



19th Sunday after Pentecost

MSF Sunday

October 16, 2022

Join us at <http://live.penangtrinity.org> or <http://www.youtube.com/TRINWAM>

"Be reverent, for this is the house of the Lord.

Before the service, speak to God.

During the service, let God speak to you.

"After the service, speak to one another with the technology available."



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Our Vision

Nurturing Disciples to be a Spirit-filled, Impactful Church

The 4 Essentials

***Personal Growth, Building Community,
A Voice to Our Nation, A Vision for the World***

SCRIPTURE SENTENCE

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James 1:12, NIV

***CALL TO WORSHIP** (*Responsively*)

L: In You, O Lord, I put my trust, for You are my strong refuge.
Let my mouth be filled with Your praise.

**P: *I will praise You yet more and more;
My mouth shall tell of Your righteousness and Your salvation all the day.***

L: O God, You have taught me from my youth;
And to this day, I declare Your wondrous works.

**P: *Now also when I am old and grey-headed, O God, do not forsake me, until I declare
Your strength to this generation and Your power to everyone who is to come.***

L: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

P: *And also with you.*

L: The risen Christ is with us.

P: *Praise the Lord!*

OPENING PRAYER**OPENING HYMN**

We Gather Together

UMH 131

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To ask the Lord's blessing
He chastens and hastens
His will to make known
The wicked oppressing
Now cease from distressing
Sing praises to His name
He forgets not His own

Beside us to guide us
Our God with us joining
Ordaining, maintaining
His kingdom divine

So from the beginning
The fight we were winning
Thou, Lord, wast at our side
All glory be Thine!

We all do extol Thee
Thou Leader triumphant
And pray that Thou still
Our Defender wilt be
Let Thy congregation
Escape tribulation
Thy name be ever praised!
O Lord, make us free!

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father
There is no shadow of turning with Thee
Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not
As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be

*Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord unto me!*

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

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(In a moment of silence, name the seniors you know by name in Prayer).

Lord, forgive us; we often forget to consider to minister to the many elderly people among us. We bring before you those who are not so strong, and in need of care and help. Use us Lord to bless them and touch their lives according to Your grace and mercy.

Multiply the strength and wisdom of the seniors in our midst, that they might continue to faithfully represent You and glorify You in all that they set their heart to do. Grant Your compassion and love upon those people who have been blessed with long and abundant living. May we find joy in walking together with them as we learn from them and seek their wisdom for our lives.

In Christ's name, who came to give us the abundant life all of our years. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

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DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him, all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son & Holy Ghost. Amen.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CHILDREN'S DISMISSAL

(...Those leaving for their Sunday School Classes will stand...)

Pastor: Praise the Lord. Give thanks to the Lord.

Children: For He is good, and His love endures forever.

People: The Lord be with you.

Children: And also with you.

SONG OF PREPARATION

Be Thou My Vision

UMH 451

Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart
Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art
Thou my best thought, by day or by night
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light

Be Thou my wisdom, and Thou my true word
I, ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord
Thou and Thou only, first in my heart
Great God of heaven, my treasure Thou art

Great God of heaven, my victory won
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all

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People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Finishing Well

Dato Khoo Cheok Sin

REFLECTION / DISCUSSION

CLOSING SONG

Where Charity and Love Prevail (*stanzas 1-5*)

UMH 549

Where charity and love prevail
There God is ever found
Brought here together by Christ's love
By love are we thus bound

Let strife among us be unknown
Let all contention cease
Be Christ the glory that we seek
Be ours His holy peace

With grateful joy and holy fear
True charity we learn
Let us with heart and mind and strength
Now love Christ in return

Let us recall that in our midst
Dwells God's begotten Son
As members of his body joined
We are in Him made one

Forgive we now each other's faults
As we our faults confess
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SERMON OUTLINE

Title: Finishing Well

Scripture Passage: Psalm 103:1-18

Today's WORSHIP ENABLERS

16/10/2022

Sermon Title/Text

Preacher

Liturgist

Reader

Musician

Sound

Livestream

Visual

Ushers

Finance Steward

10.00 am Service

Finishing Well

(Psalm 103:1-18)

Dato Khoo Cheek Sin

Ms Iris Ang

Mr Ryan Loke

Mr Seah Por Shen

Mr Tan Siew Jin

Mr Shane Tan

Mr Joshua Timothy

Mrs Connie Lim

Mr Vincent Lee

Ms Tan Yu Ai

Mr Oon Chee Soon

Mr Lim Pang Kuan

5.00 pm Service

Finishing Well

(Psalm 103:1-18)

Dato Khoo Cheek Sin

Mrs Loo Li Lin

Mrs Chin Peck Wan

Ms Amelia Loo

Mr Andrew Lee

n/a

Ms Tan Yu Ai

Mr Tony Teh

Mdm Aileen Tan

n/a

Next Week's WORSHIP ENABLERS

23/10/2022

Sermon Title/Text

Preacher

Liturgist

Worship Leaders

Reader

Musicians

Sound

Livestream

Visual

Ushers

Finance Steward

10.00 am Service

TBA

Mr Tan Chong Jin

n/a

Mrs Lim Huey Yoke

Ms Cheah Yan Li

Mr Charles Teh

Ms Joyce Goh

Mrs Nicoline Koay

Ms Adelya Yeoh

Mr Jason Tham

Ms Wong Fong Yi

Mr Koay Choong Khai

Dr Ho Seng Hooi

Mrs Connie Lim

Mr Mak Ngai Leong

Mrs Maggie Mak

Mr Yee Eh Horng

5.00 pm Service

TBA

Mr Tan Chong Jin

Mrs Esther Wong

n/a

Dr Mallise Tong

Mrs Audrey Tan

Mr William Ng

n/a

Mr William Ng

Mr Christopher Wong

Ms Lilian Yeoh

n/a

ONLINE MINISTRIES & ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY

- 9.15am Church School
10.00am Worship Service in English
12.30pm Methodist Youth Fellowship
1.30pm Young Families 1 Small Group –
Tairven Lee
3.00pm Post Alpha Small Group
Sungai Ara II Small Group –
Jason Chieng
3.00pm Boys' Brigade

