#### English Combined Service, 9am

6 July

Service Hosts Goh Wei En & Samuel Chang

Worship Leader Ronice Lee & Joshua Yap

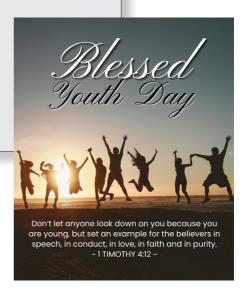
Facilitator Gracia Khoo

Speaker Ps Trisha Khoo

Sermon Courage to Encourage

Acts 4-15

2025



## from the pastor's heart

#### **REV STEFANIE OH**

Dear KY family,

We ended Family Camp 2025 just about 2 weeks ago. It was a wonderful time of hearing the Word, and getting to know each other better. Perhaps after hearing from Ps Benny about the Heart of Discipleship, it would be good to take some time for self-reflection. As he suggested, there are five necessary "ingredients" that we need to have to help us to grow spiritually. I would like to ask us some questions here that would help us reflect on these areas, and chart a path ahead that would help ourselves and our cell group members grow together.

#### 1. Practical teachings

Ps Benny shared that practical teachings are not merely bible study, but must include the practical application of the truths held therein. Are there sources of practical teaching that you glean from regularly? Or are you running dry and finding it difficult to apply what you have learned?

#### 2. Private disciplines

These disciplines include bible study, prayer, worship, fellowship, and evangelism. These 5 disciplines are necessary for every Christian to grow in discipleship. Which of these disciplines do you naturally gravitate towards? What can you do to strengthen yourself in the other disciplines that seem less natural?

#### 3. Personal ministry

Indeed, as Ps Benny shared, a Christian who is not using his/her God-given gifts to glorify God and edify the church will not grow. What are your spiritual and natural giftings? How can you use these gifts to bless the church?

#### 4. Providential relationships

These are God-given relationships that can be side-ways or top-down. The relationship between Paul and Barnabas is one example where because of the relationship, each learns to be more yielded to the Spirit. Who are these kindred spirits in your life? If you would like to have some providential relationships, pray for God to reveal one or two names to you.

#### 5. Pivotal events

These are things that happen to us often beyond our control, and how we respond to what has happened will either cause us to grow or backslide. If we respond in keeping with the Spirit, then we grow and mature. If we respond according to the flesh then we have taken a step backwards in our faith journey. Have there been certain pivotal events in your life recently? How did you respond?

After pondering these questions, how would you say your spiritual growth has been in recent years? Speak to your cell group members, leader or pastor if you'd like some help or kindred spirit come alongside you in this journey. And let us be a church full of disciples of Jesus growing in Christlikeness and impacting the nation and the world with the Gospel!

With love, Rev Stef

## family news

#### WELCOME TO CHURCH

We are so glad you have come to join us to worship God and be encouraged by His Word today. We would love to connect with you! If you would like to be prayed for, or to find out more about our God, Church, Services and Cell Groups, please approach any of our Hospitality Team, Pastors, Staff or Leaders.

#### **CONDOLENCES**

Our heartfelt condolences to Stacey, Sebastian Soh and family for the loss of their beloved father, Mr Roland Soh who has gone home to be with the Lord on 4 July 2025. May the Lord's comfort and peace be upon the family during this period. Wake and funeral info as below.

- 6 Jul (Sun), 8pm Wake Service
   Venue: Blk 202D Sengkang East Road,
   S544202 (MPH)
- 7 Jun (Mon) Funeral info:
  - Casket Closing Service at 2.45pm
  - Cortege leaves at 3pm
  - Cremation Service at 3.45pm, Mandai Crematorium Hall 2

## FAMILY CAMP SESSION RECORDINGS NOW AVAILABLE!

Missed Family Camp 2025 or want to revisit the sessions? Recordings of the sessions are now available on Kum Yan website. Click the link to be encouraged and inspired: <a href="https://kumyan.org.sg/grow/family-camp-2025/">https://kumyan.org.sg/grow/family-camp-2025/</a>

## PRECEPT UPON PRECEPT (PUP) \*Disciple Track\* GALATIANS – Who Has Bewitched You? Why and How?

As the gospel spread across the Roman world in the first decades after Jesus' earthly ministry, conflict arose. Jews and Gentiles were believing the gospel, and a struggle over what it meant to be a Christian began. What does it mean to live under grace? Do you have to keep the Law to be a Christian? All of it or just part of it?

