& Tan Huimin

P&P Sun 9.30am

P&P Sun 11.30am

**TECHNICAL TEAM**

TSS Sat 5.00pm  
Service/Stage Manager  
Sound Crew  
Lights Crew  
Projectionist

Justin Chia  
James Tan  
Amos Chua  
Rachel Wee & Stephanie Cen

P&P Sun 9.30am & 11.30am

Service Manager  
Sound  
Video Director  
Video/Camera Crew

Joel Ng  
Andrew Leong & Rafael Lam  
Audrey Woon  
Alistair Cen, Amelia Sweet,  
Desmond Seah, Donny Tan  
& Yong Wei Hong  
Elaine Lim & Gabriel Chan  
Asher Ang & Rieman Tang  
Cassie Heng  
Andrew Lim & Kim Carter

Livestream Crew  
Lights Crew  
Projectionist  
Stage Crew

**WESLEY DEAF MINISTRY**

TSS Sat 5.00pm

Nicole Tong, Ysabelle Ho  
& Mathilda Soh  
David Tan & Melody Lim

P&P Sun 9.30am

**HOLY COMMUNION STEWARDS**

TSS Sat 5.00pm

Caroline Ong, Abigail Huang,  
Doris Hui, Jeff Lim,  
Jocelyn Teo, Loke Ai Mei,  
Lee Chong Ding, Pauline Ong,  
Philip Yuen & James Tan  
Janice Ong, Kee Yang Woon,  
Adriel Loh, Frances Ann Lines,  
Joanna Ting, Tong Ting,  
Alex Lai, Joyce Lo,  
Alvin Chia, Henry Lim  
& Bobby Tay  
Charis Lim, Lydia Lim,  
Carole Pang, Nij Mahendra,  
Grace Mui, Monica Yan,  
Joy Chan, Wai Lup Chan,  
Chris Tan & Eric Ang

P&P Sun 9.30am

P&P Sun 11.30am

**ALTAR MINISTRY**

TSS Sat 5.00pm

Christopher Tham, Ernest Choo  
& Yulia Jomono  
Bobby Tay & Julie Seet

P&P Sun 9.30am & 11.30am

**SONG OF THE QUARTER****Hallelujah For The Cross**

CCLI # 7107551

Ben Glover, Chris McClarney and Jeff Pardo

This declarative song speaks of what we are most thankful and grateful for – which is the sacrifice made on the cross. Isn't it amazing that our God who created everything in the universe actually knows who we are, and would even go so far to give His only son to die on the cross for us? Hope that we will be blessed by the lyrics which reflect themes of healing, mercy and redemption.

**Remember Christ**

CCLI # 7254088

Ben Fielding, David Ware, Reuben Morgan

"For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until He comes." 1 Corinthians 11:26

This verse is at the heart of why we selected "Remember Christ" by CXMMXNS as our Song of the Quarter. The Apostle Paul reminds the Church that every time we participate in the Lord's Supper, we are not only remembering Jesus, but we are also proclaiming Him.

This proclamation is not just a silent act but a bold declaration of faith, hope, and allegiance to Christ, for all that He has done for us, giving Himself fully that we may be clothed with His righteousness.

This song is simple yet powerful and captures our remembrance of the sacraments in thankfulness, beautifully giving us a way to respond in worship.

May this song not only be a reflection but a bold declaration each time we sing "remember Christ," we are preaching the gospel to ourselves and one another.

We declare His death, His love, His sacrifice, and the promise of His return.

3 Jan

**Rev Gladwin Lee**

10 Jan

**Rev Raymond Fong**

17 Jan

**Rev Ian Lee**



**The Saturday Service**  
Saturdays, 5.00pm  
Wesley Hall



# 华语主日崇拜 Mandarin Worship Service

程序表 Order Of Service | 04.01.2026 | 2.30pm | 卫斯理礼堂 Wesley Hall

会前祷告 Pre-Service Prayer

崇拜前的公告片 Pre-Service Slides

宣召 Call to Worship

赞美敬拜 Praise & Worship

牧祷 Pastoral Prayer

圣餐 Holy Communion

奉献 Offering

奉献诗 Offering Song

三一颂 Doxology

欢迎及彼此问安 Welcome & Sharing Of God's Peace

证道 Sermon:

当爱无法等待时 | 洪秀琪牧师

When Love Couldn't Wait | Rev Lilian Ang

回应诗歌 Song of Response

家讯 Family News

主祷文(颂唱) The Lord's Prayer (Sung)

祝福 Benediction



## 我们的使命

在卫理公会卫斯理堂，  
我们以敬爱神，  
以与信徒彼此相爱，  
以爱邻舍如爱自己，  
在主耶稣基督里荣耀神。

## 华文事工

活动		日期与时间	地点	带领
主日崇拜 Sunday Worship Service		星期日下午2点30分	卫斯理礼堂	洪秀琪牧师/ 谢明峰传道
每日读经【生命之粮】 Daily Bible Reading “Spiritual Food”		星期日 下午1点15分- 2点15分	3楼礼堂	华文事工 各领袖
华文儿童事工 MM Children’s Ministry		星期日下午2点30分	2楼礼堂	刘燕霞姐妹
喜乐欢唱 Joyful Singing		每月第一个周日 下午4点15分- 5点15分	B2底层1号课室	谢明峰传道
小组团契交流 Small Group Fellowship		每月第二及第四个 星期日 下午4点 - 4点45分	B2底层课室及 3楼课室	各小组组长
幸福小组团契交流 Happiness Group Fellowship		每月第三个星期日 下午4点 - 5点15分	B2底层3号及4号 课室	谢明峰传道
祷告会 Prayer	同心同步祷告会 Synchronised Prayer	每晚8点 - 9点	各自家里	各领袖及 小组组长
	联合祷告会 Wesley Prayer Service (Online)	每月第一个星期三 晚8点	ZOOM 平台	牧师
	华语线上祷告会 Mandarin Prayer Service (Online)	每月第二及第四个 星期三 晚8点	ZOOM 平台	方希恩主席 / 符威利弟兄

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## THE PRAYER BEFORE HE LEAVES

JOHN 17

### TRADITIONAL SERVICES

28 Dec 2025

### The Prayer Before He Leaves

Rev Adrian Ng | John 17

**Summary** | "Now this is eternal life: that they know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom You have sent." (v3)

The longest prayer by Jesus as recorded in John 17 reveals what was fundamentally crucial to Him before He was betrayed and crucified. It should cause us, as we end the year, to reflect on how we are to worship Immanuel in whose loving, compassionate presence we have received mercy and every good thing.

**Jesus Prayed for His Disciples (v6-19)** – They were precious to Him for they belonged to His Father who had entrusted them to Him to groom and grow as His disciples and missionaries. Having spent much time with Jesus, they were closest to Him and understood His Ministry. As they would remain in a hostile world that rejects His Word, Jesus asked His Father to protect them from the evil one so that none will be lost. Jesus prayed empowerment over His disciples who had accepted and obeyed His teachings as coming from the Father. He prayed for them to remain lovingly united as one, to be led always by God's truth and only His truth – which would sanctify them to continue the unfinished work of outreach He had for them.

Everything we have comes from God to glorify His name and to partner Christ in furthering God's eternal kingdom. Covered with God's sanctifying love, we are protected and enabled to serve as one people in His church with joyful perseverance – so that many more may come to experience the love of Christ. The discipleship of sharpening and supporting one another at Wesley has been fruitful. Over the years, many within her walls and outside have been encouraged with Hope through opportunities to worship, listen to faith talks, and be equipped with skills training. Migrant workers, seniors, shut-ins, incarcerated inmates, the diversely needy, lost and least in society, here and in neighbouring countries, have been blessed to belong and believe in Christ as Saviour of the World. Jesus continues to pray for His disciples today in ministries that embody the Great Commission – including Witness & Evangelism, Christian Outreach & Social Concerns, Missions, Crisis Relief, Alpha, Creative Expressions, Sports, Hospitality, and Marketplace Ministries.

**Jesus Prayed for All Believers (v20-26)** – This prayer segment reveals the Lord's heartbeat for all believers in His community. He desired for them to

- Remain united as one church – Having received the Good News from His disciples, believers today can take the next step to follow after Christ with thankful hearts. With the Father's love in them, they too can make God's house of worship at Wesley a welcoming, missional and caring community, sited on a hill to shine His light upon the city. Jesus prayed for every abiding believer to be with Him in heaven. This same prayer applies to us today.

- Continue to make God's love known through the way they love one another – Abiding in Christ, believers grow to love each other with the Father's love in them. Caring friendships build over time when they participate actively as a congregation. Through faithful worship and personal discipleship, they too will be in 'complete unity' – and the world will see and know that the Father who sent His beloved Son loves them with that same love.

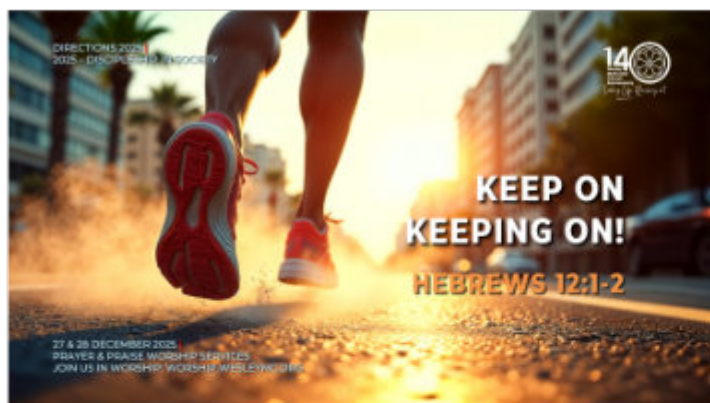
**Jesus Prayed for Himself (v1-5)** – The Son brought glory to the Father by finishing the work He was given to do on earth. By His authority, miracles, signs and wonders many who were in His presence found God and were transformed. Jesus prayed to be glorified in His Father's presence with the glory given Him before the creation of the world! He prayed for the Father's protection as He embarked on His next step of obedience to the cross. His profound intimate relationship with His Father and constant prayers clearly show He was faithfully fulfilling the will of His Father.

