



WEEKLY BULLETIN



Three reasons why you might not want to join Children's Ministry

1. "I've never taught kids before, and I don't know how to handle them."

Not to worry, training will be provided. Reaching children requires patience and a willing heart to care and listen. Facilitation and classroom management skills can always be picked up along the way.

2. "I don't know enough of the Bible."

Actually, none of us do, and we are all constantly learning as we prepare the lessons. It's okay not to have all the answers all the time, and sometimes, we may even learn from the questions they ask.

3. "I don't like kids/ I have enough of kids (at school/home)."

Liking kids would be great, but we must remember that the Gospel isn't only for the likable or the lovable. Perhaps we might want a break from dealing with more children on weekends, but may we be willing to take turns and sacrifice our time to be a blessing to other parents and families.

Three reasons why you should

1. Children need to hear the gospel

Our children may be cute and innocent, but we should not be mistaken that they too are sinners in need of the Gospel. Children can believe in the Gospel, as God's work of salvation is not limited by age or inadequate understanding. Therefore, our aim is to continually point them to the Gospel that they may hear and come to believe (Romans 10:14-15).

2. Children (and families) need to know that the church cares for them

Our children need to know that the church is God's family and experience what being part of God's family is like. They will know this belonging when they see that there is a community invested in them and who can help them grow in their faith. We need to welcome them into God's family, just as Christ did. (Mark 10:13-16)

3. Children need to learn how to read God's Word for themselves and know that God's Word is true and relevant

Today, our kids are over-exposed to a constant influx and availability of instant information. They are hyper-aware of what's going on and it will challenge and influence their worldview. They are either getting more informed by the world, or transformed by the Word. More than ever, they need God's Word, and we can help them grow in this.

And 1 reason why you (hopefully) would

1. It is the great commission

Christ has commanded us, "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you..." (Matthew 28:19-20) The harvest field of the next generation is in our church. Let us take heed and obey this command to go and teach and disciple the children, that they might grow in faith.

Blessings
Sister Hannah Chee
Children's Ministry Shepherd

If you are interested to serve, please write in to Sister Hannah at hannah.chee@gospellight.sg.



• 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**

• 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 > **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 > **Connect > Events** or scan the QR code.



Registration deadline: Sun, 2 Jan

• 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

• RECRUITMENT

1. ShineKidz Supervisor

2. 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. Details of the job position are available via our website under 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 Worshippers 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 Service	Registration Link for On-site Service	Livestream Link
English @ Shine Auditorium (L4)	Sunday at 9am	300 pax	https://bit.ly/2SvNREO	http://bit.ly/38BU0rA
Chinese @ Gospel Auditorium (L2)	Sunday at 9am	110 pax	https://bit.ly/3ljdvc8	http://bit.ly/2Ng0TXT
Filipino @ Gospel Auditorium L2	Sunday at 2pm	110 pax	https://bit.ly/3mnOvRK	http://bit.ly/30FjYFU
Youth @ Gospel Auditorium (L2)	Saturday at 4:30m	110 pax	https://bit.ly/2HYp5Lm	https://bit.ly/2AaF8C3
Varsity @ Shine Auditorium (L4)	Every 1 st Sunday at 2:30pm Starting 2 January 2022	300 pax	https://bit.ly/3v3NP95	https://bit.ly/3vTWnPy

(B) Worship Services for Unvaccinated and Vaccinated Worshippers

Congregational Service	Day and Time	Capacity for On-site Service	Registration Link for On-site Service	Livestream Link
Bahasa @ Hall 3 (Attic)	Every 1 st and 3 rd 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 to register for online Zoom Children Service on Sundays at 11am. **There will be no Children service on Sun, 26 Dec. Service will resume on Sun, 2 Jan 2022.**

For detailed advisory, please visit 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



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:

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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 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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