

2023

LOVING BEYOND | BOUNDARIFS

BLESSED SUNDAY!

We are glad to worship God together with you! May we continue to be a light and blessing to one another and others beyond boundaries!

SERVING THIS WEEK

Dn Daniel Chav Christina Ding Dns Joella Tan Sally Chan Titus Soh Jonathan Chua Ruth Ona Bong Ru Hui Frica Yap Ps Wendell Chua Dn Ivan Lee

Jov Poh Eld Oswald Goh Eld Chua Hung Choo Ng Jianmin Dns Clarissa Leong Chow Lye Kuan Dns Kow Meng Choo Ng Siew Choo

NEXT WEEK

Cassia Ong McPaul Wee

Dns April Ding

What's your religion? 2 Kings 17:24-41 Ps Wendell Chua

Lead Ps Wendell Chua 9027 7465 Ps Lawrence Ong 9146 8277 Assis-to-Ps Joseph Tee 9088 0077 Ps Yap Kim Sin (Advisory) 9862 4390

Read (pg 9) **Book Circle Updates** By Foo Pek Hong & Low Bee Hong

ORDER OF SERVICE

Worship Theme Gods Justice

Prepare for Worship

Prelude

Exalt His Name

Call to Worship Invocation Doxology Opening Hymn Responsive Scripture Reading

2 Kings 17:1-6

Worship in Song

Listen to His Word

The Day of the Lord Ps Lawrence Ong 2 Kings 17:1-23

Response Song

Give to His Work

Offering Offertory Response

Pray to Him

Corporate Prayer **Pastoral Prayer**

Closina Hvmn Benediction **Announcements** Postlude





SERMON NOTES

The Day of the Lord 2 Kings 17:1-23



Introduction

- I. Political Causes
- **II. Theological Causes**
 - a) What Israel did to God
 - b) What God did to Israel

Reflection: Repentance, Faith and Refuge in Jesus Christ



Reflections...

WEEKLY PRAYER GUIDE

Community: "Singapore birth rates hit record low in 2022; number of deaths the highest since 1960"

- » With the recent numbers of Singapore's low birth rates and high number of deaths, we turn to the LORD for compassion for our families in our nation and our congregation.
- » Particularly, pray for families to continue to put Christ in the centre. This is in light of the pressures from society to make comfort, standard of living or careers the priority in our lives.

Adult Bible Class (Resuming TODAY! 11am @ Chapel 1)

- » Praise God for the opportunity and physical space for the Adult Bible Class to resume today.
- » Pray for strength, wisdom and clarity for Eld Lee Soon Tai as he teaches on "Thy Kingdom Come" (The Book of Revelation)

Covenant Bible School (Starting 13 July) - "How to Interpret the Bible"

- We give thanks to the LORD for the opportunity to learn from Dr. David Chapman (Covenant Seminary) on "How to Interpret the Bible."
- » Pray for learners attending from both locally and overseas, that they will find this course encouraging, edifying and helpful!
- » Pray for ATP Joseph Tee and Dns April Ding as they continue to facilitate this course throughout the coming weeks.

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WEEKLY PRAYER GUIDE

AWANA Ministry

- » Thank God for blessing Awana with average weekly attendance of 40 to 50 children and for a team of dedicated and faithful volunteers who come week after week to serve in Awana.
- » Pray that God will continue to speak to the Awana children through His word and that seeds will be planted on good soil, the hearts of the children.
- » Pray that God will use the Awana ministry to reach out to not only the children, but to the parents or guardians or caregivers who bring the children to Awana, that they could experience God's love through our Awana leaders.
- » Pray for Awana committee and leaders that as each of us serve each week we will grow in God's grace and knowledge of His word, our relationship with God will be strengthened and there will be joy in serving our Almighty God.
- » Pray that God will grant wisdom to our Awana committee as we plan the program and co-ordinate the various activities for Awana in line with the Church vision to be a missional church.
- » Pray that God will continue to move hearts of our church members to join us to serve in Awana and experience God's bountiful blessings as we serve in this ministry.

CHURCH NEWS AND ACTIVITIES

NEW! Catechism Class

commences 22 July, 11am @ Chapel 3

Those who are seeking baptism, transfer of church membership, re-affirmation or profession of faith are required to attend.

