## 9 November 2025

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# **Building a Disciple-Making Church**

Inter-Generational Sunday 9–10.30 am

# WE PREPARE OUR HEARTS TO WORSHIP GOD

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

Prelude

Scripture Reading Hebrews 13:7-19

**WE PRAISE GOD** 

Sermon

Follow Your Leaders Who Follow Jesus

Call to Worship

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Hymn of Praise & Adoration Because He Lives Hymn of Response

May The Mind of Christ, Our Savior

Infant Baptism

Child's Name Parents' Names

1. Sarah Grace Yeo En Hui Dominic Yeo Neng Sheng

May Lee Jue Lin

2. Jaycee Ng En Yu Samuel Ng Jun Wen

Tan Xin Yi

WE SERVE GOD IN HIS WORLD

Welcome & Announcements

Offertory

**Prayer of Dedication** 

Doxology

Benediction

Postlude

**WE SEEK GOD** 

Prayer of Confession & Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn of Prayer
The Old Rugged Cross

**Pastoral Prayer** 

Anthem

O How I Love Jesus





# **Building a Disciple-Making Church**

5.30-6.30 pm

Prelude

Call to Worship

Hymns of Praise & Adoration Because He Lives The Wonderful Cross

**Pastoral Prayer** 

The Lord's Prayer

Scripture Reading
Hebrews 13:7-19

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## **SCRIPTURE**

# Hebrews 13:7-19

<sup>7</sup>Remember your leaders, who spoke the word of God to you. Consider the outcome of their way of life and imitate their faith. <sup>8</sup> Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.

<sup>9</sup> Do not be carried away by all kinds of strange teachings. It is good for our hearts to be strengthened by grace, not by eating ceremonial foods, which is of no benefit to those who do so. <sup>10</sup> We have an altar from which those who minister at the tabernacle have no right to eat.

<sup>11</sup>The high priest carries the blood of animals into the Most Holy Place as a sin offering, but the bodies are burned outside the camp. <sup>12</sup>And so Jesus also suffered outside the city gate to make the people holy through his own blood. <sup>13</sup>Let us, then, go to him outside the camp, bearing the disgrace he bore. <sup>14</sup>For here we do not have an enduring city, but we are looking for the city that is to come.

<sup>15</sup>Through Jesus, therefore, let us continually offer to God a sacrifice of praise—the fruit of lips that openly profess his name. <sup>16</sup> And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased.

<sup>17</sup> Have confidence in your leaders and submit to their authority, because they keep watch over you as those who must give an account. Do this so that their work will be a joy, not a burden, for that would be of no benefit to you.

<sup>18</sup> Pray for us. We are sure that we have a clear conscience and desire to live honorably in every way. <sup>19</sup> I particularly urge you to pray so that I may be restored to you soon.

# **SERMON OUTLINE 9 NOV**

# Follow Your Leaders Who Follow Jesus

Hebrews 13:7-19					
Introduction: How can Christians persevere in their faith journey?					
1. Remember your leaders					
2. Submit to your leaders					
Conclusion:					

LYRICS CCLI #346426

# Hymn of Praise & Adoration (AM)

#### **Because He Lives**

Words by Gloria William Gaither. Music by William Gaither.

#### Verse 1

God sent His son they called Him Jesus He came to love heal and forgive He lived and died to buy my pardon An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives

#### Refrain

Because He lives I can face tomorrow Because He lives all fear is gone Because I know He holds the future And life is worth the living just because He lives

#### Verse 2

How sweet to hold a newborn baby And feel the pride and joy he gives But greater still the calm assurance This child can face uncertain days because He lives (Refrain)

#### Verse 3

And then one day I'll cross that river I'll fight life's final war with pain And then as death gives way to vict'ry I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He lives (Refrain)

## Hymn of Prayer (AM)

# The Old Rugged Cross

Words & Music by George Bennard.

# Verse 1 (All)

On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross The emblem of suff'ring and shame And I love that old cross where the dearest and best For a world of lost sinners was slain

# Refrain (All)

So I'll cherish the old rugged cross
Till my trophies at last I lay down
I will cling to the old rugged cross
And exchange it some day for a crown

## Verse 2 (All)

O the old rugged cross so despised by the world Has a wondrous attraction for me For the dear Lamb of God left His glory above To bear it to dark Calvary (Refrain)

#### Verse 3

Men In the old rugged cross stained with blood so divine A wondrous beauty I see
Women For 'twas on that old cross Jesus suffered and died To pardon and sanctify me

Refrain (All)

Verse 4 (All)

To the old rugged cross
I will ever be true
Its shame and reproach gladly bear
Then He'll call me some day
to my home far away
Where His glory forever I'll share
(Refrain)

## **LYRICS**

#### Anthem (AM)

#### O How I Love Jesus

Words and Music by Frederick Whitefield. Additional text by Lynn Shaw Bailey. Arranged by Lyn Shaw Bailey.

