



14 May 2023

CALL HER BLESSED

Motherhood is often referred to as the 24/7 job with zero pay. There is no option to resign. But it is also a highly fulfilling job. Mothers' guidance and teaching have immeasurable impact that adorn their children and raise them in the ways of the Lord.

“ **Her children rise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her: "Many women have done excellently, but you surpass them all.** ”

"The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge; fools despise wisdom and instruction. Hear, my son, your father's instruction, and forsake not your mother's teaching, for they are a graceful garland for your head and pendants for your neck." Proverbs 1:7-9

Being born into a Christian home granted me the privilege of growing up under a mother who intentionally pointed me to Christ. After I was born, my mother decided to give up her career to raise her two girls (and subsequently two more boys). Having mum at home all the time meant I got to enjoy daily home-cooked meals, hear countless Bible stories, and solve most problems with just a holler of "Mummy"!

A quarrel we had in my late teens left a lasting impression. I remember feeling really upset, and my mum left my room. Soon after, she returned to apologise for her harsh words. In that moment, all my anger melted away. I gained more respect for her, because she

respected me and did not demand my apology first in that situation. Her demonstration of humility was a model of what Christlikeness looks like.

God used my mum to share the gospel with me - first when I was four, and continually to this day. Topics about Scripture, ministries, church, and discipleship are often forefront in her mind, and she speaks about them with excitement. She has modelled a life that loves and depends on God, and she eagerly testifies of God's goodness. When I went through dark times, mum's prayers and encouragement were the mediums God used to deliver the medicine of His word and His faithfulness. My mum is one of God's greatest blessings to me, and I am deeply grateful for her.

So, here's celebrating all the mothers (as well as the motherly figures in church) for your love and sacrifices. May you be encouraged that all the deposits of hugs and kisses, stories, prayers, encouragement, and ultimately your life testimony, carry far greater weight than you can imagine.

"Her children rise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her: "Many women have done excellently, but you surpass them all." Charm is deceitful, and beauty is vain, but a woman who fears the Lord is to be praised. Give her of the fruit of her hands, and let her works praise her in the gates." Proverbs 31:28-31

Michelle Choo
(Michelle leads the preschool ministry and is a discipleship group leader.)



CHURCH HAPPENINGS

• TALK FOR MOTHERS (BY MARY BEEKE)

Raising Children is both a privilege and an art. One goal that is often overlooked is how to instill a godly work ethic in them, that results in a life of fruitfulness for God's glory. This workshop comes with practical everyday strategies and biblical advice that will help bring dramatic change in your life. Whether you're a mother, grandmother or female guardian of a child, you'll find this session beneficial.

Mary Beeke is married to Dr Joel Beeke. She is a healthcare professional, educator, and author.

(Women only)

Date: Sat, 17 Jun

Time: 9:00am to 11:30am

To register and more details visit: <https://bit.ly/44F11EA>.

• CHURCH CAMP BRIEFING

All campers are requested to attend the church camp briefing on Sunday 21 May 2023 at 12:30pm in Shine Auditorium directly after the second service.

• INTERIOR DESIGNER NEEDED

We need an interior designer to help re-model GLCC Mission Headquarters (3rd Floor) at 360 Dunearn Road. If you have the skills and want to use it for the Kingdom, please contact Pastor Paul Choo at 9782 5256.

