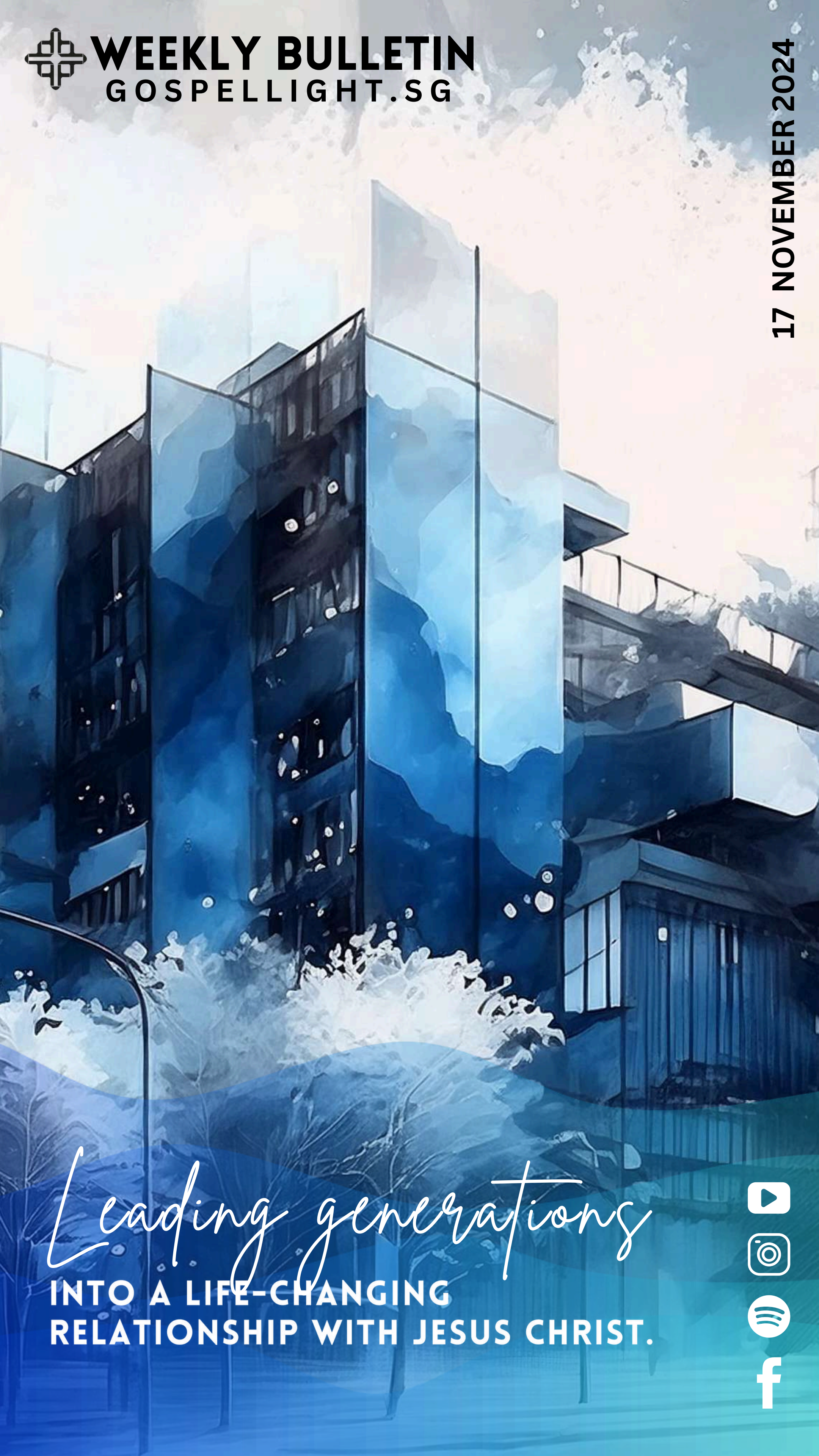




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Leading generations

**INTO A LIFE-CHANGING
RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS CHRIST.**





Women's Ministry - Why We Need One?

Article by Benita Teo
Woman's Ministry Lead

Does the Bible say that every church must have an official women's ministry? The answer is "No". The Bible does not prescribe or restrict how fellowship between women should take place.

Yet, the Bible resoundingly (and repeatedly) instructs women to engage in regular ministry to one another. Titus 2:3 says, "Older women likewise are to be reverent in behaviour, not slanderers or slaves to much wine. They are to teach what is good." We see

this being lived out today in Gospel Light, and we celebrate all the different ways in which ministry amongst ladies is already happening – Life-on-life Missional Discipleship groups, Young Mums Pray and Share group, ladies care group, ladies bible study group, to name a few.

One might then ask: If ministry amongst women is already happening through various platforms, why the added need for a dedicated Women's Ministry?



