



Deep and Wide: Children's Ministry Updates!

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In recent years, our Children's Ministry has undergone a period of significant growth and transformation. We have focused on going "deep" by strengthening our ministry team and "wide" by continuing our gospel outreach to pre-believing kids.

This year, 24 dedicated volunteers have stepped up as team leaders across our Playgroup, Preschool, and Primary children's services. These leaders have committed to meet regularly for fellowship—sharing meals,

discussing ministry ideas, and praying together. Some leaders have even opened their homes for gatherings with their teams. These connections outside of Sunday services have deepened relationships among volunteers, creating greater synergy and encouragement as they serve together.



This intentional relationship-building has also extended to the kids. We've hosted a series of "Small Group Connect" events where Small Group Leaders (SGLs) take the children outside of the regular service environment to play games and share meals. These events have helped the children bond, fostering a sense of community within the church. Stronger relationships among the kids have also helped with smoother

transitions from children's service to youth ministry.

One of the highlights of the year was our Good Friday children's outreach, where 32 newcomers heard the gospel for the very first time! With help from volunteers in the Varsity and Youth ministries, we hosted interactive stations and activities that guided the children to reflect on who Jesus is, and how and why He went to the cross.

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In addition to special events, we've been blessed to welcome new children nearly every week. One story that stands out involves a P5 boy who initially came to church with his aunt. He returned another week with a question: should he attend children's service or join his dad in a volunteering event? After a short

conversation with his SGL, he chose to stay for the service and has been coming back regularly. During a small group session, he shared that he wants his parents to believe in Jesus and attend church too! We are deeply grateful for moments like these and pray that the Lord will continue to draw these young hearts to Himself as we faithfully lead and shepherd them.

As we welcome more children into our services, we are praying for additional volunteers who are willing to invest in the next generation. We're planning to start a third service in January 2025 to accommodate the growing number of kids. With this expansion, we need more volunteers to engage and journey with these children as they learn about Jesus. Please join us in praying for more laborers for this harvest field!

To find out more about the many roles we need volunteers in <u>contact us</u> today!

VOLUNTEER TO BLESS OUR MIGRANT WORKER COMMUNITY!

Volunteer for our Migrant Worker health screening at Westlite Woodlands. We need a team of 6 doctors; 8 to 10 nurses plus 25 non-medical volunteers. A volunteer briefing via zoom will be conducted on Thu, 24 Oct at 8.30pm.

Date: Thu, 31 Oct

Time: 4.00pm - 8.00pm

Venue: Westlite Woodlands

The team will rally in church (39 Punggol Field Walk) at 2.00pm. Set up time at Westlite is 3.00pm.

Register as a volunteer today!

BULLETPROOF MARRIAGE WORKSHOP

Who should attend? Pre-Marriage prep and married couples who want to work on their marriage. We would like to emphasize that it is a 4 session commitment and a subsequent 1:1 journey of several months with an assigned marriage mentor couple. Registration is limited to 10 couples (first come first serve).

Workshop format:

1 onsite session (7 Nov, 7.30pm - 9.15pm at GLCC, L2 Gospel Auditorium)

3 online sessions via Zoom (14,21,28 Nov, 8.30pm - 10.00pm)

*Subsequent workshops will be conducted in March 2025

Duration: 4 sessions

Register today!

Registration closes Mon, 14 Oct. For more enquiries, contact Ken at 9783 0984 or Caroline at 9616 8403.

SILVERJOY (SENIORS) MINISTRY

Every chapter of life is a gift from God. And our ministry for seniors celebrates that gift. SilverJoy isn't just a place for seniors to gather, it's a spiritual community of friendship and support. Invite your pre-believing friends, neighbours or family members.

Date: 1st & 3rd Wed of the month

Time: 9.45am - 12.30pm

Venue: Connections Corner (L1)

Upcoming events coming your way. Join

us!

Contact 9753 7964 for enquiries.

Date	Programme
2 Oct	Balik Kampung Talk - Stay Connected (HPB Talk)
16 Oct	Photo Frame Decoration *call 9753 7964 to register

EXPOSITORY BIBLE STUDY – GOSPEL OF JOHN

This Tue, 24 Sep, we will study John 13:21-30, and learn about Jesus what Jesus meant when he said "one of you will betray me". The Zoom dial-in details for our session are as follows:

Date: Tue, 24 Sep

Time: 8.00pm

Join **Zoom Meeting**

Meeting ID: 851 8603 0760

Passcode: 211761

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY CLOSURE (5th SUNDAY)

Children's Ministry will not be operating on Sunday 29 September. We encourage parents to accompany your child to the main English or Chinese worship services. Streaming of the English services will continue at Hall 3 (Attic level) and L1 Foyer.

