

FOCUS



CHURCH *of* CHRIST
PASIR PANJANG, SINGAPORE

Sunday Morning Worship



6 February 2022

God Did It Before And He'll Do It Again

By Simon Goh
Live @ 11am

After years of prayer, planning, back-and-forth meetings and waiting, we are finally here. Today is the last Sunday with our building at 347 Pasir Panjang Road. While the church is always about the people before the building where they gather, God also reveals Himself in space and makes holy every nook and cranny where He goes.

Today we celebrate God's faithfulness for our journey thus far. From our humble beginnings where a handful of teenagers met in a HDB flat and then a rented shophouse, God has provided a home for us to serve and to worship. Despite the challenges of the years, God has never left us or forsaken us, but has always held true to His promises.

We remember these stories as we begin a new chapter in the church's story. Yet God remains true and steadfast though the page turns, and faithful He will be forevermore.

Sunday Morning Worship

Order of Worship

Call To Worship

Hallelujah Praise Jehovah

Lord I Lift Your Name on High

Opening Prayer

Scripture: Deut 32:7; 2 Thess 2:15-17

Sermon

I Know Who Holds Tomorrow

Communion

As Bread That Is Broken

Giving

Announcements

Shepherd's Prayer

Days of Elijah

Congregational Response

Reflection Questions

- 1 What are some of your fondest memories of church in the last 30 years? How was God a part of those moments?
- 2 In what ways is "the church" more than a building?
- 3 As the church begins a new chapter in its story, how will you pray for God to join us on the journey? How do you hope to see God working during this time?

COVID-19 Guidelines

We have resumed in-person worship services and Bible Classes. Please take note of the following:

- You must be fully vaccinated to come to church.
- Unvaccinated children below 12 years of age are allowed to attend.
- In-person Adult, Youth and GEMS Bible Classes have resumed. FFF will remain online until further notice.
- We are allowed to sit in zones of 100 and in groups of up to five.

Giving

Last Week's Giving: **\$28,081.50**



General Fund
S76SS0008AGFD



Missions Fund
S76SS0008AMFD



Building Fund
S76SS0008ABFD

Upcoming Events



6 Feb | 9:30am

Adult Bible Class

"Be Not Weary In Doing Good Pt 2"
2 Thessalonians 3
By Lim Cher Yam

GEMS Bible Class (Nursery)

Contact Agnes Lim
(9858 5935)

Youth Bible Class

"Of Seeds, Soils, and...a Lamp?"
Gospel of Mark
Contact John Lim (8689 2008)

GEMS Bible Class (Kinderkids)

"God Created the World"
Contact Josephine Seow (9170 4343)

FFF Bible Class

Sharing Life Saves A Life
By Paul Palacio
Contact Dorothy Tay (9363 1260)

GEMS Bible Class (P123)

"Watchfulness"
Luke 12:35-48
Contact Joanne Foo (9683 8266)

GEMS Bible Class (Cradle Roll)

Contact Audrey Lee
(9855 4957)

GEMS Bible Class (P456)

"Zacchaeus"
Luke 19:1-10
Contact Rosalind Lee (9621 9006)

GEMS Bible Class (Toddlers)

Contact Koo Hwee Yee
(9173 2365)

P6 Apologetics Class

World Ideologies' Answers to Life's
Big Questions
Contact Catherine Leow (9270 1717)



9 Feb | 7:30pm

Wednesday Bible Class (Zoom @ 8:30)

"Live As Light" (Eph 5:7-14)
By Lim Lian Chye



12 Feb | 12pm

Youth Ministry Huddle

Contact John Lim (8689 2008)



