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SHIFT IN YOUTH MINISTRY MEETING TIMING

We are excited to announce that from April, the Youth Ministry will be shifting our service back to Saturday afternoons, from 4:30pm to 6:30pm! Games, praise and worship, studying the Word, outreach programmes, and meals after services together are some of the activities youths can look forward to.

On top of that, we are revamping how we grow as a community, by moving from our previous discussion group structure to a more intentional connect group structure.

When the church first moved to Punggol, we changed our service timing to Sunday mornings. This was to make it easier for families to come together to worship God, as the church adjusts and settles in this new environment. In 2017, God blessed the ministry with a large number of newcomers from the Punggol. We now feel the need to move the service back to Saturdays as our current structure and timings are not optimal for the needs of a larger ministry. The shift would help us in 3 main areas.

Firstly, one main focus of the ministry is to develop the youths' relationship with God and man. While we have seen them gain a deeper understanding of God and the Word last year, the community and family spirit were lacking. Connect groups will be introduced to help foster a closer-knit community. Our connect groups will be geographically based, led by trained shepherds, and facilitate care and community amongst the youth beyond the weekend meetings.

Secondly, we want our youth to learn and experience God's Word in an even deeper and more experiential way. Having youth service on Saturday would give us more time and flexibility to present the Word with more two-way interaction rather than a one-way sermon.

Thirdly, moving back to Saturday would also free up the time on Sunday mornings for youths to hear Pastor Jason's sermons in the main English service, as well as to serve in other ministries such as the Children's Ministry.

Your prayers and support for our ministry are greatly appreciated as we make this transition, and we are confident that God will continue to bless and work powerfully in the lives of our young people.

Blessings,
Youth Core Leadership Team

GENERAL NOTICES

• CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

Today, we formally welcome 21 brethren into the Gospel Light membership. We rejoice that many have obeyed God's word to commit to His local church! They are:

English Congregation

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| 1. Galistan Clinton Mark | 2. Wong Sok Ching Ivy |
| 3. Pok Rong Mian, Joseph | 4. Han Wenli, Yvonne |
| 5. Wong Kok Whye David | 6. Ng See Keng Joanna |
| 7. Choo Xing Xuan Isaac | 8. Lee Yen Fong Irene |
| 9. Yap Christopher Paras | 10. Yap Timothy Owen Q. |
| 11. Yap Grace Allen Q. | 12. Gallo Eliza Tamano |
| 13. Liew Moe Moe, Rosie | 14. Ng Qi Yao Jonathan |
| 15. Oi Joh Chan Margaret | 16. Tan Hui Hing Rachel |
| 17. Tan Shi Hao Reuben | 18. Yeo Chong Yang |

Filipino Congregation

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| 1. Artieda Aiko Princess Kris Seva | 3. Oliquino Jenny Silvano |
| 2. Dyna Altamera Gahaton | |

• MISSIONS TALK

Pastor Paul Choo will be giving updates on our ministries to Kyrgyzstan, Afghanistan and Marawi (Philippines) at Coffee Connects.

Date: Sunday 1 April
Venue: Coffee Connects, Level 1 Mezzanine
Time: (i) 10:45am – 11:15am (ii) 1:15pm – 1:45pm

• POTENTIAL STARTING UP OF A SERVICE CHOIR MINISTRY

Gospel Light is exploring the starting up of a small service choir ministry. Our first step is to see if we can gather a core group of volunteers who have received prior choir training and can help to form up and lead this ministry. If you feel led to serve God with your gifts in this area, please contact Elder Frederick Chew at chew.frederick@gmail.com or 96802780.

• GOOD FRIDAY BILINGUAL SERVICE

Follow us for a timeless journey this Good Friday as we retell the greatest story ever told, through the eyes of a young witness. Invite your loved ones to join us as we remember our Saviour's sacrifice. Children Service will be provided for ages 3-12 years in their usual locations. A puppet show will be put up for those from 7-12 years. Light refreshments will be served after service.

Date: Friday 30 March
Venue: Shine Auditorium, Level 4
Time: 8:00pm

• YOUNG ADULTS GOOD FRIDAY FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP

The Young Adults community (from ages 18-25) will be having a Good Friday event right before Good Friday service. Do come and also invite your friends for food and fellowship. Kindly register at gospellight.sg under Connect > Events by Tuesday 27 March.

Date : Friday 30 March
Venue: Level 1 Foyer
Time : 4:30pm (Before Good Friday Service)

• YOUTH SERVICE: WE'RE MOVING TO SATURDAY!

We are excited to announce that the Youth Service will be moving to Saturday next month! Join us for a time of games, Praise and Worship, hearing the Word and fellowship in our Connect Groups. Food will also be provided. See you there!

