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





The Danger Zone: A Call to Awaken for 2025

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As we step into 2025, many of us are filled with resolutions, hopes, and plans for the year ahead. But as we look forward, we must not neglect to examine the spiritual state of our hearts. The times we live in are treacherous, and the dangers to our souls are real. We must take heed from the life of Samson, a man who was once the strongest in history, but who fell because he failed to understand the true source of his strength. It is a story that should serve as both a warning and a rebuke to us all.

“Many believers make the same mistake. You are living as though your strength comes from within yourselves—your abilities, your talents, your resources. You have forgotten that the same Spirit that empowered Samson lives within you, and you are failing to rely on Him.”

Samson’s strength was legendary. He tore a lion apart with his bare hands, carried the gates of a city on his shoulders, and slew a thousand men with nothing but the jawbone of a donkey. Yet, let me remind you, this strength did not come from his muscles or from his physical prowess. It came from the Spirit of the Lord. Samson was strong because God empowered him, but tragically, he forgot this truth. He allowed himself to become ensnared by the comforts and desires of this world, and it led to his downfall.

Many believers make the same mistake. You are living as though your strength comes from within yourselves—your abilities,

your talents, your resources. You have forgotten that the same Spirit that empowered Samson lives within you, and you are failing to rely on Him. Instead, you are seeking solace in the comfort zones of life—your entertainments, your addictions, your routines—thinking that they will give you the strength and satisfaction you need. Let me be clear: they will not. They will only lead you into spiritual danger.

Look at what happened to Samson. His love for Delilah drew him into a trap, and he was so blinded by his desires that he did not see it. She was sent by the Philistines to discover the secret of his strength, and once she did, she betrayed him. His hair was cut, and with it, his strength left him. He was captured, blinded, and made a slave—reduced to a shadow of the man he once was.

Do you think you are any different? Do you believe you can toy with the comforts and sins of this world without consequence? I tell you, the moment you place your trust in anything other than Christ, the moment you allow these comfort zones to become

addictions, you are stepping into a danger zone from which you may not escape. You are risking your spiritual vitality, your witness, and your effectiveness for God.

Comfort zones, in and of themselves, are not inherently sinful, but they become deadly when they start to control you. Whether it's the endless hours spent in front of a screen, the indulgence in social media, or any other activity that pulls your heart away from God, these things can and will weaken you. They will sap your spiritual strength, leaving you powerless and ineffective.

The consequences of staying in these comfort zones are severe. Just as Samson lost his strength and became a figure of shame, so too will you lose your ability to glorify God and serve Him effectively. Others will see it, and you will feel the shame and disappointment of a life that could have been so much more if only you had walked closely with God.

Gospeliters, I urge you to wake from your slumber. Put your hand in God's hand and

walk with Him. Live each moment relying on Christ's strength, not your own. Make a habit of turning to Him in everything, seeking His guidance, His wisdom, His power. Beware of the comfort zones that can so easily become danger zones, and do not let them control you.



CHURCH HAPPENINGS

CHURCH CAMP 2025

Come spend time with the family of God from 10 - 14 June 2025.

Click on the respective camp FAQ : [English](#) / [Chinese](#).

To register, click [here](#).

Early bird 5 Jan - 31 Jan 2025

Normal registration 1 Feb to 28 Feb 2025

Church camp booths on Sundays will be open from 10.00am to 2.00pm.

Chinese Booth at Front Desk (L2) and Foyer 2

English Booth at Front Desk (L1) and Connections Corner (L1)

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

INTRODUCING GOSPEL LIGHT'S WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Calling all Ladies of Gospel Light - get ready for an exciting 2025! We're launching something special just for you – a dedicated Ministry by women, for women, designed to connect, engage and equip the ladies of Gospel Light!

Mark your calendars and join us for our kick-off event on **Saturday, 15 Feb 2025**.

Our Mission – “Engaging Women to Grow in Truth, Love, and Service for the Glory of God.”

