# Make Disciples Intentionally



17 March 2024

Church Direction 2022-2024

Know God Intimately Love People Genuinely

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# Welcome To Faith!

#### **ACTIVITIES**

#### 1. OSC Outreach to Adopt-A-Block (AAB) for Holy Week Services

Hello AAB groups! AAB Outreach for Easter is from 16 to 30 March. Invite the AAB residents to our FMC Holy Week / Resurrection Sunday services or Mandarin Resurrection Harvest Service on 31 March. Collection of flyers from Level 3 lift area from 16 to 30 March.

#### 2. Holy Week Services

Maundy Thursday Bilingual Service @ 400 Commonwealth Drive (CW)	28 Mar, 8pm @ Sanctuary (Level 1) Speaker: Rev. Dr Gregory Goh, Chinese Annual Conference President
Good Friday Combined Service @ 400 Commonwealth Drive (CW) Online @ faithmc.sg/livestream SunJam Children's Programme available (For 3-12 year olds)	29 Mar, 8am @ Sanctuary (Level 1) or Worship Hall (Level 4) Speaker: Bishop, Rev. Dr Gordon Wong
Good Friday Mandarin Service @ Anglo Chinese Junior College 25 Dover Close East, Singapore 139745	29 Mar, 10.15am @ Level 2 School Hall
Shuttle Bus Service : 9:15am. Wait near taxi stand outside FMC. Online @ <b>faithmc.sg/livestream</b>	
Resurrection Sunday Combined Service @ 400 Commonwealth Drive (CW) Online @ faithmc.sg/livestream SunJam Children's Programme available (For 3-12 year olds)	31 Mar, 11.15am @ Sanctuary (Level 1) or Worship Hall (Level 4) Speaker: Rev. Stanley Chua, Trinity Annual Conference President
Mandarin Resurrection Harvest Service — The Power of Resurrection! @ Anglo Chinese Junior College 25 Dover Close East, Singapore 139745	31 Mar, 10.15am @ Level 2 School Hall
Shuttle Bus Service : 9:15am. Wait near taxi stand outside FMC.	
<b>Join us for lunch after the service!</b> Online @ <u>faithmc.sg/livestream</u>	

#### The Work

# 2 Timothy 2:2

## 3. How to Read & Study The Bible

As a Christian, we read and study the Bible. Different people adopt different methods of reading and studying the Bible. Have you ever wondered if there is a systematic way to read and study the Bible to help you grow and know God more intimately?

Sign up for this course where you can learn to study the Bible as a community. The class trainers are Mr Chow Tat Keong & Mr Aaron Chua from the Discipleship & Nurture Ministry.

**Dates**: 23 Apr & 30 Apr 2024 (Tuesdays)

**Time**: 7:30pm-9:30pm

**Venue:** Rev TC Nga Hall (Level 4) (Minimum number for class to commence:

10 pax. Maximum number: 20 pax)

To register, go to faithmc.sg/event/readbible/by 18 Apr 2024

#### 4. Journey with Jesus

Have you visited Journey with Jesus? This is the **last week!** Don't miss the opportunity to spend time in meditative prayer, reflecting on key events from Jesus' journey to the cross.

Some stations will have activities or visuals to guide you in understanding our sins and how we should feel in response to what Jesus has done for us. The stations seek to engage our senses and our emotions and to lead us into a deeper faith experience of Jesus' sacrificial love for us. It is for us to connect in prayer with Him as we begin the journey and as we end at the last Station.

Journey with Jesus (JWJ) is available in English and Mandarin. Watch and share our JWJ reel here@
tinyurl.com/FMCJWJ

Dates: Until 23 Mar 2024 (closed on

Thursdays and Sundays)

**Time**: 12pm-9.30pm, Last entry at

8.30pm;

Venue: Rev TC Nga Hall (Level 4)

No pre-registration needed. Hurry! Come visit before JWJ closes.

#### 5. Kairos Course

This is a nine-session, interactive course on World Christian mission, designed to educate, inspire and challenge Christians to active and meaningful participation. The course utilizes a variety of adult learning styles including group discussions, short lecture introduction, devotions, video teaching and student participation in specially designed activities. Kairos looks at the four main areas of mission concern which are the Biblical, Historical, Strategic and Cultural dimensions of mission

**Hybrid Kairos Course** starting in April.

8 Tuesday Nights

Dates: 2 Apr, 9 Apr, 14 May, 21 May

(onsite)

**Venue**: Koinonia Room 1, 2, 3 **Dates:** 16 Apr, 23 Apr, 30 Apr,

7 May (online via Zoom)

Time: 7.30pm-9.30pm Integration & Graduation

Date: 1 June 2024 (Sat)

**Time**: 9am-4pm

Venue: Wesley Hall (Attic level)

# Course fees (include Kairos reader and refreshments):

- · \$80 (non-FMC)
- · \$20 (FMC members and worshippers)

To sign up, go to faithmc.sg/event/kairos/

For enquiries, please email Florence Fong at florencefong@faithmc.sg

# 6. Disciple's Prayer Life (DPL): Walking in Fellowship with God

Discover in this life-changing course what most people take a lifetime to learn! Find out how to develop a life of prayer, give thanks and worship God in prayer, use Scripture in prayer and make decisions based on biblical principles, apply principles of asking, deal with unanswered prayer and hindrances to prayer, and more!

