

SUNDAY 23 July 2017
7th Sunday
after Pentecost

*A Family
blessed
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This Week's Services

7.30am - Peranakan Service

Speaker: Sdr Derek Ng

Sermon Title: "Lihatlah Perbuatan Tuhan,
Ayo, Meningkan dan Maju"

Scripture Lesson: Bilangan 23:23-24

9am & 11.15am - Sanctuary & Celebration Services

Speaker: Rev Lynette Sathiasingam

Sermon Title: "Love God! Hate Sin!"

Scripture Lesson: Numbers 25-26

9am - Youth Service

Speaker: Ms Rachel Loh

Sermon Title: Youth Day Celebration:
"Hands Extended, Hearts Revealed"

9am & 11.15am - Mandarin Services

Speaker: Mr Sng Cheng Kiang

Sermon Title: To be Salt and Light for God

Scripture Lesson: Matthew 5:13-16

Next Week at PLMC

WED, 26 JUL

7.45pm - Mandarin Service D&N: Jerusalem Room
New Disciples Training

FRI, 28 JUL

9.30am - D6 Conference Sanctuary

SAT, 29 JUL

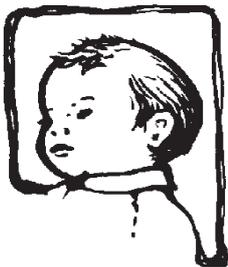
9.30am - D6 Conference Sanctuary

9.30am - D&N: Alpha Course Conference Room

4pm - Peranakan Fellowship Jerusalem Room

SUN, 30 JUL

2.30pm - D&N Course: Jerusalem Room
Disciple 1 Intro Session



New Birth

Our congratulations to Nicholas and Shir Li Tan on the birth of their daughter, **Calyn Tan**, on 11 July 2017.

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 or call [81190555](tel:81190555).

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 or [62851234](tel:62851234).

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.

Testimonies

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

PIC-Cell Leaders Meeting

Date: Sunday, 30 July 2017 • **Time:** 2.30pm-4.30pm • **Venue:** Covenant Chapel • **Topic:** Suicide Awareness • **Speaker:** Mr Benson Soh

Learn what is suicide, its warning signs and how we can help those who may be struggling with the symptoms. Mr Benson Soh has been a counsellor for more than 25 years and is also a Suicide Interventionist. He currently works part-time as a counsellor/motivational speaker with Fitness and Health International, and is an adjunct lecturer at both Swinburne University of Technology and Executive Counselling & Training Academy. All cluster leaders, cell leaders, assistant cell leaders and administrators are requested to attend this talk.

WSCS 81st AGM

Calling all ladies, you are all welcome to join us for our WSCS 81st AGM. This will be followed by a health talk, "My Heart, My Health, My Life" by Dietitian, Marsha Tan who will share some creative ideas for healthy bites at our tea after the talk. Register at the WSCS counter on Sundays - TODAY, 30 July and 6 August. We look forward to fellowship with you.

Date: Saturday, 12 August 2017 • **Time:** 2.00pm-4.30 pm
Venue: Jordan Hall • **Speaker:** Ps Lynette Sathiasingam

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, 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

1. DISCIPLE 1 Course

DISCIPLE 1 Course is a 34-week program of disciplined Bible study aimed at developing disciples of Christ. It covers both the Old and New Testaments with equal time, emphasizing the wholeness of the Bible as the revelation of God. DISCIPLE draws upon insights of scholars, personal Bible reading and study of the participants, and group discussion to aid understanding of the Bible.

Commitment and Time Involved:

Three and a half to four hours of independent study each week in preparation for weekly group meetings. Attendance at weekly 2-hour meeting commencing on **15 August 2017 (Tuesday)**

Introduction Session: Sunday, 30 July 2017 (Compulsory)

Time: 2.00pm–4.00pm • **Venue:** Jerusalem Room

If you are interested to find out more about the course, sign up for the Introduction Session at the Contact Point. For more information contact Kwang Meng at [62851234](tel:62851234) or email to kwangmeng@plmc.org.

2. 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.

Encounter God Night

If you have a desire for deeper intimacy with God, come together with your family and cell group for a precious time to encounter the God of restoration and healing through deep worship, prayer and moving in the gifts of the spirit.

Date/Time: Thursday, 3 Aug/7.30 pm • **Venue:** Covenant Chapel

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.

Dates: Every Friday, 1 Sep to 13 Oct 2017

Saturday, 11 Nov - 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)

Please register at the Contact Point. For further enquiries, please email Mok Sang at moksangtan@gmail.com.

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

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.

Young Adult Ministry Retreat

2 Timothy 1:6, "For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands."

With the theme of "Fan The Flame", the main speaker for this retreat will be Ms Lim Soo Hoon, the first female Permanent Secretary in the Singapore government. The workshop speaker will be Pastor Vincent Lee who will be speaking on "Biblical Perspective on Finances".

Please visit bit.ly/fanthe flame_signup to register latest by 6 August 2017. A booth will be set up at the Fellowship Hall on 6, 13 and 20 August for payment collection.

Dates: 25-27 August 2017 • **Venue:** KSL, JB • **Cost:** \$150

COMMUNITY OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES -

1. 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 15 volunteers. Please sign up **TODAY** at Contact Point. For more information, please contact Mary Chai at 9853 2001 or email: mary@plmc.org.

2. Bless Migrant Workers with Computer Lessons

We need 25 volunteers to teach Microsoft Excel one-on-one to migrant workers at Tai Seng Healthserve (8 Pereira Road, 8min walk from Tai Seng MRT station). Classes will be held from 8pm to 10pm, once a week on Wednesdays and Thursdays (ie two separate classes) starting 16 and 17 August respectively, for 7 consecutive weeks. Lesson plans and laptops will be provided. Please sign up at the Contact Point TODAY, and indicate if you would be able to serve on Wednesdays or Thursdays or BOTH. *"A Family Blessed to Bless the Community and the Nations."*

GLOWING YEARS MINISTRY (GYM)

1. GYM Creative Doodling

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

Venue: Haven (Materials provided, bring your own colouring pen)

2. One Day Malacca Tour (incl. 1 lunch & 1 Dinner)

Date/Time: Saturday, 12 Aug / 6.30am • **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).

MISSIONS

Missions Trips 2017

Location	Dates	Estimated Cost	Closing Date	Description of Trip/ Ministry Work
Bintan, Indonesia	23-24 Sep 28-29 Oct 25-26 Nov	\$110	13 Aug 10 Sep 15 Oct	<u>Weekend Bintan</u> <u>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</u> <u>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 Lawrence@scgm.org.sg to register or find out more.

***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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