Date: Saturdays from **7 April**
Venue: Gospel Auditorium, Level 2
Time: 4:30pm – 6:30pm

sonshine CLUB INFORMATION		PRAYER MEETINGS			
sonshine CLUB 9am & 11am		Church-wide	Wednesday	8:00pm	Hall 3 (Attic)
PLAYGROUP	(1-2 years) Kindergarten (Attic)	Church-wide	Sunday	8:00pm	Cry Room (Level 4)
TOTS	(3-4 years) Kindergarten (Attic)	Youth	Saturday	3:00pm	Level 2 Foyer
KINDERS	(5-6 years) Kindergarten (Attic)				
JUNIORS	(7-9 years) Light Auditorium (Level 3)				
KIDS	(10-12 years) Light Auditorium (Level 3)				

GENERAL NOTICES

• LEADERS FORUM 2018: LOVE ONE ANOTHER

Our annual Leaders Forum will take place on Saturday, 14 April. It is a platform to connect the Pastors, Elders, Deacons, Ministry Leaders and CG Leaders. *By invitation only

Time: 10:30am - 12:30pm followed by potluck lunch
Venue: Gospel Auditorium, Level 2

For queries, please contact Lilian Heng at lilian.heng@gospellight.sg or Valerie Fong at valerie.fong@gospellight.sg or via phone at 91176000.

• CHURCH CAMP 5 – 9 JUNE 2018

Registration closes Today. Kindly register at gospellight.sg under Connect > Events or at Level 1 Front Desk. For further queries, please call 91176000 or email us at shine@gospellight.sg

CLASSES AND TRAINING

• MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

Dates: **Today** and 1 April
Time: 9:00am – 10:30am
Venue: Hall 1, Level 2

For queries, please contact Jeffrey Pang at khiakei@hotmail.com or 98429764.

• BIBLICAL FOUNDATION OF CHARACTER TRAINING WORKSHOP

"Train up a child in the way he should go." - Proverbs 22:6.
True character is revealed by what a person does when no one is watching. Our daily decisions and behaviour are governed by character values which we develop from young. The workshop aims to equip adults in the training of their children, to interact and engage them in the development of Christ-like character.

Dates: Saturdays 21 and 28 April | Time: 9:00am – 5:00pm

Venue: Light 2 Auditorium, Level 3

Cost: **\$35** (including training workbook (includes training workbook, 2 lunches and 4 tea breaks)

Registration can be done at gospellight.sg under Connect > Events

• BAPTISM

Registration for Baptism begins today. Those who have believed in Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour are encouraged to be baptized. Attendance at Baptism Class is a prerequisite. Submission of **written testimonies** with completed application forms is a must. Application forms are available at the Front Desk.

Registration closes on **22 April 2018.**

English Baptism Class (6 May)

Time: 1:15pm – 2:15pm
Venue: Light 2 Auditorium, Level 3

Chinese Baptism Class (6 May)

Time: 11:15am – 12:15pm
Venue: Level 2 Mezzanine

Baptism Date: 27 May 2018

Venue: Shine Auditorium, Level 4

SERVICES AND BIBLE STUDIES

NEXT WEEK'S SERMONS

• ENGLISH SERVICE

Sermon Title: The Most Shocking Thing Jesus Said

By Pastor Jason Lim

9am & 11am | Shine Auditorium | Level 4
www.gospellight.sg

Transcriptions available when servants step up.
Step up for sermon transcription/review at GLCCtranscription@gmail.com.

• FILIPINO SERVICE

Sermon Title: Jesus is Alive

By Pastor Nazario Sinon

3pm | Gospel Auditorium | Level 2
<http://www.youtube.com?type=GLCCFilipino>

• CANTONESE/HOKKIEN SERVICE

By Pastor Muk Kin Son

11am | Hall 2 | Level 2

• TELUGU SERVICE

By Pastor Jacob Bethapudi

5pm & 7:30pm | Gospel Auditorium | Level 2

• CHINESE SERVICE

Sermon Title: The Power of Jesus' Resurrection
传道主题: 耶稣复活的大能

By Pastor Seethor Chee Keen

9am | Gospel Auditorium | Level 2
<http://www.youtube.com/user/GLCCchinese>
<http://i.youku.com/GLCCchinese>

• BAHASA SERVICE

By Sister Lai Fei Lin

11am | Hall 1 | Level 2

• YOUTH SERVICE (SATURDAYS)

There will be no Youth Service.
Follow us on Instagram @GospelLightYouth for updates

EXPOSITORY BIBLE STUDY

By Brother Jerry and Brother Glenn

Topic: Acts 11

Tuesday 27 March | 8pm
Light 2 Auditorium | Level 3

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION PROGRAMME

Programme Series: How to Study the Bible
Programme Title: Biblical genres – Narratives and Histories

By Pastor Seethor Chee Keen
Sunday 1 April | 1:30pm – 2:30pm
Shine Auditorium | Level 4

Please download programme materials beforehand and bring them with you on the day itself.
Programme materials are available at gospellight.sg under Connect > Events.