“A church-wide Women’s Ministry can provide an open platform for all Gospel Light ladies to come together, regardless of life-stage or spiritual maturity, to connect and build community as sisters in Christ.”



In a church survey conducted earlier this year, about one-third of these ladies are not currently part of any Gospel Light ministry. Existing platforms may require a commitment level which some ladies might find challenging, at their current life-stage.

A church-wide Women's Ministry can provide an open platform for all Gospel Light ladies to come together, regardless of life-stage or spiritual maturity, to connect and build community as sisters in Christ. It is to this end, that Gospel Light has formed a Core Team, to work towards establishing a new Women's Ministry. We will be launching our first event, in Q1 2025, look out for it!

The key objective of this Women's Ministry would be to contextualise God's Word to the lives of women. Because men and women are made differently, how God's Word is learnt and applied may look quite different between genders. Women also benefit from learning and growing alongside other women. We can all pick up books written by godly women and learn from them from afar. But how much more wonderful to have a real-life role model who lives the Christ-life IN FRONT OF YOU! We become better together, as we grow with one another.

Women's Ministry also provides a platform for women to invite their unbelieving

female friends to join them at events. An all-women event may be less intimidating than a mixed gender event. Through events that are rooted in God's Word, there is a potential to minister to lost and hurting women through a community that is gracious and authentic.

It is also our hope that the Women's Ministry will strengthen the wider spiritual fabric of Gospel Light. Our ladies perform a variety of roles in the Gospel Light community, and within their respective families. Connecting and equipping these ladies in the Word would therefore have potential multiplier effects, across the various communities of which they form part of. The Women's Ministry would also be able to help identify and channel interested ladies to existing platforms and ministries suited to their needs, thereby also enriching the body of Christ.

Please pray as we continue our preparation to launch Gospel Light's Women's Ministry in the first quarter of 2025!

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

CHRISTMAS SERVICES 2024

In a world filled with uncertainty, pain, and anxiety, we all long for hope. This Christmas, invite someone you know to see the unveiled true joy of Christmas in a hope that endures. Join us for our special Christmas service, “Hope Is Born”.

Date: 25 Dec 2024

English services

Venue: L4, Shine Auditorium

Time: 9.00am and 11.00am

Chinese services

Venue: L2, Gospel Auditorium

Time: 9.00am and 11.00am

Download and share our [invite card](#).

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

SHEPHERDS' TRAINING (SEMESTER 3)

We will be kickstarting a new semester of Shepherd's Training in Jan 2025. Word-based ministry leaders and potential leaders are invited to register and join us on this journey.

Dates: 25 Jan - 31 May 2025

(Every last Saturday of the month)

Time: 2.00pm to 5.00pm

Venue: Light Auditorium (L3)

Register [here](#).

Registration is on first come first serve basis and subject to approval.

Successful applicants will be informed 2 weeks prior to the training date.

Registration closes Sun, 29 Dec.

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

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 on-site. Register [here](#). Registration closes on Sun, 22 Dec.

English

Date: Sun, 19 Jan & 26 Jan 2025

Time: 1:30pm – 2:30pm

Venue: Hall 2 (L2)

Chinese

Date: Sun, 5 Jan & 26 Jan 2025

Time: 12:00pm – 1:00pm

Venue: Hall 2 (L2)

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

CALLING ON ALL INDONESIANS AT GLCC!

Pastor Paul, through APIIS, is training hundreds of Indonesian pastors and church leaders. While much of this is online, these leaders often visit GLCC Singapore for on-site training. We'd love for them to connect with fellow Indonesians here!

Pastor Paul invites all Indonesians at GLCC to join a WhatsApp group to foster community and enable quick mobilization if needed. To join, simply WhatsApp Bro. Sugiharto at 91249917.

Let's grow as one family in Christ!

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

BAPTISM

Those who have believed in Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour are encouraged to be baptized. Attendance at Baptism Class is a prerequisite. Submission of written testimonies with completed application forms is a must. Classes are conducted on-site. Register and download application forms [here](#). Registration closes Sun, 8 Dec.

Baptism Class (English)

Date: Sun, 12 Jan 2025

Time: 1.30pm – 2.30pm

Venue: Hall 2 (L2)

Baptism Class (Chinese)

Date: Sun, 12 Jan 2025

Time: 12.00pm – 1.00pm

Venue: Hall 2 (L2)

Baptism Date: Sun, 23 Feb 2025

Venue: Shine Auditorium (L4)

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

YOUTH CAMP 2024: OHANA

Join Us for Youth Camp 2024: Ohana! Get ready for an exciting 4-day, 3-night adventure this December! This year's camp theme is all about Family. Discover what it means to be a part of God's family, your church family, and your earthly family. Along the way, you'll form lasting friendships and grow deeper in your faith!

