

**SUNDAY 16 July 2017**  
**6th Sunday**  
**after Pentecost**

*A Family  
blessed  
to bless*



## **This Week's Services**

**7.30am - Peranakan Service**

**Speaker:** Nyonya Phebe Kodrat

**Sermon Title:** "Selalu Berdoa"

**Scripture Lesson:** Lukas 19:45-46, Matius 7:7-8

**9am & 11.15am - Sanctuary & Celebration Services**

**Speaker:** Rev Wendy Tay

**Sermon Title:** "See What the Lord Has Done.  
Let's Rise Up"

**Scripture Lesson:** Numbers 23:23-24

**9am - Youth Service**

**Speaker:** Mr Joshua Heng

**Sermon Title:** "The Tongue: Death or Life"  
Our Heart Overflows

**Scripture Lesson:** Matthew 12:33-37; Matthew 7:17-18

**9am & 11.15am - Mandarin Services**

**Speaker:** Rev William Soh

**Sermon Title:** Build An Altar of Worship

**Scripture Lesson:** Genesis 12:7-8

## Testimonies

At “Encounter God Night”, Pastor Chris prayed for my husband before he was scheduled to undergo a complex operation. Many others, including Sister Alice Yeo, Irene Goh and Sok Cheng, also kept us in their prayers. Although it took 10 hours to complete, our prayers were answered and the operation was successful. My husband was subsequently discharged and is now receiving his post-surgery treatments. I wish to thank everyone who kept us in their prayers. Praise the Lord for His mighty work. - *Jean Chun*

I praise God for healing my foot. I have suffered for some time from posterior tibial tendon dysfunction (PTTD), severe pain and swelling of my tendon, even when my foot was at rest. I prayed for healing before and was waiting for God to heal in his perfect time. At the church anniversary service, when Pastor Irene prayed for healing at the beginning of the service and specified pain in the leg/foot, I told myself, this is it! I claimed His healing and believed that if he could make Balamurugan walk again, He can surely remove my pain. I thank God that the pain is gone and I messaged my surgeon I do not need surgery anymore. All glory to our loving Father and awesome Healer God  
- *Selene Yap*

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## GB Collection Week

The Girl’s Brigade 75th Company from Punggol Primary School, which PLMC is supporting, will be in church TODAY to collect donations for their activities. Do give generously to this very worthy cause.

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## Staff Day Office Closure

The Church office will be closed on Wednesday 19 Jul 17 for our Annual Staff Day.

## Staff Movement

Jewel Philemon resigned from her post as Communications Executive, effective 7 July 17. We would like to thank her for her service to God and His church, and wish her every blessing in her future endeavours.

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## Next Week at PLMC

### TUES, 18 JUL

**7.45pm** - Mandarin Service D&N: Jerusalem Room  
Different Types of Prayer (Part2)

### SAT, 22 JUL

**9.30am** - D&N: Alpha Course Conference Room

**4pm** - Peranakan Fellowship Jerusalem Room

### SUN, 23 JUL

**2.30pm** - D&N Course: Covenant Chapel  
The Reformation Theology & Impact

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## Bereavement

Our condolences to the family of the late:

- **Mr Chng Yew Kim**

## Floral Offering

In loving memory of **Churchill Chai Ai Kok**.

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## Cell Groups

If you wish to be involved in a vibrant community of believers - sharing life experiences, encouraging one another, developing deep fellowship with others, praying and being prayed for, worshipping and studying God's Word - join a cell group **TODAY!** For more information, email [cellministry@plmc.org](mailto:cellministry@plmc.org).

## Counselling Services

Are you feeling overwhelmed and stressed out with struggles in your life and need someone to share with? You can contact our trained counsellors for an appointment at [pastoralcare@plmc.org](mailto:pastoralcare@plmc.org) or [62851234](tel:62851234).

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## PLMC Inner Healing Ministry (previously known as SOZO Ministry)

An inner healing and deliverance ministry (which uses Sozo tools) that helps you enhance personal connection with God, empowering you to fulfil your God-given purpose. For appointments or enquiries, email [plihm@plmc.org](mailto:plihm@plmc.org) or call [81190555](tel:81190555).

