

2 August 2026

AM

Building a Disciple-Making Church

Holy Communion Sunday

9–10.30am

WE PREPARE OUR HEARTS TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude

WE PRAISE GOD

Call to Worship

Hymn of Praise & Adoration
I Sing the Mighty Power of God

WE SEEK GOD

Prayer of Confession & Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn of Prayer
It Took a Miracle

The Apostles' Creed

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem
How Great Thou Art

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading
Psalms 136; Ephesians 1:3-6

Sermon
*I Believe in God the Father Almighty,
Creator of Heaven and Earth*

Hymn of Response
This Is My Father's World

WE CELEBRATE HOLY COMMUNION

Sacrament of Holy Communion

WE SERVE GOD IN HIS WORLD

Welcome & Announcements

Offertory

Prayer of Dedication

Doxology

Benediction

Postlude



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PM

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5.30—6.30pm

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SCRIPTURE

Psalm 136

¹ Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good.

His love endures forever.

² Give thanks to the God of gods.

His love endures forever.

³ Give thanks to the Lord of lords:

His love endures forever.

⁴ to him who alone does great wonders,

His love endures forever.

⁵ who by his understanding made the heavens,

His love endures forever.

⁶ who spread out the earth upon the waters,

His love endures forever.

⁷ who made the great lights—

His love endures forever.

⁸ the sun to govern the day,

His love endures forever.

⁹ the moon and stars to govern the night;

His love endures forever.

¹⁰ to him who struck down the firstborn of Egypt

His love endures forever.

¹¹ and brought Israel out from among them

His love endures forever.

¹² with a mighty hand and outstretched arm;

His love endures forever.

¹³ to him who divided the Red Sea asunder

His love endures forever.

¹⁴ and brought Israel through the midst of it,

His love endures forever.

¹⁵ but swept Pharaoh and his army into the Red Sea;

His love endures forever.

¹⁶ to him who led his people through the wilderness;

His love endures forever.

¹⁷ to him who struck down great kings,

His love endures forever.

¹⁸ and killed mighty kings—

His love endures forever.

¹⁹ Sihon king of the Amorites

His love endures forever.

²⁰ and Og king of Bashan—

His love endures forever.

²¹ and gave their land as an inheritance,

His love endures forever.

²² an inheritance to his servant Israel.

His love endures forever.

²³ He remembered us in our low estate

His love endures forever.

²⁴ and freed us from our enemies.

His love endures forever.

²⁵ He gives food to every creature.

His love endures forever.

²⁶ Give thanks to the God of heaven.

His love endures forever.

Ephesians 1:3-6

³ 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. ⁴ For he chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. In love ⁵ he predestined us for adoption to sonship through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will— ⁶ to the praise of his glorious grace, which he has freely given us in the One he loves.

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.

SERMON OUTLINE 2 AUG

I Believe in God the Father Almighty, Creator of Heaven and Earth

Psalm 136; Ephesians 1:3-6

When everything falls apart what do we hold on to?

1. The Father Almighty as Creator

2. The Father Almighty as Redeemer

Conclusion

Hymn of Praise & Adoration (AM & PM)

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

Words by Isaac Watts. Arranged by Mack Wilberg.

Verse 1

I sing the mighty power of God
That made the mountains rise
That spread the flowing seas abroad
And built the lofty skies

I sing the wisdom that ordained
The sun to rule the day
The moon shines full at His command
And all the stars obey

Verse 2

I sing the goodness of the Lord
That filled the earth with food
He formed the creatures with His word
And then pronounced them good

Lord, how Thy wonders are displayed
Where'er I turn my eye
If I survey the ground I tread
Or gaze upon the skies

Verse 3

There's not a plant or flower below
But makes Thy glories known
And clouds arise and tempests blow
By order from Thy throne

While all that borrows life from Thee
Is ever in Thy care
And everywhere that we can be
Thou, God, art present there

Hymn of Prayer (AM)

It Took a Miracle

Words & Music by John W Peterson.

Verse 1

My Father is omnipotent
And that you can't deny
A God of might and miracles
'Tis written in the sky

(Refrain)

It took a miracle to put the stars in place
It took a miracle to hang the world in space
But when He saved our soul
Cleansed and made us whole
It took a miracle of love and grace

Verse 2

Though here His glory has been shown
We still can't fully see
The wonders of His might His throne
'Twill take eternity

(Refrain)

Verse 3

The Bible tells us of His power
And wisdom all way through
And every little bird and flower
Are testimonies too

(Refrain)

Anthem (AM)

How Great Thou Art

Words and Music by Stuart Kine.

