

Of the thousands who had witnessed His miraculous ministry and heard His amazing teaching, and the hundreds that had actually seen Him after the resurrection, we read in Acts 1:15 that **only 120 stayed and tarried until the promise arrived**. These 120 were the steadfast ones who had waited the full term until the promise was fulfilled.

Can you imagine what would have happened if they had left after the 4th day, or the 6th day, or the 9th day? They would have missed the promise and the amazing blessing that came with it. But praise God, one hundred and twenty believers stayed – they stayed and they waited. They waited until the Holy Spirit came!

Do you want the fullness of the Spirit in your life? Are you getting impatient and thinking of giving up. Wait, do not give up. Continue pressing on. Wait with relentless faith and patience. Perseverance is often the critical factor in receiving the promises of God. **Our Lord will fulfill every good promise in His perfect time.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to our Worship Service.

Praise the Lord and welcome again to our Worship this morning. To our guests and visitors, if this is your first visit, kindly fill in the Visitors' Form so that we can keep in touch with you.

Next Week's speaker:

Dr Peck Hock Cheng: Dr Peck is an elder of Bethesda Katong Church and leads the "Peranakan" ministry. A former classmate of Ps. Neville at Presbyterian Boys' School, he and his wife both lectured in Singapore Bible College when Pastor was studying there.

TEACHING SEMINAR

By Dr Suraja Raman who is a member of Fairfield Methodist Church and a missionary and teaching faculty of Asia Pacific Mission & Bethany International University.

Update on the Teachers' Training Seminar:

a) April 11th & 18th:

Group discussion: The Joys of Preparing a Lesson Plan.

b) April 25th:

Group Presentation: The Joys of Presenting a Lesson Plan.

NOTE: A **Certificate of completion** will be presented to those who complete the course.


FRIDAY PRAYER MEETINGS

Prayer is important to us as individuals and as a church. There are many prayer needs and many 'prayERS' needed so do come and join us **every Friday at 7.45pm.**

Come and pray with us as a church family every Friday. We start with a short devotional and discussion.

Pastor Neville is back and will resume with our discussion on Miracles in John's Gospel. This week we will be doing the last of the Seven Miracles in John's Gospel - **Raising Lazarus From The Dead ... Jn. 11:1-44**

**This is
The Word
of God**



I Believe It!

CHURCH AGM TODAY

Our Church Annual General Meeting will be held after this morning's worship service at 12.15 p.m. in the church sanctuary. Please stay back for a short while so that we can fulfill the requirements of the Company's Act.

Please examine the audited accounts on the notice board before you leave. Thank you. A personal copy of the audited accounts is also available for you if you desire one.

PARKING AT SCHOOL OPPOSITE

We wish to remind members and friends who drive and park their cars at the school opposite, **to move out their cars before 1.00 p.m.** as the gates will be shut at that time. Thank you.

He has
made
a way
for us
to live an
abundant
life,
both now
and
forever!



PLEASE REMEMBER TO TURN OFF YOUR MOBILE PHONES. THANK YOU

INTERCESSORY PRAYER

"Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective." - James 5:16



1. Please pray for **Pastor Neville** as he brings God's Word to us this morning. Pray that we will be ministered to by the Holy Spirit. Pray too for the **Worship Team**, the **audio/visual support group**, as well as the **ushers**. Please pray and encourage them as they dedicate themselves to serving the Lord among us.

2. **Pray for our AGM this morning.** We are seeking for one or two more persons to serve as Directors/Trustees to oversee the business and legal matters of the church.

3. **Continue to uphold our Pastoral Support Team** as they serve us. They have been called to support the pastor in the leadership in service of the church.

4. Pray for the **Prison Ministry**, for brother **Henry Lee** and brother **Michael Ho** as they faithfully serve in this ministry. Pray too for brother **Vincent Tan** who serves in the Helping Hands ministry. May they find fulfillment and joy in their service for the Lord.

5. Please pray for the **Ladies Fellowship** as they meet and study God's Word, that they may also encourage and pray for one another as well as for the whole church.

6. **Pray also for the various care cell leaders - Bros. Henry Lee, Chih Chung and Melvin, sisters NG Oh and Chiew Eng** as they encourage and care for their cells. Pray that more will identify themselves to the cells so that closer fellowship may be fostered.

7. **Pray also for the Youth and Children ministry.** Pray for **Bro. Wai Chan and all the Teachers** who minister and mentor to our youth and children.

PASTORAL PRAYER: If you have a prayer need please do not hesitate to send an SMS to, or call 96384553.

Memory Verse:

Last week: *I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live. – John 11: 25*

This week: *The Lord is good to all; he has compassion on all he has made. - Psalm 145: 9*