



CELEBRATING GOD'S GOODNESS FOR 33 YEARS!

Thank God for 33 years of Gospel Light! On this day, let us give all glory back to Him. He alone is the builder of this church.

We are thankful for very significant milestones in recent years - the gift of the Punggol Building, the smooth transition to Punggol, and growth in the number of congregants. But let us not forget to thank Him too for a difficult 2020.



We naturally recoil from difficulties. But difficulties are also good for us. God said that all things work together for good to them that love God (Rom 8:28). All things include difficult things. It includes Covid-19. It includes economic difficulties. It includes a difficult 2020.

For one, 2020 humbles us. No one predicted how 2020 turned out. I heard people boasting of "great things" they would do in 2020. But God humbled all of us. We are not great. No one is. No one can boast of a great plan, a great program, a great preacher, or a great building. Only God is great. And He gave us 2020 to humble us. A great lesson.

Two, 2020 clarifies our existence. We can't "do church" like we used to anymore. We can't have a full house on Sundays. We can't "makan" after service. We have to be masked up. We use TraceTogether. But these things do not define us! Let us not be "virus-centered" but "gospel-centered". More than ever, the church must now see clearly that we exist to:

- a. Drink in the gospel (grow deep in His gospel of love and to abide in Jesus)
- b. Live out the gospel (live out the life of Jesus in love, faith, hope, humility & joy by His Spirit's enabling)
- c. Give out the gospel (to tell our world the saving love of God in Jesus Christ).

So church "ain't broke"! 2020 has stripped away a lot of our "forms", but it has also helped clarify the centrality of the gospel.

So on this special day, let us give thanks. God is sovereign. God is good. He is always working all things for His glory and for our good. Let us continue to trust Him, enjoy Him, and serve Him with our lives.

Blessed anniversary Gospel Light!
To God alone be the glory!

Blessings,
Pastor Jason

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

• 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 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>

***Registration closes today**

For more info visit gospellight.sg > Connect > Events

• 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.

• BEHAVIOURAL ADDICTIONS & POSITIVE PARENTING

The Biblical Counselling Ministry (BCM) will be conducting 2 talks on 4th & 11th Dec. Registration is not required. All are welcome to join.

4 Dec, Fri : 8pm – 9pm (Speaker: Jeremy Zhou)
Behavioural Addictions

11 Dec, Fri : 8pm – 9pm (Speaker: Jeremy Zhou)
Positive Parenting

Click Zoom link: <https://bit.ly/3aY5IC7>

Zoom ID: 852 5205 3451

Password: **talks**

Our Biblical Counselling Ministry provides counselling services to Individuals, Couples, Families and Children. Reach out to us at bcm@gospellight.sg

• BEGINNING INDUCTIVE BIBLE STUDY (BIBS)

A poignant love story: of marriage and children, of adultery and divorce.

This story in Hosea is not only an account of the prophet and his family but also the history about the Lord God and the people of Israel. So how would the story end?

Beginning in January 2021, we will be exploring the Book of Hosea to discover the outcome of the story and to sense the heartbeat of God - his unfailing love and tender mercies - that we may know this God who loves us while we were weak, while we were sinners, while we were enemies.

Classes are conducted via Zoom

Dates: Every Monday, starting 4 Jan.

Time: 7:30pm to 9:00pm

Instructor: Brother Michael Lau

We will be using the study guide from **Precept NISS: Finding Hope When Life Seems Dark** for **Part A to C**. Book costs: \$12.

Please register via the link.

Topic	Date	Registration Link
Part A: Hosea (10 sessions)	4 Jan – 22 Mar	https://bit.ly/3nQA7lv Opens today, Sun, 29 Nov Closes on Sun, 20 Dec
Part B: Micah (5 sessions)	29 Mar – 10 May	Opens on Sun, 24 Jan
Part C: Nahum, Habakkuk & Zephaniah (6 sessions)	17 May – 28 Jun	Opens on Sun, 22 Mar

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**

• 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/3ljdvc8 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.

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

CLASSES AND TRAINING

• EXPOSITORY STUDY – BOOK OF MARK

We will be studying Mark 1:35-45 in the third lesson as well as revising what we have learned earlier. Jesus combined concentrated efforts in Capernaum and vicinity (Matt. 11:20–23) with extensive preaching tours throughout the province. Mark gives a brief summary of the first tour (vv. 35–39) and then describes one striking event - the healing of a leper - during that tour (vv. 40–45). 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, **1 Dec**
Time: **8pm**
Click Zoom link:
<https://bit.ly/3cgZmYR>
Zoom ID: 262 770 7942
Password: **GLCCESB**

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

(Zoom ID: 812 885 158) Password: Wednesday

(Zoom ID: 858 855 0326) Password: Sunday

- **Wednesday Prayer Meetings – 8pm:**
<https://bit.ly/35HS8uy>
- **Sunday Prayer Meetings – 8:15am:** <https://bit.ly/3drPHpN>
- **Youth Prayer Meetings – Saturdays 3pm:**
<https://bit.ly/2AaF8C3>

(Zoom ID: 659 128 5331) Password: Gospel

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 Church Anniversary	Expository Study, Book of Mark BCM Talk Community Blessing Project 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.