



# SHINE SUNDAY BULLETIN

## [Update on our Ministry Preparations for Punggol](#)

Praise God for a smooth journey in our building construction thus far. We hope to have our inaugural Sunday service at Punggol on the first Sunday of December 2016. That is about 5 months from now. As such, I'd like to give an update on the progress of some of our ministry preparations to date.

### 1. Care Groups

Thank God for Brother Tiong Soon who has taken up the role of Care Groups Ministry leader. Under his leadership, training for our leaders has kicked off with a focus on facilitation skills. Further workshops to build up other relevant skills and theological grounding will be rolled out as well in due time. A core team of cluster leaders (Pastor Robert, Brother Eugene and Brother Jeffrey) are supporting him in connecting with the various English congregation Care Group leaders. Please pray for Bro Tiong Soon and team as a lot more work is needed for a successful Care Groups Ministry in our church.

### 2. Bible Training

Pastor Chee Keen has gathered a core group to look at Bible training needs at Punggol. This is an effort to supplement the expository preaching that is already done on Sundays. The aim is to feed the hungry with God's word. Topics of interest and importance will be covered. The Focus Group discussion on 10 September will be an important platform for the planning of these Bible trainings. Please do join us if you have a burden for Bible training in our church.

### 3. Community Engagement

We had our first wave of door-to-door visits at Punggol in May, organised by Brother Pak Sing and the church administration team. Arising from the outreach efforts, two Punggol families have since joined us, and together with another couple from our church, they gathered this past Wednesday to pray for our move to Punggol! God is on the move amongst us! Brother Pak Sing has also connected with the various stakeholders (e.g. community centre, family service centre etc) there to understand more about Punggol and her needs. This coming Sunday (17 July), Gospel Light will also be participating in a Racial & Religious Harmony Carnival at Punggol. The next event you can look forward to will be a Focus Group discussion on 17 September and another door-to-door visit at Punggol in November 2016.

### 4. Logistics

Brother Melvyn Chia has been working hard behind the scenes to prepare for the logistical needs in moving to Punggol. There are many issues that we would like to engage the congregation in. Once again, we invite you to join in the Focus Group discussion for Migration on 20 August so that we can hear from you. Besides that, a survey of transport needs will also be rolled out in a couple of months.

### 5. New Outreach Ministries

Pastor Robert has worked tirelessly with our church members and our Youth and Children ministries to establish new platforms to serve the young in Punggol. The kindergarten (Eshkol Valley) operators are also working to be ready at Punggol by January 2017. If you want to find out how you can serve in new outreach ministries there, do join in the Focus Group discussion for Ministry on 30 July.

*"Except the Lord build the house, they labour in vain that build it." Psalm 127:1.*

God alone is the builder of His church. But as His people, we are called to labour with him. And we must do our best. Let us all do all that we can, and may God multiply our 5 loaves and 2 fishes for His glory.

Blessings  
Pastor Jason

### 3 JULY ATTENDANCE

English: 252 (1<sup>st</sup>)  
English: 394 (2<sup>nd</sup>)  
Total: 646

Chinese: 90

Youth: 90

Children: 102

Filipino: 123 (am), 85 (pm)

### FURAMA RIVERFRONT

English: 9am & 11am  
Chinese: 11am - 12:30pm  
Youth: 11am-12:45pm  
Children: 11am - 12:30pm  
Bahasa: 11am - 12:30pm  
Dialect: 9am - 10:30am

### GLCC @ 360 Dunearn Rd

Filipino: 11am - 12:30pm  
2pm - 3:30pm  
TCGC: 7pm - 10pm

## FINANCIAL SUMMARY 2016 – EXCLUDES PUNGGOL PROJECT FUNDS

### Financial Summary 2016 (exclude Punggol Project Fund)

	From 1 January 2016 to 30 June 2016		Total S\$
	Unrestricted Fund S\$	Restricted Fund S\$	
<b>Offerings</b>			
General Offerings*	1,762,513	42,245	1,804,758
Mission Offerings*	20,262	210,000	230,262
<b>Total Offerings</b>	<b>1,782,775</b>	<b>252,245</b>	<b>2,035,020</b>
<b>Expenses</b>			
Operating expenses #	831,054	42,497	873,551
Ministry expenses	60,380	176	60,556
Mission expenses	202,218	134,602	336,820
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>1,093,652</b>	<b>177,275</b>	<b>1,270,927</b>

#### Note:

Unrestricted fund is funds that donors let the church decide their allocations.

