

Wesley Methodist Church Klang

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Saturday, December 30, (5:00 pm) & Sunday, December 31, 2023 (8:30am) Worship Celebration

WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP SERVICE

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OUR VISION:

To Be A House Of Prayer For All Nations A Well-Watered Garden (Isaiah 56: 7c; 58: 11c)

OUR THEME:

Reconnect With God and With One Another (Isaiah 40:31 & Hebrews 13:8)

OUR EMPHASIS:

Discipleship: Journeying With God

OUR 4 ESSENTIALS:

- + Personal Growth
- **+** Building Community
- + A Voice To Our Nation
- + A Vision For The World

OUR METHODIST LEADERS:

<u>Bishop of the</u> <u>Methodist Church in Malaysia:</u>

Rev Dr T. Jeyakumar

TRAC President:

Rev Joshua Khong

Central District 2 Superintendent:

Rev Ashok Amarasingham

OUR LOCAL CHURCH:

Pastor:

Rev Gaurri Maniam

Lay Leader:

Mr Terrence Tan

LCEC Chairman:

Mr Noel Lim

Church Workers:

Mr Yap Chee Kai Ms Taeko Funaoka

Administrator:

Ms Pelita Chuah

Administrative Assistant:

Ms Irene Teoh

Prayer

Loving God of overflowing blessings,
You know us and you see us and, despite all that, you love us, with an endurance and a depth that we do not understand.

Remind us, God, to trust in your love, and let it shelter and soothe us in all our need.

Encourage us to have hope through your love, and affirm that your love outlasts our troubles and will not let them overcome us.

Inspire us to persevere, sustained by the strength of your love to build a life that honors you.

Rescue us from the difficulties of our world or inside ourselves that would take us apart from you. Amen.

WORSHIP SERVICE

Speaker	Mr Stephen Cheah		
Sermon Title	For God so Loved the World		
Scripture Text	John 3:16; 1 Corinthians 13		
Closing Hymn	n To God Be the Glory		

Altar Flower

Mr & Mrs Ronnie Khoo (in memory of Mr Patrick Lim)

OFFERING & ATTENDANCE ~ DECEMBER 24 & 25, 2023								
	Open	Christmas	Tithes	Missions &	Attendance			
	Offerings RM	Offering RM	RM	Others RM	Total	Adults	Children	Visitors
Dec 24	3,974.00	-	740.00	100.00	199	171	15	13
Dec 25	-	5,714.00	60.00	-	347	313	34	-

DUTIES	SAT, JANUARY 6, 2024	SUN, JANUARY 7,2024		
Speaker	Rev Gaurri Maniam			
Sermon Title	Reconnect with God & with People			
Scripture Text	John 13: 12-17 & 34-35			
Worship Leader	Mr Samuel Lee			
Liturgist	Mr Samuel Lee	Mr Raymond Tan		
Musicians/Singers/AV	Team C			
Ushers	The Redeemed 2 CG			
Altar Flowers	Ms Lee Haw Yam			

Prayer Meetings

Are you seeking a breakthrough in life? Or do you just want to spend time with God? Come and join us for worship, ministry and intercession. You will never be the same when God touches you!

Tuesday	10:00am – 12 noon	Prayer Room	<i>(</i> 2.5.1
Thursday	9:00pm -10:00pm	Via Zoom ID: 868 7905 5124 Passcode: 763853	"My house will be called a house of prayer for all nations"
Saturday	6:30am – 8:00am	Prayer Room	Isaiah 56:7

SMALL/CELL GROUPS				
Group	Leader	Contact	Day/Time	
Joy	Mrs Irene Khoo	016-625 1117	Alternate Thu/8:30pm	
The Redeemed 1	Mr & Mrs David Abraham	012-321 7335	2 nd & 4 th Thur/8:30pm	
The Redeemed 2	Ms Chong Mei Fong	019-313 7793	Alternate Fri/8:30pm	
The Redeemed 3	Mr Johnny Lim	012-203 7784	Fri/8:30pm	
Sentosa	Mrs Koa Ton Kim	016-341 3328	Thu/3:30pm	
Faith	Mr Jimmy Ng	016-631 8706	2 nd & 4 th Fri/8:30pm	
Living Stones 1	Ms Sally Chong	013-388 5589	Alternate Wed/8:30pm	
Living Stones 2	Ms Jenny Sin	012-381 8212	Fri/8:30pm	
Living Water 2	Mr & Mrs Roger Moh	016-227 8463	Fri/8:00pm	
Emmaus	Ms Lau Wai Jing	012-329 7498	Alternate Thu/2:00pm	
Super Seniors	Mr Yap Chee Kai	012-236 0457	3 rd Wed/11am	
Setia Alam	Ms Jade Tan	016-385 2259	Fri/8:30pm	
lambs of the Lamb	Ms Taeko Funaoka	012-236 0458	Thu/10:00am	
Young Adults:				
New Creation 1	Ms Sharon Tan	017-614 2081	Fri/8:30pm	
New Creation 2	Mr & Mrs Kwi-Han Ko	012-886 4418	Fri/8:30pm	
B.A.S.I.C S.T.E.P.S.	Mr Mike Choo & Ms Ruth Lim	011-35389396 016-536 1545	Fri/8:30pm	

