



1 September 2024

AM

Building a Disciple-Making Church

Inter-Generational Sunday

9 to 10.30 am

WE PREPARE OUR HEARTS TO WORSHIP GOD

Entry of the Word

Prelude

WE PRAISE GOD

Call to Worship

***Hymn of Praise & Adoration** O God Beyond All Praising (page 5)

WE SEEK GOD

Prayer of Confession & Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer (sung)

***Hymn of Prayer** Jesus Strong and Kind/Jesus Loves Me (page 7)

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem Lord, Here Am I (page 10)

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading Exodus 36:1-8; Romans 12:1-2
Scripture Reader: This is the word of God.
Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Children's Message

Sermon

Responding to God's Grace and Generosity

***Hymn of Response**

Make Me A Blessing (page 11)

WE SERVE GOD IN HIS WORLD

Welcome & Announcements

Offertory

***Prayer of Dedication**

***Doxology**

***Benediction**

***Three-Fold Amen**

Postlude

*Congregation to stand

SCRIPTURE

Exodus 36:1-8 NIV

¹ So Bezalel, Oholiab and every skilled person to whom the Lord has given skill and ability to know how to carry out all the work of constructing the sanctuary are to do the work just as the Lord has commanded.”

² Then Moses summoned Bezalel and Oholiab and every skilled person to whom the Lord had given ability and who was willing to come and do the work. ³ They received from Moses all the offerings the Israelites had brought to carry out the work of constructing the sanctuary. And the people continued to bring freewill offerings morning after morning. ⁴ So all the skilled workers who were doing all the work on the sanctuary left what they were doing ⁵ and said to Moses, “The people are bringing more than enough for doing the work the Lord commanded to be done.”

⁶ Then Moses gave an order and they sent this word throughout the camp: “No man or woman is to make anything else as an offering for the sanctuary.” And so the people were restrained from bringing more, ⁷ because what they already had was more than enough to do all the work.

⁸ All those who were skilled among the workers made the tabernacle with ten curtains of finely twisted linen and blue, purple and scarlet yarn, with cherubim woven into them by expert hands.

Romans 12:1-2 NIV

¹ Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. ² Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.

Responding to God's Grace and Generosity

Exodus 36:1-8; Romans 12:1-2

Introduction:

1. God is sovereign and will provide generously.
2. God empowers His people to respond abundantly and faithfully.
3. God wants His people to serve as a community.

Conclusion

Hymn of Praise & Adoration (AM)

O God Beyond All Praising

Words by Michael Perry.
Music by Gustav Holst.

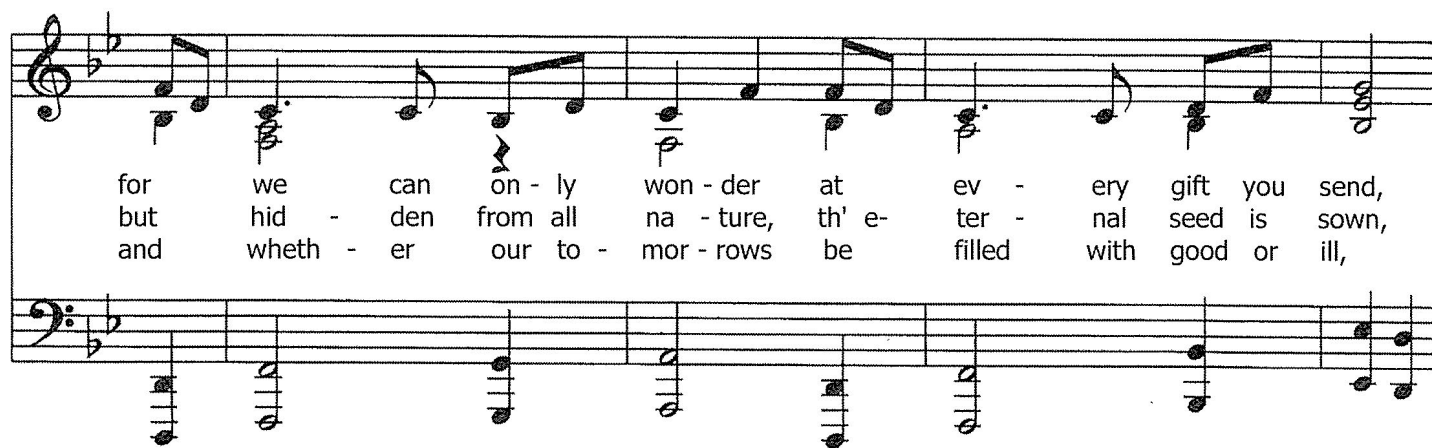
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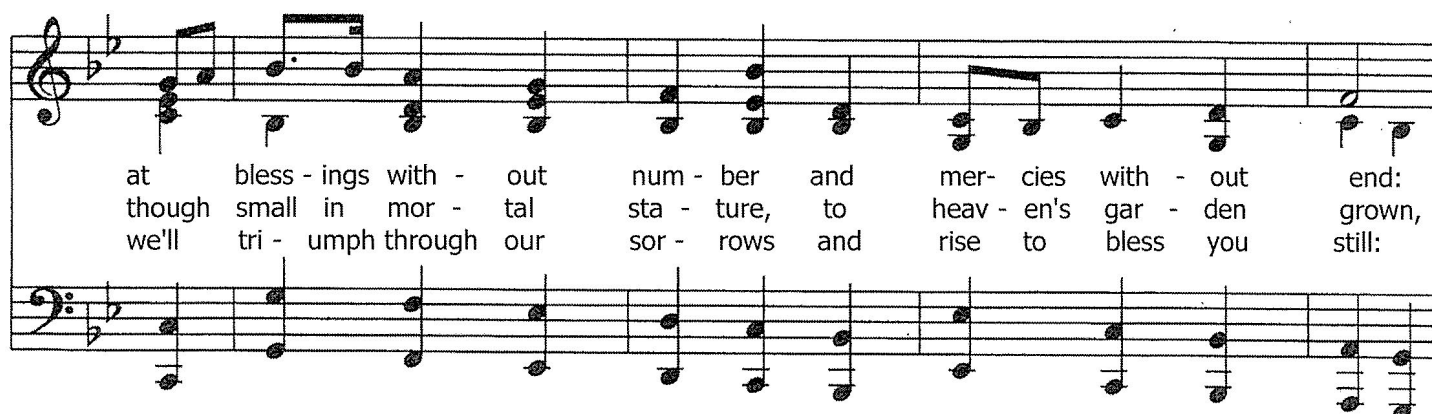
1. O God be - yond all prais - ing, we wor - ship you to - day
2. The flow'r of earth - ly splend - or in time must sure - ly die,
3. Then hear, O gra - cious Sav - ior, ac - cept the love we bring,



