

# FOCUS



CHURCH *of* CHRIST  
PASIR PANJANG, SINGAPORE

## Sunday Morning Worship



### Unexpectedly Missional | 6 October 2024

I (John) was a short, chubby, and generally un-sporty primary school kid. Physical Education classes were rather painful for me, but especially the ones where we played team games like basketball or football. Part of me always wanted to be on the winning team. I wanted so badly to be able to cheer when my team scored a goal, or better yet, be the one who scored it.

The thing was, the tallest, fastest, and sportiest kids always picked each other. They never picked me, quite understandably, because I wasn't as good as them. I didn't look or move or play like them. *I wasn't one of them.*

God, however, picks His team quite differently. He fills His team with misfits and rejects, sinners and rebels, and by some indescribable grace makes them into the best and most effective team there is. And here is the good news: He picked us too. Get ready to cheer.

# Sunday Morning Worship

## Order of Worship

Behold Our God

Family News

Because He Lives

All To Us

Hallelujah Praise Jehovah

Scripture: Psalm 148:1-8, 13-14

Prayer

Sermon

Come Share The Lord

Communion & Giving

Shepherd's Blessing

Days of Elijah

## Giving

Sunday Giving: **\$9,459 / \$13,500**



General Fund  
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Missions Fund  
S76SS0008AMFD



Building Fund  
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# Upcoming Events



**6 October | 9:30am**

**Combined Bible Class (Room 201)**

Sub:Mission Series

The God of Mission

**GEMS - Cradle Roll (Room 206)**

God Makes Family

**GEMS - All Classes (Rooms 302-303)**

Children's Day Celebrations

(see page



**10 Oct | 8am**

**Seniors Ministry: Walking Interest Group**

Contact Catherine Leow



## Goodness of God

Celebrating 60 years of God's faithfulness



347 PASIR PANJANG ROAD, S(118688)  
26 OCT 2024 • 4.00<sup>PM</sup> – 7.00<sup>PM</sup>

PPCOC turns 60 this October!

Join us as we celebrate God's faithfulness over the last 60 years, and look forward to His continued work in us for His kingdom.

Come, let us celebrate the Goodness of God!

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### KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- 4pm - 5.30pm: Celebratory service at the Auditorium
- 5.30pm - 7pm: Dinner!

- History exhibition
- Reflection on our past and dedication for our future
- (Optional) Come dressed in the era that represents you best!

**RSVP HERE:**  
[CUTT.LY/PP60RSVP](https://cutt.ly/pp60rsvp)







## 60th Anniversary: Confession and Celebration

We believe that God is leading our church family into an exciting future! As we prepare to be filled with His new vision for us, we also need to be emptied of things we may have been holding on to - old habits and patterns, past assumptions and burdens.

If we want to experience the goodness of God, we must be ready to release the things that get in the way.



We invite everyone to a special session on 20 October during our Bible Class hour, where we will take time to name and confess our weaknesses in the presence of Jesus, who is gracious and Compassionate. This will be followed up on 27 October, where we will experience how God redeems our shortcomings for His glory.

We have printed cards so that we can collect our confessions through writing. We will then collect these cards back to be compiled, prayed over, and shared again with the church family as a testimony of God's gracious Spirit at work among us.

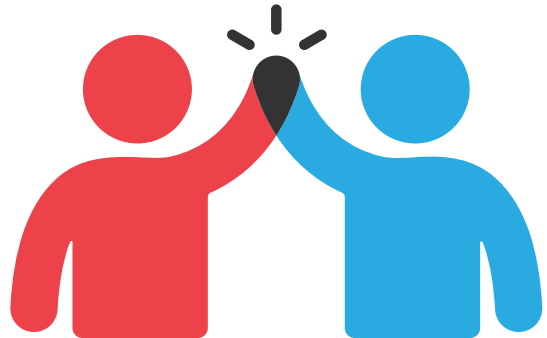
If you are unable to join us on 20 October (e.g. if you are teaching a GEMS Bible Class or if you will be overseas), you can still participate! You can pick up a card from sister Grace Mariaraja at the Welcome Table for the next 3 Sundays and return it to them before 20 October.