God used an apostle to write a letter to some churches that were struggling with this issue, a letter that still speaks today. Its message clearly defines the relationship between Law and grace, and how Christians live under grace, led by the Spirit, free from bondage.

- Thursday Zoom class, 9.30 am 12.00 pm July 31 - September 25 (includes 2 lesson breaks)
- Saturday Zoom class, 2.30 pm 5.00 pm
   August 2 September 27 (includes 2 lesson breaks)

**1st timers to PUP** are most welcome. You will need to attend the introductory class (on Zoom) on Saturday, July 19, 2.30 pm – 4.00 pm to prepare yourself for the homework and lessons.

**Registration** period: June 29 – July 18 Please register via **CMS**.

**Cost** of materials (including **hardcopy** cross references): \$20.05

**Cost** of materials (including **softcopy** cross references): \$19.00

**Payment** by internet banking to 'Kum Yan Methodist Church' indicating "Your name (*Galatians*)"

Collection of materials after church service on July 6, 13 & 20

#### **KY MISSIONS NEWSLETTER (JUL)**

Catch the latest updates on the Missions scene, and pray for Kum Yan's missionaries and mission workers, click the link for more info: https://kumyan.org.sq/MissionsEN

#### STAFF MOVEMENT

- Ps Simon is away from 5 to 12 Jul.
- Joanna will be away from 7 to 9 Jul.

## youth connection (yc & jyc)

#### **HELLO & WELCOME**

Youth Connection (YC) and Junior Youth Connection (JYC) are Kum Yan's community of students and young adults who love God and enjoy doing life together! We sincerely invite you to join us for our weekly Worship Services and Cell Group Meetings and / or monthly Worship Nights. If you'd like to find out more, do reach out to any of our Staff or Leaders or email youthconnection@kumyan.org.sg. Do also follow us on our socials:

Telegram Channel for YC Updates: <a href="mailto:bit.ly/yctele2025">bit.ly/yctele2025</a>

Instagram Handles: @ythcnxn | @kumyan\_jyc

#### **JULY HIGHLIGHTS**

#### 40.DAY SEASON OF PRAYER 2025 TUES 1 JUL - 9 AUG

Let us stand with the Church in Singapore to intercede for our nation, our churches, our families and ourselves that Singapore would turn Godward; for our generation and the next to win the youth, and for us to fulfill our call as 'Antioch of Asia' to bless the nations of the earth.

Look out for the daily, written & video prayer guide via LoveSingapore's YouTube, Instagram, Website, Facebook. Links to the above are also shared on YC's Telegram Channel daily!

#### YC WORSHIP GATHERING FRI 25 |UL ◆ 8PM-10PM ◆ THE LIVING ROOM

Our monthly worship gatherings are a dedicated time and space for us to be in the Lord's presence, give Him our undivided attention and adoration and listen to Him. The sessions are open to all! Come as you are before your God.

#### **IULY PRAYER MEETINGS**

When we work, we work. When we pray, God works. Let us press in, and press on, in faithful intercession through corporate prayer both intergenerationally and as a community of youth and young adults! All are welcome.

## YC POWER HOUR SAT 19 JUL • 3PM - 4PM • HANGOUT ROOM

#### **FAMILY NEWS**

#### YCERS @ NAGOYA RECCE TRIP

Priscilla Tan and Theodor Chua, who are part of KY's Nagoya Church Planting Team (led by Rev James Chan and comprising of Sarah Chan and Sze Hui from Renewal Christian Centre) are returning from their first recce trip today. During this trip, the team met with various key contacts and engaged in prayer walks at target areas in the city, and were on the lookout for potential accomodation spots when they move in September this year - all crucial steps in laying the groundwork for their long-term mission in Japan. Let us catch up with our brothers and sisters and commit to long term partnership as their sending community.