and sing the love a - maz - ing that songs can - not re - pay;
its fra - gile bloom sur - ren - der to you, the Lord Most High,
that we who know your fa - vor may serve you as our King;



for we can on - ly won - der at ev - ery gift you send,
but hid - den from all na - ture, th' e - ter - nal seed is sown,
and wheth - er our to - mor - rows be filled with good or ill,



at bless - ings with - out num - ber and mer - cies with - out end:
though small in mor - tal sta - ture, to heav - en's gar - den grown,
we'll tri - umph through our sor - rows and rise to bless you still:

O God Beyond All Praising

The image shows a musical score for the hymn "O God Beyond All Praising". It consists of two systems of music. Each system has a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The key signature has one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are written below the vocal line.

we lift our hearts be - fore you and wait up - on your word,
for Christ the man from heav - en from death has set us free,
to mar - vel at your beau - ty and glo - ry in your ways,

we hon - or and a - dore you, our great and might - y Lord.
and we through him are giv - en the fi - nal vic - to - ry.
and make a joy - ful du - ty our sac - ri - fice of praise.

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Hymn of Prayer (AM)

Jesus Strong And Kind

(based on the recording by CityAlight & Colin Buchanan)

Words and Music by
Colin Buchanan, Michael Farren,
Jonny Robinson and Rich Thompson

INTRO

C C/E F C Am G C C C/E

6 F C Am G C C C/E F C

VERSE 1, 2 & 3

- 1. Je - sus said that if I thirst,
- 2. Je - sus said if I am weak,
- 3. Je - sus said that if I fear,

11 Am G^{sus} C C/E F C

I should come to him. No one else can sat - is - fy,
I should come to him. No one else can be my strength,
I should come to him. No one else can be my shield.

15 Am G^{sus} C C F C

CHORUS 1a

I should come to him. him. For the Lord is good and
I should come to him. him.
I should come to

19 G^{sus} C F C

faith - ful. He will keep us day and

2nd time to Coda ⊕

21 G^{sus} G C/E F C G Am

night. We can al - ways run to Je - sus.

TURNAROUND

24 F G^{SUS} C C/E F C Am G C D.S. al Coda

Je - sus, strong and kind.

⊕ Coda

TURNAROUND

29 F G^{SUS} C C/E F C Am G C

Je - sus, strong and kind.

VERSE 4

34 C Cmaj⁷ F C Am G^{SUS} C C/E

4. Je - sus said if I am lost, he will come to me. And he showed me

CHORUS 1b

39 F C Am G^{SUS} C^{SUS} C F C

on that cross, he will come to me. For the Lord is good and

43 G^{SUS} C F C G^{SUS} G C/E F C

faith - ful. He will keep us day and night. We can al - ways run to

47 G Am F G

1.	C
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2.	Am	G
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Je - sus. Je - sus, strong and kind. For the kind.

OUTRO

51 F G C C/E F C

Je - sus, strong and kind.