**Dates:** Apr 12, 19, 26

May 3, 10, 17, 31 Jun 7, 14, 21, 28 Jul 12, 19, 26 (Fridays)

**Time**: 7.30pm – 9.30pm

**Venue**: Doulos Room (Level 4) **Cost**: \$13.25 (resource book

after church subsidy)

**Trainers:** Ms Ng Soh Lan, with

DPL alumni Dr Christie Tan,

Ms Wong Oi Mei and Mr William Tang

To sign up, go to faithmc.sg/event/discipleprayer/by 5 Apr 2024.

For enquiries, please email Linda Pang at lindapang@faithmc.sg 7. Seniors Life Activities
i) Seniors LIFE Camp in Penang.
Only for Seniors.

**Date:** 8-11 May

**Theme:** Time Of Refreshing **Speaker:** Rev. Reuben Ng

Registration is closed. As the camp is oversubscribed, we will conduct a ballot and inform all in due course.

ii) Worship Service(El Shaddai – Lord God Almighty)

Date:27 Mar 2024Time:2.30pm-5.00pmVenue:Worship Hall, Level 4Speaker:Rev. Reuben Ng

All are welcome. Registration is not required.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

## 1. Special Collection For Full-Time Ministry Workers

We would like to thank Faith for your generous Chinese New Year gifts during the special CNY Blessings collection. A total of \$57.648 was collected for Pastors; Faith MC staff, FaithActs, Joint Management Committee Staff, Local & Overseas Mission Workers and Faith Methodist Preschool staff.

#### 2. Fellowship with Drinks TODAY!

Enjoy some coffee, tea, soy bean and grass jelly drinks at Level 3 carpark@CW and the void deck@ACJC today.

Please note that due to drinks being served at the Level 3 carpark of our Commonwealth premises, the Level 3 carpark will be closed. Members are advised to park at the neighbouring HDB estates instead. Please do not park at the basement carpark as it is reserved for OCMC members only.

#### 3. Be Alert to Scams

A scam is designed to trick you into giving away your money, personal details or data by offering an attractive deal or false information. The top scams in the recent months are:

- 1. E-Commerce scam
- 2. Job scam
- 3. Investment scam
- 4. Phishing scam
- 5. Fake friend call scam

The best way to protect yourself from scams is to learn how to recognise the signs.

#### Here are the five main scam signs:

01. TEMPTING OFFERS

You see offers that are way below market or at inconceivable rates 02. UNEXPECTED FRIEND REQUESTS You get an online friend request from an unknown person.

03. PAY BY GIFT CARDS OR CREDIT You are asked to pay for service with gift cards or shopping credits. 04. URGENT MONEY TRANSFERS You are asked to make urgent funds transfers.

**05. OTP REQUESTS** You are asked to reveal your One-Time Passwords (OTPs).

Protect yourself by using **ACT**-Add the ScamShield app and other security features so you are less likely to fall victim to scams.

Check for scam signs and with official sources. You can also verify with people you trust whenever you are in doubt. **T**ell authorities if you encounter scams and share the latest scam alerts with friends and family.

If you have fallen prey to a scam, report to your bank and file a police report. You can also report scam calls and messages you receive via the ScamShield app. Be particularly mindful of those who may be more vulnerable to scammers, such as friends or family seeking companionship, jobs, offers, or investments.

If at Church, you are approached by anyone who wants to borrow money, please refer them to our church office or call the church at 6471 9420 during office hours.

### 4. Holy Week Services @ TPMC (by MCS)

The Holy Week services are scheduled from 25 - 27 March (Monday to Wednesday) and will be held at Toa Pavoh Methodist Church from 8.00 p.m. nightly. Bishop will be sharing from Isaiah 56 - 58 in English, and Mandarin translations are provided.

You are encouraged to attend in person. Alternatively, livestream is also available via methodist.org.sg/holyweek2024

#### 5. Attic Library Promotion

Library Promotion - Easter This March, the Library has curated a special selection of books which will guide you during this Lent season as you reflect upon Jesus' ministry, sacrifice and love for us. Learn more about the significance of Lent, the road to the Cross, and how we can prepare our hearts as we celebrate Easter and the joy of Jesus' resurrection.