Verse 1

O Lord my God
When I in awesome wonder
Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made
I see the stars I hear the rolling thunder
Thy power throughout
The universe displayed

Refrain

Then sings my soul my Savior God to Thee
How great Thou art
How great Thou art

Verse 2

When through the woods
And forest glades I wander
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees
When I look down
From lofty mountain grandeur
And hear the brook
And feel the gentle breeze
(Refrain)

Verse 3

And when I think
That God His Son not sparing
Sent Him to die I scarce can take it in
That on the cross my burden gladly bearing
He bled and died to take away my sin
(Refrain)

Verse 4

When Christ shall come
With shout of acclamation
And take me home
What joy shall fill my heart
Then I shall bow in humble adoration
And then proclaim
My God how great Thou art
(Refrain)

Hymn of Response (AM & PM)

This Is My Father's World

Words by Maltbie Babcock. Music by Franklin Sheppard.

Verse 1

This is my Father's world
And to my listening ears
All nature sings and round me rings
The music of the spheres

This is my Father's world

I rest me in the thought
Of rocks and trees of skies and seas
His hand the wonders wrought

Verse 2

This is my Father's world
The birds their carols raise
The morning light the lily white
Declare their Maker's praise

This is my Father's world

He shines in all that's fair
In the rustling grass I hear Him pass
He speaks to me everywhere

Verse 3

This is my Father's world
O let me ne'er forget
That though the wrong
Seems oft so strong
God is the ruler yet

This is my Father's world

The battle is not done
Jesus who died shall be satisfied
And earth and heav'n be one

PREACHING THEMES ▪ SERVICE ROSTER

Sunday Service	2 Aug	9 Aug
Sermon Title	Holy Communion Sunday I Believe in God the Father Almighty, Creator of Heaven and Earth	Mission Sunday We Believe in Jesus Christ, His Only Son, Our Lord
Scripture Reference	Psalms 136; Ephesians 1:3-6	John 1:14-18
Preacher	Pr Kenneth Teo	Rev Dr Clive Chin
Children's Message	-	Pr Kenneth Teo
Worship Leader	Eld Neo Kian Hong <i>Eld Paul Johnson</i>	Dcn Benjamin Goh <i>Dcn Mazmur The</i>
Scripture Reader	Garren Huang <i>Angelina Leong</i>	Stephanie Lim <i>Rebecca Lim</i>
Music Director	Dr Agnes Tan	Dr Agnes Tan
Musicians	Michelle Kho Eunice Tang Howard Law <i>Hannah Leong</i> <i>Natalie Chu, Lim Yan Di</i>	Audrey Teh Lisa Ong Eunice Tang <i>Charis Koh</i>
Ushers Team/ Leaders	Team A Veronica Song <i>Team F</i> <i>Alicia Yeo</i>	Team B Jimmy Tan <i>Team D</i> <i>Ivy Ang</i>
Greeters	Pr Herna Kong (Duty Ps) Dcn Benjamin Ong <i>Pr Lim Chung Wei (Duty Ps)</i> <i>Eld Liow Koh Chuan</i>	Pr Tan Hui Ru (Duty Ps) Eld Samuel Tandijanto <i>Pr Kenneth Teo (Duty Ps)</i> <i>Eld Paul Johnson</i>
AV Duty Roster	Jabez Selvarajan Selvarajan Rengasamy <i>Elson Chan</i> <i>Jane Tham</i> <i>Chong Yee Seng</i> <i>Cecilia Tong</i>	Jabez Ong Jethro Cheung Tan Shir Ee Winduputra Prasetijo <i>Althaea Wangko</i> <i>Irene Tu</i> <i>Stephen Sumarli</i>
Prayer Support	Pr Herna Kong Ps John Chew <i>Pr Lim Chung Wei</i> <i>Dr Agnes Tan</i>	Pr Tan Hui Ru Ps John Chew <i>Pr Kenneth Teo</i> <i>Pr Herna Kong</i>

Bold Italics - Evening Service

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

MONTHLY CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER MEETING (5 AUG)

Our next prayer meeting will be on Wed, 5 Aug, 7.30 – 8.30pm, onsite in the Studio (YWCA Outram, L2) and via Zoom simultaneously. The Zoom link will be posted on the WhatsApp broadcast and various ministries' group chats. All are encouraged to attend.