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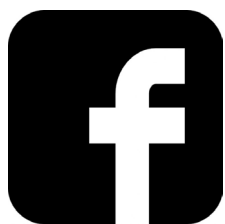
## Electronic funds transfer for Tithes and Pledges

If you wish to tithe via GIRO, interbank transfers, or internet banking, you may do so using the following details:

**Account Name:** Paya Lebar Methodist Church • **Bank Name:** DBS BANK LTD  
**Bank Code:** 7171 • **Branch Code:** 023 • **Account Number:** 023-905121-9

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# **Prayer Focus**

## **MISSIONS**

### **MEKONG**

#### **Boonchiaw**

- 1) Pray for God's guidance for the people in Bueng Kan to understand the basics of leading a Christian life until a suitable pastor joins to lead them.
- 2) Pray for Boonchiaw and a few church members from God is Good Church, Chonburi, as they travel to Bueng Kan from 15 – 25 July 2017 to facilitate T4T training and teach the doctrines of Jesus Christ. Pray for the preparation of the Laotian Christians' hearts as they join the upcoming ILI Regional Conference in November 2017.

#### **John Lim**

- 1) Praise God for a refreshing and renewing time at PLMC's Church camp as John was able to revisit his personal mission and vision for Missions. Pray for protection, guidance and strength as John continues to serve Him in his existing and the new responsibilities assigned to him for Thailand for this year.
- 2) Pray for the ILI team as they continue to teach in new areas in Myanmar and other countries. Pray for opportunities to reach out to Cambodia.

#### **B & L**

- 1) Pray for C and C G to be totally healed from emotional wounds, to be set free from spiritual bondages and to be transformed in their beliefs through revelation leading to renewing of their minds.
- 2) Pray for stamina as B & L train 10 trainees over a period of 6 weeks through a teacher training programme.

#### **East Asia**

##### **Songs**

- 1) Pray for the Songs to be filled with the Spirit daily and to draw wisdom & discernment from God as they supervise, coach and mentor field workers from different cultural backgrounds. Pray for the Songs as they continue to mobilize and recruit new field workers.
- 2) Pray for the Songs health, safety and security in travel and work.

## **Anna Joy**

- 1) Pray for Anna to have a fruitful time reuniting with family.
- 2) Pray for the 3 speaking engagements at the sister churches.

## **SKI**

- 1) Pray for a strong team of leaders with integrity to lead the university. Pray for more teachers to join the university.
- 2) Pray for SKI as she prepares for a new subject that she will be teaching in the new semester.

## **Eve**

- 1) Pray for Eve's students who have graduated and are moving on to university or work. Pray that they will meet others who will water/grow the seeds of truth sown in their lives.
- 2) Pray for Eve to stay grounded and sensitive to God's leading as she looks forward to the new semester in August. Pray that she will have a meaningful time of connecting with and building into the lives of friends over summer in July / early August.

## **Central Asia**

### **ZY**

- 1) Pray for ZY to have good quality sleep, good health and to be healed & restored.
- 2) Pray for ZY to have quality time with loved ones while she is back in Singapore.

## **PARA-CHURCH WORKERS**

### **Navigators Singapore – Roger Yeo**

- 1) Pray for Roger and Pearlyn to be able to grow in their capacity to care for both their children (Joshua & Hannah) as well as ministry needs.
- 2) Pray for Roger and Pearlyn as they continue to minister to NavTech members that the members will understand the true meaning of being Christ' disciples. Pray that they would love God and His people more daily.

### **Fellowship of Evangelical Students – Siah May Lan**

- 1) Pray for May Lan to have wisdom for the review of the FES' Morph exposure program and its re-launch in August 2017.

- 2) Pray for May Lan to have fast and full recovery for her hyper thyroid condition.

### **Cru Singapore – Nigel Ho**

- 1) Pray for Nigel's wedding preparations (2nd June 2018) to go smoothly and most importantly to be God-honoring.
- 2) Pray for Nigel as he plans a freshmen orientation camp to be held from 1st to 3rd September 2017, that it will be God-led and meaningful.

### **YWAM Singapore – Colleen Khoo**

- 1) Pray for salvation for Colleen's father and sister.
- 2) Pray for Colleen's grandmother's health to improve.

### **YWAM Singapore – Samuel Wong**

- 1) Pray for Samuel to experience God's love and peace through worship and prayer times.

### **YWAM Singapore – Tessa Choo**

- 1) Pray for Tessa to have wisdom as she prays and processes together with her fiancé, David, what married life would mean for both of them. Pray that they will be sensitive to what God is saying to both of them, that they will be obedient to grow in character and being and not just focusing on ministry direction.
- 2) Pray for Tessa and the team from YWAM Lausanne as they explore long-term ministry opportunities in East Asia.