We have good resources which will help in your discipleship journey, so come and check out the eLibrary and physical Libraries at CW and ACJC. Library membership is free, and you can sign up physically at the Attic Library or online @ https://tinyurl.com/fmcelibrary

Or scan this QR code:



#### 6. March issue of Methodist Message online

If you did not get a copy of the Methodist Message, you can still read the stories online here:

www.methodist.org.sg/message For the full PDF version, access it here: www.methodist.org.sg/flipbook/

#### Highlights

Gatekeepers launches a new meeting place in the heart of the CBD

TACMC unearths 100-year-old time capsule at heritage church site

How three outreach ministries at AMKTMC grew

#### 7. Online Giving via PayNow

#### (i) Offering

Open your ibanking app and scan the OR code below. The Reference is auto-filled for you.

Alternatively, key in the following details: UEN: S87CC0504G808

Reference: OFFERING



Open your ibanking app and scan the OR code below. The Reference is auto-filled for you.

Alternatively, key in the following details:

UFN: \$87CC0504G647 Reference: PLEDGE



#### 8. Congratulations

Our heartiest congratulations to Mr Joseph Lum Yi Yana & Miss Tham Wai Mun Zoey who were joined in Holy Matrimony on 16 March 2024. Joseph Lum is a member of Faith.

#### 9. Pastoral Team Movement

#### **Annual Leave**

21 Mar Florence Fong

**Duty Leave** 

17-21 Mar Rev. Reuben Ng

## 10. Attendance (10 Mar)

**English Services** (In-Person/Livestream)

8am: 475 9am: 464 10.30am: 241 11.15am: 409/218

Sunlam: 185

Indonesian Fellowship: 17

**Mandarin Service** (In-Person/Livestream)

10.15am: 161/34

### 11. Full-Time Ministry

The following positions are available at Faith.

- Pastoral Team Member (Outreach and Social Concerns)
- Media Assistant
- Operations/AV Technician (Part Time)

Email hr@faithmc.sq or visit faithmc.sq/jobopp for details.

#### 12. Prayer Requests

If you or someone you know is going through a difficult situation and need prayer, drop us a prayer request at faithmc.sq/care-help/prayer/ or make your request through your Life Groups.

#### 13. Subscribe To **Our News Broadcast Channels!**

Join our news broadcast channels on WhatsApp and Telegram to get the latest on Faith! Subscribe to us for news updates and church life highlights:

WhatsApp (faithmc.sq/whatsapp):

- Save 8895 4129 in your phone contacts as "FaithMC News"
- Send a WhatsApp message to "FaithMC News" with your Full Name & No. (e.g. John Doe 9123 4567)

# <u>Telegram</u> (t.me/faithmcsg):

- Search for "faithmcsq" on Telegram
- Ioin Channel

Let's get connected as One Faith Family!



#### WEEK AT A GLANCE (17-24 Mar)

**Sun 17 Mar** English Services & Mandarin Services

(refer to details below)

Indonesian Fellowship (refer to details below) Filipino Fellowship (refer to details below)

Wed 20 Mar House of Prayer (7.30pm, Prayer Room L1)

**Sun 24 Mar** English Services & Mandarin Services

(refer to details below)

The Tacklebox Youth (refer to details below) Indonesian Fellowship (refer to details below) Filipino Fellowship (refer to details below)



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# **Our Sunday Worship Services**

#### @ Faith Methodist Church

400 Commonwealth Drive S(149604)

8am English Traditional • Sanctuary, L1

9am\* English Contemporary · Worship Hall, L4
11.15am\* English Contemporary · Worship Hall, L4

 ${\bf Livestream:} faithmc.sg/livestream$ 

#### Filipino Fellowship

1.30-4pm Children's Chapel · Level A

#### **Indonesian Fellowship**

 $\begin{array}{lll} 1^{st}\, Sunday & 9pm \ to \ 10.30pm & \hbox{Zoom Meeting} \\ 2^{nd} - 4^{th}\, Sunday & 2pm \ to \ 3.30pm & \hbox{Koinonia Rooms 1-3, L4} \end{array}$ 

5<sup>th</sup> Sunday No Indonesian Fellowship

# **@ Anglo-Chinese Junior College** 25 Dover Close East S(139745)

9am The TackleBox Youth @ LT4 (4th and 5th Sun only)
10.15am Mandarin Worship Service · ACJC School Hall 2

**华语主日崇拜・**英华初级学院礼堂,二楼 Livestream | 线上直播: faithmc.sg/livestream

10.30am\* Praise @ AC Contemporary English Service

Faith Centre for Performing Arts

11am The TackleBox Youth Small Groups @ ACJC Classrooms

\*Children's programme available at these services only.

#### **SUN JAM Children's Programme**

Our weekly children's classes are as follows:

@FMC 9am SUNJAM | @ACJC 10.30am SUNJAM

11.15am SUNJAM 10.30am GEMS\*\*

\*\*GEMS (God Enables Me Special Needs) Children's Programme For queries, email Pearly Sim at pearlysim@faithmc.sg

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Church office: 6471 9420

Urgent Pastoral Support 8125 7277

After office hours only

## Join a Life Group!

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