

Wesley Methodist Church Klang

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Saturday, December 9, (5:00 pm) & Sunday, December 10, 2023 (8:30am) Worship Celebration

WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP SERVICE

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OUR VISION:

To Be A House Of Prayer For All Nations A Well-Watered Garden (Isaiah 56: 7c; 58: 11c)

OUR THEME:

Reconnect With God and With One Another (Isaiah 40:31 & Hebrews 13:8)

OUR EMPHASIS:

Discipleship: Journeying With God

OUR 4 ESSENTIALS:

- + Personal Growth
- **+** Building Community
- **†** A Voice To Our Nation
- **†** A Vision For The World

OUR METHODIST LEADERS:

<u>Bishop of the</u> <u>Methodist Church in Malaysia:</u>

Rev Dr T. Jeyakumar

TRAC President:

Rev Joshua Khong

Central District 2 Superintendent:

Rev Ashok Amarasingham

OUR LOCAL CHURCH:

Pastor:

Rev Gaurri Maniam

Lay Leader:

Mr Terrence Tan

LCEC Chairman:

Mr Noel Lim

Church Workers:

Mr Yap Chee Kai Ms Taeko Funaoka

Administrator:

Ms Pelita Chuah

Administrative Assistant:

Ms Irene Teoh

Hymn

I thought upon the days of old,
The years departed long,
I held communion with my heart,
By night recalled my song.

My heart inquired with anxious care, Will God forever spurn? Shall we no more His favor see? Will mercy ne'er return?

Forever shall His promise fail?
Has God forgotten grace?
Has He withdrawn His tender love,
In anger hid His face?

These doubts are my infirmity, My thoughts at once reply; I call back years of God's right hand, The years of God Most High.

I will commemorate, O Lord, Thy wondrous deeds of old, And meditate upon Thy works Of power and grace untold.

O God, most holy is Thy way, Most perfect, good, and right; Thou art the only living God, The God of wondrous might.

~ Psalter Hymnal.

WORSHIP SERVICE

Speaker	Ms Taeko Funaoka		
Sermon Title	Immanuel: Veiled by the darkness of Despair		
Scripture Text	Psalm 77; Isaiah 42: 2-3		
Closing Hymn	Come Thou Long Expected Jesus (MH360)		

Altar Flower

♣ Ms Lim Jade

Mr Fabian Ho

OFFERING & ATTENDANCE ~ DECEMBER 2 & 3, 2023								
Open	Open 2 nd Mis		Missions			endance	€	
Open Offerings RM	Offering RM	Tithes RM	& Others	Total	Adults	Children	Visitors	
1,860.25	1,684.00	2,450.00	1,200.00	206	191	15	-	

DUTIES	SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16	SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17	
Speaker	Rev Gaurri Maniam		
Sermon Title	Immanuel: Anchoring the Soul		
Scripture Text	Psalm 25, Luke 2: 10		
Worship Leader	Ms Hilda Chin		
Liturgist	Ms Hilda Chin Ms Taeko Funao		
Musicians/Singers/AV	Team A		
Ushers	Church Staff	Living Stones 1 CG	
Altar Flowers	Datin Hii Lu Yeng		

Prayer Meetings

Are you seeking a breakthrough in life? Or do you just want to spend time with God? Come and join us for worship, ministry and intercession. You will never be the same when God touches you!

Tuesday	10:00am – 12 noon	Prayer Room	(2.5.1
		Via Zoom	"My house will be called
Thursday	9:00pm -10:00pm	ID: 868 7905 5124	a house of prayer for all nations"
		Passcode: 763853	Isaiah 56:7
Saturday	6:30am – 8:00am	Prayer Room	isuluii 50.7