54 Am G

1. C	2. Am G ^{SUS} C
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Jesus Loves Me

Anna Warner, 1860

William Batchelder Bradbury, 1862

1. Je-sus loves me! This I know, For the Bi - ble tells me so. Lit - tle ones to
 2. Je-sus loves me— He who died Hea - ven's gate to o - pen wide; He will wash a-
 3. Je-sus loves me— loves me still, Though I'm ve - ry weak and ill; From His shin - ing
 4. Je-sus loves me— He will stay Close be - side me all the way, Then His lit - tle

Refrain

Him be - long; They are weak, but He is strong.
 - way my sin, Let His lit - tle child come in.
 throne on high Comes to watch me where I lie. Yes, Je-sus loves me! Yes, Je-sus
 child will take Up to Heaven for His dear sake.

loves me! Yes, Je-sus loves me! The Bi-ble tells me so.

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Anthem (AM)

Lord, Here Am I

Text by Fanny Crosby. Music by John Ness Beck.
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Verse 1

Master, Thou callest, I gladly obey;
Only direct me, and I'll find Thy way.
Teach me the mission appointed for me,
What is my labour, and where it shall be.
Master, Thou callest, and this I reply,
"Ready and willing, Lord, here am I."

Verse 2

Willing, my Saviour, to take up the cross;
Willing to suffer reproaches and loss.
Willing to follow, if Thou will but lead;
Only support me with grace in my need.
Master, Thou callest, and this I reply,
"Ready and willing, Lord, here am I."

Verse 3

Living, or dying I still would be Thine;
Yet I am mortal while Thou art divine.
Pardon, whenever I turn from the right;
Pity, and bring me again to the light.
Master, Thou callest, and this I reply,
"Ready and willing, Lord, here am I."

Hymn of Response (AM)

Make Me A Blessing

1. Out in the high - ways and by - ways of life,
2. Tell the sweet sto - ry of Christ and His love,
3. Give as was giv - en to you in your need,

3
Man - y are wea - ry and sad; Car - ry the sun - shine where
Tell of His pow'r to for - give, Oth - ers will trust Him if
Love as the Mas - ter loved you. Be to the help - less a

6
dark - ness is rife, Mak - ing the sor - row - ing glad.
on - ly you prove true, ev - ery mo - ment you live.
help - er in - deed, Un - to your mis - sion be true.

9
Make me a bless - ing, make me a bless - ing,

13
out of my life, may Je - sus shine.

17

Make me a bless - ing O Sa - viour I pray;

21

Make me a bless - ing to some - one to - day. _____

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PM

Building a Disciple-Making Church

6 to 7 pm

Prelude

Call to Worship

***Hymns of Praise & Adoration** Standing on the Promises (page 15)
Majesty (page 16)

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (sung)

Scripture Reading Exodus 36:1-8; Romans 12:1-2
Scripture Reader: This is the word of God.
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Sermon Responding to God's Grace and Generosity

***Hymn of Response** Make Me A Blessing (page 18)

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Post-Service Discussion

*Congregation to stand

Responding to God's Grace and Generosity

Exodus 36:1-8; Romans 12:1-2

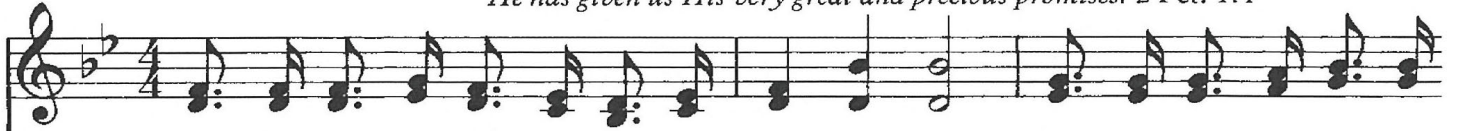
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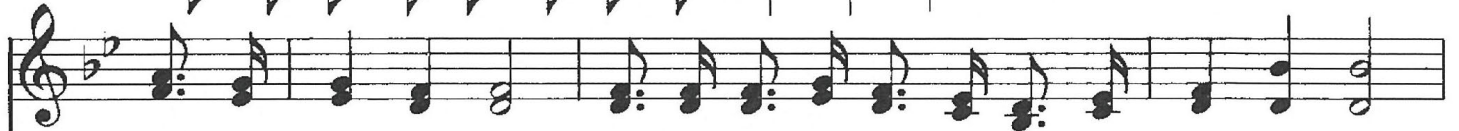
Conclusion

Standing on the Promises

He has given us His very great and precious promises. 2 Pet. 1:4



1. Stand-ing on the prom - is - es of Christ my King, Thro' e - ter - nal a - ges
2. Stand-ing on the prom - is - es that can - not fail, When the howl-ing storms of
3. Stand-ing on the prom - is - es of Christ the Lord, Bound to Him e - ter - nal-
4. Stand-ing on the prom - is - es I can - not fall, Lis-t'ning ev - ery mo-ment