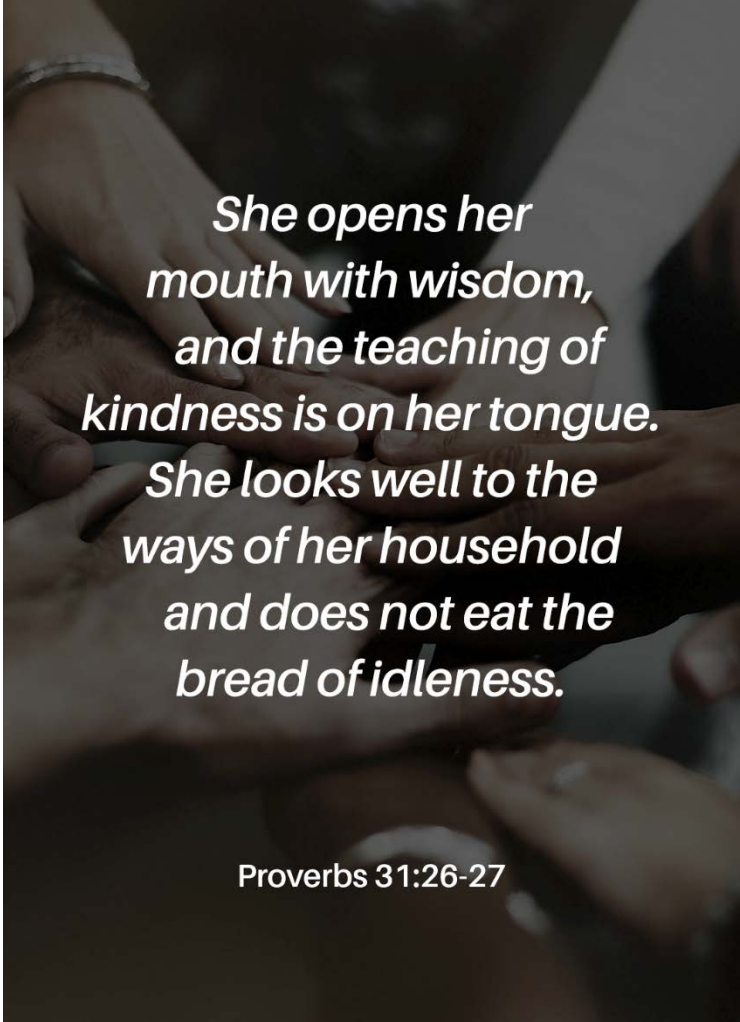
• VISITATION MINISTRY

Our team spreads the love of Jesus through personal home visits. We minister to vulnerable groups like the elderly, hospitalized or families in crisis. Know someone who can benefit from our ministry? Make an appointment: 9117 6000 or shine@gospellight.sg

• JOB RECRUITMENT

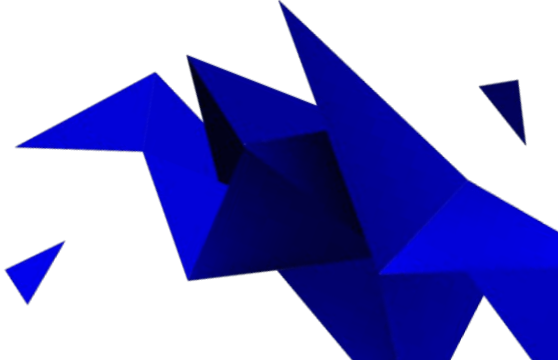
1. ShineKids Executive

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 at [Careers](#).



*She opens her
mouth with wisdom,
and the teaching of
kindness is on her tongue.
She looks well to the
ways of her household
and does not eat the
bread of idleness.*

Proverbs 31:26-27





CLASSES & TRAININGS

• BULLETPROOF MARRIAGE WORKSHOP

Who should attend? Pre-Marriage prep and married couples who desire to strengthen their marriage. We would like to emphasize that it is a 4-session commitment plus, a 3-6 months of journey with a marriage mentor couple assigned to each couple. Registration is limited to 10 couples.

Dates: Thursdays starting 6,13,20,27Jul via Zoom

*Subsequent workshops will be conducted in Nov

Time: 8:45pm – 10:30pm

Duration: 4 sessions

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

Registration deadline: Mon, 29 May.

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

• BEGINNING INDUCTIVE BIBLE STUDY (BIBS) – REVELATION

Revelation is a letter from John to the seven churches in Asia in the first century. The purpose of the book is the revelation of Jesus Christ vis a vis the prophecy of things that must soon take place so that the churches may be faithful to persevere through the persecution and tribulation and overcome as conquerors.

The four visions that John saw are for our encouragement today, so that the called, chosen and faithful may overcome, living godly lives and watchfully waiting for Jesus' return in the clouds. Maranatha.

Cost: \$15/- for the study guide and study materials.

Option 1

Dates: Fridays, starting 23 Jun

Time: 10:00am – 12:00pm

Option 2

Dates: Mondays, starting 26 Jun

Time: 7:30pm – 9:30pm

Instructor: Brother Michael Lau

Classes will be conducted via Zoom.

Register at <https://bit.ly/3UnqzA1>.

Registration closes Sun, 4 Jun.



WORSHIP SERVICE

- **Wednesday Prayer Meetings – 8pm**

Venue: Hall 3, Attic

- **Sunday Prayer Meetings – 8:15am**

Venue: Cry Room at Shine Auditorium (L4)

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

(A) Worship Services

Congregational Service	Day and Time	Capacity for On-site	Livestream Link
English @ Shine Auditorium (L4)	Sunday at 9am and 11am	800 pax	http://bit.ly/38BU0rA (only available at 9am)
Chinese @ Gospel Auditorium (L2)	Sunday at 9am and 11am	240 pax	http://bit.ly/2Ng0TXT (only available at 9am)
Filipino @ Gospel Auditorium (L2)	Sunday at 2pm	240 pax	http://bit.ly/30FjYFU
Youth @ Gospel Auditorium (L2)	Saturday at 4:30m No service on 4 th & 5 th week	240 pax	https://bit.ly/2AaF8C3
Varsity @ Light 1 & 2 (L3)	Sunday at 2:30pm No service on 5 th week	140 pax	Subscribe to Varsity announcement channel https://t.me/+WDu3myEwjpcxZWU1
Bahasa @ Hall 1 (L2)	Alternate Sunday at 10:30am	20 pax	<u>Nil</u>
Telugu @ Gospel Auditorium (L2)	Sunday at 5pm and 8pm	240 pax	http://bit.ly/30G4fXl

(B) Children Service

All children's services are at **9am and 11am**:

- (i) Primary Levels (7 - 12 years) at Level 3.
- (ii) Preschool* (3-6 yrs) at Attic.
- (ii) Playgroup (12 mths till 3yrs) at Hall 3 @ Attic.

*Preschool are for children age 36 mths to 6 yrs.



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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