### **Wycliffe Singapore – Grace Tan**

- 1) Pray for Grace as she leads a trip to Indonesia for a Bible dedication in August. Pray that the trip will go well from start to finish, and that the team returns with a deeper and richer vision of what God is doing.
- 2) Pray that the Bibles will be printed in good time, and that the people will be primed to receive the Scriptures in their own language and ready to make good use of them.

# Job Vacancies

PLMC is looking for suitable candidates to join the staff team in the following positions –

## 1. Operations Executive (Facilities)

### Job Scope

- As Operations Executive (Facilities), you will assist to ensure operation readiness and support to the church and its ministries with direct responsibility in the areas of facilities management, safety and security, and logistics support

### Responsibilities

- Responsible for the day-to-day building maintenance by carrying out regular inspections and implementing an effective maintenance program
- Source for, and manage facilities suppliers and service providers
- Plan, execute and supervise building upkeep and maintenance carried out by term contractors and service providers engaged by the church and ensure that services rendered are according to agreed standards and timelines
- Ensure compliance with government regulations on workplace safety and health and building code. Respond to fire, building or security emergencies
- Provide logistics support for church-wide meetings

### Requirements:

- Minimum Diploma in Estate Management or its equivalent with at least 3 years of relevant experience
- Passionate and dedicated, a team player
- Proactive self-starter with analytical and creative mind, good organizational, communication, interpersonal and negotiation skills
- Knowledge of building operations and maintenance and related regulatory requirements. Prior experience in church or para-church organisation will be advantageous
- Singaporeans and PR may apply

## 2. Operations Support Staff

### Primary Role:

- Assists in ensuring operational readiness by providing logistics support to church ministries with particular emphasis on facilities management

### Requirements:

- ITE diploma or at least Secondary School education
- Honest, hardworking, and a team player
- Willing to work weekends and shifts (9 am-6 pm, or 10 am-7 pm)
- Ability to undertake small jobs in building maintenance a definite advantage!

We invite interested applicants to email detailed resume together with current and expected salary and a recent photograph to [recruit@plmc.org](mailto:recruit@plmc.org), or send the information by post to -

Director of Administration  
Paya Lebar Methodist Church  
5 Boundary Road  
Singapore 549954

(only shortlisted candidates will be notified)



## DISCIPLESHIP & NURTURE

### The Pursuit of Wholeness (SOZO Advanced Training)

In this training, participants will learn how to use tools such as Divine Editing, Dealing with Post-Traumatic Stress and Prophetic Deliverance. In addition, they will gain insights into ministering to shattered individuals (Shabar). This training is intended for anyone who has attended the Basic SOZO training session. The next available training dates for Basic SOZO will be on 5 and 6 September 2017. For more information regarding fees and venue, please follow us on Facebook or email us separately. Registration details can be found in SOZO brochures available at the Contact Point.

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## COMMUNITY OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES -

### National Day Carnival

We'll be going out to celebrate Singapore's birthday with the community on **Wednesday 9 August, National Day**. As a redeeming community, let's be light and salt so that the world may know the love of Jesus! We invite you, your families and cell groups to come serve alongside us to host the presence of God in the community. We need 30 volunteers. Please sign up **TODAY** at Contact Point. For more information, please contact Mary Chai at 9853 2001 or email: [mary@plmc.org](mailto:mary@plmc.org).

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### TRAC Fireplace

Once a month, come & join people who hunger for more of God and His revival in the Holy Spirit for TRAC churches. This revival prayer meeting is open to all. There is no fixed agenda or speaker, but there will be plenty of worship & prayer time. Pastor Jonathan is anchoring this revival prayer meeting for the time being. See you there!

**Date/Time:** Friday, 21 Jul/ 7.30 pm -10.00 pm • **Venue:** Covenant Chapel

# TRAC Healing Service

Come, bring those who need God's healing touch to the next TRAC Healing Service. Together let us extend God's love and healing to those who are in need of it.