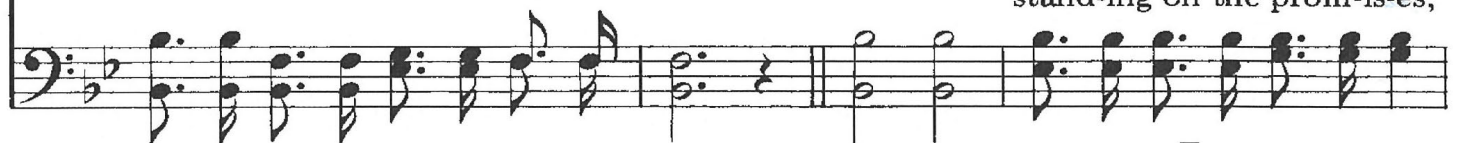
let His prais - es ring; Glo - ry in the high - est, I will shout and sing,
doubt and fear as - sail, By the liv - ing Word of God I shall pre - vail,
ly by love's strong cord, O - ver-com-ing dai - ly with the Spir - it's sword,
to the Spir - it's call, Rest-ing in my Sav - ior as my all in all,



Refrain



Stand-ing on the prom-is-es of God. Stand-ing, stand - ing,
stand-ing on the prom-is-es,



Stand-ing on the prom - is - es of God my Sav - ior; Stand - ing,



stand - ing, I'm stand-ing on the prom-is - es of God.
stand-ing on the prom-is-es,



Majesty

Words and Music by
Jack Hayford

$A\flat$ $D\flat 2/A\flat$ $A\flat$ $A\flat 7$ $G\flat 2/B\flat$ $A\flat 7/C$ $D\flat$ $Fm 7/C$ $B\flat m 7$ $D\flat/E\flat$ $E\flat 7$

Maj - es - ty, wor - ship His maj - es - ty. Un - to

$A\flat$ $A\flat/G$ Fm $Fm/E\flat$ Fm/D $E\flat 7sus$ $E\flat 7$ $A\flat$ $D\flat 2/A\flat$

5 Je - sus be all glo - ry, hon - or, and praise. Maj - es - ty,

$A\flat$ $A\flat 7$ $G\flat 2/B\flat$ $A\flat 7/C$ $D\flat$ $Fm 7/C$ $B\flat m 7$ $B\flat m 7(\flat 5)$ $A\flat + / (B\flat m 7(\flat 5)/D\flat$ $A\flat/E\flat$ $A\flat$ $E\flat/B\flat$ $A\flat/C$

10 king - dom au - thor - i - ty flow from His throne un - to His

$B\flat m 7$ $E\flat 7$ $D\flat/E\flat$ $E\flat 7$ $A\flat$ $D\flat/A\flat$ $A\flat$ $A\flat maj 7/C$ $A\flat \circ 7/C\flat$ $B\flat m 7$ $E\flat 7$ $D\flat/E\flat$ $E\flat 7$

14 own; His an - them raise. So ex - alt, lift up on high the name of

19 A^b A^b2sus $A^b D^b/A^b$ A^b $A^b maj7/C$ $A^b \circ 7/C^b$ B^bm7 E^b7 D^b/E^b E^b7 C

Je - sus. Mag - ni - fy, come glo - ri - fy Christ Je - sus, the King.

24 B^bm7 E^b7/B^b B^bm7 E^b7 D^b/E^b E^b7 A^b D^b2/A^b A^b A^b7 G^b2/B^b A^b7/C D^b $Fm7/C$

Maj - es - ty, wor - ship His maj - es - ty -

B^bm7 $B^bm7(b5)$ $A^b+/C^b B^bm7(b5)/D^b$ A^b/E^b $A^b E^b/B^b$ A^b/C B^bm7 E^b7 D^b/E^b E^b7 A^b D^b/A^b

28

Je - sus who died, now glo - ri - fied, King of all kings.

32 A^b

Hymn of Response (PM)

Make Me A Blessing

Music by
Ira Bishop Wilson

Words by
George S. Schuler

Ab Ab° Ab Db/Ab Ab Eb7 Ab Bbm7 Ab/C

1. Out in the high - ways and by - ways of life,
2. Tell the sweet sto - ry of Christ and His love;
3. Give as 'twas giv - en to you in your need;

The first system of music consists of a treble and bass staff in 4/4 time, key of Ab major. The treble staff contains the melody with lyrics underneath. The bass staff contains the accompaniment. Chord symbols are placed above the treble staff.

3 Db Ab F7/A Eb7/Bb Eb7 Fm C

man - y are wea - ry and sad. Car - ry the sun - shine where
are wea - ry and sad.
Tell of His pow'r to for - give. Oth - ers will trust Him if
His pow'r to for - give.
Love as the Mas - ter loved you. Be to the help - less a
the Mas - ter loved you.

The second system of music continues the melody and accompaniment. It includes a measure rest of 3 measures at the beginning. Chord symbols are placed above the treble staff.

6

Db Ab Eb/Bb Bb7sus Eb/Bb Bb9 Gm/Bb Bb7 Eb Ab/Eb Eb7 Ab F7 F/A

dark - ness is rife, mak - ing the sor - row - ing glad. Make me a
 on - ly you prove true ev - 'ry mo - ment you live.
 help - er in - deed; Un - to your mis - sion be true.