By God's infinite grace and protection, we become faithful witnesses and living testimonies of His transforming power and miraculous interventions in our lives. Following in Jesus' model of prayer, we too can bring our personal petitions and thanksgiving to God. May our prayers now and in the new year lead us to

- Reflect on God's amazing love
- Recommit our living for Jesus
- Be sanctified by His Word
- Desire that others will know we are Christians by our love for God and one another, and be led to receive eternal life by knowing the only true God through Jesus Christ

(Sermon notes by Marjorie Tan)





## PRAYER & PRAISE WORSHIP SERVICES

27 & 28 Dec 2025

### Keep On Keeping On!

Rev Benjamin Lau | Hebrews 12:1-2

**Summary** | An avid runner, Pastor Ben began by sharing his experience completing a full marathon 15 years ago. What sustained him through the long race was a simple yet powerful resolve: keep on keeping on. Hebrews 12:1-2, which he memorised and wrote on his bib, reminded him that life is more like a marathon than a sprint.

The journey of life and faith requires mental, physical, emotional, and spiritual endurance. Along the way, there are moments of joy and celebration, but also seasons of discouragement and sorrow. What keeps us going when the road feels long and uncertain is fixing our eyes on the right prize – Jesus. He reminded the church: “We persevere not by our own strength, but by God’s grace.” As the church enters a new season, four lessons from Hebrews 12:1-2 were shared to help us run well.

#### 1. KNOW the Race Marked Out for Us (v.1b)

The first question we must ask is whether we are running the right race. It is possible to be very busy and expend much energy, yet move in the wrong direction. As Thomas Merton observed, many spend their lives climbing the ladder of success only to discover it is leaning against the wrong wall. None of us wants to reach the end and realise we have pursued the wrong finishing line. The choices we make each day; what we say “yes” to and what we say “no” to, shape the path we walk and determine the race we are truly running.

Jesus has clearly marked out this race. In Matthew 28:18-20, Jesus commissions all His followers, not just church leaders, to make disciples of all nations. We run under His authority and with His promised presence. It is not a solo effort, nor an attempt to prove ourselves to God, but a response of obedience to His call. Once we are clear about the race God has set before us, the challenge becomes learning how to keep going when the journey grows long, tiring, and discouraging, and when we are tempted to slow down or give up.

#### 2. LOOK at the Champions of Faith (v.1a)

Hebrews 12:1 begins, “Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses. . . .” One way we grow in perseverance is by learning from the godly men and women who have gone before us. Hebrews 11, often called the “Hall of Faith,” records ordinary people in Noah, Abraham, Sarah, Moses, and others who trusted an extraordinary God and were commended for their faith, even though they did not receive all that was promised. This was likened to running a marathon, where many runners “hit the wall” and feel exhausted. During Pastor Ben’s own race, as he passed Marina Barrage and heard the cheers of the crowd, he was reminded of this “great cloud of witnesses”; the saints of the past cheering us on to keep running.

Scripture was given to encourage us. Romans 15:4 reminds us that what was written before was meant to teach us endurance and give us hope. We learn not only from the saints of old, but also from faithful believers today. God has placed godly men and women around us to encourage us and model Christlikeness. Pastor Ben gave thanks for the many “champions of faith” in Wesley Methodist Church; leaders, staff, volunteers, small group leaders, and faithful members whose quiet, sacrificial service inspires us to keep running and spur one another on.

#### 3. LAY Aside Every Hindrance (v.1b)

Hebrews 12:1 calls us to “throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles.” To run well, we must examine our lives honestly: what distractions, habits, or sins are slowing us or drawing us away from God? Just as athletes carefully manage their training and diet, we must be intentional about what we allow into our lives. As we prepare for the coming year, we need to reprioritise our time and lay aside anything that hinders our walk with God. Where there is sin, we are invited to confess it and receive God’s forgiveness and cleansing (1 John 1:9).

True surrender means depending on God, not ourselves. The Wesley Covenant Prayer, often prayed during Watch Night Services; “I am no longer my own, but Yours. . . .” expresses a life fully surrendered to Him.

#### 4. FIX Our Eyes on Jesus (v.2a)

Finally, we are called to fix our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith. He is both the starting point and the finishing goal of our race. Like a runner focusing on markers along the route, we keep going by continually fixing our gaze on Christ.

Jesus endured far more than any hero of faith and faithfully completed the work God gave Him. Challenges in life are inevitable, but the key question is whether we look at ourselves or to Jesus when they come. As the Chief Shepherd, He alone leads us to eternal hope and shows us how to live as faithful disciples.

#### Parting Words

This was Pastor Ben’s final sermon at Wesley Methodist Church before moving to Living Waters Methodist Church. He expressed deep gratitude to the Wesley family; his home church where he and his children were baptised and nurtured in faith. He thanked all who supported him and his wife, Claire, through his calling and service. Reflecting on his time in the NextGen ministry, he noted that true ministry depends on keeping our eyes on Jesus, not on our own strength.

As he prepares to serve a smaller congregation with a large student mission field at ACS(I), he acknowledged the uncertainties ahead but trusted in God’s perfect plan. He will miss Wesley, a church of “champions of faith,” and looks forward to seeing how God continues His work there.

His final encouragement: fix your eyes on the Chief Shepherd, be strong and courageous, and trust in God’s abiding presence. This is not goodbye, but until we meet again.

(Sermon notes by Alex Choe)





## TRADITIONAL SERVICES

4 Jan 2026

### Spiritual Blessings In Christ

Rev Lim Jen Huat | Ephesians 1:3-4

#### Reflection Questions

1. Read Eph. 1:3-14. What are the different spiritual blessings in Christ?
2. Briefly re-cap the key points in the sermon. Must one be led to say the 'sinner's prayer' and be baptised to be 'in Christ'?
3. Which point in the sermon speaks to your situation?
4. Describe expressions/examples of living for the praise of God's glory.



## PRAYER & PRAISE WORSHIP SERVICES

3 & 4 Jan 2026

### For His Glory

Rev Gladwin Lee | Ephesians 1:3-4

#### Reflection Questions

##### 1. Study Scripture

- a. What repeated phrases or ideas stand out to you in this passage (Ephesians 1:3-14)?
- b. How does Paul describe the work of the Father, Son, and Spirit?
- c. How does this passage shape your understanding of God's glory?

##### 2. Recall Sermon

- a. Which part of the Triune work (Father, Son, Spirit) felt most personally meaningful?
- b. How did the idea of "habits to embrace" and "habits to resist" resonate with you?

##### 3. Relate Personally

- a. Recall the various ways God's purpose S.E.E.P. out of us. Share about an area of your life where you notice God's purpose SEEP-ing out of you.
- b. How is your current season of life shaped by your current habits?
  - i. Which spiritual habit currently helps you live "to the praise of His glory"?
  - ii. Which habit or pattern in your life tends to pull you away from living in grace?

##### 4. Commit to Action

- a. What is one habit of grace you want to embrace this week?
- b. What is one habit you sense God inviting you to resist or release?
- c. Who can walk with you or encourage you in this commitment to live more fully for God's glory?

# ANNOUNCEMENTS



## SERVICES

on Saturdays and Sundays

(18 MONTHS – 10 YEAR OLDS)

For enquiries, email: [cmteam@wesleymc.org](mailto:cmteam@wesleymc.org)



## SATURDAY

5.00pm CM@TSS

(Combined Age Groups)

Wesley Hall

## SUNDAY

### 9.30am Services

Primary 3 – 4 (9 – 10 yo)	L2 Hall & Classrooms
Primary 1 – 2 (7 – 8 yo)	L3 Hall & Classrooms
Kinders & Nursery (3 – 6 yo)	Plaza Hall
Little Lambs (18 mo – 2 yo)	BR 1 / 2

### 11.30am Services

Primary 3 – 4 (9 – 10 yo)	L2 Hall & Classrooms
Primary 1 – 2 (7 – 8 yo)	L3 Hall & Classrooms
Kinders, Nursery & Little	Plaza Hall
Lambs (18 mo – 6 yo)	

### 5.00pm Services

Big Fish Primary 1 – 4 (7 – 10 yo)	L3 Hall & Classrooms
Small Fish Kinders, Nursery & Little	L2 Hall & Classrooms
Lambs (18 mo – 6 yo)	
PSCom (For Special Friends)	Plaza Hall



## DIS\* Conversation Series

*\*Discipleship in Society*



EPISODE 1: Loneliness



EPISODE 2: A Fulfilling Journey - Faith, Ageing, and Purpose



Spotify



LISTEN ON



Apple Podcasts

<https://wesley.sg/wesleypodcast-spotify>

<https://wesley.sg/wesleypodcast-apple>





*Bible*  
READING  
DRIVE  
— 2026 —

## Bible Reading Drive 2026 is Here!

Start the new year rooted in God's Word. The Bible Reading Drive 2026 is now ready and available on our website!

Visit **[wesleymc.org/brd2026](https://wesleymc.org/brd2026)** or scan the QR Code to access the reading plan.