ORGANISATIONS					
Organisation	Person In Charge	Contact No	Day / Time		
Boys' Brigade	Mr Jonathan Raj	017-259 5892	Saturday 8:30 a.m.		
Girls' Brigade	Ms Sarah Joyce	017-302 4297	Saturday 8:30 a.m.		
Youth Ministry	Mr Noel Lim	012-311 9475	Sunday, 11:00 a.m.		
Sunday School	Dr Yvonne Lim	016-289 8385	Sunday, 10:45 a.m.		
Methodist Women	Ms Cathy Wong	012-265 7862			

PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK



<u>Sunday, (Dec 31)</u>: Thank you Lord for Jesus who is our greatest gift. Thank you God for loving us so deeply that You were willing to send Your one and only begotten Son to us. Pray that the message of Christmas will never be so familiar to us that we lose sight of the wonder and greatness of God's love. Renew within us a spirit of love that having your love, O God, we may in return love others just like you have loved us. Pray that God will give us more opportunities to share the love of Jesus to the people around us.

Monday, (Jan 1): Praise and give thanks to the Lord for His faithfulness in 2023. As we step into 2024 as a church, pray that God will continue to lead and guide us in all the ministries of the church. Pray that Jesus will continue to be at the center of our church. Pray that our Church, Klang Wesley to be submissive to the authority of Jesus. Commit to the Lord all church leaders and as well as our CG Leaders, that God will continue to make His love and His will known to them.

<u>Tuesday, (Jan 2)</u>: Pray for life-changing prayers for strength in 2024 as the body of Christ, we ought to turn to God in times of need and ask for his guidance and strength so that we can accomplish all things through Christ who strengthens us (Philippians 4:13). Pray for strength and courage in adversity when we feel overwhelmed by our circumstances and pray that the Lord will grant us courage and strength to face challenges ahead, wherever we are (Joshua 1:9). Pray for power in difficult situations and to trust in the Lord with all our heart and lean not on our understanding; in all our ways submit to him, and he will make our paths straight (Proverbs 3:5–6).

Wednesday, (Jan 3): Pray for the Nation: Pray that the government will create realistic and practical 'exit plans' that include targeted skills development programs aligned with current market demands so that gig workers can find jobs in emerging sectors like e-commerce, electric vehicles, and other digital and tech-related sectors, as the Malaysian Employers Federation projects that gig workers will make up 50% of the workforce by 2030. Pray that people who have lost loved ones, homes, and livelihoods in the rapidly deteriorating flood-affected states of Johor, Sabah, Kelantan, Terengganu, Pahang, and Selangor would find comfort, peace, shelter, and community support. Pray for intensified efforts to address the vulnerabilities in country's cyber security in light of recent hack of the Social Security Organisation (SOCSO), which may have resulted in the leakage of personal information that enabled rampant scamming of bank accounts.

<u>Thursday, (Jan 4)</u>: TRAC: Commit to the Lord all District Superintendents. Pray for the Lord's guidance to be upon them as they carry out their responsibilities in the District. Pray for good relationship to be fostered between the DS and the District Leaders. Pray also that churches within the District will learn to work together for God's work. Commit to the Lord, the churches that are without pastoral appointments in 2024. Pray for strength to be upon the church leaders as they work with their respective District Superintendents.

Friday, (Jan 5): Pray for all those who are in authority and power, especially kings and leaders everywhere, the ability to rule their nations with justice, peace and dignity in all facets of their lives (1 Timothy 2:2-3). Pray that the church will continue to bring hope in 2024, regardless of what else is going on in our world as we ought to remember that this brief, momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen – for the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal (2 Corinthians 4:17-18). Pray for individuals and communities of faith that we are called to pray for others in our world who are enduring challenges and difficult situations (1 Timothy 2:1).

<u>Saturday (Jan 6)</u>: Pray for the World: Pray for the divine intervention to reach an agreement for a "temporary ceasefire" between the military junta and the three ethnic arm groups in Laukkai district of Kokang, northern Myanmar as the civil war intensified. Pray for both Israel and Palestine to meet the Prince of Peace, as it is only through Him alone, that genuine peace can be achieved. Pray for the victims of worldwide natural disasters and calamities that they may find solace, strength, encouragement, patience and wisdom in overcoming their many unspeakable losses – material, physical, emotional and psychological- and that they may regain their fragmented lives.