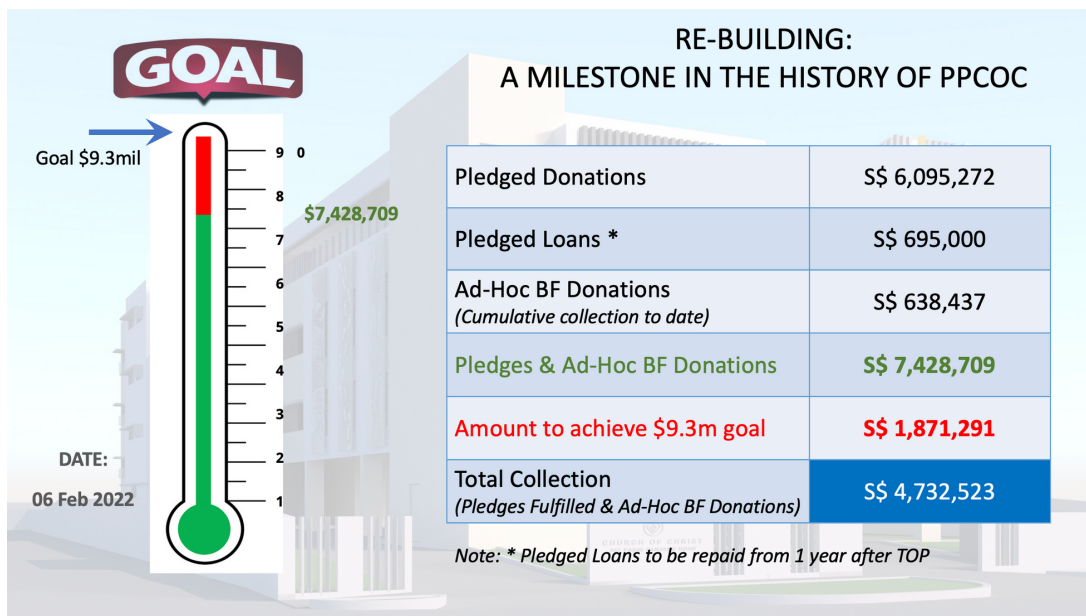
Condolences: Sister Baby (Ng Seok Lan)



On 1 February 2022, sister Ng Geok Lan (affectionately known as sister Baby) was called home to be with the Lord. The funeral was held Saturday, 5 February. Our condolences to Ivy and Paul Lee and their family as they grieve during this period.



Rebuilding Barometer



The construction phase of the rebuilding begins this month. It is a good time for members who have made pledges to start fulfilling them as you are able. This will ensure that we will have the funds to make payments when they are due.

If you have not yet pledged, you can either make a pledge if you intend to fulfill it later this year or in 2023, or you can give whenever you are able.

The rebuilding is more than just having a new physical building. It challenges us to put our trust in God and unite us in this journey of faith. By the grace of God, through much prayers and effort, we were able to reach this stage. With God on our side, we can look forward with

Family News (Rebuilding)

confidence to the completion of the new building and using of it for God's kingdom work to bless the church and community.

If you are making a cheque donation, please note the church name has been updated to "Church of Christ, Pasir Panjang, Singapore" and donations by cheque should use this name as payee. This applies to donations to all the 3 church accounts - General Fund, Building Fund and Missions Fund.



Timeline



End January

Award of Tender

6 February

Last worship
@ 347 PP Road

13 February

First worship
@ Grand Copthorne

Mid February

Handover of
premises

PPCOC

@ GRAND COPTHORNE WATERFRONT

	Only vaccinated persons can attend worship & Bible classes (does not apply to children below 12 years).		Singing with mask on is NOT permitted. Congregational response is permissible.
	Group sizes must be kept to 5 persons (e.g. only 5 people can sit together in a row).		Refrain from using hotel WiFi to free up bandwidth for live-streaming of worship and Bible classes.
	Comply with safe management measures by the hotel.		Do not mingle or gather at the foyer/along the corridors in between Bible class and worship.
	Look for ushers for assistance if you are unsure of the location of rooms or hotel facilities.		Do not bring or consume outside food and beverage within the hotel.
	Scan SafeEntry devices/QR codes at the entrance to each room you enter/exit.	 <p>The church is liable for damage or breakage of hotel property. Please handle items with care. If you break or damage anything, contact the church staff. Let us be good stewards of this place that God has given us!</p>	
	Please take care of your own belongings. The hotel is not liable for any damage or loss of the church's / members' property.		
	All activities (worship, Bible class, etc) are to stay within the respective rooms. No spilling over into the foyer or corridors.		Do not mingle within the ballroom!
	If you test positive for COVID-19 during the week after attending the Sunday services, contact any of the Ministers as soon as possible. The church will need to inform the hotel accordingly.		