Let us grow in our spiritual formation together through the reading, reflecting and application of God's Word in our lives.

## Prayer Ministry

Join Us For Our Monthly  
Online Prayer Meeting at

# Wesley Prayer Service

A time for us to come together  
in faith, fellowship and to grow  
as a praying Community.

DATE:

**7 Jan, 4 Feb, 2 Sep & 4 Nov 2026**  
(First Wednesday of the Month)

TIME:

**8pm to 9pm**

PLATFORM:

**Zoom**



"...pray continually... for this is God's will for you  
in Christ Jesus." 1 Thessalonians 5:17-18 (NIV)



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## WESLEY SYNCHRONISED PRAYER

Prayer binds us in unity as we seek the Lord together as a Wesley family. Let's set  
aside this time as part of our intentional discipleship to grow in faith through  
synchronised prayer. May the Lord be glorified in and through our intercession!

May the Lord continue to bless our times of prayer together.

Pastor Raymond

**DATE**  
**Every Wednesday.**

(Except the first Wednesday of  
every month)

**TIME**  
**8.00pm to 9.00pm**

**PLACE – ONLINE**

**Wesleyans, let's pray together as a Church.**  
Each week, at the appointed time let us pray for our  
spiritual health as children of God.

**Focusing on:**



**Growing in Christ**



**Sharing Christ**



**Serving Christ**

Here's how to be a part of  
**WESLEY'S SYNCHRONISED PRAYER:**

### 1 RECEIVE THE PRAYER POINTERS

Every Wednesday at noon, Prayer Ministry will send out prayer pointers for  
the day, through Wesley's Telegram Channel ([wesleymc.org/telegram](https://www.wesleymc.org/telegram)).

The prayer pointers will also be available on our church's prayer page:  
[wesleymc.org/prayer-needs](https://www.wesleymc.org/prayer-needs).

### 2 JOIN OR FORM A GROUP

Join your Small Group, Bible study, ministry team, or form a group with  
your family & friends (3-10 persons) online. If you wish to join a SG to pray,  
please contact the SGM team using this form: [wesleymc.org/joinsg](https://www.wesleymc.org/joinsg).

### 3 PRAY TOGETHER

From 8pm to 9pm, gather in your groups online (using platforms such as  
Microsoft Teams, Skype, Zoom, etc.) and use the prayer pointers provided.

- For information and prayer requests, please visit the Prayer Needs page:  
[wesleymc.org/prayer-needs](https://www.wesleymc.org/prayer-needs)
- Join Wesley's Telegram channel here: [wesleymc.org/telegram](https://www.wesleymc.org/telegram)





**Wesley Methodist Church**  
Welcoming | Missional | Caring

## A LIGHT ON THE HILL — A CHURCH IN THE CITY

# VISION 2035

A welcoming church in the city, making disciples, building godly families and caring communities to serve God's mission to the least, last and lost.

Vision 2035 is Wesley Methodist Church's 10-year journey to become a **welcoming, missional, and caring** church in the heart of Singapore. Guided by God, we seek to make disciples, build godly families, and nurture caring communities to serve the least, the last, and the lost.

### OUR SPIRITUAL HOME

By 2035, we envision Wesley Methodist Church as a spiritual home — a place where lives are transformed, faith is deepened, and all are welcome.



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### 4 STRATEGIC THRUSTS

1. Discipleship of Generations
2. Create an Open Church of Welcome and Hospitality
3. Intentional Outreach through Social Concerns and Missions
4. Create and acquire space for disciple-making, growth and community-building

### Our Shared Journey

Vision 2035 is not just a roadmap — it's a shared journey. As God leads us into the next decade, every member of Wesley Methodist Church is invited to take part in building His Kingdom through faithful partnership.

#### PRAY

Join us in seeking His face, resting in His grace, and journeying forward in His strength. Let us be a people who pray—daily, dependently, and expectantly—as we build towards Vision 2035. *"Unless the Lord builds the house, the builders labour in vain." — Psalm 127:1a*

#### SERVE

Together, let us be the hands and feet of our Lord. Whether it's discipling someone, proclaiming the gospel, or loving the least and the last, let us serve Christ with compassion and conviction. *"Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for Me." — Matthew 25:40*

#### GIVE

As we have been blessed, let us give generously and joyfully—towards the work of God and the vision He has placed before us. *"It is more blessed to give than to receive." — Acts 20:35*

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT:  
<https://vision.wesleymc.org>





## VISION 2035



### REDEVELOPMENT: BUILDING FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS

Since the first service was held in the original English 14th-century styled church building on Christmas Day 1908, Wesley Methodist Church has undergone several chapters of renewal and redevelopment — each one a faithful response to God's leading and the needs of His people. Today, as part of Vision 2035, we look ahead to another chapter: the proposed redevelopment of our church premises.

This redevelopment is not just about buildings — it's about creating space for disciple-making, community life, and spiritual growth. It is a continuation of our calling to be a Welcoming, Missional, and Caring Church in the heart of the city.

#### Why Redevelopment?

- Our current facilities are fully utilised, especially on weekends.
- We need more space to disciple, gather, and grow.
- Parts of our premises, like the Tower Block (built in 1979), need major repairs.
- We hope to bring all generations — including our NextGen Ministries — back to worship onsite.
- We envision Wesley as a House of Prayer every day, and a beacon of hope in the city.

#### A Glimpse Of The Future

The artist's impressions illustrate how the redeveloped church may look. It offers a visual glimpse into the possibilities of a renewed spiritual home — one that is welcoming, future-ready, and rooted in our mission.



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#### Vision 2035 Fund

The Vision 2035 Fund is our faith-driven initiative to secure the financial resources needed to become the church God is calling us to be. It will support the redevelopment and/or Additions & Alterations (A&A) of our church premises. We are also seeking to acquire the triangular plot of land beside the church, which will increase our Gross Floor Area (GFA) and allow us to expand our existing premises.

Your giving to the Vision 2035 Fund will help lay the foundation for a church that continues to shine Christ's Light on the Hill, in the heart of the City. We invite you to prayerfully consider partnering in this mission — so that lives may be transformed, communities built, and Christ glorified.

## HOW YOU MAY GIVE

FOR DETAILS AND INSTRUCTIONS, PLEASE VISIT:  
<https://vision.wesleymc.org/fund>







Wesley  
METHODIST CHURCH

# ART ON THE HILL

Calling all art lovers in Wesley. Come connect and engage our community with friendship, love and hope through Wesley's art outreach ministry called

## 'Art On The Hill'

**Friday 23 Jan, 2.00pm at Plaza Hall.**

- The medium will be Mixed Media.
- Materials will be provided.
- If you wish to art jam on your own, please bring your art materials.
- Coffee and tea will be available.
- Fee: S\$5.00 per person (*non-refundable*)

Register via this link: <https://wesley.sg/aoth1>  
or scan the QR code by **18 Jan.**



For more information, please contact Sally at [sallya@wesleymc.org](mailto:sallya@wesleymc.org)

*If you are a student or staff working in any arts schools or arts faculties, please contact us. We are excited to work with you!*





## SGL CONNECT 2026

Calling all SGLs, ASGLs and SG Core Team Members!

Come for a meaningful night of worship, sharing, prayer, and fellowship as we seek God's vision for 2026 and take intentional steps to be more welcoming, deepen discipleship, and disciple others.

sign up now: [wesley.sg/sglconnect](https://wesley.sg/sglconnect)

**29 Jan (Thu) | 7.30-9.45pm | Wesley Hall**

Registration Closing Date: 18 Jan (Sun)

Dinner starts at 6.30pm

Cost: FOC (However, as good stewards and to prevent wastage, No-show payment would apply if you ordered dinner)



For further enquiries, please contact Jairus Thomas at [smallgroup@wesleymc.org](mailto:smallgroup@wesleymc.org)

**Dear brothers-in-Christ**

**The Men's Gathering is now happening monthly. Join us on the first Saturday of every month for a time of refreshing worship, reflection on God's Word and authentic group sharing as we encourage each other in the faith.**

**Be blessed as you come and bring another brother along!**

**Dates:** Feb 7, Mar 7, Apr 17-18 (Retreat),  
May 2, Jun 6, Jul 4, Aug 1, Sep 5,  
Oct 3, Nov 7 & Dec 5

**Time:** 8.30 to 10.30am (except for Retreat)

**Venue:** Plaza Hall

## MEN'S GATHERING

Envision . Encourage . Empower



**Don't miss this opportunity to grow stronger together in faith and fellowship!**

**Sign up for our next gathering now:**

Date: **7 Feb 2026 (Sat)**

Time: **8.30 to 10.30am**

Location: **Plaza Hall**

Register via this link / QR Code:

<https://wesley.sg/mensgathering7feb>





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**CORE SERIES**

# Rhythm & Resistance:

# Why we are Sabbath People

## SYNOPSIS:

### Session 1:

- 7s and the 7th day ideal
- Sabbath as Rhythm

### Session 2:

- Sabbath as Resistance

Human life was created by God to move in His rhythms—of work and rest, creation and renewal. Yet in a world driven by endless productivity, these sacred rhythms are easily forgotten.

This course invites us to rediscover the Sabbath as both a divine gift and an act of holy resistance. Together, we'll explore how the Sabbath forms us into a people who live differently—attuned to the rhythm woven into the fabric of creation and covenant, and shaped by a countercultural practice that resists the tyranny of busyness, consumerism, and exploitation.