CHANGES IN CARPARK TRAFFIC FLOW

Attention all drivers! As part of our effort to improve the safety and smooth flow of traffic on Sundays, we will be conducting a trial on 22 Sep, 29 Sep, 6 Oct and 13 Oct in basements 1 and 2. Kindly follow the instructions of our traffic marshals and only drop off your passengers at the designated drop-off points.

YOUTH CAMP 2024

Save the Date for Youth Camp 2024! 16-19 December!

INTERNSHIP

Wonder if full-time ministry is what you have been called to? Come explore under Gospel Light's Internship programme, especially tailored for those who are keen in shepherding/pastoral work. To find out more details on the application criteria, please visit our website at Internship.

JOB RECRUITMENT

IT MANAGER

We are looking for an IT manager to handle our day to day IT operations, oversee all IT projects and coordinate IT work with 3rd party providers, serve as technical and IT advisor to all church departments.

SHINEKIDZ EXECUTIVE

Do you love kids? Do you have a heart to impact them with the Gospel? The Lord has brought a harvest field to us through our ShineKidz Afterschool Care. If this is your heartbeat, join us to serve the children and point them to Jesus.

For more details about the above job positions, please visit our website at **Careers** or **Email** Benita Teo.

KIDS BIBLE CAMP (KBC) 2024

Join us for an exciting 2-day adventure to find the greatest treasure of all — the person of Jesus Christ! Children will discover how to grow their faith & explore what it means to be deeply rooted in God's love & truth!

Age group: Primary 1 to 5

Date: Fri, 22 Nov - Sat, 23 Nov

Time: 8.30am - 5.30pm

Camp Fees: \$30 (includes meals, materials

and T-shirt)

Venue: 39 Punggol Field Walk, Singapore

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Register today!

Registration closes on Mon, 30 Sep.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR KIDS BIBLE CAMP

We are excited to announce our annual 2-day kids holiday camp and we need YOU to help make it an unforgettable experience! This is a wonderful opportunity to impact the lives of children from our church & the community with the love & truth of the Gospel. Sign-up today and be a blessing to the next generation!

Apply for the various roles. To find out more write to us today!



English @Shine Auditorium (L4)
Sunday at 8.30am, 10.15am, 12.00pm

Watch our livestream service at 10.15am only

Chinese @Gospel Auditorium (L2)
Sunday at 8.30am and 10.15am
Watch our livestream service at 10.15am only

Filipino @Gospel Auditorium (L2)
Sunday at 2.00pm
Watch our livestream service at 2.00pm

Youth @Gospel Auditorium (L2)
Saturday at 4.30pm
Subscribe to our announcement channel on
WhatsApp or Telegram.



Varsity @Light 1 and Light 2 (L3)
Sunday at 2.30pm *no service on 5th week
Subscribe to Varsity announcement channel

Bahasa @Reception Room (L1) Every alternate Sunday 10.30am For more info, please contact 9117 6000 / 96285061

Telugu @Gospel Auditorium (L2) Sunday at 5.00pm and 7.30pm <u>Watch</u> our livestream service at 5.30pm



PLAYGROUP

(12 - 35 months) @ Hall 3 (Attic) Sunday at 8.30am and 10.15am

PRESCHOOL

(35 months - 6 years) @ Eshkol Valley Premises (Attic) Sunday at 8.30am and 10.15am

PRIMARY

(Primary 1 - 6) @ Light Auditorium (L3) Sunday at 8.30am and 10.15am

Join our Whatsapp community
for regular updates

Contact us if you're interested to explore serving in Children's Ministry!



FULL GIVING DETAILS HERE



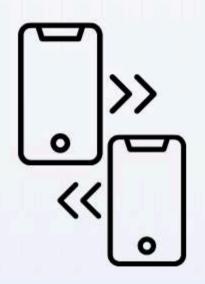
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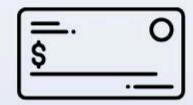
Scan With Your Bank App

All offerings will be directed to the "General" fund. State "Missions" in the UEN/Bill Reference No. section if you wish to designate the offering to our mission work.

Giving Online



> Internet Banking Transfer DBS Bank 033-021695-5



> Cheque
Make Payable to:
"Gospel Light Christian Church"
Write "Offerings" behind.

For internet banking transfer, indicate "General" or "Mission" to designate where the offering goes to

For cheques, you can further indicate on the reverse: "General Fund" 033-021695-5 or "Missions Fund" 001-042653-2.

Cheques can be deposited at any POSB or DBS bank into the church's accounts.