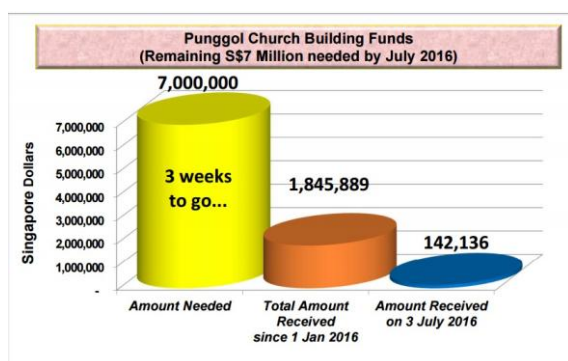
Restricted fund is funds given by donors to specific projects.

\* including pledges funds received

# exclude depreciation

	Unrestricted Fund S\$	Restricted Fund S\$
27 June -3 July'16	59K	-

## PUNGGOL PROJECT FUNDS



## RELIGIOUS HARMONY EVENT @ PUNGGOL

Date: 17 July | Time: 5pm - 9pm

Location: Between Meridian LRT and Cove LRT

We will be setting up a booth and distributing our collaterals to raise awareness of our church. Gospeliters are also encouraged to wear their Gospel Light t-shirts and walk that area for visual presence and at the same time learn more about the Punggol neighbourhood we would be in. Gospeliters can contact Suh Jiuan at 9299 0525 or [sue.choo.gospellight@gmail.com](mailto:sue.choo.gospellight@gmail.com) to contribute ideas for our booth or volunteer to man booth in shifts.

## FOCUS GROUP DISCUSSIONS

Time: 10.30am – 12.30pm | Venue: 360 Dunearn Road (Sanctuary)

Dates: 30 July (Ministry), 20 August (Migration),

10 September (Bible Study), 17 September (Community Engagement)

Registration: <http://bit.ly/28TviFL> or via our website under Connect – Events – Focus Group Discussion or at the respective Front Desks.

## MEMBERSHIP CLASS

Date: 31 July & 7 August | Time: 12.45pm - 1.30pm

Venue: Jupiter 3 (Level 3)

Attendances for both membership classes are prerequisite for membership application. Please indicate your interest in attending the class at the Front Desk. For queries, please contact Carol Teo at 9117 6000 or [carol.teo.gospellight@gmail.com](mailto:carol.teo.gospellight@gmail.com).

## CHURCH CAMP SERMON VIDEOS

Church camp sermon videos are up on <https://gospellight.sg/sermons-page/> under "Ready, Get Set, Go! Camp 2016".

## NEXT WEEK'S SERMONS

### ENGLISH SERVICE

Sermon Title: Greater – A Journey Through Hebrews

By Pastor Jason

9am and 11am | Venus Ballroom | Level 3

[www.gospellight.sg](http://www.gospellight.sg)

<http://www.youtube.com/user/PastorJasonLim>

**Transcriptions available when volunteers are available.**

Volunteer for sermons transcription/transcripts review at [GLCCtranscriptions@gmail.com](mailto:GLCCtranscriptions@gmail.com)

### CHINESE SERVICE

Sermon Series: David: A Man After God's Own Heart

Sermon Title: Honoring God in our relationships

传道系列: 大卫: 一个合神心意的人

传道主题: 在关系中尊神为大

By Pastor Chee Keen

11 am | Waterfall Lounge | Level 1

<http://www.youtube.com/user/GLCCchinese>

<http://i.youku.com/GLCCchinese>

### FILIPINO SERVICE

Sermon Title: Our Guide Posts in Praying Together

By Pastor Sinon

11am and 2pm | GLCC | 360 Dunearn Road

<http://www.youtube.com> (type - GLCC Filipino)

### YOUTH WORSHIP SERVICE

Sermon Title: Parables of Jesus

11 am | Jupiter 1 | Level 3

Follow us on Instagram @ GospelLightYouth for updates.

### PRAYER MEETINGS

Church-wide

Wednesdays, 8pm @ 360 Dunearn Rd

Chinese Prayer Meeting

Sundays, 9.30am @ Mercury Foyer

Youth Ministry

Sundays, 8am @ Jupiter 1

### NEXT SERMON SERIES

We are nearing the end of the study of the book of Hebrews in our English services! Coming up next will be a sermon series in the Old Testament. More details to follow!

### GETTING MARRIED?

If you are getting married, please inform the church office at least 6 months prior to your wedding and fill up the online form <http://bit.ly/28RgQuy> or via website under contact - @ contact us so that we can process your application. Pre-requisites: (a) Be a believer. (b) Be a member of Gospel Light. (c) Attend Marriage Prep course, held half-yearly.

### CHURCH CAMP RESOURCES – LIFE ISSUES & THE ANSWER

We are happy to inform all campers that the set of 4 Life Issues booklets (\$12/set of 4 booklets) as well as The Answer (\$7) would be available for you to use in helping unbelievers explore Christianity. Please order the resources online via <http://bit.ly/298Nbze> or SMS the church phone at 9117 6000.

Future orders can be made via our website under Contact – Gospel Tools. There will NOT be any hardcopy order form at the Front Desk.