

20 July 2025

AM

Building a Disciple-Making Church

Mission Sunday

9—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
Glory to His Name

WE SEEK GOD

Prayer of Confession & Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn of Prayer
What a Friend We Have in Jesus

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem
Jesus Paid It All

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading
Hebrews 8:1-13

Sermon
*Knowing God Through Jesus, the Inaugurator
of the New Covenant*

Hymn of Response
The Solid Rock

WE SERVE GOD IN HIS WORLD

Welcome & Announcements

Mission Spot

Offertory

Prayer of Dedication

Doxology

Benediction

Postlude

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PM

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6–7 pm

Prelude	Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship	Mission Spot
Songs of Praise & Adoration <i>Glory to His Name</i> <i>Worthy of Worship</i>	Offertory
Pastoral Prayer	Prayer of Dedication
The Lord's Prayer	Doxology
Scripture Reading <i>Hebrews 8:1-13</i>	Benediction
Sermon <i>Knowing God Through Jesus, the Inaugurator of the New Covenant</i>	Postlude
Hymn of Response <i>The Solid Rock</i>	Post-Service Discussion



ORPC
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Hebrews 8:1-13

¹ Now the main point of what we are saying is this: We do have such a high priest, who sat down at the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in heaven, ² and who serves in the sanctuary, the true tabernacle set up by the Lord, not by a mere human being.

³ Every high priest is appointed to offer both gifts and sacrifices, and so it was necessary for this one also to have something to offer. ⁴ If he were on earth, he would not be a priest, for there are already priests who offer the gifts prescribed by the law. ⁵ They serve at a sanctuary that is a copy and shadow of what is in heaven. This is why Moses was warned when he was about to build the tabernacle: "See to it that you make everything according to the pattern shown you on the mountain." ⁶ But in fact the ministry Jesus has received is as superior to theirs as the covenant of which he is mediator is superior to the old one, since the new covenant is established on better promises.

⁷ For if there had been nothing wrong with that first covenant, no place would have been sought for another. ⁸ But God found fault with the people and said:

"The days are coming, declares the Lord,
when I will make a new covenant
with the people of Israel
and with the people of Judah.

⁹ It will not be like the covenant
I made with their ancestors
when I took them by the hand
to lead them out of Egypt,
because they did not remain faithful to my covenant,
and I turned away from them,
declares the Lord.

¹⁰ This is the covenant I will establish with the people of Israel
after that time, declares the Lord.
I will put my laws in their minds
and write them on their hearts.
I will be their God,
and they will be my people.

¹¹ No longer will they teach their neighbor,
or say to one another, 'Know the Lord,'
because they will all know me,
from the least of them to the greatest.

¹² For I will forgive their wickedness
and will remember their sins no more."

¹³ By calling this covenant "new," he has made the first one obsolete; and what is obsolete and outdated will soon disappear.

Knowing God Through Jesus, the Inaugurator of the New Covenant

Hebrews 8:1-13

Introduction:

1. Recognise Our Need (vv.1-9)

2. Believe God's Promise (vv.10-13)

Conclusion:

Glory to His Name

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Verse 1

Down at the cross where my Savior died
Down where for cleansing from sin I cried
There to my heart was the blood applied
Glory to His name

Refrain

Glory to His name
Glory to His name
There to my heart was the blood applied
Glory to His name

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

Words by Joseph Scriven. Music by Charles Converse.

Verse 1

What a friend we have in Jesus
All our sins and griefs to bear
What a privilege to carry
Everything to God in prayer
O what peace we often forfeit
O what needless pain we bear
All because we do not carry
Everything to God in prayer

Verse 2

Have we trials and temptations
Is there trouble anywhere
We should never be discouraged
Take it to the Lord in prayer
Can we find a friend so faithful
Who will all our sorrows share
Jesus knows our every weakness
Take it to the Lord in prayer

Verse 2

I am so wondrously saved from sin
Jesus so sweetly abides within
There at the cross where He took me in
Glory to His name (Refrain)

Verse 3

O precious fountain that saves from sin
I am so glad I have entered in
There Jesus saves me and keeps me clean
Glory to His name (Refrain)

Verse 3

Are we weak and heavy laden
Cumbered with a load of care
Precious Saviour still our refuge
Take it to the Lord in prayer
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee
Take it to the Lord in prayer
In His arms He'll take and shield thee
Thou wilt find a solace there

Jesus Paid It All (Anthem)

Words by Elina Hall. Music by Joh Grape.