10

Bbm Bbm/Db Eb7 Cm/Eb Eb7 Ab Db Ab

bless - ing; Make me a bless - ing. Out of my life may
 Out of my life

15

Fm7 Bb7 Eb7 Ab F7 F/A Bbm Eb7 Ab/Eb Bbm/Db

Je - sus shine. Make me a bless - ing, O Sav - ior, I
 I

20

C Db6 F/C Bbm Bbm7 Ab/Eb Cm/Eb Eb7

pray. Make me a bless - ing to some - one to -
 pray Thee, my Sav - ior.

24

A^b

day.

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God vs Suffering

There's a common denominator that cuts across all peoples, social classes, and ages – and that commonality is suffering. All of us suffer though to different degrees, and none of us want to suffer. We want to know why God would let us go through what doesn't seem good to us. Isn't He supposed to want only good for us (Matt 7:11, Rom 8:28, Jas 1:7)?

And in trying to understand this puzzle, oftentimes we either conclude that God is not omnipresent/omnipotent/omniscient, or that God isn't good, or that all this suffering ultimately is for our good (Matt 5:16, Jas 1:2, Heb 12:4-11, 2 Cor 1:3-4, 2 Cor 12:7-9, 1 Pet 1:3-7). As Christians who know God and know His Word, we also know that the first two conclusions cannot possibly be true. God is the Creator, the Sovereign God – He is omnipresent, omnipotent, and omniscient. Furthermore, by definition, He is good. That only leaves us with the last option, that all this suffering ultimately is for our benefit. (See Rev Clive's June SoCM talk for more details.)

But while it is true that we do grow through suffering, it doesn't sit well with anyone to think that God purposely allowed us to suffer so that we can grow. And it goes dangerously close to saying that God made us suffer so that we can grow through tough love. To be clear – the good God we worship does not cause the suffering we see in the world. He does allow it to happen, but it is not according to the pattern the world was created in. It was at the fall (Genesis 3) that sin entered the world, and from that point we begin to see suffering in creation. Suffering is a consequence of sin in this broken world, sin that was committed by either our own free will or by others' free will. Of course, God can prevent sin, but it would be at the cost of humanity's free will, and it would mean that all of us will not know the joy of choosing to worship and obey God, because we would have no other choice.

Thankfully, suffering is temporal – when Jesus returns and His kingdom is fully here, there will be no more suffering (Rev 21:4). And for the time being, God has given us all we need to stand firm amid suffering with the gift of the Holy Spirit and the gift of the church. May we all stand firm as exiles in this world filled with suffering until we are home with our Lord.

Read Exodus 38:21-31

- In verse 21, why was the tabernacle referred to as the ‘tabernacle of the covenant law’?
- When God gives us a difficult task to do, what will empower us to complete it?
- In the passage, what is the purpose of recording an inventory of the materials used in the building of the tabernacle?

Prayer Points

- Pray for those serving in the A&A committee and its sub-committees. May God sustain and guide them and protect their time as they serve purposefully.
- Pray for our church members who are suffering from any critical illness. May God’s comfort, healing and assurance be upon them.
- Pray for the world to manage its water resources wisely and equitably. In March, the United Nations stated that about half of the world’s population suffers from “severe water scarcity”. Pray that all the nations of the world will cooperate and work to achieve water sufficiency for all people.

MINISTRY THIS WEEK

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Venue</u>
Sun 1	9.00 am	Sunday Worship Service	Sanctuary
	9.30 am	Sunday School	Dunman Building
	11.00 am	Youth Discipleship Group	Quarters, Chapel Room
	11.00 am	Young Adult Discipleship Group	DB4, DH1, MR3
	4.00 pm	Chancel Evening Choir Rehearsal	DH A
	6.00 pm	Sunday Worship Service	Sanctuary
Tues 3	8.30 am	Pastoral Staff Prayer Meeting	Online
Wed 4	2.00 pm	Pastoral Staff Meeting	MR1
Thu 5	7.30 pm	Chancel Morning Choir Rehearsal	DH, SHK, SR2, Sanctuary
Sat 7	2.00 pm	Handbells	Sanctuary
	2.00 pm	Inter-Ministry Platform (IMP) Meeting 2	DB5
	2.00 pm	Handbells Rehearsal	Sanctuary
	4.30 pm	Music Makers Club	SHK
	5.00 pm	Children’s Ministry Team Bonding	

DB: Dunman Basement; DH: Dunman Hall; SHK: Su Han Kuen Hall

(1) CHEQUE or CASHIER'S ORDER

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FOR CONTRIBUTIONS:

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OUR OFFERING

OFFERING	TARGET 01.01.24 - 31.12.24	TARGET TO 25.08.2024	RECEIVED TO 25.08.2024	YTD SURPLUS/(SHORTFALL)
GENERAL	\$1,800,000.00	\$1,176,923.08	\$1,144,442.70	(\$32,480.38)
MISSIONS	\$250,000.00	\$163,461.54	\$169,875.35	\$6,413.81
TOTAL	\$2,050,000.00	\$1,340,384.62	\$1,314,318.05	(\$26,066.57)