Lecturer: Rev Ian Lee

Dates: Sat, 24 & 31 Jan 2026

Time: 9am to 12pm

Venue: Plaza Hall



**Ian** has been a Methodist Pastor for the last 12 years. In his own journey, he's struggled with insomnia and burnout, making the topic of Sabbath one that is very close to his heart. In 2023, he graduated from Regent College, Vancouver with a Master of Arts, focusing on Old Testament studies.

Please register at

<https://wesley.sg/coreseries>

Registration will be closed when it has reached its maximum capacity.



For more information or enquiries, please contact [discipleshipnurture@wesleymc.org](mailto:discipleshipnurture@wesleymc.org)



# CHRISTIAN BELIEVER

## Knowing God with Heart and Mind



- *Have you ever found it challenging to explain your faith?*
- *Do you wish to better understand your Christian belief?*

**CHRISTIAN BELIEVER**, a study of Christian doctrines, that is, what the church believes and teaches, may assist in deepening your understanding of the Christian faith.

The Christian Believer study

- focuses on classical teachings of the Christian faith, presenting and interpreting them in a way that participants can understand through the use of words, symbols and hymns
- draws on Scripture to receive what God has revealed
- read and study historical creeds, prayers, hymns and selected writings from several Christian authors like Augustine, Karl Barth, John Calvin, Martin Luther and John Wesley
- Your key texts are the Bible, Study Manual and Book of Readings (which comprises key statements of Christian writings from theologians and church council).

### Requirements

- Although you will be reading Scripture, this is NOT strictly Bible Study. This is a study of biblical doctrines that requires a good understanding of the Bible.
- Eligible participants are expected to have graduated from **a minimum of 3 DISCIPLE Bible Study phases**.
- 32 Weekly Sessions via ZOOM
- Be prepared to commit at least 45 minutes each day, six days a week, for reading and studying, taking notes and prayer.
- Your key texts are the Bible, Study Manual and Book of Readings (which comprises key statements of Christian writings from theologians and church council).

Here are what some participants have said about this course:

*The Christian Believer Course (CBC) is a fantastic programme, perfectly suited for those who have completed the Disciple 1-4 series and are seeking to deepen their faith by knowing God with both heart and mind. CBC provides participants with a sound and substantial understanding of the core beliefs that the Church confesses. This is a deep dive into the faith we claim to know and to follow. I was truly blessed by my journey through the CBC programme. My heartfelt thanks go to all my dedicated facilitators in leading our group through this transformative 35-week journey.* — **TAN WAH YUAN**

*The Christian Believer course has been a deeply meaningful journey for me. Over these 34 sessions, I've gained much greater clarity in the doctrines of the Christian faith, and it has helped to build a stronger foundation for what I believe and why I believe it. It was rigorous work each week — going through more than 600 readings from the Bible and writings of theologians. Yet through this, I came to appreciate how even great men and women of faith wrestled to understand the mysteries of God — of the new heaven and new earth, and of eternal life with Him. What made this experience truly special were the people. Together, we grew not just in knowledge, but in faith and fellowship. I am truly grateful for this journey — it has renewed my faith and drawn me closer to God.* — **VICTORIA FONG**

**Come! Embark on this journey** to better appreciate the faith we already have. Let us know Him with all our mind to be informed in our believing. Let us know Him with all our heart to be committed to faithful living.

Registration for 2026 class is now open.  
Commencing on 26 January, Monday nights,  
from 7.30pm to 10pm via ZOOM  
Course fee is **\$92 (cost of materials)**  
Limited spaces available.

Sign up at this link

[https://wesley.sg/christian\\_believer](https://wesley.sg/christian_believer)



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# Rule of Life: Walking with God in Today's Busy World

Mid-week Teaching Session

**SPEAKER:** Rev David Ho  
**DATE:** 15 Jan 2026  
**TIME:** 8.00 to 9.30pm  
**MODE:** Online via ZOOM

## SYNOPSIS

Life in Singapore moves fast. With work demands, family responsibilities, and constant digital noise, many Christians long for a closer walk with God yet struggle to sustain spiritual depth. Though God is near, our souls often feel hurried and distracted.

This session offers a practical and hope-filled way forward. It invites believers to rediscover the ancient, biblical wisdom of a Rule of Life—a simple, grace-shaped trellis supporting spiritual growth in a pressured world. Rooted in Scripture, the early church, monastic tradition, and Wesleyan heritage, a Rule of Life is not a checklist but a Spirit-led pattern of rhythms that helps us abide in Christ in ordinary days.



Please sign up at

<https://wesley.sg/course-midweekteaching>

*Registration will be closed when it has reached its maximum capacity.*

## Two key dimensions:

**Inner Rule**—cultivating postures like humility, attentiveness, honesty, and gratitude, allowing God to form our hidden heart from the inside out.

**Outer Rule**—shaping rhythms such as prayer, Scripture reflection, Sabbath rest, family discipleship, Small Group life, spiritual friendships, and service that anchor us.

Formation is never solo. A Rule of Life is embraced within the life of the church, from our shared rhythms of worship, Communion, prayer, and ministry. Families are also encouraged to cultivate simple spiritual practices that gently form loved ones in the way of Christ.

Whether you are a busy parent, young adult, working professional, student, caregiver, or retiree, this session provides practical handles to craft a sustainable, life-giving Rule of Life for your season.



## Speaker's Profile:

After ten years in the legal and financial services industry, **Rev David Ho** entered full-time ministry with Barker Road Methodist Church, where he was involved in pioneering a faith community in the HDB heartlands over a decade. He has since served as a pastor in TRAC for the past ten years and recently completed an M.A. in Spiritual Formation and Soul Care at Biola University.

For more information, please email us at [DiscipleshipNurture@wesleymc.org](mailto:DiscipleshipNurture@wesleymc.org)



## HAPPY HOUR

GYM Happy Hour is an event on the first Monday of each month where our seniors meet for Worship, Devotion, simple and fun physical exercises, games, crafts and fellowship over refreshments!

**Speaker:** Rev Chia Chin Nam

**Date:** Mon, 5 Jan 2026

**Devotion Title:** God is Faithful

**Scripture Text:** 1 Corinthians 1:9

**Time:** 2-5pm, followed by Refreshments

**Venue:** Plaza Hall

**ALL SENIORS ARE WELCOME!**

## KOPITIAM

for Homebounds

**Date:** Mon, 19 Jan 2026

**Time:** 10am - 12pm, followed by refreshments

**Venue:** Plaza Hall

## HARMONICA

Open to all harmonica enthusiasts!

Second & Fourth Wednesdays

**Time:** 10.30am-12.00pm

**Venue:** Basement Room 3 & 4

## BIBLE STUDIES

### Alpha Bible Study

via Zoom

Second & Fourth Thursdays

**Time:** 10.00am-12.00pm

### Emmanuel Bible Study

via Zoom

First & Third Saturdays

**Time:** 2.00-4.00pm

For more information,  
please WhatsApp Theresa Yap at 9338 6696

## BLESSINGS CRAFT

Doing Craft to Bless Others

Every First & Third Friday

**Time:** 2.00-5.30pm

**Venue:** Level 3 Hall

## WALK4HEALTH

Monthly fellowship over prayer, scripture reading, stretching, walking and eating!

**For more information,  
please contact Caleb Sim  
at 6837 8573.**

Participants need to be fit and in good health to  
join the leisurely walks.

## LE L'UKE UKELELE JAMMING SESSIONS

Open to all ukelele enthusiasts!

First & Third Wednesdays (1.30pm-5.00pm)

**Venue:** Level 3 Hall

For more information,  
please contact Raymond Ang at 9827 3128

**For more information, call Caleb Sim at 6837 8573 (during office hours) or email [calebs@wesleymc.org](mailto:calebs@wesleymc.org).**

**Tuesday**

The **Sovereign Lord** has said:  
 "In **Repentance** and **Rest** is your **Salvation**, in **Quietness** and **Trust** is your **Strength**..."  
 May **all** who follow **Christ** hear his **voice** behind you, saying, "**This is the way; walk in it.**"  
 "**Wishing all God's beloved "children"— a Blessed and Spirit-led New Year!**"

**Tuesday Fellowship** meets for **Thanksgiving** on **13 Jan 2026** at 11am, in Plaza Hall.

**Speaker: Rev Lim Jen Huat**

**Come and join us in thanking God together!**

To register, text your name to 9178 9338

(The Hiding Place will be selling CNY cookies)

**Overview of Revelation (D)**

\*The Tribulation (Rev 4-19)

**Rev 11: The Two Witnesses:** John was given a reed to measure the **temple of God**, the **altar** and its **worshippers**. The outer court was excluded because it had been given to the **Gentiles**, who would trample on the holy city for **42 months**. God will appoint **2 Witnesses** ("2 olive trees and 2 lampstands" that stand before the Lord of the earth). They will have power to devour their enemies with **fire**, stop the **rain**, turn waters into **blood** and strike the earth with **plagues**.

**NB:** This **temple** will be in Jerusalem during the 7-year Tribulation. God measures/takes note of the faithful **worshippers**. The miraculous ministry of the 2 Witnesses will extend for **1,260 days/42 weeks/3.5 years**. (during the 1st half of Tribulation). Their powers resemble those of Elijah (fire, rain) and Moses (blood, plagues).

When they have "**finished**" their testimony, the beast (Anti-Christ) from the Abyss will kill them. Their bodies will lie in the public square/street of the "great city" (Jerusalem) for 3.5 days, where people from **every language/nation** will gloat over them, sending one another **gifts**, in **celebration**. But after 3.5 days, **God** will give them **life** and they will stand up, and in response to a "loud voice" from heaven saying "**Come up here**", they will go up to heaven in "the" (not "a") cloud /glory of God, while their terrified enemies looked on!