Age group: Primary 6 to JC/ Poly/ ITE

Date: Mon, 16 Dec - Thu, 19 Dec

Camp Fee: \$80

Venue: 39 Punggol Field Walk, Singapore
828753

Don't miss out! [Register](#) now!

Registration closes on 1 Dec.

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

CHURCH CAMP 2025 - FAQ

Gyms are familiar to many of us, with different machines that help to work our different muscle groups. But how often do we flex and train our spiritual muscles?

Borrowing the words of Paul in 1 Tim 4:7-8 "...Rather train yourself for godliness; for while bodily training is of some value, godliness is of value in every way, as it holds promise for the present life and also for the life to come." Come spend time with the family of God from 10 - 14 June 2025 in "Training for Godliness". FAQs for Church Camp 2025 is given [here](#).

CLASSES + MINISTRIES

ANNUAL HEALTH SCREENING FOR DOMESTIC WORKERS

Join us in caring for our invaluable helpers! Encourage friends, neighbors, or colleagues to bring their domestic helpers for our Annual Health Screening on Sunday, 24 Nov, 2.30pm to 5.00pm at the Level 1 Foyer.

This is a fantastic opportunity for them to receive essential health checks, ensuring they're in good health and well-supported. No registration required— All domestic workers are warmly welcome!

CLASSES + MINISTRIES

BEGINNING INDUCTIVE BIBLE STUDY (BIBS)

Beginning Inductive Bible Study (BIBS) is an online platform where we meet to Investigate what the Bible says, so as to Interpret what the Scriptures meant, and then discuss the Implications of the Word in our daily lives. We study the word of God inductively that we may know the God of the word intimately and follow Jesus faithfully in the power of the Spirit.

BIBS January to May 2025 is as follows:

Jeremiah (Men's group): Wednesdays
9.30am - 11.30am – (Lesson starts 15 Jan)

Acts: Thursdays 9.30am - 11.30am –
(Lesson starts 16 Jan)

Romans: Fridays 9.30am - 11.30am –
(Lesson starts 17 Jan)

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CLASSES + MINISTRIES

Acts: Mondays 7.30pm - 9.30pm –
(Lesson starts 20 Jan)

Romans: Tuesdays 7.30pm - 9.30pm –
(Lesson starts 21 Jan)

Your commitment each week is 1-3 hours of self-study and 2 hours online discussion. Precept NISS guide (\$15/-) is optional. The discussion leader is brother Michael Lau.

Enrol today!

Enrolment closes Sun, 29 Dec.

CLASSES + MINISTRIES

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.

Register to join us!

Date	Programme
04 Dec	Christmas Wreath Making (圣诞花环制作) *registration required
18 Dec	Christmas Lunch (圣诞午餐) *registration required

Contact 9753 7964 for enquiries / registration.

CLASSES + MINISTRIES

EXPOSITORY BIBLE STUDY – GOSPEL OF JOHN

This Tue, 19 Nov, we will study John 16:1-15, and learn about the hatred of the world. The Zoom dial-in details for our session are as follows:

Date: Tue, 19 Nov

Time: 8.00pm

Join [Zoom Meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 851 8603 0760

Passcode: 211761

Prayer



Meetings

**“We do not make requests of you because we are righteous, but because of your great mercy.”
Daniel 9:18**



Wednesday

8PM | HALL 3 (ATTIC LEVEL)



Sunday

**7.45AM | CRY ROOM
SHINE AUDITORIUM
LEVEL 4**



Prayer List

**WE CAN ONLY MOVE FORWARD
AS A CHURCH BY PRAYER.**

**[SUBSCRIBE](#) TO OUR WEEKLY
PRAYER LIST**



Bereavement

**WE MOURN WITH MEMBERS
WHO'VE LOST LOVED ONES.
(ROM. 12:15) STAY [UPDATED](#)
ON CHURCH BEREAVEMENT
NOTICES.**



WORSHIP SERVICES

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](#).



WORSHIP SERVICES

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

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Telugu @Gospel Auditorium (L2)

Sunday at 5.00pm and 7.30pm

[Watch](#) our livestream service at 5.30pm



CHILDREN'S SERVICES

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!

Giving Online

FULL GIVING DETAILS [HERE](#)



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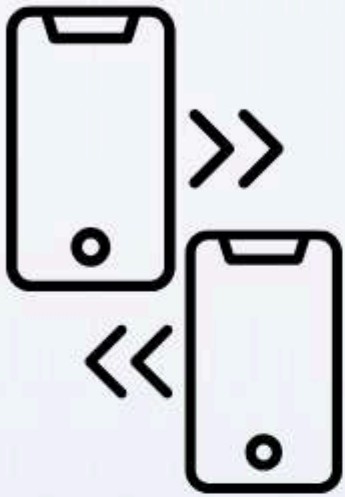
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All offerings will be directed to the “General” fund. State “Missions” in the UEN/Bill Reference No. section if you wish to designate the offering to our mission work.

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.