A&A FUNDRAISING

(1) BANK TRANSFER

Bank: UOB Singapore
SWIFT Code: UOVBSGSG
Account Name: Orchard Road Presbyterian Church - A&A Project
Account No.: 773-347-101-1

The Pledge Form may be accessed here <https://bit.ly/ORPCpledge>

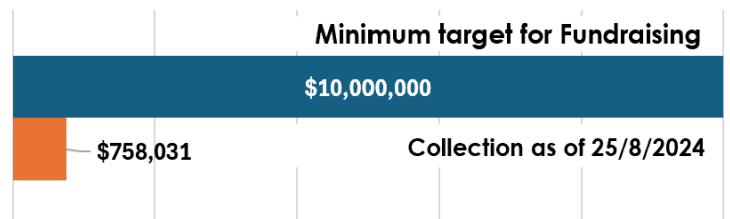
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A&A Fundraising Collection



(3) CHEQUE or CASHIER'S ORDER

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PREACHING THEMES - SERVICE ROSTER

Sunday Service	1 Sep Inter-Generational Sunday	8 Sep Holy Communion Sunday	15 Sep Mission Sunday
Sermon Title	Responding to God's Grace and Generosity	God's Provision through Every Faithful Contribution	Completion of the Tabernacle
Scripture Reference	Exod 36:1-8; Rom 12:1-2	Exod 38:21-31	Exod 39:32-43
Preacher	Pr Lim Chung Wei	Rev Dr Clive Chin	Pr Tan Hui Ru
Children's Message	Pr Ho Wei Liang	-	-
Worship Leader	Dcn Benjamin Goh Dcn Andrew Tan	Dcn Samuel Tandijanto Dcn Mazmur The	Dcn Benjamin Ong Eld Lim Ee Tuo
Pastoral Prayer	Pr Lim Chung Wei	Rev Dr Clive Chin	Pr Tan Hui Ru
Scripture Reader	Eld Alimin Lie Minna Sim	Kessler Neo Don Magkawas	Rio Pohan Angelina Leong
Music Director	Maria Oskar, Dr Agnes Tan	Maria Oskar, Dr Agnes Tan	Dorothy Oskar, Dr Agnes Tan
Musicians	Eunice Tang Hannah Leong Natalie Chu	Patrick Harjadi, Jasmine Wangko, Joanna Lee, Esther Lim, Dorothy Oskar Lie Ven Lie	Lisa Ong Isaiah Tang Hannah Leong
Ushers Team/ Leaders	Team G Tan Gek Khim Team D Ivy Ang	Team A Veronica Song Team E Eld Winston Choo	Team B Jimmy Tan Team F Ang Eng Joo
Greeters	Pr Herna Kong Dcn Rita Soh Rev Dr Edward Goh Eld Lim Ee Tuo	Pr Lim Chung Wei Dcn Benjamin Ong Pr Tan Hui Ru Dcn Liow Koh Chuan	Pr Ho Wei Liang Eld Gabriel Tan Pr Herna Kong Eld Paul Johnson
AV Duty Roster	Jabez Selvarajan Selvarajan Rengasamy Jabez Ong Dcn Mazmur The Eld Paul Johnson -	Susan Tan Jeremy Lim Marie Tan Elson Chan Jane Tham -	Elsan Chan Juniarto Hadiatmadja Dcn Patrick Chow Geoff Holmes Huang Junxiong Dcn Mazmur The

Bold Italics - Evening Service

YOUTH MINISTRY - SERVICE ROSTER

- *Worship in the Sanctuary*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLYWEDS

We congratulate Dr Benjamin Kuek and Kristianne Magkawas on their holy matrimony on 31 Aug 2024. We pray for God's blessings on their journey together.

PASTOR LIM CHUNG WEI ACCEPTED AS CONFIRMED PREACHER (AUG 2024)

We congratulate Pastor Lim Chung Wei who has officially been accepted as a Confirmed Preacher. The English Presbytery (EP) will have him take the pledge of an EP Preacher at a Pledge Ceremony in due course.

DESIGN FOR DISCIPLESHIP (DFD) BOOK 6 GROUP STUDY SIGN-UP FOR NON-DG MEMBERS/WORSHIPPERS (TODAY)

Our next book in the DFD series is Growing in Discipleship. This is the final Book we are studying in this series. Book 6 will remind us what God has meant for us to do with our lives. Join our Discipleship Groups (DGs) to journey with us in this study from mid-September to November. Visit and register at the booth in Dunman Hall after the AM or PM service **today**.

TEACHERS' DAY & PEN EVENT

We are grateful to God for raising men and women among us to serve as educators. We wish all teachers a happy teachers' day. As part of the celebrations, the Presbyterian Education Council (PEC) would like to share video clips of students from our Presbyterian Schools. You may view them here [PEC Teachers' Day Video](#).