**Date/Time:** Tuesday, 18 Jul/ 8.00pm • **Venue:** Aldersgate Methodist Church (98 Dover Road)

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## MISSIONS

### Missions Trips 2017

Location	Dates	Estimated Cost	Closing Date	Description of Trip/ Ministry Work
Bintan, Indonesia	26-27 Aug 23-24 Sep 28-29 Oct 25-26 Nov	\$110	<b>TODAY</b> 13 Aug 10 Sep 15 Oct	<u>Weekend Bintan Missions Trip</u> - Home visitations - Adult Mandarin Class - Teach English to children - Children's programme - Teochew Church fellowship - Teochew Bible Study
Inner Mongolia-	25-31 Aug	\$1,800	30 Jul	<u>Desert Dream EcoMissions Spiritual Retreat</u> Can the Desert be Green? Come retreat into the desertified grassland of Inner Mongolia and discover how Christians can participate as God's stewards for his creation. Learn about China Christianity and church history, creative access to Mongolian people as well as explore urban missions opportunities in China. Contact Lawrence Ko at <a href="mailto:Lawrence@scgm.org.sg">Lawrence@scgm.org.sg</a> to register or find out more.

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## Testimonies

We welcome testimonies of God's work in your life as an encouragement to others! Please email your testimony to [testimonies@plmc.org](mailto:testimonies@plmc.org), along with your name and contact details.

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## Basic Counselling Course

This 6-week course is designed to help you develop an overall appreciation of counselling and to equip you with basic counselling skills to help those who are in need. Upon successful completion of the course, you will be able to:

- Establish a basic understanding of counselling
- Apply knowledge and practical skills such as attending, active listening, questioning, empathy, reflection of feelings in counselling situations
- Identify your own personal strengths and weaknesses and appreciate how these may affect your ability to counsel

**Dates:** Thursdays; 3, 10,17, 24, 31 Aug and 7 Sep 2017

**Time:** 7.30pm-10.00pm • **Venue:** Jordan Hall

**Cost:** \$30 (include book and material)

Please register at the Contact Point by **30 July**. Limited to the first 30 registrants. For more information, contact Grace Phoon at [grace@plmc.org](mailto:grace@plmc.org).

## **FAMILY LIFE MINISTRY**

### **The Marriage Course**

The Marriage Course consists of 8 engaging sessions in a romantic setting where you will enjoy a dinner together and spend time as a couple privately discussing topics such as The Impact of Family – Past and Present, The Power of Forgiveness, Good Sex and Love in Action. Your privacy is of utmost importance; please be assured that there will be no group discussions at all.

If you have a good marriage, this course will build a stronger foundation and bring greater insight into understanding your spouse. If you are facing struggles in your marriage, the course will provide you with helpful tools to work through the issues constructively.

Whether you have been married for a few years or decades, you can deepen your intimacy with each other! So save the following dates and join in the fun!

- Dates:** Fridays; 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Sept and 6, 13 Oct 2017  
11 Nov (Saturday) will be the Celebration Dinner
- Time:** 7.30pm-10.00pm (Fridays), 5.00pm-9.00pm (Saturday)
- Venue:** Jordan Hall
- Cost:** \$160 per couple (8 dinners and course materials)

Couples are strongly encouraged to attend all 8 sessions together.

Please register at the Contact Point. For further enquiries, please feel free to email Mok Sang at [moksangtan@gmail.com](mailto:moksangtan@gmail.com).

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### ***PROVERBS 16:3 (NIV)***

Commit to the Lord whatever you do,  
and He will establish your plans.

## **GLOWING YEARS MINISTRY (GYM)**

### **1. GYM Line Dancing – New Foundation Class commences on Monday, 17 July**

**Date/Time:** 17 July 2017 (Mondays)/7.15 pm-8.00 pm • **Venue:** PLMC Fellowship Hall

### **2. GYM Creative Doodling**

**Date/Time:** Saturday, 5 Aug / 10.00 am-11.30 am • **Cost:** \$4 • **Venue:** Haven

Materials provided, bring your own colouring pen

### **3. One Day Malacca Tour (incl. 1 lunch & 1 Dinner)**

**Date/Time:** Saturday, 12 Aug/ 6.30 am • **Cost:** \$65 • **Venue:** PLMC Plaza

Register at the GYM Counter by **TODAY**. For more details, refer to the GYM Notice Board opposite the breakfast counter in the Fellowship Hall or contact Henry Goh at [96737378](tel:96737378) or Evelyn Chua at [91122091](tel:91122091).

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**\*Please note that registration for courses, talks, workshops, events & activities, Missions trips and any other activity mentioned in this flyer is strictly on a first-come-first-served basis. Once the maximum number of participants has been reached, the event or activity will be deemed to be full regardless of closing date originally stated. All information in this flyer is deemed to be correct as at the date of publishing.**

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