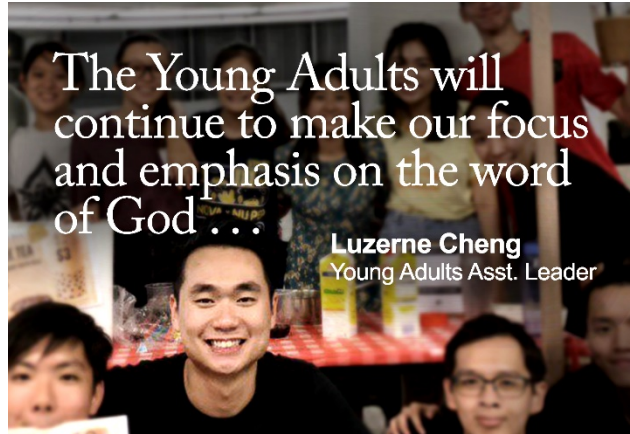




FULL-TIME MINISTRY REFLECTIONS

I have often been asked: "Luzerne, is full-time ministry what you expected?" More often than not, my answer has been that it has been much better than expected. Being able to study God's infallible Word and to share it with His people, to be part of His unstoppable church, as well as to see His people grow, are all things money cannot buy. Through seasons of discouragement, I rest on the promise that Jesus is on the throne, God is growing His church, and the Holy Spirit is working in the lives of his people. You don't get better employee benefits than that!



Initially, I had never expected that prayer would be important in full-time ministry. It might have been a combination of youthful zeal and character. I might have known that prayer was good, but I had never really seen the need for it, the need to cry out to God for providence, strength and wisdom. Since taking up full-time ministry, it almost feels like God has opened up my eyes to the spiritual battles that I cannot fight alone, my inability to overcome the weakness of my flesh, and my inability to change lives. And the only right response is to cling to Him in constant prayer, trusting that only He is able. Time and time again, He shows his ability to provide for needs and change lives.

Another crucial lesson has been the power of God's word. I've always known intellectually that it is sharper than any two-edged sword. But it was only while reading Ezekiel 37 earlier this year that a light bulb went off in my head. In the passage, the Spirit-breathed word of the Lord took the dead dry bones and put flesh and muscles on them — the lesson being that only the Spirit-breathed word can give life to (spiritually) dead people! Any ministry that is less than the word of the Lord can never be life-giving. The Young Adults will continue to focus on God's word, for there is no other way that dead bones can be brought to life!

I am most thankful for the life and ministry partner He has provided in the form of my wife, Belle. Her constant sacrifices and her quiet service are often unnoticed by men, which makes me all the more thankful for her.

Luzerne Cheng,
Young Adults Assistant Leader

• COMMUNITY BLESSING PROJECT

2020 has been a difficult year with COVID19, riots, retrenchments and lock downs. We hope to bring some cheer to our Punggol residents by blessing them with a small gift.

The church has ordered 3,000 pieces of re-useable protective mask that can be washed up to 50 times for this project.

We need volunteers to help pack the gifts from Mon, 14 Dec to Thu, 17 Dec during office hours (9 am to 4:30 pm). Kindly sign up at <https://bit.ly/2JT2QaE> and we will be organizing you in teams of 5 (maximum per group).

In addition, we need volunteers to help distribute the gifts to our adopted blocks on Fri, 18 Dec (8 pm to 9.30 pm) and Sat, 19 Dec (10 am to 12 pm). If you are in a Care Group, please sign up as a group via your CG leader. Please register via the link.

Block Visitation: <https://bit.ly/32Byy2K>

Block Visitation (for CG): <https://bit.ly/3piXyFD>

For more info visit gospellight.sg > Connect > Events

• YOUNG MUMS - PRAY AND SHARE MEETING

Are you a young mum of a newborn or primary school children? Mothering is a high calling and not an easy one. We understand and hope to support you in your parenting journey. Join us twice a month on Zoom to connect, be encouraged and equipped to be the mum that God wants you to be!

Date: **1st and 3rd Thursday night** (starting 3 Dec)

Time: **9pm - 10pm**

Click Zoom link: <https://bit.ly/2HoGIK0>

Meeting ID: 797 517 7357

Password: **mums**

For any queries, please write to shine@gospellight.sg.

• MEET YOUR PASTOR!

Date: **Sundays**

Time: **10:30am to 11:00am**

Click Zoom link: <https://bit.ly/2SMYSH4>

Meeting ID: 836 428 872

Password: **Pastor**

• RESUMPTION OF SERVICE

Gospel Light has resumed on-site services for some congregations. The Lord's Supper will also be observed on a weekly basis.

Sunday Services

Worship Service	Timing	Location	Registration Link
English	9am	Shine Auditorium – Level 4	https://bit.ly/2SvNREO Opens on Mon, 8am Closes on Fri, 1pm
Chinese	11am	Shine Auditorium – Level 4	https://bit.ly/3Jjdvc8 Opens on Mon, 8am Closes on Fri, 1pm
Filipino	2pm	Gospel Auditorium – Level 2	https://bit.ly/3mnOvRK Opens on Mon, 8am Closes on Fri, 1pm
Bahasa	11am	Hall 3 - Attic	Nil
Telugu	5pm	Gospel Auditorium – Level 2	https://bit.ly/33DksP Opens on Mon, 8am Closes on Fri, 1pm

Saturday Service

Worship Service	Timing	Location	Registration Link
Youth – Will only resume on 5 December	4.30pm	Gospel Auditorium – Level 2	https://bit.ly/2HYp5Lm Opens on Mon, 8am Closes on Thu, 1pm

Children Service **will not** resume on-site service. Their current online services remain. For Bahasa service to register with Fei Lin @ 9488 0363.