At that very hour, a **severe earthquake** occurred and 1/10th of Jerusalem collapsed, killing 7,000 people. The terrified **survivors gave glory to God**.

**NB:** (1) **God's obedient servants** are **immortal/invincible** till their work is done. Only **when God permits**, they were killed and the **whole world** gloated over their bodies (eg. TV, social media, accessible to billions), celebrating with gifts! (an "AntiChrist"-mas celebration. The only celebration mentioned in the Tribulation). After 3.5 days, with their terrified enemies looking on, 2 dead bodies rose to their feet and ascended to heaven, in "a/the" cloud of glory, in response to **God's call**. Believers are assured of **vindication** by God and should **listen for God's voice/commands**. (End of 2nd Woe)

(2) **God was glorified!** But will all **repent and believe/trust in Christ**?

**Rev 11: The 7th Trumpet:** When sounded, loud voices in heaven announced that the world had become the **Kingdom of Christ who will reign forever**. The 24 elders worshiped God and thanked Him for:

- (1) reigning over **all nations** (which were angry, wanting their own way)
- (2) judging the (wicked) dead and rewarding His **servants/prophets** and those who revere Him (**righteous**), both **great and small** (irrespective of **status, wealth...**) and
- (3) destroying those who **destroy the earth**.

Then **God's temple in heaven** was opened and the **Ark of His Covenant** was seen, inside it! – followed by lightning, thunder, earthquake and hailstorm.\*\*

\*\* (Reminiscent of the **Presence of God** at Mt Sinai!) (Exod 19:16-19)

**NB:** (3rd Woe) **The 7th Trumpet brought 3 significant events.**

- (1) **Announcement of Imminent Reign of Christ (over the world)**
- (2) **Praise of the Elders**
- (3) **Assurance of God's Presence/Faithfulness (Appearance of Ark)**

\***Christ**, rules **today** over a **spiritual kingdom** (in the hearts of true believers). In future, He will reign supremely, over the **nations** of the world, with a **rod of iron**. (Psalm 2:9: with Absolute Authority, resulting in **worldwide Peace, Plenty, and Divine Justice**.) (I.e. The **answer** to (your) **prayer**: "Your Kingdom come, Your will be done on Earth as it is in heaven.") (Matt 6:10) This is when God reclaims His Creation from Satan. (Rev 12-22)



## Wesley WSCS

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths. Prov 3:5-6 (NKJV)

\*Those who “**destroy the earth**”:

- (1) **physically: neglect responsible stewardship, and exploit/mismanage** the Earth’s **God-given** resources.  
**Result:** Air/water pollution, climate change, global warming. . . loss of biodiversity/soil health, deforestation. . . which deprive current and future generations of natural resources for sustaining life! **Yet** many who care for the environment/the Earth, do not “care” to acknowledge its **Creator**!
- (2) **morally: introduce corruption of minds** with superstitions, idolatry, false teachings; **corruption of bodies** with immoral practices; **violence; where every intent of the heart was evil.** (Gen 6:5)

\*The Tabernacle was a “copy” of the Temple in heaven. (Heb 9:23)

- (1) The **Ark** contains **God’s Law** (The **10 Commandments**) which would have been neglected during the AntiChrist’s/beast’s influence during the first 3.5 years of Tribulation, when the 2 Witnesses were preaching.
- (2) The **Ark’s Mercy Seat** (cover/lid) is where the sacrificial blood was sprinkled on the Day of Atonement, for the forgiveness of sins.
- (3) The **Ark** reminds believers of **God’s Presence and Faithfulness. Its appearance indicates that access to God (Holy of Holies) is open to the Faithful Followers of Christ.** This reminder comes just before the final judgment events of the 7th Trumpet, giving believers, assurance.

**Rev 12: The Woman: A great sign appeared in heaven:**

\*A woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet and a crown of twelve stars on her head. (**Israel**)

\*She gave birth to a son, a male child, who “will rule all the nations with an iron sceptre.” (**Messiah! Jesus! Christ!**)

\*And her child was snatched up to God and to his throne. (**Ascension**)

**(Welcome to our world! \* Praise the Lord, for Your victory!)**

**Food for Reflection:**

“The kings of the earth prepare for battle; . . .  
against the Lord and against His anointed one;  
But the One who rules in heaven laughs. . . .

**Submit** to God’s royal Son, . . . .  
What **joy** for all who take refuge in him! ”

Psalms 2:2,4,12 (Messianic Psalm)

**Saturday**

**WSCS Bible Study (Sat) Group**

**Lessons from the Book of Revelation**

John, the “disciple whom Jesus loved,” was the sole survivor of the Twelve, when he was given a series of visions, while a prisoner on the island of Patmos.

He was instructed to write the **Revelation of Jesus Christ**, about past, present and future events, emphasising the **identity** and **ultimate triumph of Jesus Christ** against the forces of evil. It is both a **warning** and source of **encouragement/hope** to churches facing internal compromises and external persecution. Whoever reads Revelation will be blessed! (Rev 1:3)

**Next Meeting: 10 Jan 2026 at 2pm (online)**

The WSCS Bible Study (Sat) Group “meets” on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays of the month.

We study Holy Scripture to know God better, and gain a better understanding of His work in the world and His ways. In the process, we encourage one another along our personal pilgrimage.

**We welcome ladies of all ages! (online)**

**Please text enquiries to Ms Khoo Heng Keow at 9484 6652.**



**"Now this is the confidence we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us. And if we know that He hears us, whatever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we have asked of Him."**

**1 John 5:14-15**

Please note that prayer items will be posted on a three-week cycle. To regulate a flow for other and new prayer requests, repeated prayer items and updates will be featured on alternate cycles after the first. Please send your prayer request to Lindsay Lim at [lindsayl@wesleymc.org](mailto:lindsayl@wesleymc.org)

# Pray Without Ceasing

## NEW

1. Relationship with mother to heal for KY and KH. To be able to set boundaries even as they care for her physically, emotionally and spiritually. Mother's fixated control will not affect them as they set loving perimeters around her.

## UPDATES

2. Strength and peace for HL and her family as they face the cause of an enlarged prostate in their husband/father's health. Pray for an effective treatment with a return to good health again.
3. WL was informed of a mass in her pelvis. A decision to not have a biopsy was made. She will have an MRI redone in January. Pray results will be clear as she entrusts God to heal her miraculously.
4. Pray for family relationship to heal with KS and her mother. Forgiveness, patience and peace to be upon the family. Pray for her return from UK to allow healing to take place.
5. Y's preparation as she goes for abdominal MRI in December. Pray for:
  - ☐ Clear result and nothing suspicious to be found.
  - ☐ Faith to arise as she places her faith and trust in God.
  - ☐ Relationship with her mother to improve.
6. YL had surgery for ovarian cancer. Blockage occurred in her small intestines which was recently removed. Started on immunotherapy. Prescribed medication to be effective. Pray for:
  - ☐ Strength to fight on as she receives treatment.
  - ☐ Lymphoedema on hip to remain in check as she does daily management.
  - ☐ YL to be well enough for a planned trip with friends this year end.
7. J is experiencing disturbances at home. Courage to arise and to receive new hope in her Lord. Thanksgiving for small breakthroughs. To open for further ministry soon. Pray for:
  - ☐ J to be freed from demonic and spiritual struggles as His Lordship is trusted.
  - ☐ Home to have peace with God's holy presence. Deliverance from entrapment to be completed soon.
8. Thanksgiving that LC's abdominal wound is healing from within as antibiotic drip expedites it. Speedy recovery so she can begin chemotherapy again.
9. H to know that Jesus is her Lord and not to fear. Pray for her to build her relationship with Christ and be blessed with courage, love and a sound mind. To respond to love and ministry rendered by caregivers and those who love her. H to encounter the love of Jesus in her dreams and be freed from trauma and pain.
10. FY has Stage 4 cancer. The Lord's mercy to restore FY as she continues with chemotherapy. Pray for:
  - ☐ Immunity to increase as God gives her strength to continue to live each day well.
  - ☐ New chemo drug to work and shrink existing cancer cells and the lump on her shoulder.
  - ☐ Side effects of chemo to continue to be manageable.

11. Protect CL and her family as she goes through a difficult time in her life. God to vindicate and justice to prevail. Dismantle the schemes of the evil one. Pray for:
  - ☐ Wisdom for strategies to take and good decision making.
  - ☐ Thanksgiving for God's peace, promises and assurances.
  - ☐ Protection for CL's health and well-being.
12. AC's faith to arise each passing day. Thyroid levels to remain in the normal range. Pray for:
  - ☐ Mercy and healing and a surrendered life to God in health, career and relationship. And witnessing of medical miracles in AC's life.
  - ☐ Thanksgiving for protection every day as she starts work again.
  - ☐ Skull infection to clear with God's hand.
13. LK's CT scan revealed suspicious more small growths despite many chemo sessions. PET Scan to reveals they are treatable and non-cancerous. Pray for:
  - ☐ Strength for the family to support him on this journey.
  - ☐ Favourable result for coming scan with courage to trust in Jesus' healing power.
14. CG's oncologist to have new and latest options for treatment of peritoneal cancer. CG is a mother of two young school children. Thanksgiving for determination to battle on well for her young children. Faith to arise as she is God's beloved daughter, who is also a wife to a young family. New chemo drug to help her on her recovery journey.
15. CL to call on Jesus in his time of need. Physical (injured hand and slipped disc), emotional and spiritual recovery to take place in his life. Pray for:
  - ☐ Healing of family relationships and blessings on his caregiver, as his wife to continue with perseverance and faith.
  - ☐ CL to return to faith with full restoration and transformation in Jesus Christ.
  - ☐ Spouse to continually receive the fountain of living water as she walks faithfully with God daily.
16. JY, 23 years old, was diagnosed with stomach cancer. She now battles spread to bones and her neck lymph nodes. Pray for:
  - ☐ JY's body to respond positively to the immunotherapy and chemo prescribed.
  - ☐ The Lord to protect, comfort, heal and envelop JY and the family with peace.
  - ☐ JY to surrender and to trust in God.
17. S, 25 years old, has lymphoma and is receiving chemo treatment. S had bone marrow transplant done. Pray for S:
  - ☐ To trust God to completely heal her with her children's cord blood.
  - ☐ Strengthen her body and give her good energy to care for her two young children.
  - ☐ God's protective covering to handle difficult family demands well and respectfully.