I hear the Savior say
Thy strength indeed is small
Child of weakness watch and pray
Find in Me thine all in all
Jesus paid it all All to Him I owe
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow

For nothing good have I
Whereby Thy grace to claim
I'll wash my garments white
In the blood of Calv'ry's Lamb
Jesus paid it all All to Him I owe
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow

And when before the throne
I stand in Him complete
Jesus died my soul to save
My lips shall still repeat
Jesus paid it all All to Him I owe
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow

The Solid Rock

Words by Edward Mote. Music by William Bradbury.

Verse 1 (All)

My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness
I dare not trust the sweetest frame
But wholly lean on Jesus' Name

Refrain

On Christ the solid Rock I stand
All other ground is sinking sand
All other ground is sinking sand

Verse 2 (Men)

When darkness seems to hide His face
I rest on His unchanging grace
In every high and stormy gale
My anchor holds within the veil
(Refrain: All)

Verse 3 (Women)

His oath, His covenant His blood
Support me in the whelming flood
When all around my soul gives way
He then is all my Hope and Stay
(Refrain: All)

Verse 4 (All)

When He shall come with trumpet sound
Oh may I then in Him be found
Dressed in His righteousness alone
Faultless to stand before the throne
(Refrain: acap)

Glory to His Name

Words by Elisha Hoffman. Music by John Stockton. Public Domain.

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Glory to His name
(Refrain)

Worthy of Worship

Words by Terry York. Music by Mark Blankenship.

Verse 1

Worthy of worship worthy of praise
Worthy of honour and glory
Worthy of all the glad songs we can sing
Worthy of all of the off'rings we bring

Refrain

You are worthy Father Creator
You are worthy Saviour Sustainer
You are worthy
Worthy and wonderful
Worthy of worship and praise

Verse 3

O precious fountain that saves from sin
I am so glad I have entered in
There Jesus saves me and keeps me clean
Glory to His name
(Refrain)

Verse 4

Come to this fountain so rich and sweet
Cast thy poor soul at the Savior's feet
Plunge in today and be made complete
Glory to His name
(Refrain)

Verse 2

Worthy of rev'rence
worthy of fear
Worthy of love and devotion
Worthy of bowing and bending of knees
Worthy of all this and added to these
(Refrain)

Verse 3

Almighty Father
Master and Lord
King of all kings and Redeemer
Wonderful Counselor Comforter Friend
Saviour and Source of our life without end
(Refrain)

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PREACHING THEMES ▪ SERVICE ROSTER

Sunday Service	20 July 2025 Mission Sunday	27 July 2025
Sermon Title	Knowing God Through Jesus, the Inaugurator of the New Covenant	Hold Fast, Jesus Is the Anticipation of the Old Covenant
Scripture Reference	Hebrews 8:1-13	Hebrews 9:1-14
Preacher	Rev Dr Edward Goh	Pr Tan Hui Ru
Worship Leader	Eld Tatang Halim <i>Dcn Samuel Tandijanto</i>	Dcn Samuel Tandijanto <i>Dcn Gabriel Tang</i>
Scripture Reader	Kenneth Koh <i>Ivy Ang</i>	Eld Philip Ong <i>Angelina Leong</i>
Music Director	Dorothy Lie <i>Lye Su-Lin</i>	Dr Agnes Tan
Musicians	Lisa Ong Eunice Tang <i>Hannah Leong</i>	Dr Evelyn Lim Eunice Tang <i>Aubert Saragi</i>
Ushers Team/ Leaders	Team G Tan Gek Khim <i>Team H</i> <i>Alicia Yeo</i>	Team A Veronica Song <i>Team D</i> <i>Ivy Ang</i>
Greeters	Pr Herna Kong Eld Gabriel Tan <i>Pr Ho Wei Liang</i> <i>Dcn Gan Keng Swee</i>	Pr Lim Chung Wei Dcn Mazmur The <i>Rev Dr Edward Goh</i> <i>Eld Paul Johnson</i>
AV Duty Roster	Elson Chan Juniarto Hadiatmadja Dcn Patrick Chow <i>Geoff Holmes</i> <i>Huang Junxiong</i> <i>Dcn Mazmur The</i>	Jabez Selvarajan Selvarajan Rengasamy Mervyn Chua <i>Elson Chan</i> <i>Jane Tham</i>

Bold Italics - Evening Service

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

MISSION SUNDAY (TODAY)

Please support our mission efforts by using the electronic means shown on page 13.