Register to attend our worship services. For registration and more details, pls click on the **above link**.

There will **NOT** be bus services to our on-site services.

• LOVE OFFERING

We are collecting our annual love offerings for overseas mission workers, local church staff and Redicks Ministry from 1- 30 November via our General Fund account (Account Details are given on the next page). You may give in the following ways:

- i) Internet banking - Paynow and Internet transfer to indicate "**Love Gift**" or "**LG**" at the bill reference section
- ii) Cheque - Indicate "**Love Gift**" or "**LG**" on the reverse of the cheque

If you would like to specify the recipient of the love gift, please indicate as follows:

- 1) For overseas mission workers, to indicate "**LG overseas**"
- 2) For local church staff, to indicate "**LG local**"
- 3) For Redicks Ministry, to indicate "**Redicks Min**". Please do not indicate Mike Redick or M Redick.

CLASSES AND TRAINING

• EXPOSITORY STUDY – BOOK OF MARK

We will be studying Mark 1:14-34 in the second lesson as well as revising what we have learned earlier. Mark devoted the bulk of his book to a description of the mighty ministry of the Servant of the Lord. Mark, like Matthew and Luke, began his account of Christ's ministry with His work in Galilee. Jesus begins His ministry in Galilee (vv. 14-15) and calls the first disciples (vv. 16-20). Jesus then heals a man with an unclean spirit (vv. 21-28) and He then heals many more (vv. 29-34). We encourage as many of you to join us online. This would be a good time and opportunity for newcomers to join as we have just only started on a new book.

By: Brother Jerry Koh
Date: Tues, **24 Nov**
Time: **8pm**
Click Zoom link:
<https://bit.ly/3cgZmYR>
Zoom ID: 262 770 7942
Password: **GLCCEBS**

SERVICES AND PRAYER MEETINGS

• **English Service - Sunday 9am:** <https://bit.ly/33X72MN>

• **Chinese Service - Sunday 11am:** <https://bit.ly/3akSf0v>

• **Filipino Service - Sunday 2pm:** <https://bit.ly/3dABVen>

• **Telugu Service - Sunday 5pm:** <https://bit.ly/2xma2WL>

• **Youth Service – Saturday 4:30pm - 6:00pm:**

<https://bit.ly/2AaF8C3>

(Zoom ID: 659 128 5331) Password: Gospel

(For more details contact Yu Fei @ 91285331)

• **Bahasa services – Please contact Fei Lin @ 9488 0363.**

• **Young Adults (19-25 y/o) – Sunday 2pm**

Topic – Kings and Prophets (1 & 2 Kings) For more details contact Luzerne @ 92701730

• **Wednesday Prayer Meetings – 8pm:**

(Zoom ID: 812 885 158) Password: Wednesday

<https://bit.ly/35HS8uy>

(Zoom ID: 858 855 0326) Password: Sunday

• **Sunday Prayer Meetings – 8:15am:** <https://bit.ly/3drPHPn>

• **Youth Prayer Meetings – Saturdays 3pm:**

(Zoom ID: 659 128 5331) Password: Gospel

<https://bit.ly/2AaF8C3>

If you are interested to receive our weekly prayer list, please email shine@gospellight.sg

EVENTS FORECAST

November	December	January
Expository Study, Book of Mark Small Group Bible Studies Christian Education Programme Church Anniversary	Expository Study, Book of Mark Youth Amazing Race Outreach Christmas Outreach Christmas Service	Expository Study, Book of Mark Inductive Bible Study Baptism Class Membership Classes Christian Education Programme Chit Chat! with Newcomers

For details. Please refer to gospellight.sg > Connect > Events > 2020 Calendar

GIVING ONLINE

With the suspension of church services, you may give your offerings in the following ways:

1) PayNow

Under the UEN/Bill Reference No. section you can:

- State "NA" - Offering will go towards General Fund
- State IFL or Missions - To designate the offering

(a) Via "Scan and Pay"

- Open up your bank app and select "Scan and Pay"
- Scan the QR code below:



(b) PayNow UEN

You can also opt to key in the UEN: **S88SS0082AGF1**

2) Internet Banking

- Add payee as Gospel Light Christian Church
- Account Number: **033-021695-5**
- Name of Beneficiary Bank: DBS Bank
- Under the Remarks section, you can leave it blank for the offering to go towards the General Fund or indicate IFL or Missions if you want to designate the offering.

3) Cheque

- Crossed cheque made payable to "Gospel Light Christian Church"
- On the reverse of the cheque, write **Gospel Light Christian Church** and the respective bank account numbers:
 - General Fund - **033-021695-5**
 - Missions Fund - **001-042653-2**
 - Punggol IFL Repayment - **015-902803-8**
- Cheques can be deposited at any POSB or DBS bank into the church's accounts.