

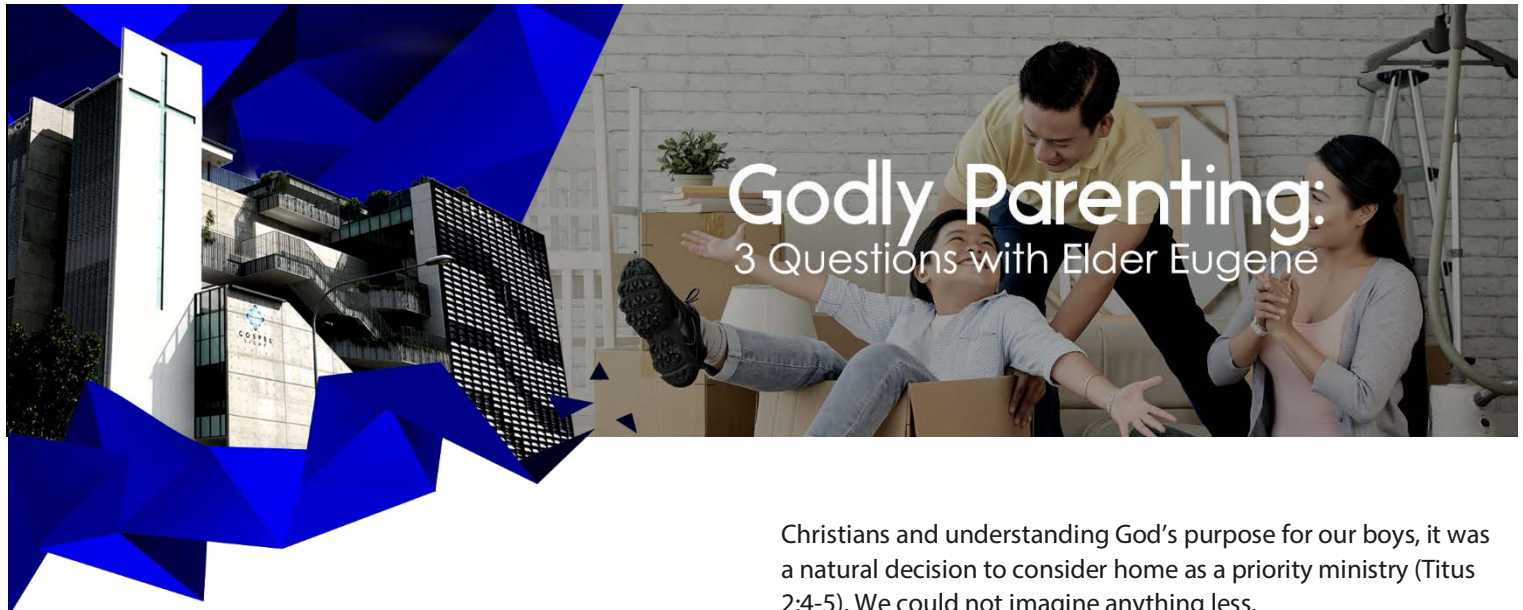


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WEEKLY BULLETIN

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Godly Parenting: 3 Questions with Elder Eugene

While there could be many moments of sadness, parenting can also be rewarding and joyful. It is rewarding as we witness the growth of our own, and joyful as we experience God's hands during the journey.

1) **What should be the top priorities for a family starting their parenting journey?**

- Establish a Kingdom view early

When your child enters the age of understanding, teach him or her about a Creator and Designer God and that He is actively involved in His creations.

- Experience a loving relationship with God

Model our earthly relationships as we experience God's love. How you demonstrate love for your spouse and those around you can be the best impact on your child's life, and his or her confidence to love others.

- Engage in serving God through serving His people

The best moments for children to understand sacrificial love are through serving sacrificially. Find opportunities to serve as a family, and they will learn about putting others' interests ahead of their owns.

- Enrich the Christian character

Make character building real by first modelling spiritual discipline, forbearance and joy in serving. Encourage their hearts when your children demonstrate Christian character.

2) **How did the family decide on your wife being a stay-at-home mum?**

All parents desire the best for their children. And it was the same for us. Having tasted God's love in our early years as

Christians and understanding God's purpose for our boys, it was a natural decision to consider home as a priority ministry (Titus 2:4-5). We could not imagine anything less.

3) **How did your family survive raising three teenage boys?**

Our home is a laboratory of life, and our lives are the best teacher. We made mistakes, small and big ones. We learnt in the process. Sometimes we overdid and sometimes we missed the mark, but we are thankful for our boys who were quick to forgive our mistakes. The boys understood they were like clay, to be moulded and shaped to Christlikeness.

King Solomon once said, "Children ... Like arrows in the hand of a warrior are the children of one's youth." Ps 127:3-5

This teaches that children are like arrows and parents must learn to know them, setting our target right and directing right. Shooting requires both arms, as well as coordinated strength and balance, for the arrow to travel to where it should land. Father and mother are like the two arms holding the bow. Both must have the same desire and resolve for their children and both must labour together in the same determination. One less than the other, and the arrow lands outside the target.

Elder Eugene Cheng

Elder Eugene serves as a Shepherding Elder in Gospel Light. He is married to Helen Cheng and is the father of three adult children. He has served faithfully as a mentor in the Youth Ministry and the Human Resource Department. He actively mentors Young Adults.