PPCOC

@ GRAND COPTHORNE WATERFRONT

Bible Classes
9:30am -
10:30am

Paradiso
Chinese
Congregation

Cardinal
Nursery, Kinderkids
GEMS P4-6

Swallow
Toddlers, GEMS P1-3
Apologetics Class

Galleria 1
Youth

Galleria 2 & 3
Adults & FFF

Cradle Roll

Worship
11am - 12pm

*There may be room changes due to prior bookings by other parties. We will inform members in advance of these changes. There will be special signs to direct you to the correct rooms.

Paradiso
Chinese
Congregation

Cardinal
Deaf Ministry
Spillover Room

Swallow
Spare Room

Galleria 1-3
English
Worship

Cradle Roll

Weekly Nugget | Kuek Lee Hock

[Jesus] replied: "Watch out that you are not deceived. For many will come in my name, claiming, 'I am he,' and, 'The time is near.' Do not follow them. When you hear of wars and uprisings, do not be frightened. These things must happen first, but the end will not come right away." Then he said to them: "Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be great earthquakes, famines and pestilences in various places, and fearful events and great signs from heaven." (Luke 21:8-11)

Part 3 of the weekly this nugget series reflects on each of the events of our past year with the focus on our thankfulness for God's love and faithfulness towards us for the past year.

Lesson #6: God's Providence

God shows His power through our life-storms. But our lack of faith keeps Him from doing so. God allows for storms in our lives to show His strength so we can give glory from His providence.

Remember this incident: "Jesus was in the stern, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him and said to him, "Teacher, don't you care if we drown?" He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Quiet! Be still!" Then the wind died down and it was completely calm. He said to his disciples, "Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?" (Mark 4:38-40)

"So, if you think you are standing firm, be careful that you don't fall! No temptation has overtaken you except what is common to mankind. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can endure it. (1 Corinthians 10:12-13)

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Lesson #7: Holding On!

"When you walk, your steps will not be hampered; when you run, you will not stumble. Hold on to instruction, do not let it go; guard it well, for it is your life." (Proverbs 4:12-13)

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When God is the captain of the ship we are in, nothing rocks the boat!
Then getting to our next destination will be a breeze!

Lesson #8: Infinite Wisdom of God

Most events do not just happen by chance; behind them there is a plan and order. In the infinite wisdom of the Lord of all the earth, each event falls with exact precision into its proper place in the unfolding of His divine plan. Nothing, however small or strange to us, occurs without His ordering.

"And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose." (Romans 8:28) Every issue and event in life may be viewed as a road, and God's Word is the guard rail of faith towards a blessed life.

Reflection questions:

1. Who is the captain of the ship when we are in 'life's troubled waters'?
2. Knowing our propensity to take control in life's troubled waters, why do we not let go and let God take over the helm of the 'lifeboat'?
3. What is blocking us from relying and depending on God's wisdom? (See Proverbs 4:12-13)

Prayer: Our Father and God, in the storms of life we are so easily swept away by our anxiety and need to take control. At times, we also tend to believe that You are sleeping, like the disciples did. Forgive us for our lack of faith. In each storm, we have yet to accept that You will always be there for us. Give us wisdom, as we seek to rely on You. Help us to model the faith of Abraham, knowing with fully certainty that with You, the impossible can be made POSSIBLE. Give us peace and hope during our times of panic. Bless us with love, peace, happiness, and favour wherever we go. In Jesus' majestic name, Amen!

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Prayer Requests/ Feedback



<http://bit.ly/35FTEyp>



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