#### Verse 1

There is a name I love to hear I love to sing its worth It sounds like music in my ear The sweetest name on earth

#### Refrain

O how I love Jesus
O how I love Jesus
O how I love Jesus
Because He first love me

Verse 2

There is a name I love to share I love to read God's Word To find each story written there The sweetest ever heard (Refrain)

#### Verse 3

There is a name I love to praise
The precious name of Jesus
To love and follow Him all my days
My life, my hope, my trust
(Refrain)

# Hymn of Response (AM & PM)

# May the Mind of Christ, Our Savior

Words by Kate Wilkinson. Music by A. Cyril Barham-Gould.

Verse 1 (All)

May the mind of Christ, our Savior Live in us from day to day By His love and pow'r controlling All we do and say

Verse 2 (All)

May the Word of God dwell richly In our hearts from hour to hour So that all may see us triumph Only through His pow'r

Verse 3 (Men)

May the peace of God my Father Rule our lives in everything That we may be calm to comfort Sick and sorrowing

Verse 4 (Women)
May the love of Jesus fill us
As the waters fill the sea
Him exalting self-abasing
This is victory

Verse 5 (All)

May we run the race before us Strong and brave to face the foe Looking only unto Jesus As we onward go

Verse 6 (All)

May His beauty rest upon us As we seek the lost to win And may they forget the channel Seeing only Him

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#### The Wonderful Cross

Words by Isaac Watts. Music by Lowell Mason. Refrain by Chris Tomlin.

#### Verse 1

When I survey the wondrous cross On which the Prince of Glory died My richest gain I count but loss And pour contempt on all my pride

#### Verse 2

See from His head, His hands, His feet Sorrow and love flow mingled down Did e'er such love and sorrow meet Or thorns compose so rich a crown

#### Refrain

O the wonderful cross
O the wonderful cross
Bids me come and die and find
That I may truly live

O the wonderful cross
O the wonderful cross
All who gather here by grace
Draw near and bless Your name

#### Verse 3

Were the whole realm of nature mine That were an offering far too small Love so amazing so divine Demands my soul my life my all (Refrain)

# PREACHING THEMES • SERVICE ROSTER

Sunday Service	9 Nov	16 Nov	
	Inter-Generational Sunday Infant Baptism	Mission Sunday	
Sermon Title	Follow Your Leaders Who Follow Jesus	The Call of Jeremiah	
Scripture Reference	Hebrews 13:7-19	Jeremiah 1:1-10	
Preacher	Rev Dr Clive Chin	Rev Dr Clive Chin	
Worship Leader	Dcn Li-Ki Khaw	Eld Debbie Seah	
	Eld Liow Koh Chuan	Eld Paul Johnson	
Scripture Reader	Allyster Faith Niegos	Joshua Ang	
	Angeline Leong	Victor Tan	
Music Director	Dr Agnes Tan	Dr Agnes Tan	
Musicians	Eunice Tang	Patrick Harjardi	
	James The	Eunice Tang	
	Audrey Teh		
	Charly Lie		
	Aubert Saragi	Hannah Leong	
Ushers Team/	Team G	Team A	
Leaders	Tan Gek Khim	Veronica Song	
	Team D	Team B	
	Ivy Ang	Ang Eng Joo	
Greeters	Pr Ho Wei Liang	Pr Herna Kong	
	Eld Dr Chung Lai Hong	Eld Neo Kian Hong	
	Pr Lim Chung Wei	Pr Kenneth Teo	
	Dcn Lim Yui Nguan	Dcn Benjamin Ong	
AV Duty Roster	Elson Chan	Jabez Selvarajan	
	Juniarto Hadiatmadja	Selvarajan Rengasamy	
	Dcn Patrick Chow	Mervyn Chua	
	Geoff Holmes	Elson Chan	
	Huang Junxiong	Jane Tham	
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**Bold Italics** - Evening Service

## **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

# EXTRAORDINARY CONGREGATIONAL MEETING (ECM) FOR ELECTION OF ELDERS (16 NOV)

Notice is hereby given that the ECM will be held onsite in the Suntec Halls 308-311 on Sunday, 16 November 2025 (after the morning and evening worship services) for the election of elders. Session received one nomination for a new elder and nominations for three elders for their second term. Details of the four candidates are set out in today's insert. Voting will be done in-person on Sunday, 16 November 2025. <a href="https://orpc.sg/events/ecm-election-of-elders-on-16-nov-2025/">https://orpc.sg/events/ecm-election-of-elders-on-16-nov-2025/</a>

All members are requested to register and collect your voting slip *before* the start of worship service on 16 November 2025. **Please come early**.