For details & registration, please contact:

Olga Amor @ 6284 1987 Ps Lawrence Ong @ 9146 8277

International Fellowship Online Bible Study

11 July, 8.00pm

To join, log in @

http://tiny.cc/zionIFBS
Meeting ID: 880 3654 6552

Passcode: **524832**

All Foreign Workers are welcome! We encourage employers to let their helpers join in over Zoom.

For queries, please contact Eld Hung Choo @ 9010 2893 Olga Amor @ 8158 1885

Prayer Fellowship

*PF takes place <u>every</u>
<u>Wednesday</u> except on public holidays or as announced!

12, 19 & 26 July Wednesday @ 8.00pm

Join in prayer together for our church: http://tiny.cc/zionPF2023

Meeting ID: **865 4863 7670**

Passcode: **017541**

For queries, please contact

Ps Lawrence Ong @ 9146 8277

ADULT BIBLE CLASS

resumes 9 July, 11am @ Chapel 1

Thy Kingdom Come (Book of Revelation) **by Eld Lee Soon Tai**

ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN! Please register with SAF reps: Roland Chan @ 9338 8054 Joanne Tharm @ 9780 8641

Schedule of Classes

2023: 9 & 16 July, 20 & 27 Aug 29 Oct, 12 & 26 Nov 3 & 10 Dec

2024: 7 & 14 Jan, 25 Feb 3, 10 & 24 Mar, 7 & 28 Apr

CHURCH NEWS AND ACTIVITIES

NEW! COVENANT BIBLE SCHOOL COURSE:

7.30pm - 9.30pm

How to Intepret the Bible? by Dr. David Chapman 9 Thursdays beginning 13 July,



As disciples of Christ, we recognise the Bible as the Inspired Word of God. This highlights the importance of accurately understanding what the LORD is saying from His Word. Whether you are a new Christian or a seasoned Bible teacher, this course will equip learners to interpret the Bible properly and bring great benefit in your spiritual growth!

Sign up now:

https://www. covenantbibleschool.org/ register

Family Ministry Workshop Conversations that Matter: Enhancing Parent-child Communication

18 July, 8.30pm & 22 July, 10am over ZOOM



In this parenting workshop, fellow Zion members will come together to share their experiences, insights and practical tips for good communication with our children. These sessions will be facilitated by our Zion member Muru Nagaraju, a fellow parent and experienced educator.

Join us on Tues night (18 July) or Sat morning (22 July), or even both! Open to parents and grandparents of all ages!

Register here:

http://chms.zionserangoon. org.sg/eventmodule/ registration/30/module

CHURCH NEWS AND ACTIVITIES

IF & YF: International Friendship Day Celebration!

15 July, 4.30pm

@ Love & Joy room

Join us for a time of Games, Gospel Sharing and Dinner! All foreign workers are invited!

For queries & <u>RSVP by 10 July</u>, please contact:

Hannah @ 8830 6317 Olga @ 8158 1885

*This is an outreach event and we invite all youths and church members to bring their domestic helpers! :)

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY

Services	Worshippers & Volunteers
ZMS	202
2MS	125
ZES	35
Total	362
Sunday School	52

FELLOWSHIP TEA CONTRIBUTIONS

09 July	Richard & Jane Teng	Thanksgiving

WEEKLY OFFERING

General and Missions Fund

\$35,313.65

(Received 26 June - 02 July)



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BOOK CIRCLE UPDATES



More Books, More Christian Authors

The Book Circle has more new books from Christian authors. We now have more books from the following authors:

Kay Arthur Jerry Bridges **Evelyn Christenson Oswald Chambers** John Eldridge Kenneth E Hagin Selwyn Hughes R T Kendall C.S. Lewis Ray Vander Laan **Andrew Murray** John F MacArthur John H Oak J.I. Packer R.C. Sproul Charles R Swindoll A.W. Tozer Warren W Wiersbe

Brian J Bailey
Daniel M Doriani
R Kent Hughes
Timothy Keller
Max Lucado
Gordon MacDonald
John Piper
John Stott
Phillip Yancy

Drop by the Book Circle, a 24/7 "Word Ministry", situated in the Fellowship Hall to browse, pick up a book, read and pass it on.

Should you be interested in a book or an author or a topic that you want to know more about; do let us know so that we can check on your behalf the book's availability in the library. As this is a pilot initiative, we seek the patience and understanding of the requesters should the response be delayed, or the book is not available.

You can contact **Bee Hong** @ **9171 1009** or **Pek Hong** @ **9818 8220** to see if the book is available in the library.

"Nurturing in each gardener a heart with a thirst to seek after Him"