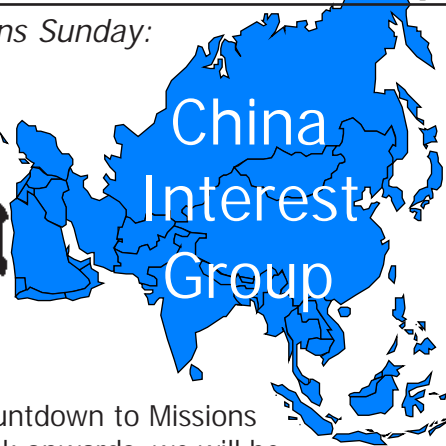


FOCUS

our 4 5th year

For the Week of 20th September 2009

Countdown to Missions Sunday:



We are starting the countdown to Missions Sunday. From this week onwards, we will be featuring a different mission interest group each week. To get the ball rolling, we feature the China Interest Group.

The PPCIG (PP China Interest Group) is especially set up as a platform for members at PP who have access to an email account, passionate about reaching out with the gospel to China. Members will be updated of all the activities, guidelines and discussions through an email alert sent to you with every update. PPCIG members are free to chip in, comment or share an idea.

Besides PP members, the PPCIG includes other Christians and churches who are interested in reaching out to China. They are free to explore, share an idea, participate and partner us in our activities. The invitation is open to everyone, but must be approved by the overseeing committee. Just send a blank email with the title 'PPCIG' to patrick@ppcoc.org. You will receive an invitation or an email (if further enquiries are needed) within 48 hours. Members of the PPCIG can remove themselves from the group at anytime by sending a blank email with the title, 'Unsubscribe PPCIG' to patrick@ppcoc.org and are free to rejoin at any time.

There are 2 other PP China Google groups

- PPCOC and friends for our Chinese Nationals who have spent 1-8 weeks in Singapore with SIBI
- PPChinese for Chinese Nationals working or studying in Singapore who are members at PP.

Get a gist of the PPCIG in today's supplement.



Please sign up for the 45th Anniversary Grand Dinner today. The first cut off date is 30th September.

During the past week, our minister sent every member a letter with the Missions Sunday envelope and a 45th Anniversary Grand Dinner sign-up card.

Please help us get the logistics done by signing up early. We will have to confirm the number of tables with the restaurant by early October.

Already, we are receiving photographs from many members for the Powerpoint presentation and souvenir booklet.

Brother Kuo Wei has already got a choir from the 'old school' to present his specially written song for our 45th Anniversary, 'Friend' at the Grand Dinner.

Many have booked one or more tables. The list is on the back page of this issue and will be updated as more members sign up. We are excited as we look forward to an evening of great joy and fellowship.

PP FAMILY NEWS

Photos on the left: SIBI students attending the current course on 1 Corinthians.



Brother Charles Cook will speak on "Why we are doing what we are doing" at our morning worships today. Come back at 6pm to hear **brother Immanuel** from India speak to us. He will be leaving for home next month.

Evening worship poll: Out of the 16 valid votes for the change of time for the evening worship, 5 selected 5pm with 11 voting to keep it at 6pm.

The first cut-off date to reserve your place for the 45th Anniversary Grand Dinner is the end of the month. We have a team at the lobby who will assist you in this task. Sign up early to avoid disappointment.

Take a refreshing break this Wednesday at 10am for **SIBI's Open Bible Study**. Brother Charles Cook will continue with his excellent lessons from the book of Romans.

The new SPC series on "Anchors for the Soul" by brother Seah Siow Hwee continues this Wednesday evening with notes on dealing with crises in life. We highly recommend this series to all members and their families who are struggling with health, finances or relationships.

Lots of missions activities coming up: This month will see elders Beng Chuan and Winston leaving on the 24th for a missions trip to **Nias, Indonesia**. At the end of the month, brothers Siow Hwee, Kenneth Koh and sister Doreen Lum will join elder Eric at **HZ**, for the annual National Holiday seminar. Elder Adrian, deacon Swee Aun, sister Doreen Teo and brother Peter will be leaving for **Tuao, Philippines** on 7th October. Brother Patrick will lead 5 hearing impaired members with another 5 HI workers to **Chennai, India** on 8th October.

Lately, we have heard a lot of emphasis on **missions interest groups**. As part of our countdown to Missions Sunday on the 25th October, Focus is featuring weekly write-ups on the missions interest groups at PP. We encourage all members to keep up to date with our missions effort by joining one of these groups.

SIBI had a great year in 2009, especially with the start of the full-time courses with over a dozen students attending. The 2009 school term will close at the end of this month. We look forward to another great year starting in January 2010.