# PRAYER

18. Z who had a brain bleed had 3D Clinorplasty Skull implant done. Pray for:
- ☐ The Lord to miraculously re-awaken Z's brain cells with excellent healing of her faculties.
  - ☐ Caregivers to be continually strengthened to love and care for her.
  - ☐ Protection for ML as he travels for work overseas.

## MINISTRIES

### 19. Preachers & Pastors

Pray for:

Worship Services	3-4 Jan	10-11 Jan
Traditional	Rev Lim Jen Huat	Rev Raymond Fong
Prayer & Praise	Rev Gladwin Lee	
TSS		
Mandarin	Rev Lilian Ang	Bishop Philip Lim
Wesley Filipino Fellowship	Rev Michael Tan	Rev Lim Jen Huat
Youth Ministry	Rev Raymond Fong	Mr Song Tao

### 20. Weekend Worship Services

Pray for:

- ☐ Our love for God to grow with a greater passion for worship, prayer and the Word, knowing that all things come from Him.
- ☐ Love: Pray that love and concern for one another will grow. (John 13:35)
- ☐ Thanksgiving for the smooth resumption on all onsite services & live-streamed Saturday worship services (YM & TSS), Sunday worship services (9.30 am: Traditional and 9.30 and 11.30 am P&P 2.30 pm MM in Wesley Hall and WFF at Plaza Hall).
- ☐ Blessings on BeTween, CM and PS Com as leaders, teachers and students grow in the Lord.
- ☐ Reconnection, unity and a prayerful heart to envelope the congregation as they worship onsite or from home.
- ☐ Thanksgiving for all our volunteers serving tirelessly in our worship services.

### 21. Staff

Pray for all staff:

- ☐ His protection and grace over the staff team.
- ☐ To seek growth and excellence in all they do, embrace change, have an teachable hearts and to carry out their roles faithfully.
- ☐ To have love, unity and submission to God and to one another out of reverence for Christ.
- ☐ To embrace Intentional Discipleship in society and incorporate this theme in their ministry programmes.
- ☐ Thank God for their families' understanding and support, especially those with children and elderly family members who need their time and attention. God's protection and providence on each family member; that even as they have sown to the Lord., they will be fruitful.
- ☐ Staff to depend on God for strength in times of difficulties, for peace in times of stress, and patience in times of pressure.
- ☐ Understanding and patience from worshippers as duties are being carried out. ■

Don't be  
afraid  
Just  
believe  
Mark 5:36

## Prayer Focus 2026

**7 Jan:** Wesley Prayer Service (Online)

**14 Jan:** Pastoral Care Ministry

**21 Jan:** Mandarin Ministry



## Pray for our Missioners/ Missionaries...

### 1. Leow Theng Huat – Serving with Trinity Theological College

#### Prayer needs:

- ☐ That God would help Theng Huat fulfil his responsibilities at TTC well, including his new role as the Associate Field Education Director.
- ☐ May God grant Theng Huat the strength and wisdom to complete his intended writing projects for the next six months.
- ☐ God to bless Theng Huat's parents and parents-in-law with good health, safety, joy and peace.
- ☐ God to bless Theng Huat's children with good health, good friends and a close walk with God.

### 2. Tan Chew Suan – Serving with Singapore Youth for Christ

#### Thanksgiving:

- ☐ Opportunity to share the Christmas Story at various student care centres. Pray for children who are interested to find out more, and may their parents allow them to be followed up.
- ☐ For many opportunities to share the Christmas Story at Celebrate Christmas In Singapore and that the seed sown will bear fruit in God's good timing.

#### Prayer needs:

- ☐ For her missions trip to a Creative Access Nation in January 2026, for God's protection and His purposes to be accomplished.

### 3. Asholi and Puii Akamu – Serving in Thailand

#### Prayer needs:

- ☐ A Bible study will be conducted for families who were displaced. Pray for the teachers and participants.
- ☐ For provision of a larger hall for their meetings which at the same time, will be used as storage for tea leaves.
- ☐ The couple will be on Home Assignment (till mid-January 2026); pray for good reconnection with their churches and relatives and safe travels.
- ☐ Smooth running of things by Joe and David (Akha Radio and Media team) while the couple are away.

### 4. Joel Choong – Serving with Singapore Youth for Christ

#### Thanksgiving:

- ☐ For the "Celebrate Christmas In Singapore" (CCIS) event-, that many came to hear the Christmas story.
- ☐ For a year-end market where they made good contacts for 2026.

#### Prayer needs:

- ☐ For the coming internship period, Project Serve, as Joel will be assisting to organise some of the camp activities.

### 5. Mark Suredhran – Serving with Cru Singapore

#### Thanksgiving:

- ☐ For grace and strength for Mark as he ended his teaching for the first semester at EAST.

#### Prayer needs:

- ☐ For Mark to prepare well for the upcoming teachings for next semester starting in January 2026.
- ☐ Protection from the evil one and for a close walk with the Lord.
- ☐ That the joy of the Lord will be his strength daily.

### 6. Stella and Phil Carter – Serving with Cru Asia

#### Thanksgiving:

- ☐ His protection and favour for Phil's 75-year-old brother, who was able to settle a financial issue when he gave up his Philippines PR residency, just before his three-day visit to Singapore.

#### Prayer needs:

- ☐ For Stella's 91-year-old mother's salvation and that she will always recognise her helper and for the helper to take care of her well.

### 7. Amos Ang – Serving with Cru Asia

#### Prayer needs:

- ☐ Wisdom and strength to carry out his roles and responsibilities locally.
- ☐ Discernment for staff care and development for other teams he is overseeing.
- ☐ His son, Josiah, as he continues his one more year of National Service (NS) and God's favour for a place in university after NS.
- ☐ Another son, Nathan, for God's leading in his adulthood journey, especially his spiritual life.

### 8. Karen Hor – Serving with Cru Asia

#### Prayer needs:

- ☐ She has taken on an additional responsibility in Volunteer Management; pray for creativity, insight and energy as she organises activities that strengthen the identity and bond among volunteers.
- ☐ The Lord to lead and guide her son, Josiah, as he applies to study HR Management at SUSS after he completes NS; pray the Lord to make straight his path.

### 9. Susan Lee – Serving with Cru Asia

#### Prayer needs:

- ☐ Thankful that He sustained them and The Creative Journey (TCJ) project wrapped up nicely.
- ☐ The Creative Team to be sensitive to God's leading in consolidating next year's plan.
- ☐ God to grant Susan and her family, wisdom in taking care of their health and grow in their faith in God.

### 10. Chelsea Koh – Serving with Prison Fellowship Singapore (PFS)

#### Thanksgiving:

- ☐ Salvation of M in November. Pray for the discipleship and integration of M, and S, her spouse, into church.
- ☐ Volunteer Appreciation Night was a blessing to all who attended as PFS honoured and appreciated their volunteers.

#### Prayer needs:

- ☐ God to minister after a Christmas outreach event and for the salvation of Chelsea's relatives.

### 11. Jason Huang (TTC)

#### Prayer needs:

- ☐ For the new semester, God's wisdom and grace to complete it well with perseverance.
- ☐ For his son, Reuben, as he transits to Primary 1, in January 2026.

### 12. Angeline Lee (SBC)

#### Thanksgiving:

- ☐ For a fruitful semester break and time spent with family and friends.

#### Prayer needs:

- ☐ God's guidance and a smooth transition into the new school term.
- ☐ Wisdom, discipline and strength to balance studies, family commitments and perseverance in studying God's Word.
- ☐ God's provision, protection, and overall well-being for the family.

### 13. Jonathan & Phoebe Kong – Serving with OMF

#### Prayer needs:

- ☐ For the local believers, that they will have courage and commitment to share the Gospel with those around them and to be witnesses in their community.
- ☐ For the spiritual atmosphere in the village of Takhro, that the people will be open to receive Jesus Christ into their hearts.
- ☐ Wisdom and strength for Jonathan and Phoebe as they minister in the village in partnership with the church.



## Know our ... Missioners/ Missionaries

### Missioners

**Amos Ang**

Serving with Cru Singapore



**Karen Hor**

Serving with Cru Singapore



**Leow Theng Huat**

Trinity Theological College Faculty



**Mark Suredhran**

Serving with Cru Singapore



**Stella & Phil Carter**

Serving with Cru Singapore



**Susan Lee**

Serving with Cru Singapore



**Joel Choong**

Serving with Singapore Youth for Christ



**Tan Chew Suan**

Serving with Singapore Youth For Christ



**Chelsea Koh**

Serving with Prison Fellowship Singapore



- ☐ For the children they minister to every weekend, that they can sow the seeds of the Gospel into their hearts.