MONDAY

- 8.00pm Lighthouse Watchmen Prayer Network
(LWPN), Bayan Lepas – Teng Leong

TUESDAY

- 8.00pm Tanjung Bungah Small Group –
Chan Chen Weng

WEDNESDAY

- 10.00am Wednesday Small Group –
Tan Saw Lee (1st & 3rd Wed)
11.00am Church Office Staff Meeting

THURSDAY

- 8.30pm Church Prayer Meeting –
<http://bit.ly/tmcprayer>
9.00pm Tree Residency Small Group
– Jesse Ong

FRIDAY

- Small Groups:
3.00pm Cheeseman Rd (Bethel) – Sabrina Lee
8.30pm Young Adults I – Seah Por Shen
Taman Sri Nibong – Dr Saw Kim Guan
Bethel – Ch'ng Geam Liang
Century Garden – Lim Lim Ling
Permai Village I – Ooi Lay Chen
Island Glades – Tan Kok Huat (2nd & 4th)

SATURDAY

- 10:30am Permai Village Small Group –
Daniel Teh
Alzheimer's Caregivers Support Group
Small Groups:
8.00pm Young Adults II – Hendrix Cheong
8.15pm Young Families 2 – James Hii
8.30pm Sungai Ara I – Florence Tan (fortnightly)

WEEKLY PRAYER

World

- In light of the Russia-Ukraine war and tension in East Asia, pray that God will humble the hearts of the leaders so that they will not pursue personal triumph and methods that may lead to destruction, but rather, exercise wisdom to treasure human life, promote peace and their nations' growth. Pray also, that God's love and peace will shine through the gospel and His people.

Nation

- Pray for God's timing for GE15, for His will and His Kingdom purpose to reign in this nation. Pray for peace to reign in the run-up to the elections, on Election Day and post-elections. Pray that the elections will be conducted legitimately and the outcome be accepted as God's sovereign hand continues to reign over Malaysia so that the people will have peace, and the nation will prosper from good governance.

Church

- Pray for our pastor, lay preachers, church leaders and committee members to bear visible fruits of sincere love, unity, godly leadership, and anointed, Spirit-filled preaching of God's Word. Pray for the 5-fold gifts of the Holy Spirit to equip and edify the church, and faithful stewardship. Pray also, for a fresh hunger for the Word of God and diligent discipleship to grow into spiritual maturity.

Self

- Pray that as we come before God seeking His sustenance and peace, He will relieve our fears and anxieties, and grant us quiet minds and expectant hearts. Pray that He will touch and fill us with His light and His hope, that we will know His peace when we are in distress. Pray too, that by the assurance of the Holy Spirit's presence, we may learn to abide in Him daily.

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

WELCOME to worship at *Trinity*. For any assistance please contact:

Pastor – Rev Shearn Sya: 04-828 7445

Administrator – Ms Angeline Choo: 013-243 1282

- Sermons and past worship services are available online (<http://replay.penangtrinity.org>).
- Visitation ministry for the homebound, please inform Angeline Choo.
- Floral Gifts: From Grace Tung in Thanksgiving.
- Online/ATM Transfer: Maybank Account No. MBB 5072 4612 6505 (Trinity Methodist Church Penang). Please indicate for "Offering/Pledge" or "Poor & Needy" in Recipient Reference for online transfers.

TODAY – October 16

Communion Offering for October 2022 will go to Lighthouse Kapit, Sarawak.

2022 Church-wide Bible Reading Plan:

<http://bit.ly/tmcbible2022>



Prayer Request Form – <https://bit.ly/tmcprayforme>.
All requests are confidential unless permission is given to circulate to larger prayer group.

Vacancies: Accounts Clerk

Certificate/Diploma in Accountancy or equivalent professional qualification, with relevant working experience and skilled in using Excel functions for accounting purposes. To apply, please submit resume to joinus@penangtrinity.org.

The MSF has invited Dr Ho from Georgetown Specialist Hospital to talk about "Preventing Knee Pain and Arthritis" on October 29 at 2.30 pm in GYM. The hospital will provide free BP and BMI tests, and free gifts for participants. All are welcome.

10AM / 5PM Service

- ✗ *Booking of Seats – Not required (Capped at 220)*
- ✗ *MySejahtera checks – Not required*
- ✓ *Record names of attendees – Required*
- ✓ *Masks, Social Distancing – Required (6 per pew)*

S.H.A.P.E. ~ Sundays, 3pm (6 sessions)

Commencing October 30 – December 4, 2022

Venue: Bethel PIC: Dr Saw Kim Guan

To register, go to <http://penangtrinity.org/register>

Closing date: October 23, 2022

Floral Calendar (October – December 2022) is ready for booking at the reception area.