Today's Mission Spot will be a short reflection sharing by our young people's mission trip to Kalasin, Thailand with the mission team from True Way Presbyterian Church. It will be led by Jethro Cheung (AM) and Jeremy Lim (PM).

TTC STUDENTS' FIELD EDUCATION VISIT TO ORPC (27 JULY)

Students from the Trinity Theological College will visit ORPC and worship with us in the morning service on 27 July. They will be hosted by Rev Dr Edward Goh. The purpose of such visits to various churches and denominations is to expose the students to diverse forms of worship and ministry in Singapore.

HOLY COMMUNION ON FIRST SUNDAYS OF THE MONTH (FROM 3 AUG)

Holy Communion will be conducted on first Sundays of the month starting from 3 Aug as part of the move to Suntec due to A&A. This is in anticipation of coordinated efforts with the Indonesian Congregation and PPC on requirements at Suntec.

INTER-GENERATIONAL (IG) SUNDAY SERVICES ON SECOND SUNDAYS OF THE MONTH (FROM 10 AUG)

IG Sunday will be moved from first to second Sunday of the month.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION CLASS (FROM 16 AUG)

The class will be held over 4 Saturdays, on 16, 23, 30 Aug and 6 Sep, from 4.30 – 6.30 pm.
Venue: YWCA at 254 Outram Rd, Singapore 169051:

16 Aug & 6 Sep: Multipurpose Room@level 1

23 & 30 Aug: Conference Room@level 2

Please refer to information on our church website (link copied here)

<https://orpc.sg/resources/forms/marriages-in-orpc/>

For enquiries, please email MAP@ORPC.sg Do register early via

<http://chms.orpc.org.sg/equipping/registration/113/public> The last day of registration is Saturday, 3 Aug.

A&A TRANSITION TO SUNTEC WORSHIP

We have moved to e-bulletin only, with effect from 6 July. If you have *not* joined ORPC's WhatsApp Broadcast, do sign up by scanning the QR code here. You will receive the e-bulletin weekly via the broadcast.

We encourage all worshippers to move to e-offerings to facilitate our operations in Suntec, where we will not have a counting room and safes. If you need help setting up PayNow or electronic transfers, please sign up at the booth outside the Sanctuary after the service.

We will also be putting up signs with QR codes for access to e-bulletin and e-offering as we trial our operations for Suntec worship.



CHOIR REHEARSALS MOVED TO YWCA OUTRAM

Our choir rehearsals (chancel, children and youth) have moved to YWCA Outram@254 Outram Rd, Singapore 169051. Venue: Level 2, Studio.

CHURCH PHONE LINE DOWNTIME NOTICE (21-22 JULY)

Please note that the church office phone line will not be available on 21 and 22 July 2025 due to a system upgrade. No calls can be received during this period. We appreciate your understanding and patience.

ART FOR A&A (26 JULY)

Join us for an afternoon of 2 Art workshops led by passionate artists, each offering a unique, hands-on experience of sketching and watercolour painting.

Date and Time: Sat 26/7, 2 - 4pm

Venue: SHK Hall A & B

Fee: \$40 per person.

Registration and payment:

- Please register with QR code and make payment at the booth in Dunman Hall after the worship services today, 20 July. Please see the bulletin insert.
- Last day of registration: 23/07/2025
- You can also register at this link

<https://chms.orpc.org.sg/eventmodule/registration/156/module/public>

A&A PROJECT & PLEDGE FORM

You may view the series of updates on the A&A project via this link <https://orpc.sg/aanda/>
The pledge form is available as an insert to this bulletin.

BE PART OF A DISCIPLESHIP GROUP

Our Discipleship Groups seek to worship, share life, pray, study God's word and serve Christ together. Come alongside us in our daily growth journey through joining a Discipleship Group. Have a look here <https://orpc.sg/connect/discipleship-groups/> Email discipleshipgroups@orpc.org.sg for more information or speak to one of our staff/leaders.

FLOWER OFFERING

Karen & Kevin Liang: "In every thing, we give thanks to our Heavenly Father."

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 from 15 -29 July.