### 14. Shan – Serving in CAN

Prayer Needs:

- ☐ Thankful for the continual blessing of good health.
- ☐ Wisdom and strength for (Man of Peace) MOP to seek the lost and find those who need to come back to the fold. The children and youth there will continue to grow spiritually and their lives to be transformed by His words.
- ☐ Wisdom and strength for house parents to minister to the youth at VHM and for the youth to open up to share life, grow in confidence and trust in God.
- ☐ Safety, good health and protection for her and family.

### 15. Stanley and Lucy Ong – Serving in Japan

Thanksgiving:

- ☐ A good rest during winter vacation.
- ☐ Koko's continued recovery from leukemia.

Prayer Needs:

- ☐ Koko to be in remission from her leukemia and for her body to build resistance to infections.
- ☐ The salvation of Koko and her mother, sister and brother.
- ☐ Ms H to seek the Lord and come to faith.
- ☐ The local church that the Ongs attend, to be renewed in its sense of mission to the local community.

### 16. Yvonne Choo – Serving with The Evangelical Alliance Mission

- ☐ Thankful for the Christmas season and pray that the story of Christ has touched hearts and changed lives.
- ☐ Thankful Yvonne spoke in a number of events, with an opportunity to conduct a workshop in a law class about the trial of Jesus from the perspective of Japan's constitutional law. Pray that this will spark conversations and interest.
- ☐ For strength upon Yvonne for the year ahead

### 17. More Wesley's Missionaries to be raised and sent out into the field

*Luke 10:2 The harvest truly is great, but the labourers are few: pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he would send forth labourers into his harvest.*

Prayer needs:

- ☐ God's spirit to stir up the hearts of Wesleyans to be missional and obedient to the Great Commission.
- ☐ More Wesleyans will hear His clarion call to be missionaries in the harvest fields overseas.
- ☐ Wisdom, grace, and clarity as they discern their calling and choose to bring the gospel to the least-reached people groups or hard places.
- ☐ That God will grant them the assurance of peace to remove their fears, anxieties and concerns for their loved ones as He equips them for the field.

- ☐ Boldness and courage to take the next step to prepare well for the ministry which they are called in the harvest fields.
- ☐ God's leading and wisdom to mobilise a great missionary movement from Wesley to reach the least, the lost and the last.

### Field Development:

#### Cambodia

### 18. Functional English Centre (FEC)

Thanksgiving:

- ☐ A good number of students in three sessions (morning, afternoon and evening) including children, youth and young adults.
- ☐ Youth fellowship on Sunday evenings has reached out to more youth in recent months.
- ☐ A new teacher has recently been assigned to the centre.

Prayer Needs:

- ☐ God's protection, strength and guidance for the staff and families.
- ☐ The students to learn well and be receptive to God's love and truth, especially through Friday sessions and fellowship.
- ☐ Youth and children attending the fellowship to receive God's love and grow in their faith.
- ☐ Pastor A has relocated to a suburban location. May God strengthen his relationship with the community and for opportunities to reach out with God's love and truth.
- ☐ More teachers/short-term worker to be assigned, as the current teaching staff has a full teaching schedule.

### 19. Pathway Fellowship in Siem Reap

Thanksgiving:

- ☐ A growing children's ministry in churches and preaching points; pray for support for ministry team as they seek to serve in this area.
- ☐ Recent medical and youth ministry encouraged the ministry to reach out to the community.

Prayer Needs:

- ☐ The Lord to continue growing the ministry and strengthening those who have opened their hearts and minds to Him.
- ☐ The ministry team as they follow-up with people who have responded to the Lord
- ☐ Good follow-up and spiritual growth of children who came to know Christ during village outreach.
- ☐ Wisdom and strength for the teachers at Mustard Seed School (MSS).
- ☐ God's guidance and provision as MSS and the church that worships there need to relocate to a new place.
- ☐ God's provision, leading and continued open doors in medical ministry and youth ministry.

## 20. Deaf Missions, Phnom Penh

### Thanksgiving:

- ☐ Good partnership with Cambodian organisations for the deaf, youth and other churches for the past few years.
- ☐ Opportunity to reach out to the deaf community and increase deaf awareness in Cambodia.

### Prayer Needs:

- ☐ Wisdom among the Deaf Ministry leaders in missions outreach strategies for the deaf and non-deaf community in Cambodia.
- ☐ Workshop conducted for the deaf to be effective in equipping them with the relevant skills and impart godly values.
- ☐ Deaf awareness events to increase support for the marginalised deaf community.
- ☐ More Wesleyans to step up in supporting Deaf Ministry missions outreach.

## Indonesia

### 21. Batam & Bintan

#### Thanksgiving:

- ☐ Students who joined the English teaching ministry progressed well in learning the language.
- ☐ Closer relationship with the students and teachers and opportunity to share God's love and godly values.
- ☐ Women who joined the sewing ministry have gradually improved their sewing skills.
- ☐ Recent trips have encouraged the pastors, leaders and teachers.

#### Prayer Needs:

- ☐ Sustaining strength and wisdom for teachers to plan lessons and engage students effectively.
- ☐ Students to learn effectively, be diligent in their students, and nurtured in godly values and develop godly character.
- ☐ Protection, good health, wisdom and anointing for pastors and leaders in providing leadership and care for the church.
- ☐ Congregation to grow in their faith, love and service for God.
- ☐ Diligence for those who participated in a sewing workshop to develop their skills.
- ☐ Wisdom in planning missions trip to Batam and Bintan and more to step up to serve God as leaders, translators and core-team members.

## 22. Medan

### Thanksgiving:

- ☐ Children and youth are receptive to God's love and truth.
- ☐ Scholarship students are progressing well in their studies and developing godly character. Some are serving in the ministry.
- ☐ Some youth received Christ and rededicated their lives during the Youth Camp in July.

### Prayer Needs:

- ☐ Leaders and ministry workers to be used by God to bless the children and youth.
- ☐ Students receiving scholarships to continue in doing well for their studies.
- ☐ Good follow-up and nurturing of faith for seekers, new believers and believers, including those who have come to faith through the recent youth camp.
- ☐ Youth leaders to arise from within and outside of the ministry.
- ☐ Parents and adult fellowship to be fruitful in reaching out to the community and nurturing their faith in God.
- ☐ Missions partner to continue in the spirit of serving God with love and humility. Protection, good health and providence for their families.

## 23. Laos

- ☐ Wisdom upon the nation's leaders to find ways to cope with the financial crisis and help the poor who are struggling with inflation and the high cost of living.
- ☐ Protection, courage and good health for God's people especially those living in rural areas.
- ☐ Wisdom, sustaining strength, favour and perseverance for God's workers serving the least, the lost and the last.
- ☐ Open hearts and responsiveness to the good news by the locals.

## Philippines

### 24. Payatas Churches

- ☐ Wisdom for church and community leaders in selecting the right livelihood projects for various local villages.
- ☐ For **New Hope Antioch Church's** prison ministry to transform lives; good health and strength for Pastor Val.
- ☐ Thank God for new believers in **Pinagpala Christian Community Church's** outreach points; pray for more pre-believing families to be reached and more church members to serve as the ministry expands, provision for church needs.
- ☐ For a safe and suitable venue for **Promised Land Christian Church's** new outreach point as the current location floods often; God's provision for various church ministry needs.
- ☐ Thank God for regular attendance of youth and adult members at **Jesus The Mediator Church**; pray for spiritual healing and good family relationships for church members and a job opening for AB.
- ☐ Outreach points at Parawangan and Montalban to be fruitful and effective.
- ☐ Healing for Pastor V to walk again and willingness to undergo cataract surgery.
- ☐ All members grow in their commitment and hunger to seek God.

## Know our ... Missioners/ Missionaries

### Missionaries

**Rev & Mrs Asholi & Puii Akamu**

Serving in Thailand



**Jonathan & Phoebe Kong**

Serving in Thailand



**Shan**

Serving in CAN



**Yvonne Choo**

Serving in Japan

### Tentmakers

**Stanley & Lucy Ong**

Serving in Japan





## Know our ...

### Our students in Theological Training



Jason Huang (TTC)



Angeline Lee (SBC)

### 25. High Praise Church (HPC)

Thanksgiving:

- ☐ United church having the same purpose of winning more souls for His Kingdom.
- ☐ God's continued wisdom, protection, guidance and provision for HPC pastors and leaders.

Prayer Needs:

- ☐ Weekly Zoom course to equip pastors and leaders in theology; trainees to cope with both day jobs and night classes.
- ☐ God to provide resources needed to run the course for different batches of trainees.
- ☐ Perseverance and wisdom for Pastor R as he nurtures, mentors and trains the next generation of pastors and leaders.
- ☐ Zealousness for pastors and leaders in preaching assignments and overseeing Care Groups in various outreach locations.
- ☐ God's leading as the church in St Maria embarks on implementing livelihood project for the members.

### Thailand

#### 26. Nong Bua Lamphu

- ☐ God to continue to minister to the youths to receive His truths and promises and grow in their faith.
- ☐ Ongoing online English lessons led by Wesley volunteers to continue to serve needs of NBLPMC members and their invited friends.
- ☐ Friendships built at Nongsan to be strengthened and for the people there to come to know Christ personally.
- ☐ Strength and wisdom for Pastor K to juggle multiple roles and lead the church. Praise the Lord that she has given birth to a healthy baby.
- ☐ Discipline and discernment for youths when it comes to using their digital devices.
- ☐ Healing for members of the congregation who are ill and struggling with family issues.

#### 27. Phrao

Thanksgiving:

- ☐ Recent trips have been fruitful in reaching out to youth, women, children and teachers.
- ☐ Some youth and children responded to God's love during prayer time in LK and during youth camp.