SMALL/CELL GROUPS

Group	Leader	Contact	Day/Time	
Joy	Mrs Irene Khoo	016-625 1117	Alternate Thu/8:30pm	
The Redeemed 1	Mr & Mrs David Abraham	012-321 7335	2 nd & 4 th Thur/8:30pm	
The Redeemed 2	Ms Chong Mei Fong	019-313 7793	Alternate Fri/8:30pm	
The Redeemed 3	Mr Johnny Lim	012-203 7784	Fri/8:30pm	
Sentosa	Mrs Koa Ton Kim	016-341 3328	Thu/3:30pm	
Faith	Mr Jimmy Ng	016-631 8706	2 nd & 4 th Fri/8:30pm	
Living Stones 1	Ms Sally Chong	013-388 5589	Alternate Wed/8:30pm	
Living Stones 2	Ms Jenny Sin	012-381 8212	Fri/8:30pm	
Living Water 2	Mr & Mrs Roger Moh	016-227 8463	Fri/8:00pm	
Emmaus	Ms Lau Wai Jing	012-329 7498	Alternate Thu/2:00pm	
Super Seniors	Mr Yap Chee Kai	012-236 0457	3 rd Wed/11am	
Setia Alam	Ms Jade Tan	016-385 2259	Fri/8:30pm	
lambs of the Lamb	Ms Taeko Funaoka	012-236 0458	Thu/10:00am	
Young Adults:				
New Creation 1	Ms Sharon Tan	017-614 2081	Fri/8:30pm	
New Creation 2	Mr & Mrs Kwi-Han Ko	012-886 4418	Fri/8:30pm	
B.A.S.I.C	A.S.I.C Mr Mike Choo &		Fri/8:30pm	
S.T.E.P.S.	Ms Ruth Lim	016-536 1545		

ORGANISATIONS					
Organisation	Person In Charge	Contact No	Day / Time		
Boys' Brigade	Mr Jonathan Raj	017-259 5892	Saturday 8:30 a.m.		
Girls' Brigade	Ms Sarah Joyce	017-302 4297	Saturday 8:30 a.m.		
Youth Ministry	Mr Noel Lim	012-311 9475	Sunday, 11:00 a.m.		
Sunday School	Dr Yvonne Lim	016-289 8385	Sunday, 10:45 a.m.		
Methodist Women	Ms Cathy Wong	012-265 7862			

PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK



Sunday, (Dec 10) – Immanuel: God with Us - Pray that the truth of Immanuel who is God with us to be impressed upon our hearts strongly. *A bruised reed He will not break, a smoldering wick He will not snuff out*- such is the gentleness of Christ. Pray that the gentleness of Christ will be the source of strength to those who are weak. Pray that those who are experiencing a season of tiredness and fatigue in their lives will indeed draw near to Jesus who is gentle. Pray for Jesus to be our source of encouragement as we continue to live our lives as disciples of Jesus.

<u>Monday, (Dec 11)</u> – Commit to the Lord for preparations for **Christmas**. Pray especially for the worship team, the dance team, the visual and media team as they prepare for the Christmas message. Pray that we as a church, we will truly come together and adore Jesus with all our hearts. Pray also for the Christmas message that it would bear fruit in the hearts of our congregation.

<u>Tuesday, (Dec 12)</u> – Pray for the Church to share the gospel with the lost, for the sick to experience God's healing touch, and for the marginalised to be shielded from injustice, exploitation, and discrimination. Pray for the children's divine protection, especially from the world culture of the digital age, which tempts them away the love of God. Pray for the church to be a model of family parenting that exemplifies Christlike behavior for their children and to foster a sense of community among them.

<u>Wednesday, (Dec 13)</u> – **Pray for the Nation:** Pray for continuous steadfast reforms that the government is carrying out to address poverty, higher cost of living, food shortage and rising prices and the weak ringgit. Pray for protection from the rise of a new strain of covid, dengue fever, tuberculosis and influenza A. Pray for God's protection and peace for the people of SG4 states (Perlis, Kedah, Kelantan and Terengganu) especially those who are facing poverty, oppression and discrimination.

<u>Thursday, (Dec 14)</u> – **TRAC**: Commit to the Lord all pastors who would be going on transfer at the end of this year. Pray for the presence of Christ who is our Immanuel to be with both pastors and the respective congregations as they move forward. Pray for pastors and congregations to have proper closures. Pray that the friendships fostered will live on. Where there may have been hurt, pray for forgiveness to be extended to each other.

Friday, (Dec 15) – There has been about a 57.3% increase in Covid-19 cases recorded during the week of November 19 to 25, compared to the cases recorded from the previous week, according to the last week's newspaper. May God heal those who are afflicted and grant them a speedy recovery. Pray that God will give everyone the discernment to be cautious and take preventive steps, such as practicing good personal cleanliness. Pray for God's protection, especially for young children, the elderly, expectant mothers, and those suffering from chronic diseases.

<u>Saturday (Dec 16)</u> – Pray for the World: Pray that the good news of our Lord Jesus Christ will reach every person on the earth. Pray that every knee will bow down and every tongue will confess that Jesus is the Lord. Pray for the areas in the world where Christians face persecution and discrimination. Pray for God's protection upon every brother and sister. May He heal those who have been harmed physically and emotionally. May the Lord always stand at the side of every brother and sister and gave them strength to stay firm in their faith. Pray that He will work mightily among the areas that His Name will be made known despite the opposition.