

# TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH PENANG



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Renewal Service

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***"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 at the fellowship area."***



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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***

**GATHERING****ACTS OF PRAISE**Great Things

Come, let us worship our King  
Come, let us bow at His feet  
He has done great things  
See what our Saviour has done  
See how His love overcomes  
He has done great things  
He has done great things

You've been faithful through every storm  
You'll be faithful forevermore  
You have done great things  
And I know You will do it again  
For Your promise is yes and amen  
You will do great things  
God, You do great things

*O, Hero of Heaven, You conquered the grave  
You free every captive and break every chain  
O God, You have done great things  
We dance in Your freedom, awake and alive  
O Jesus, our Saviour, Your name lifted high  
O God, You have done great things*

Hallelujah, God above it all  
Hallelujah, God unshakable  
Hallelujah, You have done great things  
*(repeat)*  
You've done great things  
O God, You do great things

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Great is Thy Faithfulness

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

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

*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!*

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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## Only A Holy God

Who else commands all the hosts of heaven  
Who else could make every king bow down  
Who else can whisper and darkness trembles  
Only a Holy God

What other beauty demands such praises  
What other splendour outshines the sun  
What other majesty rules with justice  
Only a Holy God

*Come and behold Him  
The One and the only  
Cry out, sing holy, forever a Holy God  
Come and worship the Holy God*

What other glory consumes like fire  
What other power can raise the dead  
What other name remains undefeated  
Only a Holy God

Who else could rescue me from my failing  
Who else would offer His only Son  
Who else invites me to call Him "Father"  
Only a Holy God, only my Holy God

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### **CONFESSION AND PARDON**

L: The Scriptures also tell us not to be anxious about our lives or about tomorrow. Are there anxieties that cause us to feel separated from the peace that God promises?

### **SILENT REFLECTION**

L: "The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not want." With these words we are saying that God provides us with everything we need, but do we really believe that?

## ***SILENT REFLECTION***

L: "He makes me lie down in green pastures; He leads me beside still waters; He restores my soul." If God is restoring our souls, why do we feel so tired, so exhausted, so run down, so overwhelmed?

## ***SILENT REFLECTION***

L: "He leads me in right paths for His name's sake." Are we really living our lives on the right path in every aspect of our lives? Would we be comfortable and even proud to have God along with us everywhere we go?

## ***SILENT REFLECTION***

L: "Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I fear no evil; for You are with me; Your rod and Your staff – they comfort me." If that's so, then why are we always looking elsewhere for comfort and protection? Why do we have so many fears?

## ***SILENT REFLECTION***

L: "You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows." What would our lives look like if we really did trust God? How would we view others, including enemies, if we really believed God to be beside us?

## ***SILENT REFLECTION***

L: "Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD my whole life long." Are we confident that God goes with us? Are we confident that we will live with God forever?

## ***SILENT REFLECTION***

## ***WORDS OF ASSURANCE***

These words are sure and true: the Lord is our Shepherd and provides for us everything we need. Know that God is with you now, forgiving you, rejoicing to be in your presence and willing to transform you by the power of the Holy Spirit into true and full disciples of the Son, Jesus, the Crucified and Resurrected One. Amen.

***SCRIPTURE READING***                      John 1:14, Isaiah 60:1-2

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**\*CLOSING SONG &  
ALTAR CALL**

Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus

Turn your eyes upon Jesus  
Look full in His wonderful face  
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim  
In the light of His glory and grace

Turn your eyes to the hillside  
Where justice and mercy embrace  
There the Son of God gave His life for us  
And our measureless debt was erased

*Jesus to You we lift our eyes  
Jesus our glory and our prize  
We adore You behold You our Savior ever true  
Oh Jesus we turn our eyes to You*

Turn your eyes to the morning  
And see Christ the lion awake  
What a glorious dawn fear of death is gone  
For we carry His life in our veins

Turn your eyes to the heavens  
Our King will return for His own  
Every knee will bow every tongue will shout  
All glory to Jesus alone

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## WORSHIP ENABLERS

<b>Sermon Title/Text</b>	Living in God's Glory ( <i>John 1:14, Isaiah 60:1-2</i> )
<b>Preacher</b>	Pr Eddy Marson
<b>Worship Leaders</b>	Mrs Jane Khoo, Mrs Nancy E. De Silva
<b>Reader</b>	Mr Lawrence Hii
<b>Musicians</b>	Mr Daniel Khoo, Ms Rachel Lee, Ms Olivia Lee Mrs Noline Koay, Ms Adelya Yeoh
<b>Sound</b>	Mr Jesse Ong
<b>Streaming</b>	Ms Roshni George
<b>Visual</b>	Mr Koay Choong Khai
<b>Ushers</b>	Ms Teo Lay Tinn, Mr Christopher Wong

### **66<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration – Sunday, 24/9/2023 (10am)**

<b>Sermon Title/Text</b>	On Church Purpose (Heavenly Mission): Wherever He places you ( <i>Luke 5:5-11</i> )
<b>Preacher</b>	Pr Chris Kam
<b>Worship Leaders</b>	Mr Amos Lau, Ms Cheah Yan Li
<b>Reader</b>	Mrs Mary Wolf
<b>Musicians</b>	Mr Daniel Khoo, Ms Rachel Lee, Ms Olivia Lee Mrs Noline Koay, Ms Adelya Yeoh
<b>Sound</b>	Mr Jesse Ong
<b>Streaming</b>	Mr David Law
<b>Visual</b>	Mr Koay Choong Khai, Ms Michele Kong
<b>Ushers</b>	Ms Teo Lay Tinn, Dr Ho Seng Hooi Mr Mak Ngai Leong, Mrs Maggie Mak
<b>Finance Stewards</b>	Mrs Wan Soo Har. Mr Yeo Hwang Seng