REGULAR MINISTRY

Children's Ministry	Sundays 9.00-10.30AM 0-2YO @ Creche 3-6YO @ SHKA (L2 Dunman) 7-9YO @ SHKB (L2 Dunman) 10-13YO @ DB5 (Dunman Basement) Contact Ps Ruth (children@orpc.org.sg) for details
Youth Ministry	Sundays 11.00AM-12.30PM Contact Pr Wei Liang (youth@orpc.org.sg) for venues.
Young Adults Ministry	Odd week Sundays 11.00-12.30PM Contact Pr Herna (yam@orpc.org.sg) for venues
Children's Choir/Youth Choir	1 st , 2 nd & 3 rd Saturdays 4.30-6.00PM @Level 2 Studio, YWCA Outram Contact Dr Agnes (worship@orpc.org.sg) for details.
Chancel Choir	Thursdays 7.30-9.30PM @ Level 2 Studio, YWCA Outram Contact Dr Agnes (worship@orpc.org.sg) for details.
Discipleship Groups	Meetings twice a month. Contact Rev Edward (dgm@orpc.org.sg) for details.
Congregational Prayer Meeting	First Wednesday monthly, 7.30-8.30PM [online]

CHURCH-WIDE EVENTS: JULY – OCTOBER 2025

Wed 6 Aug	7.30 pm	Congregational Prayer Meeting [Online]
Wed 3 Sep	7.30 pm	Congregational Prayer Meeting [Online]
Wed 1 Oct	7.30 pm	Congregational Prayer Meeting [Online]
Sat 25 Oct, 1, 8, 15 Nov	10 am	Membership Class [YWCA Outram, L2 Conference Rm]
Sun 26 Oct	9 am & 5.30 pm	ORPC 169 th Anniversary & 508 th Anniversary of Reformation [Suntec Halls 308-311]

TITHES & OFFERINGS

[This is not a general solicitation of funds from the public.]

FOR CONTRIBUTIONS:

Please indicate the type of Giving, i.e. **"ENGLISH - GENERAL"** or **"ENGLISH - MISSION"** at the back of Cheque or in "Comments"/ "Reference" box for PayNow/Interbank Transfer

- (1) **PAYNOW/PAYLAH** [QR Code (Use your Bank App, Scan to Pay)]
 UEN No.: S90CC0750JGRO
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 Payee Name: Orchard Road Presbyterian Church
 Mailing Address: 3 Orchard Road Singapore 238825
- (3) **INTERBANK TRANSFER**
 Beneficiary: Orchard Rd Presbyterian Church – Giro Offering
 Bank: UOB Bank Account No: 450-312-122-5



OUR OFFERING

OFFERING	TARGET <u>01.01.25 - 31.12.25</u>	TARGET TO <u>13.07.2025</u>	RECEIVED TO <u>13.07.2025</u>	YTD SURPLUS/ <u>(SHORTFALL)</u>
GENERAL	\$1,800,000.00	\$969,230.77	\$832,140.36	(\$137,090.41)
MISSIONS	\$250,000.00	\$134,615.38	\$123,245.95	(\$11,369.43)
TOTAL	\$2,050,000.00	\$1,103,846.15	\$955,386.31	(\$148,459.84)

A&A FUNDRAISING

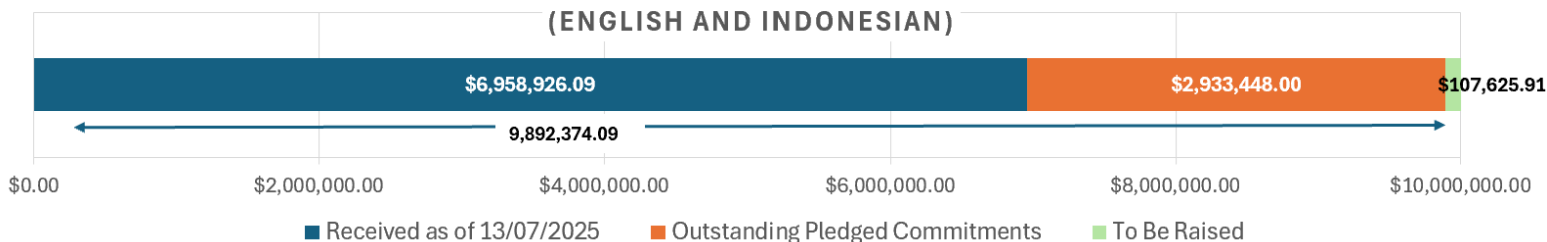
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The Pledge Form may be accessed here <https://bit.ly/ORPCpledge>
 Completed Pledge Forms should be sent to aafundraising@orpc.org.sg

- (1) **PAYNOW/PAYLAH** [QR Code (Use your Bank App, Scan to Pay)]
 UEN No.: S90CC0750JAA1
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 Bank: UOB Bank Account No.: 773-347-101-1



A&A FUNDRAISING (ENGLISH AND INDONESIAN)



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.