The Presbyterian Education Network (PEN) is organising a get-together for educators on Saturday, 26 Oct, at True Way Presbyterian Church. Please see the flyer for information about registration.

SEPTEMBER CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER MEETING (4 SEP)

Our next prayer meeting will be on Wednesday, 4 Sep, 7.30 – 8.30 pm, in Dunman Hall. All are encouraged to attend.

FELLOWSHIP GATHERING ORGANISED BY CONGREGATIONAL FELLOWSHIP (14 SEP)

The Congregational Fellowship will be organising a fellowship gathering on Saturday, 14 Sep from 2 to 5 pm. This will consist mainly of worship, devotion, games and fellowship over mooncakes and pomelos. The event is open to all, from the young to the seniors. Please see the flyer attached to the bulletin for details. The brief details are:

Theme for the gathering: Joy in the Family of Christ

Date, time: Saturday, 14 Sep 2024, 2 – 5 pm

Refreshments: Mooncakes and pomelos

Venue: Dunman Hall

Fee: \$5 per person

Registration and payment:

- Please register with the QR code and make payment at the booth in Dunman Hall after the worship services today or 8 Sep.
- The last day for registration is 8 Sep.
- You can also register at the following link:

<http://chms.orpc.org.sg/eventmodule/registration/72/module>

BIBLICAL PARENTING CLASS (15 SEP)

The Biblical Parenting Class will be conducted on Sunday, 15 Sep, from 2 – 4.30 pm via zoom. It is a pre-requisite for parents who wish to dedicate their children for infant baptism at ORPC. Please register early via <http://chms.orpc.org.sg/equipping/registration/68/public> Registration closes on 8 Sep.



EVANGELISM EQUIPPING COURSE (FROM 17 SEP)



Always wanted to share the gospel with your family, friends, and colleagues but don't know how to? Join the course happening over 8 consecutive Tuesday evenings from 17 Sep – 5 Nov from 7.30 - 9.30 pm, to be equipped with principles and skills to share the gospel. Register via <https://chms.orpc.org.sg/equipping/registration/67/public> Please see the flyer for more information.

SEASON'S PIPINGS (21 SEP)

The Singapore Chapter of the American Guild of Organists will be presenting organ music and hymn singing on Saturday, 21 Sep, 7.30 pm in the Sanctuary. Admission is free. Freewill offerings will be collected at the event. Please see the flyer.

A&A PROJECT UPDATE

A&A fundraising has begun. You may collect a Pledge Form from the ushers.

FLOWER OFFERING

Seah Ching Ching: "In remembrance of Mr Goh Hui Yeow – a faithful servant, loving husband, devoted father and a loyal friend."

STAFF ANNOUNCEMENT

Resignation - Mr Steven Ho

Mr Steven Ho, Facilities Assistant, has resigned and his last day of employment was 31 Aug 2024. If you know of any suitable candidates or any individuals interested in filling the position, kindly send your enquiry to our Church Office Manager, Diane Tee (dianetee@orpc.org.sg).

PERSONAL PARTICULARS

If you have changed your personal particulars recently, or you have queries regarding church events/ministries, please email Ping at orpcenglish@orpc.org.sg or contact the church office (Mon to Fri).

STAFF UPDATE

Rev Dr Clive Chin is on leave 30 Aug – 3 Sep.

Rev Dr Edward Goh, Pr Herna Kong and Pr Tan Hui Ru will be at the EP Co-Workers Retreat 2 – 4 Sep.

CHURCH-WIDE EVENTS: SEP - DEC 2024

Wed 4 Sep	7.30 pm	Congregational Prayer Meeting [Dunman Hall]
Sat 14 Sep	2 pm	ORPC Event: Joy in the Family of Christ (Organised by Congregational Fellowship)
Sun 15 Sep	2 pm	Biblical Parenting Class [Online]
Sat 21 Sep	7.30 pm	Season's Pippings – Organ Music & Hymn Singing [Sanctuary]
Wed 2 Oct	7.30 pm	Congregational Prayer Meeting [Dunman Hall]
Fri 18 Oct	2.30 pm	CF Gathering
Sat 26 Oct	4 pm	Membership Class 26 Oct – 16 Nov [DB6]
Sun 27 Oct	9 am & 6 pm	ORPC 168th Anniversary & 507th Anniversary of Reformation
Sun 3 Nov	9 am & 6 pm	Infant Baptism
Wed 6 Nov	7.30 pm	Congregational Prayer Meeting [Dunman Hall]
Sat 9 Nov	11 am	Congregational Thanksgiving Lunch
Sun 17 Nov	9 am & 6 pm	ECM – Election of Elders & Deacons
Sat 30 Nov	10 am	Annual Ministry Meeting (AMM) [Dunman Hall]
Sun 1 Dec	9 am & 6 pm	First Sunday of Advent Membership Sunday
Wed 4 Dec	7.30 pm	Congregational Prayer Meeting [Dunman Hall]
Sun 8 Dec	9 am & 6 pm	Second Sunday of Advent
Sun 15 Dec	9 am & 6 pm	Third Sunday of Advent
Tue 17 Dec – Fri 20 Dec		Youth Camp
Sun 22 Dec	9 am & 6 pm	Fourth Sunday of Advent Lessons & Carols
Tue 24 Dec	10 pm 11 pm	Candlelight Service Combined Christmas Eve Communion Service
Wed 25 Dec	10 am	Christmas Day Service
Tue 31 Dec	9 pm	Year-End Service