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• MEMBERSHIP

Membership in Gospel Light is only for baptized believers of the Lord, and must be of age 16 and above. Attendance at both membership classes 1 & 2 is a prerequisite for membership application.

*Classes will be conducted via Zoom.

English

Date: **Sat, 20 & 27 Nov**

Time: 9:00am – 10:00am

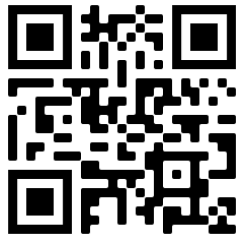
Chinese

Date: **Sun, 21 & 28 Nov**

Time: 11:15am – 12:15pm

Register at gospellight.sg > Connect > Events

Registration deadline: 17 Oct



• SILVER JOY MINISTRY TALKS

Connect with other Silver Generation via our Zoom talks to learn about issues like mental health, care giving, dementia, active ageing and more. Join us on Thurs, 21 Oct at 10am via Zoom.

Topic: Mental Health Awareness – Depression (English)

Date: Thurs, 21 Oct | 10am to 11:30am

Schedule

21 Oct: Mental Health Awareness – Depression

04 Nov: Public Holiday (no talks)

18 Nov: Caring for Seniors (TBC)

02 Dec: Dementia (TBC)

16 Dec: Christmas

For more info visit: <https://bit.ly/2Ym88CE>

• BULLETPROOF MARRIAGE WORKSHOP

Presented by Gospel Light Family Life Ministry led by Pastor Kay Hong.

Who should attend? Pre-Marriage prep and married couples who desire to strengthen their marriage.

Registration is limited to 15 couples.

Dates: Wednesdays starting **3, 10, 17, 24 Nov** via Zoom

*Last workshop for the year 2021. Subsequent workshops will be conducted in Mar/Jul/Nov 2022

Time: 8:45pm – 10:30pm

Duration: 4 sessions

Click to register: <http://bit.ly/39bBsPt>

Closing date of registration: **25 Oct** or when registration is fully confirmed.

For more enquiries, contact Sis May Lim at kayhong.lim@gospellight.sg or 9859 4684.

• EXPOSITORY BIBLE STUDY – BOOK OF MARK

This Tuesday, 12 October 2021, we will be covering Mark 13:14-37, which comprise three parts. The first part, Mark 13:14-23, we will look at the future events following the “Abomination of Desolation”. For the second part, Mark 13-24-27, we study the return of Christ; and for the third part, Mark 28-37, we will look at the parable of the fig tree and the parable of the door-keeper. Do come join us at 8pm for Bible Study to learn what Jesus is teaching us. The Zoom dial-in details for our session are as follows:

By: Brother Jerry Koh

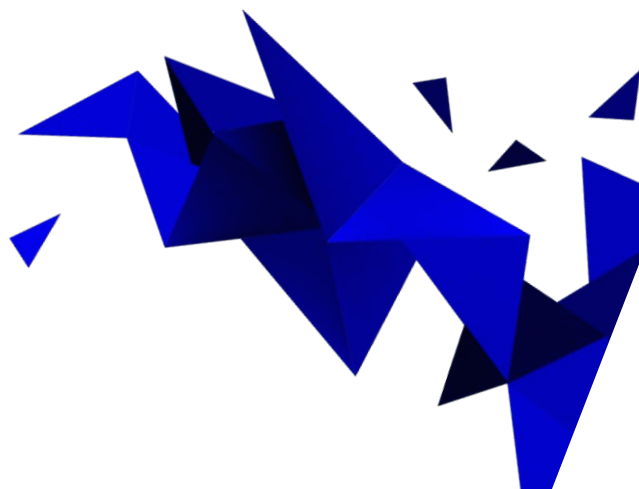
Date: **Tues, 12 Oct**

Time: **8pm**

<https://bit.ly/3afLSNE>

Meeting ID: 892 9046 5420

Passcode: 525762



CHURCH HAPPENINGS

• WORSHIP SERVICE

All our services will go online from 27 Sept to 24 Oct 2021.

Congregational Service	Day and Time	Livestream Link
English	Sunday at 9am	http://bit.ly/38BU0rA
Chinese	Sunday at 9am	http://bit.ly/2Ng0TXT
Youth	Saturday at 4:30pm	https://bit.ly/2AaF8C3 (Zoom ID: 659 128 5331) Password: Gospel
Varsity	Every 1 st Sunday at 2:30pm	https://bit.ly/3vTWnPy (Zoom ID: 447 752 1889) Password: Varsity
Bahasa	Suspended until further notice	NIL
Filipino	Sunday at 2pm	http://bit.ly/30FjYFU
Telugu	Sunday at 5pm	http://bit.ly/30G4fXI

Children Service will remain online until further notice. Please email hannah.chee@gospellight.sg to register for online Zoom Children Service on Sundays at 11am.

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WEEKLY MEETINGS

- **Meet Your Pastor! – Sunday 10:20am:** <https://bit.ly/2SMYSH4>
Meeting ID: 836 428 872 | Password: Pastor
- **Wednesday Prayer Meetings – 8pm:** <https://bit.ly/35HS8uy>
Meeting ID: 812 885 158 | Password: Wednesday
- **Sunday Prayer Meetings – 8:15am:** <https://bit.ly/3drPHPn>
Meeting ID: 858 855 0326 | Password: Sunday

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



GIVING ONLINE

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:
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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.

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