EVANGELISM EQUIPPING (EE) TRAINING (FROM 24 AUG)

Be equipped to share Christ clearly and confidently through the 23rd Classic EE Training. Mondays, 24 August–12 October 2026, 7.30–9.30pm, at YWCA Outram, 254 Outram



Road, S(169051). Make-up lessons are available. Suitable for anyone who desires to grow in evangelism. Please email Dr Lion Soegiharto for any questions - Isoegiharto@eeworks.org Register via the QR code or this link <https://tinyurl.com/ee232026>

JOHOR OUTING ORGANISED BY CONGREGATIONAL FELLOWSHIP (10 SEP)

The Congregational Fellowship will be organising a one-day outing to Johor on Thursday, 10 September 2026. Please see the bulletin insert for more details. The brief details are:

- Theme for the gathering: Fellowship Sojourn in Johor
- Date and time: Thursday, 10 September 2026 from 7am
- Meet at the car park beside the Newton Food Centre at 7am
- Maximum capacity: 44 persons on first come first served basis

Fees:	Adult	\$35	Children (3-12 years old)	\$20
	Non-working young adult	\$20	Children (Below 3 years old)	FOC
	Youth (13-19 years old)	\$20		

Registration and payment:

- Please register with the QR code and make payment at the booth after the worship services on 2, 9 and 16 August 2026.
- The last day for registration is on 16 August 2026
- You can also register via the QR code here or this link

<http://chms.orpc.org.sg/eventmodule/registration/186/module/public>



APOSTLES' CREED SERIES

From 19 July to 20 September, we will journey together through the Apostles' Creed in our sermon and Discipleship Group (DG) series. The Creed is a timeless summary of the Christian faith, helping us to understand, cherish, and confidently proclaim the gospel we believe. We encourage everyone to join a DG to make the most of this series. If you are not yet in a DG, you can sign up at the Welcome Table outside the sanctuary.

FOLLOWING JESUS

Registrations are now open for *Following Jesus*, a group for anyone exploring the Christian faith, seeking to grow as a disciple, or wanting to be better equipped to share the gospel and disciple others.

Beginning in the first week of August 2026, we will journey through two video-based series:

Christianity Explored (Mark's Gospel) – 7 sessions

Discipleship Explored (Philippians) – 8 sessions

Participants are welcome to join either series on its own or continue from *Christianity Explored* into *Discipleship Explored*. This allows those who complete the first series to transition naturally into the second, while new participants may also join at the start of either series.

Each session includes video teaching, discussion, and opportunities to ask questions. Pr Kenneth will be facilitating the sessions. Exact dates and meeting mode (online/in-person) will depend on availability of those who sign up. Please register your interest at the Welcome Table.

NEXT ONLINE WORSHIP SUNDAYS 22 NOV & 6 DEC

We will worship together online at <https://orpc.sg/connect/worshipwithus/> on these dates listed here, as there will be no in-person AM and PM worship services at Suntec: 22 Nov and 6 Dec 2026 (*updated*). The service will be available online from 9 a.m. We encourage Discipleship Groups (DGs) to gather to worship together.

SUNTEC WORSHIP RECRUITMENT

Praise God for the smooth transition to Suntec Worship over the past couple of months. A *thank you* to all who have stepped up to serve but we still need more to serve in the following areas. Please contact worship@orpc.org.sg for more details.

1. Ushering ministry – 5 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 queries

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 English, ORPC Indonesian, and PPC
- b. Will undergo a 3-month adaptation phase (observing and training) for AV duty

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.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION CLASS

For details and requirements, please refer to the information on our church website

<https://orpc.sg/resources/forms/marriages-in-orpc/> Register for the marriage preparation class via <http://chms.orpc.org.sg/equipping/registration/165/public>

Do also refer to website of the Registry of Marriages, Singapore, for requirements.

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.

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-Fri).

RECRUITMENT—ADMIN EXECUTIVE, ENGLISH PRESBYTERY (EP) OFFICE

The EP Office has a vacancy for an admin executive. See the insert for details.