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JOY IN THE FAMILY OF CHRIST

14 SEPTEMBER 2024
DUNMAN HALL
2PM - 5PM

CHILL OUT N' GAMES TOGETHER

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\$5 PER PAX

SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER
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IN DUNMAN HALL AFTER SERVICES ON
25 AUG, 1 AND 8 SEP.

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Biblical Parenting Class

ORPC
MARRIAGE AND
PARENTING
MINISTRY

15 SEPTEMBER 2024
2:00 - 4:30 PM ON ZOOM
REV DR EDWARD GOH

**A parenting
book will be
given to all
participants**

The interactive class is for all parents covering the biblical purpose, principle, and practice of parenting.



<https://tinyurl.com/orpcbpc2024>

A pre-requisite class for parents who wish to dedicate their children for infant baptism at ORPC

CLASSIC EVANGELISM EQUIPPING TRAINING COURSE (Hybrid)

Evangelism Equipping (EE) course has been developed, tested, evaluated, refined and proven over a period of more than 60 years. Together with training materials, demonstrations, role plays and practice, trainees will find that this course helps them learn and build their skills and confidence to share the good news of Jesus. As evangelism is better caught than taught, EE is not just a program but a way of life. You will be equipped to share the gospel in a natural and non-offensive way anytime, anywhere and to anyone (friends, relatives, associates, neighbours and even strangers).

WHO IS THIS COURSE FOR?

Anyone who is willing to be equipped to **share the gospel**, and in turn, is able to equip others to do the same.

WHAT DOES THIS COURSE COVER?

1. Understanding the whole truth of the gospel
2. Connecting intentionally with non-believers
3. Sharing the gospel as a lifestyle

Dates/Venue

Time: 7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m.

Date: Eight Tuesdays,

Sep 17, 24, Oct 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024 (Online),

Nov 5, 2024 (Dunman Basement 1)

Register: Please scan the QR code.

Enquiries: Lion Soegiharto: soegiharto@eeworks.org , Benjamin Goh: bengoh@yahoo.com



A Mission & Evangelism (M&E) Ministry of ORPC

Season's *Pipings*

When in our Music **GOD IS GLORIFIED**

JOIN US FOR ORGAN MUSIC AND HYMN SINGING

Saturday, 21 September 2024, 7:30PM

Presented by
THE SINGAPORE CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN GUILD OF ORGANISTS

Orchard Road Presbyterian Church
3 Orchard Road S238825

Admission is free; freewill offering



Presbyterian Educators' Network (PEN)

A platform for Presbyterian educators to network for mutual encouragement & engagement to fulfil our God-given vocation.



It's time for us to meet again

...with more of us

...on 26 October 2024 (Sat)

...at 12 Noon

**...in True Way Presbyterian
Church (TWPC)**



Scan QR code
to register your
attendance.



**If you are an educator worshipping in a
Presbyterian Church, you are most welcome to
JOIN US!**

HISTORY

The Orchard Road Presbyterian Church (ORPC) was founded in 1856 to minister to the needs of the Scots community in Singapore. The first church building on the present site was completed in 1878, and has been extended several times. In 1975, the sanctuary was extended, and in 1985, the new extension of Dunman Hall was completed and a new chapel was built. Alongside the growth of the physical facilities has been the development of the church from an English-speaking expatriate congregation to a local church embracing four different language congregations. In 1995 we planted a branch church (Bukit Batok Presbyterian Church) which became independent in 2013. Similarly, our Mandarin congregation (Providence Presbyterian Church) became independent in 2005. ORPC consists of the English Congregation and the Indonesian Congregation, and worshipping with us now in the same building are Providence Presbyterian Church, and the German-speaking Protestant Congregation in Singapore.

FAITH AND MEMBERSHIP

As a church with roots in historic Presbyterianism growing out of the Westminster Confession of Faith, we affirm the Lordship of our Saviour, Jesus Christ. We look to the Scriptures as the inspired Word of God and the one authoritative and infallible standard for our faith and practice. We welcome those who profess Jesus Christ as their personal Lord and Saviour into our formal membership. Our membership is truly international, representing the breadth of God's call upon people from all ethnic and economic backgrounds. Members are received upon initial profession of faith in Jesus Christ by baptism, confirmation, and in transfer from other Christian churches. Classes for baptism, confirmation, and for transfer of membership are held periodically and announced in the bulletin.

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the grave. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.