What to Expect in 2025

- Quarterly gatherings exploring Biblical Womanhood, through biblical teaching and small group discussions.
- No preparation needed – just come with an open heart!
- Fellowship over shared meals at each gathering.

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CHURCH HAPPENINGS

Save these dates!

- Sat, 15 Feb 2025: 10 AM - 12 PM (Followed by a delicious lunch!)
- Sat, 03 May 2025: 2 PM - 4 PM (Includes a lovely tea!)
- Sat, 02 Aug 2025: 10 AM - 12 PM (Followed by another scrummy lunch!)
- Sat, 1 Nov 2025: 2 PM - 4 PM (Yes, more tea!)

As we get this ministry rolling, our priority will be all the wonderful ladies (18 years old and above) who are currently worshipping with us at Gospel Light, so let's come together to grow, support each other spiritually, and have a blessed time!

👉 Ready to join? Click [here](#) to register for 15 Feb's event: **[Event registration closes on 31 Jan 2025]**

👉 Stay in the loop! Click [here](#) to join our WhatsApp Community for updates on Women's Ministry related matters.

We can't wait to see you and embark on this exciting journey together!

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

3RD CHILDREN'S SERVICE

For preschool & primary (36 mths-12 years), starting **9 Feb 2025** .

Time: 12.00pm - 1.15pm

Venue: Attic Level (Eshkol Valley premises)

Check-in counters open at 11.45am

**As places are limited, it'll be first come first served*

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 onsite 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: Sun, 19 Jan 2025

Time: 11.45am - 1.15pm

Venue: Gospel Auditorium (L2)

Lunch is provided.

Connect with us — [Register](#) now!

Registration closes on Sun, 12 Jan 2025.

If you want to find out more, [email](#) Sue.

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

EXPLORE CHRISTIANITY

Are you a seeker with doubts or skeptical about the claims of Christianity?

Exploring the faith may seem daunting, but we're here to help! We want you to know the hope of the bible in a broken world.

Explore the truths of the bible in a 4-part 1-to-1 series with a personal facilitator. Be part of a series that has helped many come to understand the message of the bible better.

For more information, [email](#) Sue or call 9776 1377.

CLASSES + MINISTRIES

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 (6 Mar, 7.30pm - 9.15pm at GLCC, L2 Gospel Auditorium)

3 online sessions via Zoom (13,20,27 Mar, 8.30pm - 10.00pm)

**Subsequent workshops will be conducted in July 2025*

Time: 8:30pm – 10:00pm

Duration: 4 sessions

To register, click [here](#).

Registration closes Mon, 10 Feb.

For more enquiries, contact Ken at 9783 0984 or Caroline at 9616 8403.

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
15 Jan 2025	Baking of pineapple cookies *registration required Table tennis (for men)

Contact 9753 7964 for enquiries / registration.

CLASSES + MINISTRIES

EXPOSITORY BIBLE STUDY – GOSPEL OF JOHN

This Tue, 7 Jan, we will study John 16:16-33, and learn about what Jesus meant when he said “your sorrow will turn into joy” and “I have overcome the world”. The Zoom dial-in details for our session are as follows:

Date: Tue, 7 Jan 2025

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
of the month

[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

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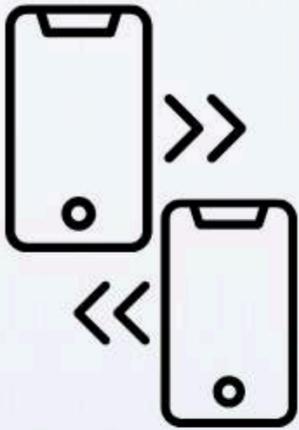
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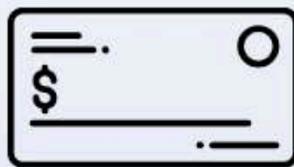
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All offerings will be directed to the “General” fund. State “Missions” in the UEN/Bill Reference No. section if you wish to designate the offering to our mission work.

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.