Please bring your NRIC for verification and registration purposes on Sunday, 16 November.

- 9 AM Service: Registration from 8.15 9.00 a.m. outside Halls 308-311.
- 5.30 PM Service: Registration from 4.45 5.30 p.m. outside Halls 308-311.

**IMPORTANT**: If you are unable to attend the ECM on 16 November 2025, you are encouraged to authorise another member as proxy to vote on your behalf. You may download a Proxy Form here <u>Proxy Form ECM 16 Nov 2025</u> Your proxy must bring the duly completed and <u>signed hardcopy form</u> with him/her to the ECM on 16 November for your vote to be counted. One proxy per person.

# **BIRTHDAY MINISTRY (21 NOV)**

Calling all to minister God's love and presence to residents at PCS Cedar Tree AAC@Bukit Merah! Volunteer with us (both individuals and DGs are welcome) to spend a meaningful morning with the seniors through singing and music, games, facilitating activities, and conversations. Friday, 21 Nov, 9am-12noon. Sign up <a href="https://tinyurl.com/BDMinNov25">https://tinyurl.com/BDMinNov25</a> by Monday, 17 Nov. Refer to the bulletin insert for details.

## **EPMC'S MISSION CONVERSATION ON YWAM (29 NOV)**

Interested in learning more about gospel outreach to migrant workers? The English Presbytery Missions Committee invites us to their upcoming Mission Conversation. Attendees will hear more about Youth With A Mission's (YWAM) weekly outreach programme to migrant workers called "Operation Honour". Saturday, 29 Nov, 9.30am-12.30pm @ Synod Office, One Holland Village #01-19. **Sign up by Monday 17 Nov**. Refer to bulletin insert for QR registration and further details.

# SoCM CLASS— AUTHENTIC COMMUNITY: EXPERIENCING GENUINE FELLOWSHIP IN THE BODY OF CHRIST (30 NOV)

The class will be conducted by Rev Dr Clive Chin from 11.15am – 12.45pm in the FES Conference Room. All are welcome. Please see the insert for details.

Venue: FES Conference Room located at 420 North Bridge Centre #05-04, S(188727).

#### SUNTEC WORSHIP RECRUITMENT

We thank God for those who have responded to serve in the below ministry. We are still looking for more people to serve, especially in the evening service for AV and ushering duty.

# 1. Ushering ministry - 10 for evening service

- a. Will be assigned to an usher team on monthly duty
- b. To greet and welcome people for ORPC worship and engage them on any queries
- c. Usher duties will evolve and be finetuned for worship at Suntec

# 2. AV ministry – 3 for morning service and 4 for evening service

- a. Mainly focus on AV equipment set-up and tear down as a start. Monthly duty as part of the larger team with ORPC, GPO and PPC
- b. Will undergo a 3-month adaptation phase (observing and training) for AV duty

Please contact worship@orpc.org.sg for more details.

#### OPENING YOUR HOME FOR DISCIPLESHIP GROUPS

We are seeking members who live near ORPC or Suntec to graciously open their homes for our Discipleship Groups. These gatherings will take place on weekday evenings or weekends over the next two years. If you're able to offer your space as a place of fellowship and spiritual growth, please connect with Rev. Edward or any of our pastors. Your hospitality can help nurture deep discipleship and community.

#### 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 <a href="https://orpc.sg/connect/discipleship-groups/">https://orpc.sg/connect/discipleship-groups/</a> Email <a href="mailtogistalign: discipleshipgroups@orpc.org.sg">discipleshipgroups@orpc.org.sg</a> for more information or speak to one of our staff/leaders.

#### **A&A PROJECT & PLEDGE FORM**

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

#### MARRIAGE PREPARATION CLASS

For details and requirements, please refer to the information on our church website <a href="https://orpc.sg/resources/forms/marriages-in-orpc/">https://orpc.sg/resources/forms/marriages-in-orpc/</a> Register for the marriage preparation class via <a href="http://chms.orpc.org.sg/equipping/registration/165/public">http://chms.orpc.org.sg/equipping/registration/165/public</a> Do also refer to website of the Registry of Marriages, Singapore, for requirements.