Prayer Needs:

- ☐ Youth who have responded to be nurtured in their faith and love for God.
- ☐ Children at the outreach centre at LK to know God deeper.
- ☐ Outreach at KP and MS villages to bear fruit for God; more children to join the activities.
- ☐ God's provision for a full-time worker at LK and a more convenient location to run the programme.
- ☐ For God to touch the lives of families with children and the elderly who are ill and homebound as the church reaches out to them.

- ☐ Good health and protection for Pastor D and his family, Pastor S and all workers.

#### 28. Timor Leste

- ☐ Health and joy for the missionaries, teachers, staff and students in Timor-Leste.
- ☐ Missionaries, staff, students and Methodist Missions Society (MMS) to have a united heart, with one another and aligned with God.
- ☐ God-given wisdom for the above to catch His vision and use their different talents and personalities that God has given them to serve Him and fulfil His purposes.
- ☐ God to continue expanding his Kingdom work and providing all the manpower and resources needed.

#### 29. Wesley Youths in Missions

- ☐ For God to nurture a heart for missions amongst our youths, and raise a generation of missions-minded youths in Wesley YM with a desire to serve Him.
- ☐ For God to lead our youths and youth leaders as we seek to learn more about missions.
- ☐ For God to bring more youth mission trip leaders and trippers to serve Him in the mission fields as YM starts to ramp up missions activities.
- ☐ Wisdom and love for youth missions leaders as they connect with various missions fields.
- ☐ For our upcoming youth mission trips to be God-led and for our youth trippers to be good witnesses for God. ■



## Recruitment Serving God in Wesley Methodist Church



The Church has vacancies for members and friends to serve in His Community here in Wesley. We are praying for committed Christians who feel that they can contribute to growing God's kingdom through the various positions in our ministries.

If you have a gift and passion to serve in Wesley, we ask that you prayerfully consider joining our team.

### **Positions available:**

- Pastoral Team Lead (Missions)
- Pastoral Team Member (Pastoral Care Ministry)
- Pastoral Team Member (Small Group Ministry)

Please visit our website at <https://wesleymc.org> for more job specifications or write in to [recruit@wesleymc.org](mailto:recruit@wesleymc.org) to connect with us. We would like to hear from you.

*For we are God's handiwork,  
created in Christ Jesus  
to do good works,  
which God prepared  
in advance for us to do.*

**EPHESIANS 2:10**





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## ■ WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

	14 Dec	21 Dec	28 Dec
<b>Traditional</b>			
• 7.30am	323	305	335
• 9.30am	597	704	746
• 11.30am	437	455	433
• 5.00pm	187	250	267

## Prayer & Praise

• 5.00pm (Sat, 15)	311	310	276
• 9.30am	396	457	471
• 11.30am	348	324	383

## Filipino Service

• 2.00pm	152	65	No Svc
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## Mandarin Service

• 2.30pm	112	650	106
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## Youth Service (Sat)

• 2.00pm	No Svc	No Svc	No Svc
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## Christmas Day Combined Worship Services (25 Dec)

	Trad	P&P
• 8.30am	1,381	548
• 11.00am	1,649	717

## Wesleyan Watchnight Covenant Renewal Service (31 Dec)

• 10.00pm	1,236
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## ■ CONDOLENCES

### To the families of:

- Mr Chan Kah Hon Victor & Mdm Chok Siew Len Rachel on the demise of his mother, Mdm Soon Annie on 24 Dec.
- Ms Glynisia Yeo on the demise of her father, Mr Yeo Chiang Chwee Bobby on 27 Dec.

## CALLING ALL WESLEYANS, LET'S DO OUR PART AND BE



Here's what we can do:

1. Be vigilant — report all suspicious persons, activities and unattended items (bags and suitcases) to Ushers, Watchers or Pastoral Team Members.
2. Do not leave our bags and personal effects unattended.
3. Co-operate with our Safe@Wesley team if bag checks are required.
4. Do be friendly to visitors and invite them to our welcome corner to be introduced.

Email us at [safe@wesleymc.org](mailto:safe@wesleymc.org) for any enquiries or feedback.



## First Local Conference

Tue, 13 Jan 2026  
7.30pm at Plaza Hall

## ■ FLORAL OFFERING

### In Loving Memory of:

- Mr Wong Weng Chong and Mdm Lim Soo Noi. From Children, Grandchildren and Great grand-daughter.

### In Thanksgiving. From:

- HC Chong and family.



## JOIN A SMALL GROUP!

Small Groups are key to experiencing life in a big church like Wesley! They are the primary places of care and ministry and it is in Small Groups that we experience love, build up and serve one another. At Wesley we have about 2,500 members in more than 250 Small Groups!  
What are you waiting for?

Fill up the Small Group interest form at <https://wesleymc.org/joinsg> or visit <https://wesleymc.org/get-involved/join-a-small-group> or contact Jairus Thomas at [smallgroup@wesleymc.org](mailto:smallgroup@wesleymc.org).



## Pastoral Care

Pastoral Care at Wesley serves the church by providing hospital visits and visitations to members and their loved ones who are no longer able to attend church.

If you require any assistance kindly contact Joanne Tan at **6837 9266** or email us at [pastoralcare@wesleymc.org](mailto:pastoralcare@wesleymc.org).



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# RENEWING THE MIND

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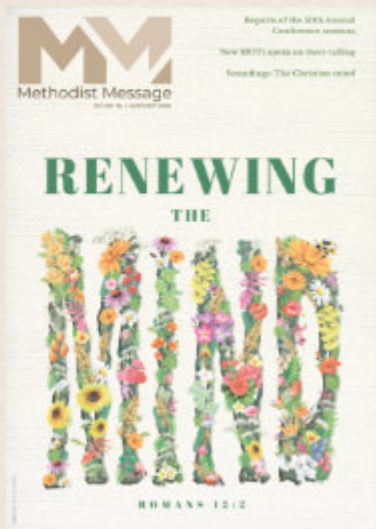
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# ABOUT WESLEY

Our Mission as Wesley Methodist Church is to 'seek to glorify God in Jesus Christ by loving Him, by loving one another and by loving our neighbour as ourselves'. (Deuteronomy 6:5 Luke 10:27; John 13:34)



**Directions 2025**  
INTENTIONAL DISCIPLESHIP  
TAKE THE NEXT STEP

WESLEYMC.ORG/DIR2025

2022 ► DISCIPLESHIP IN  
**THE CHURCH**

2023 ► DISCIPLESHIP IN  
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2025 ► DISCIPLESHIP IN  
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We want to welcome your baby with a gift! Let us celebrate this special occasion with you and share your joy. Simply let us know by registering at [www.wesleymc.org/new\\_birth\\_registration](http://www.wesleymc.org/new_birth_registration) or scanning the QR code below, within a month of your child's birth. Hear from you soon.

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Rev Dr William Sam	6837 9261
Rev Chia Chin Nam	6837 9224
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## MINISTRY CONTACT (PASTORAL TEAM/MANAGERS)

### ■ Worship Ministries

Filipino Fellowship	Rosalia Mahendran
Prayer & Praise	Matthew Peter
The Saturday Service	Suzanne Yong
Mandarin Ministry	Alice Hsieh
Traditional Services	Wong Ee Hwee
Prayer	Audree Tan

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Counselling	Yap Siew Ling/David Blakely/ Pauline Tan
Pastoral Care	Victor Chan/Chow Yuen Peng/ Eddy Chan/Trixie Chin

### ■ Discipleship Ministries

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Discipleship & Nurture	Alvena Khoo
Membership	
& Volunteer Care	Tina Khoo
Small Group Ministry	Jairus Thomas
Young Adults	Jabez Fong
Family Life	Gerhardine Foo
Wesley GYM	Trixie Chin

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COSC	Loke Ai Mei/Kayyona Lim
CRW	Rosalia Mahendran
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Witness & Evangelism	Patrick Chua

### ■ Next Generation Ministries

Between Children	Daryl Tay
	Cassandra Leung/ Sarah Khoo/Lim Bi Xiu
Youth Ministry	Timothy Ho/Melody Leong

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	Hamilyn Quek (Manager)
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Media	Glynisia Yeo (Manager)
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Small Group Ministry	Benny Ong (Asst Manager)



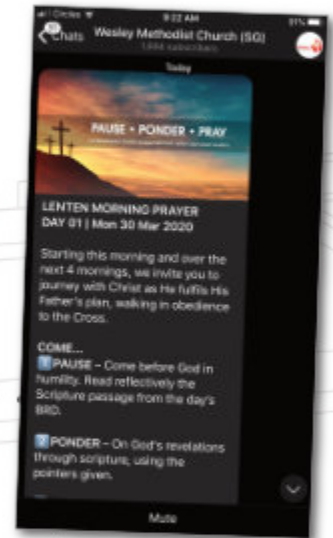
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**Sat 10 Jan 2026 | 10am - 11.45am**

Inside Methodist Girls' School (MGS), 11 Blackmore Dr, Singapore 599986

For parents of children ages 6 - 11



**BEFORE IT ALL HAPPENS**  
**PARENTAL MEDIATION**  
BEGINS IN EARLY CHILDHOOD

*Is it alright for my child to be spending time watching shows and playing digital games on the screen at this age? What can I do to prevent my child from becoming "addicted" to screens in the future?*

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\$10 (1 pax), \$15 (2 pax),  
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**Speaker: Mr Nigel Wong**

For parents of children ages 12 - 16



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UNDERSTANDING & ENGAGING  
OUR DIGITAL NATIVES

**MGS Lecture Theatre, L1**

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