



### THE GOSPEL IN COMMUNITY

For many years, being a Christian for me meant going to church on Sundays, sitting alone, feeling guilty, asking for forgiveness, and leaving immediately after service. Each week, I would try hard not to sin, out of fear of punishment, but still end up sinning. There was little joy, little peace, and certainly little hope for living a victorious life in Christ.

All that started to change when I joined a Care Group (CG). At first, I was hesitant. Giving up two Fridays a month to join a CG seemed like a big sacrifice, with few benefits. How wrong I was.

Fellowshipping with other believers, I started to know and experience why God calls us to worship in community. (And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another. - Hebrews 10:24-25). As we delved deeper into God's Word, applied it to our daily lives, and prayed for one another, my heart was transformed from the inside out. No longer was it head knowledge, but true life change. Christianity was not simply a part of my life, but became central and core to who I was.

Being part of a CG is much more than being part of another social group. It is the only place I can comfortably share my fears and desires knowing I will not be judged, but prayed for. "Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed..." James 5:16

American pastor and bestselling author Timothy Keller puts it well in his book "Center Church":

"Accordingly, the chief way in which we should disciple people (or, if you prefer, to form them spiritually) is through community. Growth in grace, wisdom, and character does not happen primarily in classes and instruction, through large worship gatherings, or even in solitude. Most often, growth happens through deep relationships and in communities where the implications of the gospel are worked out cognitively and worked in practically—in ways no other setting or venue can afford. The essence of becoming a disciple is, to put it colloquially, becoming like the people we hang out with the most. Just as the single most formative experience in our lives is our membership in a nuclear family, so the main way we grow in grace and holiness is through deep involvement in the family of God. Christian community is more than just a supportive fellowship; it is an alternate society. And it is through this alternate human society that God shapes us into who and what we are."

If you are not yet in a CG, may God lead you to one today!

Brian Wee  
Care Group Leader



### 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	<a href="https://bit.ly/2SvNREO">https://bit.ly/2SvNREO</a> Opens on Mon, 8am Closes on Fri, 1pm
Chinese	11am	Shine Auditorium – Level 4	<a href="https://bit.ly/3ljdvc8">https://bit.ly/3ljdvc8</a> Opens on Mon, 8am Closes on Fri, 1pm
Bahasa	11am	Hall 3 - Attic	Nil
Telugu	5pm	Gospel Auditorium – Level 2	<a href="https://bit.ly/33DksP">https://bit.ly/33DksP</a> Opens on Mon, 8am Closes on Fri, 1pm

#### Saturday Service

Worship Service	Timing	Location	Registration Link
Youth	4.30pm	Gospel Auditorium – Level 2	<a href="https://bit.ly/2HYp5Lm">https://bit.ly/2HYp5Lm</a> Opens on Mon, 8am Closes on Thu, 1pm

Children Service and Filipino 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.

### CHRISTIAN EDUCATION PROGRAMME

Forgiving is not difficult. Forgiving is impossible. We struggle with forgiveness because we think forgiving helps those who hurt us. Our spiritual poverty makes us unable to accept the wrong done to us. In our next 4 Part CEP series, we'll examine why forgiveness requires supernatural grace. Because Jesus alone can restore and heal what was taken from us, when we let it go.

**Series Name: "Forgiveness"**  
Speaker: Pastor Sinon

Date: **Saturdays**  
Time: **8:00pm**  
Topic:

**07 Nov - The Manner of Forgiveness**  
**14 Nov - The Model of Forgiveness**

Join us on [Facebook Live](#)  
CEP Q&A Zoom Link: <https://bit.ly/2yAjjeH>  
Zoom ID: 827 5751 0829  
Password: **CEP**

### 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**

## CLASSES AND TRAINING

### • EXPOSITORY STUDY – BOOK OF MARK

We have just completed the three epistles of John and will have a recess of 4 weeks. Expository Bible Study will resume on Tuesday, 17 November, with the study of the Gospel of Mark. We encourage you to join us online to study God's Word. Newcomers are also welcome.

By: Brother Jerry Koh  
Date: Tues, **17 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:** <https://bit.ly/35HS8uy> (Zoom ID: 812 885 158) Password: Wednesday
- **Sunday Prayer Meetings – 8:15am:** <https://bit.ly/3drPHpN> (Zoom ID: 858 855 0326) Password: Sunday
- **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](mailto:shine@gospellight.sg)

## EVENTS FORECAST

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

For details. Please refer to [gospellight.sg](http://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.