

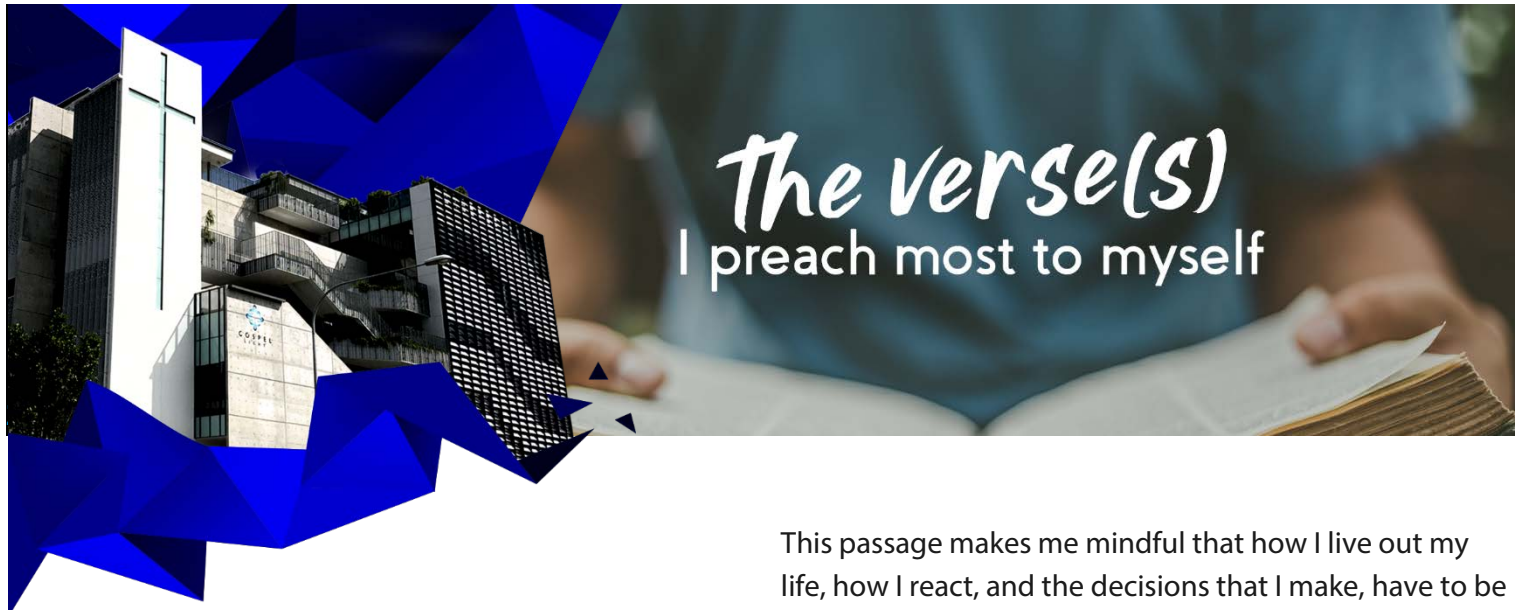


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# WEEKLY BULLETIN

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## The verse(s) I preach most to myself

In Matthew 22:36, Jesus was asked what the Greatest Commandment was. He responded with a line I'm sure we are all familiar with, which was to **'love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind'**. This passage serves as a constant reminder for me to keep my focus in life and remain devoted to the One who first loved me.

For many, this is a tall order to truly live out. I find myself often falling short too. There are just too many distractions. Career progression, online shopping, social media, "side-hustles", streaming services, hobbies, sport, pursuit of power or fame, and all the vain things that count for nothing in light of eternity (cue Vanity Fair in Pilgrim's Progress). We have to recognise that what we fear losing the most, is actually the idol that competes with God's rightful place in our hearts. Accountability groups, being plugged-in and staying connected to a true Christian community, and a wife that encourages me spiritually all helps to keep me on the straight and narrow path.

As a fairly new parent, I remind myself frequently of Deuteronomy 6:5-7. Moses instructed the Israelites similarly to **'love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might'...** **'You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise.'**

This passage makes me mindful that how I live out my life, how I react, and the decisions that I make, have to be consistent with what I teach my toddler and his siblings in future (God-willing). I read somewhere that today, *'many want to have children, but don't want to be parents.'* It is a huge responsibility to raise the next generation. It is indeed a challenge in terms of time, to fulfill the roles of being a provider, a husband and a father. But I need to remind myself that I have to be - first and foremost - a devoted follower of Christ, before I can fulfil the role of a parent guiding my child to know Christ and make Him known.

It is only when we are secure in God's love and love him with our fullest devotion, that we are then truly able to carry out the instruction Jesus gave after the Greatest Commandment - *to love our neighbour as ourselves*. It is God's grace and the Holy Spirit's power that compel us to love others unconditionally.

Joshua Chong  
Care Group Leader

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### • SILVER JOY MINISTRY TALKS

Topic: **Planning for Long Term Care – Institute for Financial Literacy**

Date: **Thur, 6 Jan 2022**

Time: 10:00am

Speaker: Mr Trevor Tan

Registration is required via Eventbrite Registration Link.

<https://bit.ly/3dPHh6v>

Topic: **Dementia Awareness – COMNET CREST (AMKFSC)**

Date: **Thur, 20 Jan 2022**

Time: 10:00am

Speaker: Miss Cassidy Tan and Mr Marcus Foong

Registration is required via Registration Link.