## 60th Anniversary: Hosting Mission Partners

In a few weeks, we will be welcoming many of our Mission Partners who will join our Anniversary celebrations! This is a great opportunity to connect with them, bring them out for meals, learn about their ministries, and encourage them for their service in God's kingdom.



Starting on 13 October, we will have a physical sign-up sheet at the Welcome Table outside the auditorium. Members can sign up using that sheet to book a time slot with our mission partners.

For any other requests or special arrangements, please contact Ministry Executive Josephine Seah at [josephine@ppcoc.org](mailto:josephine@ppcoc.org).



## John's Email

Please take note that our minister John's email address is updated to - [john@ppcoc.org](mailto:john@ppcoc.org). It was formerly [johnlim@ppcoc.org](mailto:johnlim@ppcoc.org), and has been updated to be more in line with the naming convention for the rest of the staff.



## Celebrating Timothy

We thank God for Timothy's dedicated service to the PP church as our professional cleaner for the last 6 months! We wish him all of God's blessings as he begins a new chapter in life! We will have a special prayer for him during our worship service.





## Cash Giving: Inside and Outside

During our recent Generosity worship series, we invited members to make their weekly offerings via cash to model a generous lifestyle.

From this week onwards, members who wish to make offerings via cash may do so either at (1) the collection pot at the front of the auditorium or (2) using the regular collection box outside the auditorium.



# Family News



We are celebrating Children's Day with our GEMS kids during their Bible Class hour with fun, games and food. It is also a special occasion for them to be part of the Missional theme of the church, as they invite their friends to the event. We are looking forward to a time of fun and learning through play and table-spreading! 😊





## Sunday Lunch Fellowship

SUN. 13 OCT 2024. 12.30PM

Venue: Annex (Rooms 202-203)

Menu: Seafood Fried Rice

Cost: \$6 per pax

All are welcome!

Please order & pay by Sunday, 6 Oct  
at our Table outside the Auditorium

Organised By:

Spirited Seniors For Christ PPCOC







## Gardening Ministry Workshop

FOOD CITIZEN

WORKSHOP

# LIVING COMPOST

TAKE CLIMATE ACTION AND CULTIVATE THRIVING GARDENS  
BY GAINING INSIGHTS INTO HEALTHY SOIL ECOSYSTEMS AND  
LEARNING THE ART OF AEROBIC COMPOSTING.



## 19 OCT 2024

Church of Christ, Pasir Panjang  
Start from 3.30 PM to 5.30 PM

### WHAT YOU WILL LEARN:

- Key elements of thriving soil ecosystems
- How to use locally abundant materials for composting
- Fundamentals and hands-on practice with aerobic composting
- Ways to connect with the local composting movement

**Learn and practice with expert guidance  
in a fun and informal session**

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FOODCITIZEN.SG

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# Connect With Us

## Meet Our People

### Elders

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Peter Lim (9274 5457)

Lim Swee Aun (9335 9955)

Pang Tee Liang (9618 1862)

### Deacons

Lim Kok Hin

Frederick Yu

Romaine Jackson

### Staff

Irvin Wan

Kyle Hooper

John Lim

Liesl Low

Josephine Seah

### Pledge and Building Fund Committee

Peter Lim

Jim Kawi

Grace Mariaraja

### Facility Stewardship (FAST) Team

Peter Lim

Jason Mok

Donald Siew

Irvin Wan

Josephine Seah



# Useful Links



## Facility Request Form

Need a room for your ministry event or private function? Click or scan this QR code to request a room in the church building, and we will follow up with you within three working days!



## Family News Request

Want to share news about an upcoming event or initiative with the church family? Click or scan this code to request a slot in our Focus Newsletter or Sunday Family News!



## WhatsApp Broadcast

Want to stay in touch with all the latest happenings in our church family? Subscribe to our WhatsApp channel and never miss an update!