



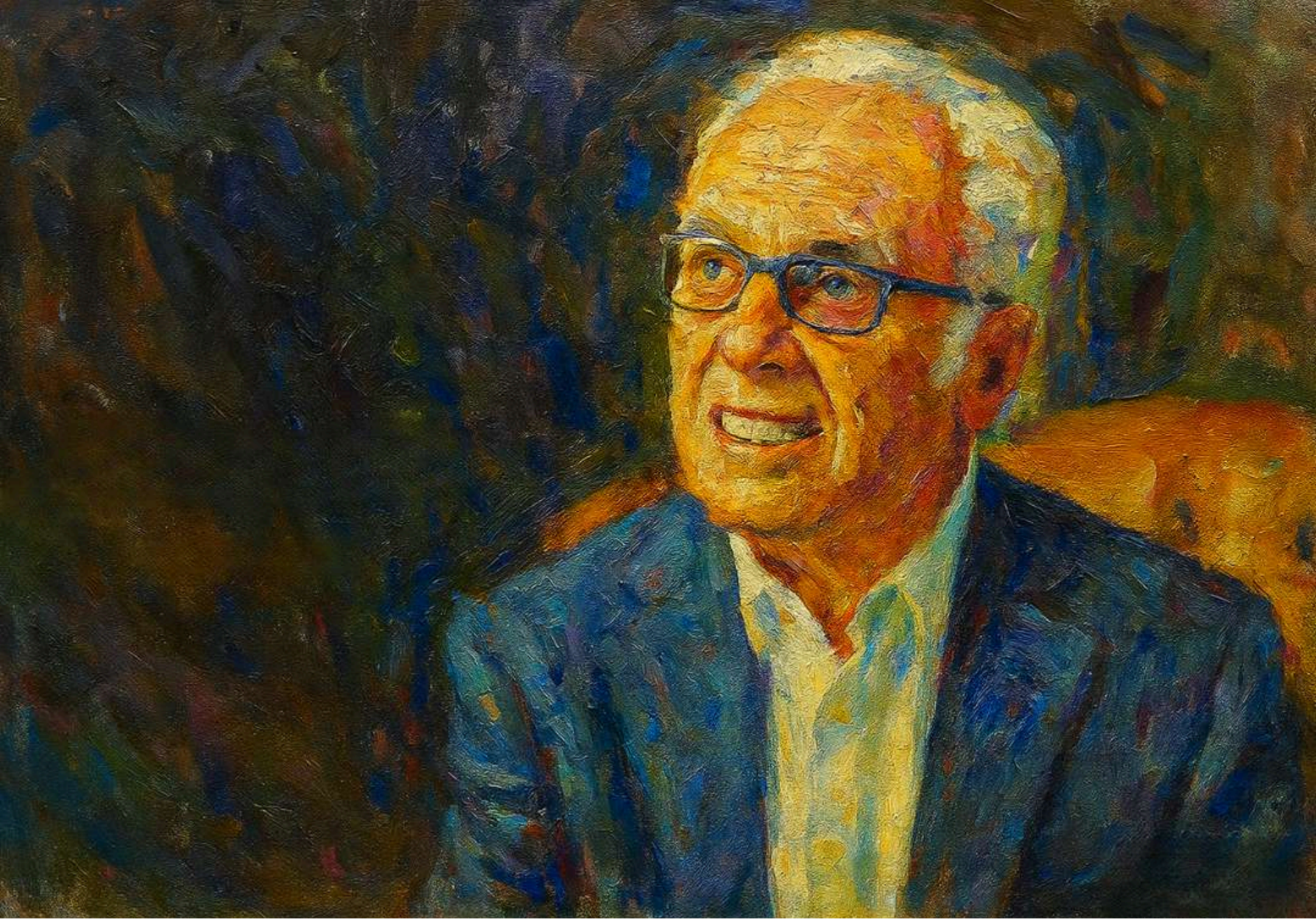
WEEKLY BULLETIN
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Leading generations

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





Living in a Perverse World

*A Tribute to the Teaching Legacy of John MacArthur
(1939 -2025)*

In his 2022 sermon “*Living in a Perverse World*,” Pastor John MacArthur speaks into the heart of what it means to be a Christian in today’s morally unstable culture. With compassion and clarity, he draws from Philippians 2:12–16 to offer believers a path forward in a world that often feels inverted and unmoored.

Recognizing Divine Judgment in Our Culture

MacArthur begins by painting a biblical picture of our times—not merely as chaotic,

but as under divine judgment. Drawing on Romans 1, he makes a sober declaration: our cultural descent into unrighteousness is an expression of God's wrath—not spiritual neglect, but deliberate abandonment (Romans 1:18). In MacArthur's view, the world is not spiraling without purpose; rather, it reflects the tragic consequences of rejecting God.

Who We Are Called to Be

But this is not despair; it's a call to hope. We are made for more. Quoting Philippians 2:15, MacArthur affirms that God's children are meant to shine as lights amidst moral darkness. We are not merely victims of society's decay—we are **redeemed, distinct,** and called to **reflect God's character** in a world that has lost its moral bearings.

How We Should Live

From this positioning, MacArthur urges believers toward a practical, powerful faith:

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- Choose **joyful obedience**, holding fast the Word of life (Phil. 2:12–16).
- **Reject complaining and grumbling**—because faithfulness in hardship counters the chaos around us (Phil. 2:14).
- **Endure trials** with a steadfast heart, knowing that living for Christ is never in vain.

He lifts these convictions not as rules, but as rhythms of life that testify to the gospel—courage, clarity, and joy even when the culture collapses.



“Though culture may twist truth and celebrate compromise, the followers of Christ are called to reflect light, to live faithfully, humbly, and joyfully, and to hold steady to the Word of life.”