STAFF UPDATE

Ps Ruth Tong is on leave 31 July – 11 August.

REGULAR MINISTRY

Children's Ministry	Sundays 9.00-10.30AM 0-6YO @ Hall 312-1, Suntec 7-9YO @ Hall 312-2, Suntec 10-13YO @ Hall 333, Suntec Contact Ps Ruth (children@orpc.org.sg) for details
Youth Ministry	Sundays 11.00AM-12.30PM Contact Pr Kenneth (youth@orpc.org.sg) for venues
Young Adults Ministry	Odd week Sundays 11.00-12.30PM Contact Pr Hui Ru (yam@orpc.org.sg) for venues
Discipleship Groups	Meetings twice a month. Contact discipleshipgroups@orpc.org.sg for details
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
Handbells & Orchestra	Contact Dr Agnes (worship@orpc.org.sg) for details
Congregational Prayer Meeting	First Wednesday monthly, 7.30-8.30PM [hybrid]

CHURCH-WIDE EVENTS: AUGUST – OCTOBER 2026

Wed 5 Aug	7.30pm	Congregational Prayer Meeting [Online & Studio, YWCA Outram]
Wed 2 Sep	7.30pm	Congregational Prayer Meeting [Online & Studio, YWCA Outram]
Thu 10 Sep		Johor Outing by CF
Wed 7 Oct	7.30pm	Congregational Prayer Meeting [Online & Studio, YWCA Outram]
Sun 25 Oct	9am & 5.30pm	ORPC 170 th Anniversary & 509 th Anniversary of Reformation [Suntec Halls 308-311]
Sat 31 Oct, 7, 14, 21 Nov	10am	Membership Class [Studio, YWCA Outram]

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

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

OFFERING	TARGET 01.01.26 - 31.12.26	TARGET TO 26.07.2026	RECEIVED TO 26.07.2026	YTD SURPLUS/ (SHORTFALL)
GENERAL	\$1,800,000.00	\$1,038,461.54	\$855,884.13	(\$182,577.41)
MISSIONS	\$250,000.00	\$144,230.77	\$147,159.32	\$2,928.55
TOTAL	\$2,050,000.00	\$1,182,692.31	\$1,003,043.45	(\$179,648.86)

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

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

(2) CHEQUE or CASHIER'S ORDER

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

Mailing Address: 3 Orchard Road, Singapore 238825

(3) INTERBANK TRANSFER

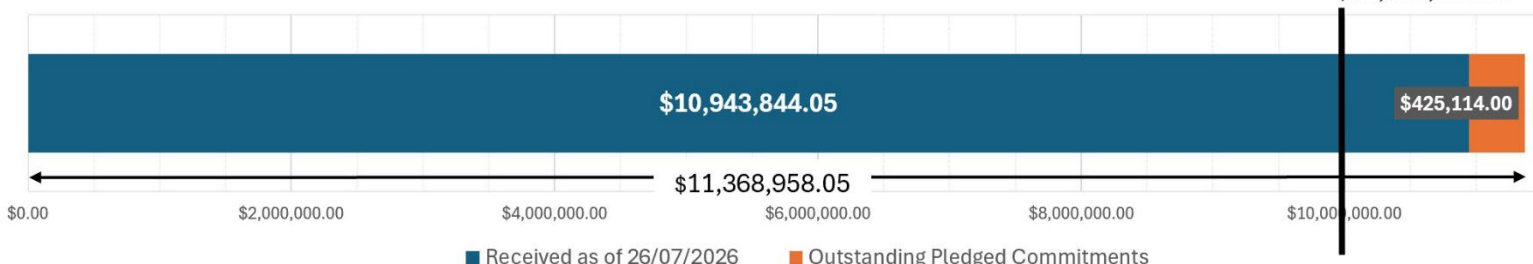
Account Name: Orchard Road Presbyterian Church - A&A Project

Bank: UOB Bank Account No.: 773-347-101-1



A&A FUNDRAISING (ENGLISH AND INDONESIAN)

Original Target:
\$10,000,000.00



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 is Providence Presbyterian Church. From Oct 2025 to Nov 2027 (projected), ORPC is worshipping at Suntec City Convention Centre while renovation works are ongoing.

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.

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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.