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

More info at [gospellight.sg](http://gospellight.sg) > **Connect** > **Events**

### • MEMBERSHIP CLASS

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, 29 Jan & 12 Feb 2022**

Time: 9:00am – 10:00am

#### **Chinese**

Date: **30 Jan & 13 Feb 2022**

Time: 11:15am – 12:15pm

Register at [gospellight.sg](http://gospellight.sg) > **Connect** > **Events** or scan the QR code.

**Registration deadline: Sun, 2 Jan 2022 (Today)**



### • EXPOSITORY BIBLE STUDY – BOOK OF ROMANS

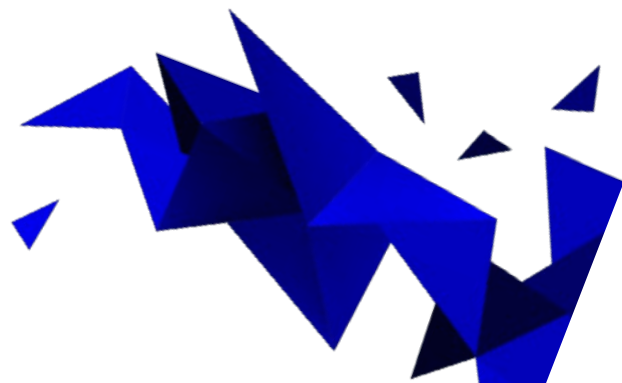
We will be taking a break from 14 Dec 2021 to 4 Jan 2022. Expository Bible Study will resume on Tuesday, 11 Jan 2022, with the study of a new book, Romans. Do come join us for an in-depth study of this important book written by the Apostle Paul.

By: Brother Jerry Koh

Date: resume on **Tues, 11 Jan 2022**

Time: 8pm

Zoom details will be provided a week before the resumption of class.



# CHURCH HAPPENINGS

## • CHIT CHAT! (NEWCOMERS EVENT)

Are you new to Gospel Light? Did you discover us through a friend, our online services or social media? We'd love for you to get to know us better! Chit Chat is an informal social session on Zoom where you get to mingle with our Pastor, Elders and leaders. Ever wondered what kind of church we are and where are our roots? What does our mission and vision statement mean? Save the date and we look forward to a great time of chit chat!

**Date: Sat, 15 Jan 2022**

**Time: 11:00am**

Click Zoom link: <http://bit.ly/3oXHQij>

Meeting ID: 856 5201 9857

Password: **chitchat**

## • RECRUITMENT

### 1. ShineKidz Executive

If you or anyone you know would be interested to serve with us for the above position, please contact Benita Teo at [benita.teo@gospellight.sg](mailto:benita.teo@gospellight.sg). Details of the job position are available via our website under [gospellight.sg](http://gospellight.sg) Contact > Careers.

## • WORSHIP SERVICE

Following the latest measures by MCCY, we are resuming on-site worship services in stages:

- English (max 300 pax), Chinese (max 100pax), Filipino (max 100pax), Youth (max 100 pax), Varsity (max 300 pax) - **only for those vaccinated/tested**

- Bahasa - no need for vaccination/testing as < 50 pax

### (A) Worship Services for Vaccinated/ Tested Worshipers ONLY

Registration will open at 4:00pm every Sun and closes at 9am every Fri, or when event capacity is reached, whichever is earlier.

| Congregational Service           | Day and Time           | Capacity for On-site | Registration Link for On-site Service                       | Livestream Link  |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|---|--|
| English @ Shine Auditorium (L4)  | Sunday at 9am          | 300 pax              | <a href="https://bit.ly/2SvNREO">https://bit.ly/2SvNREO</a> | <a href="http://bit.ly/38BU0rA">http://bit.ly/38BU0rA</a>  |
| Chinese @ Gospel Auditorium (L2) | Sunday at 9am          | 100 pax              | <a href="https://bit.ly/3ljdv8">https://bit.ly/3ljdv8</a>   | <a href="http://bit.ly/2Ng0TXT">http://bit.ly/2Ng0TXT</a>  |
| Filipino @ Gospel Auditorium L2  | Sunday at 2pm          | 100 pax              | <a href="https://bit.ly/3mnOvRK">https://bit.ly/3mnOvRK</a> | <a href="http://bit.ly/30FjYFU">http://bit.ly/30FjYFU</a>  |
| Youth @ Gospel Auditorium (L2)   | Saturday at 4:30m      | 100 pax              | <a href="https://bit.ly/2HYp5Lm">https://bit.ly/2HYp5Lm</a> | <a href="https://bit.ly/2AaF8C3">https://bit.ly/2AaF8C3</a>  |
| Varsity @ Shine Auditorium (L4)  | Every Sunday at 2:30pm | 300 pax              | <a href="https://bit.ly/3v3NP95">https://bit.ly/3v3NP95</a> | subscribe to Varsity announcement channel<br><a href="https://t.me/+WDu3myEwjpcxZWU1">https://t.me/+WDu3myEwjpcxZWU1</a> |

### (B) Worship Services for Unvaccinated and Vaccinated Worshipers

| Congregational Service  | Day and Time  | Capacity for On-site | Registration Link for On-site Service                          | Livestream Link |
|-------------------------|---|----------------------|--|-----------------|
| Bahasa @ Hall 3 (Attic) | Every 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday at 10:30am | 50 pax               | Register directly with Sister Fei Lin via whatsapp @ 9488 0363 | <u>Nil</u>      |

Telugu Service will not resume on-site service until further notice.

### (C) Children Service

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

For detailed advisory, please visit [gospellight.sg](http://gospellight.sg)>visit>service venues and timings



## 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](mailto: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 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 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**
- Cheques can be deposited at any POSB or DBS bank into the church's accounts.

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