## PERSONAL PARTICULARS

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

#### GENTLE REMINDER: PLEASE KEEP THE HALLS CLEAN

Let us be considerate to the next congregation who will use these same halls. Please bring your trash along with you as you leave the halls after this service and discard candy wrappers, used tissue paper, etc. into waste bins. Thank you for your cooperation.

#### **STAFF UPDATE**

Pr Ho Wei Liang will be on leave 11, 13-28 Nov.

# **REGULAR MINISTRY**

Children's Ministry	Sundays 9.00-10.30AM 0-6YO @ Hall 302, Suntec 7-9YO @ Hall 301, Suntec 10-13YO @ Hall 300, Suntec Contact Ps Ruth (children@orpc.org.sg) for details
Youth Ministry	Sundays 11.00AM-12.30PM Contact Pr Kenneth Teo (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
Discipleship Groups	Meetings twice a month. Contact Rev Edward (dgm@orpc.org.sg) for details
Children's Choir/Youth Choir	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturdays 4.30-6.00PM @Level 2 Studio, YWCA Outram Contact Dr Agnes ( <u>worship@orpc.org.sg</u> ) for details
Chancel Choir	Thursdays 7.30-9.30PM @Level 2 Studio, YWCA Outram Contact Dr Agnes (worship@orpc.org.sg) for details
Orchestra	Contact Dr Agnes (worship@orpc.org.sg) for details
Congregational Prayer Meeting	First Wednesday monthly, 7.30-8.30PM [online]
Handiwork Local Outreach	Every Monday @PCS Cedar Tree AAC Strathmore Every Tuesday @PCS Cedar Tree AAC Tampines West 1.30-3.30PM Contact <u>missions@orpc.org.sg</u> for details

CHURCH-WIDE EVENTS: NOVEMBER - DECEMBER 2025				
Sun 9 Nov	9 am & 5.30 pm	Infant Baptism [Suntec Halls 308-311]		
Sat 15 Nov	10 am	Membership Class [YWCA Outram, L2 Studio]		
Sun 16 Nov	9 am & 5.30 pm	ECM – Election of Elders & Deacons [Suntec Halls 308-311]		
Sun 30 Nov	9 am & 5.30 pm	1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent [Suntec Halls 308-311]		
Wed 3 Dec	7.30 pm	Congregational Prayer Meeting [Online]		
Sun 7 Dec	9 am & 5.30 pm	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent [Online]		
Sun 14 Dec	9 am & 5.30 pm	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent Membership Sunday		
Sun 21 Dec	9 am & 5.30 pm	Lessons & Carols [Suntec Halls 308-311]		
Thu 25 Dec	10 am	Christmas Day Service [Suntec Halls 308-311]		

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#### 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

Payee Name: Orchard Rd Presbyterian Church - Giro Offering

(2) CHEQUE or CASHIER'S ORDER

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**

	TARGET	TARGET TO	<b>RECEIVED TO</b>	YTD SURPLUS/
OFFERING	<u>01.01.25 - 31.12.25</u>	<u>02.11.2025</u>	<u>02.11.2025</u>	(SHORTFALL)
GENERAL	\$1,800,000.00	\$1,523,076.92	\$1,301,532.71	(\$221,544.21)
MISSIONS	\$250,000.00	\$211,538.46	\$192,804.82	(\$18,733.64)
TOTAL	\$2,050,000.00	\$1,734,615.38	\$1,494,337.53	(\$240,277.85)

## **A&A FUNDRAISING**

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

Payee Name: Orchard Road Presbyterian Church - A&A Project

(2) CHEQUE or CASHIER'S ORDER

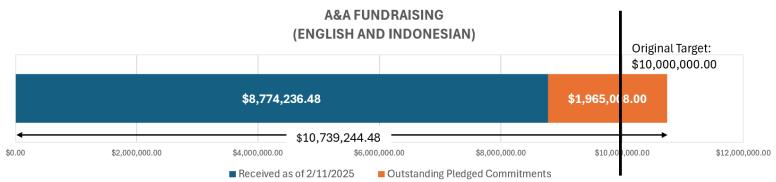
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Mailing Address: 3 Orchard Road, Singapore 238825

(3) INTERBANK TRANSFER

Account Name: Orchard Road Presbyterian Church - A&A Project





# **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.