A Word of Pastoral Encouragement

John MacArthur's message is not intended to condemn, but to embolden—to remind us that God has placed us where we are for a purpose. Though culture may twist truth and celebrate compromise, the followers of Christ are called to reflect light, to live faithfully, humbly, and joyfully, and to hold steady to the Word of life.

As we honor his legacy, may his teaching help us stand firm: grounded in grace, marked by humility, and shining brightly in a perverse world.

— In loving memory of Pastor John MacArthur, whose faithful voice continues to guide and inspire.

Prayer



Meetings

**“Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.”
Heb. 4:16**



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.**

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PRAYER LIST**



Bereavement

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

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

🗨️ MID-AUTUMN FESTIVAL: DISCOVER HOPE AND JOY 🗨️

📅 Date: Sat, 4 Oct

🕒 Time: 6.00pm – 9.00pm

📍 Venue: Shine Auditorium & Level 1

Join us for an evening of **Worship, Hope, and Culture!**

🎵 Bilingual Worship & Gospel Sharing

🍴 Free Dinner & Mid-Autumn Dishes

🎵 Cultural Fun: **Calligraphy, Lantern Riddles, Musical Performances & More!**

👶 Kids' Program (Ages 4-12)

Invite your unchurched friends, relatives or colleagues to this life changing event!

✨ **RSVP [here](#)** and Join us for this joyful and meaningful celebration! ✨

🎵 **Seeking Musicians!**

If you play a Chinese musical instrument, we'd love your help! Contact David at 8758 2050.

CHURCH HAPPENINGS



HELP EASE CONGESTION – CONSIDER ALTERNATE PARKING OPTIONS

Our 128 Edgedale Plains carpark can get quite busy—especially during peak times! To help ease congestion, create a welcoming experience for first-time visitors, and be considerate to our HDB neighbors, we encourage members to consider.

- Blk 126 Edgedale Plains
- Blk 169 Punggol Field

Your small act of consideration goes a long way in showing hospitality and care.

View the locations on [our map](#).

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, 24 Aug.

Baptism Class (English)

 Date: Sun, 28 Sep

 Time: 1.30pm – 2.30pm

 Venue: Hall 2 (L2)

Baptism Class (Chinese)

 Date: Sun, 28 Sep

 Time: 12.00pm – 1.00pm

 Venue: Hall 2 (L2)

 **Baptism Date:** Sun, 9 Nov

 Venue: Shine Auditorium (L4)

CLASSES + MINISTRIES

KNOWING JESUS: EXPLORE CHRISTIANITY

Whether you're a seeker with doubts or a skeptic about Christianity, we're here to help! Exploring the faith may seem daunting, but we want to help you find hope in a world filled with brokenness and suffering.

Explore the truths of the Bible in a 4-part 1-to-1 series with a personal facilitator. Join a series that has helped many come to understand the evidence for God better.

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

CLASSES + MINISTRIES

SILVER JOY (SENIORS) MINISTRY


Every chapter of life is a gift from God. And our ministry for seniors celebrates that gift. Silver Joy 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: Weds, excluding the 5th Wed of the month

 Time: Refer to the table below

 Venue: Gospel Light Christian Church
Upcoming events coming your way.


Date	Programme
27 Aug	Rummikub Game (9.00am - 12.00pm)
03 Sep	Manage Screen Time and Set Device Limits


 Contact **9753 7964** for registration / enquiries.

CLASSES + MINISTRIES

EXPOSITORY BIBLE STUDY – GOSPEL OF LUKE

This Tue, 26 Aug, we will revise Luke 1, which we have covered. We will then proceed to study Luke 2:1-7 where we will study about the birth of Jesus Christ. The Zoom dial-in details for our session are as follows:

 Date: Tue, 26 Aug

 Time: 8.00pm

 Join [Zoom Meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 851 8603 0760

Passcode: 211761

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

**No Youth
service on
30 Aug**

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 @Hall 1 (L2)

Every alternate Sunday 10.30am

For more info, please contact

9117 6000 / 9628 5061

Telugu @Gospel Auditorium (L2)

Sunday at 5.00pm and 7.30pm

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



CHILDREN'S SERVICES

No Children
service on
31 Aug

PLAYGROUP

(12 - 35 months)

@ Hall 3 (Attic)

Sunday at 8.30am and 10.15am

PRESCHOOL

(36 months - 6 years)

@ Eshkol Valley Premises (Attic)

Sunday at 8.30am, 10.15am and 12.00pm

PRIMARY

(Primary 1 - 6)

@ Light Auditorium (L3)

Sunday at 8.30am, 10.15am, **12.00pm***

**12.00pm service held at Eshkol Valley Premises (Attic)*

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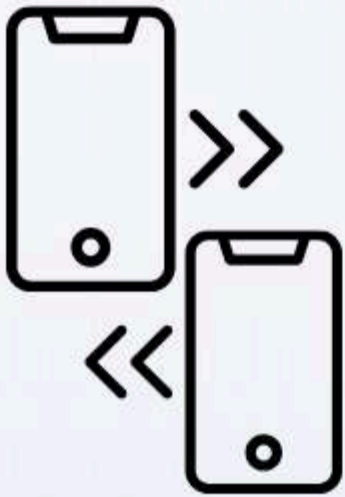
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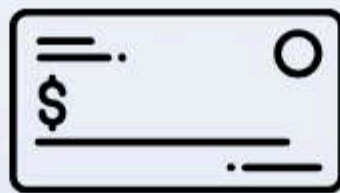
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All offerings will be directed to the “General” fund. State “Missions” in the UEN/Bill Reference No. section if you wish to designate the offering to our mission work.

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.