Worship Service	Today (20 September)	Next Week
8am Scripture Text:	Psalm 105:1-4	Psalm 106:1-5
11am Call to Worship: SR/OP: S. Leader: Communion: Preacher: Shepherd's Prayer:	Elder Tan Beng Chuan Alvin Tjipto Matthew Tng Lam Chern Woon Charles Cook Elder Adrian Teo	Elder Adrian Teo Kenneth Kuek Deacon Paul Lim Tom Goracke Harry Wong Elder Winston Chong
Ushers Balcony	Richard Leow HI Team	Nehemiah Tan HI Team
6pm Call to Worship Scripture Text: SR/Prayer: S. Leader: Communion: Preacher: Closing Prayer:	Elder Tan Beng Chuan Psalm 105:5-7 Ban Haw Leong Charles Pang Elder Simon Goh Immanuel Elder Adrian Teo	Elder Adrian Teo Psalm 106:47-48 Charles Cook Tom Goracke Ban Haw Leong Lam Chern Woon Elder Winston Chong

CALENDAR of events

Sunday, 20th September 2009

- 7:30am Shuttle Bus Service
- 8:00am First Morning Worship
Speaker: Charles Cook
- 9:30am Bible Classes for all ages
Combined Adults Class Series
- 11am Second Morning Worship
- 1:15pm Shuttle Bus Service ends
- 2pm New SIBI course on
"Living in a Pagan World"
by brother Charles Cook
- 6pm Evening Worship
Speaker: Immanuel

Wednesday, 23rd September 2009

- 10am SIBI Open Bible Study
on the book of Romans
by brother Charles Cook



- 7:30pm SPC new series on the
"Anchor for the Soul"
by brother Siow Hwee
at the auditorium

FAMILY CONCERNS

Please pray for:

Travel mercy and safety to Europe from 22-27 September - Teck Chwee
 God's blessing for my family and friends. My mother's health - Amelyn
 My families and loved ones and their salvation. Thank God for all the blessings - Lorene Paulo
 The HI missions trip to India from 8-14 October - Rudy Lim, Patrick Ong
 Shawn to have strength and discipline in completing his basic military training - Edward Lees
 My nephew, Jereson to walk on the right path. Open his heart to obey Jesus in salvation - Fabila
 Molly Ponnusamy's health - Rani
 Domestic helpers' lunch fellowship on Sunday 27 September - Maribel
 Bless my children and their studies and good health - Adelma
 Watch over Samuel's cough and fever - Julie Wee
 All friends to continue to come to seek God's Word - Amparo
 Me to continue my spiritual relationship with PP church of Christ - Immanuel
 My health and job - Kumar
 My family and work for all of us, Immanuel, Kumar and myself - David Dass

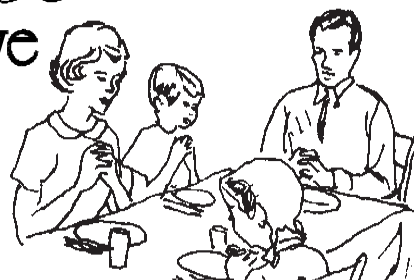
Thank God for:

Brother Lee Hock's sermon - William Chong, Foon Yoong, Adelma, Julie Wee, Fook Weng, Josephine Seow
 Brother Irvin's sermon - Patrick

Thank God for all the PP brethren for their prayers for my cataract surgery. Thank God for its success and recovery - Lilian Kok

FACTS & FIGURES

8am Worship	128
11am Worship	248
6pm Worship	77
Total:	453
Morning Giving	\$10,659
Evening Giving	\$ 908
Total Contribution	\$11,567



Receipt No. Donor Amount

Get together with your family or Care team to plan for your 2009 Missions Gift

PP 45th Anniversary Grand Dinner

Friday, 23rd October at 6:30pm
at Dragon Gate Restaurant,
Harbourfront Centre.

The first cut off date is 30th September.
Sign up early to avoid disappointment.



Entire Tables	Harry Wong	Paul Lim	Lam Chern Woon
Winston Chong	Kheng Bee	Mei Yin	Lim Li Chhoan
Kuek Lee Hock	Pearlynn	Henry Chan	Doreen Lim
Alvin Tjipto	Iris	Molly Leong	Charles Cook
Winston & Simon	Grandma	Charmaine Lim	Tamara Cook
Dorothy Tay	Crystalynn	Hans Ng	McCullough x4
Tan Beng Chuan	Cher Kiat	Daniel Ng	Roland Wee
(X2)	Li Ting	Betty Ng	
Chew Chong Lin	Keng Geok	Eric Tan	Ai Choo
William Wong	Veldas	Li Li	Vincent Tang
Lynette Koh	KC Cheang	Henry Kong	David Yee
Wan Fook Weng	Irene Cheang	Nat Kong	Elizabeth Yee
Doreen Lum	Melissa Cheang	June D	Jocelyn Yee
Stanley Koo	Cassandra Cheang	Ramesh D	Ooi Boo Chye
Simon Goh	Cassandra's friend	Kuo Wei	Peter Lim
Wai Leng	Michael Yam	Malinee	Morene
Angel Tan	Belinda Yam	Chee Keong	Ryan Lim
Sharon Goh	Steven Teow	Tik	Yuet Har
Joel Goh	Angela Teow	Phay	
Daniel Goh	Irene's dad	David Dass	Rudy Lim
Joshua Goh	Janet Lim	Kumar	Lee Chie Gee
David Goh	Lim Lian Chye	Bishan x4	Chong Woo Tai
	Rachel Lim	Victor Soh	Tan Kim Mui
	Seah Ke Howe	Bee Suan	Mimi Ng
	Bee Khim	Brian Soh	Toh Yock
	Lilian Yeo	Tommy Chong	Tony Zhang
	Koh Chin Soon	Connie Chong	Nancy Zhang
	Mabel Koh	Pauline Chong	Michael Booker
	Kenneth Koh	Chong Chee Keong	Ken McCumsey
	Stephanie	Chong Chee Fatt	Debbi McCumsey
			Keisha George
			Kim Teo (x2)
			Denise (x2)