#### **OFF TO HILLSONG**

Charmaine Khoo will be leaving for Sydney, Australia on Wed 9 July (Departure at 1am from Terminal 1 = send off on 8 July night). She will be undertaking a year long course (Certificate IV in Ministry with Worship Practicum) at Hillsong College. Let us pray for our dear sis and bless her on her journey of discipleship and equipping! < We'll miss you lots, Char! >

## kum yan prayer meetings

Join us for our weekly prayer meetings as we intercede for the matters close to God's heart.

#### • PRAY! SINGAPORE (MORNING PRAYER)

 Every Sun, 6.30am-7.30am, Zoom (Contact Cell Leaders/ Joanna for more info.)

#### KY MISSIONS PRAYER MEETING

- · Sun 13 Jul, 10.45am-12.00pm, Rm 406
- Tue 22 Jul, 8-9.30pm, Zoom Contact Li Cheng for more info.

### kum yan prayer agenda

#### For the World

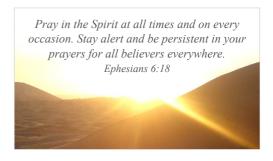
 Pray for the peace of Jerusalem. May the people of Israel come to know and accept Jesus Christ as their Saviour. Ask the Lord to sustain lasting peace agreements throughout the Middle East.

#### For Singapore

- Pray for the LoveSingapore prayer movement for the nation, taking place from 1 July to 9 August. May the Lord use this platform to unite churches across Singapore and inspire His people to stand together in prayer. Pray especially for the three strategic priorities: turning Singapore Godward, winning the youth, and blessing the nations.
- Ask the Lord to grant wisdom and strength to Singapore's new leadership team. Pray that they will lead the nation according to God's ways, uphold truth and righteousness, and raise up new leaders after His own heart, fulfilling all that He has purposed for the nation.

#### For Kum Yan Church

- Give thanks to God for the 2025 Kum Yan Family Camp. Pray that the Lord will continue to speak to us, reveal His works and guidance, and lead every brother and sister to follow Him in obedience, building up the church together.
- Pray for the upcoming Mandarin Discipleship Programme starting in July: DISCIPLE I, DISCIPLE III, and Companions in Christ. Ask the Lord to help both facilitators and participants to learn, grow, and be transformed together. do.



#### **love**singapore

**40**.Days 40. Voices 40.Prayers

The 40.Day Season of Prayer starts on July 1, 2025!

Join us for 40 days of united prayer across our country as we go ALL IN to pray for Singapore and the nations!

1 July to 9 August 2025



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40. DAY @ 12 Meeting ID: 823 4473 0880 Passcode: PraySG

**KY MEN'S MINISTRY** 

# LEADING OUR

Family

**Speaker:** Ps Alan Tay

Date: Sat 19 July 2025

**Time:** 8.30am

Venue: KYDZ Haven







66 I will heal my people and let them enjoy abundant peace and security. 99

Jeremiah 33:6

## Loving Our Neighbours Loving Our Nation

Celebrating the 140<sup>th</sup> Year of The Methodist Church in Singapore and SG60

Be part of **THE HEALING NATION** to demonstrate God's love in healing spirit, mind, heart, and body through our acts of service and love.

At KYMC, we are committing 5,000 hours for God in 2025! With 500 members, each giving just 10 hours — that's 5,000 hours of love, service, and worship!

Since January, we've clocked 2,697 hours. That means just **2,303 hours** more to go! Whether it's through planning, serving, or debriefing, every contribution counts. Let's reach the goal together.

Join us and be part of the team serving our community — every hour makes a difference!

#### **Upcoming KY Outreach Events:**

- Project Bless National Day | Sun 10 Aug, 2-4pm\*
   Reach out to Migrant Workers & Bras Basah Complex
   Residents
- Moon Cake Festival Outreach | Sat 4 Oct
- Deepavali Luncheon | Fri 24 Oct



\*Scan to Register from 13 July

Here are more ways you can be part of this initiative.





Scan for more information



www.thehealingnation.sg



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Rev Herman Kan

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#### **OUR VISION**

To be a caring community, a lighthouse and home in the city; bringing hope and purpose through a life-changing relationship with Jesus Christ to all peoples of all ages.

#### **ENGLISH CONGREGATION**

**CELL GROUPS** 

10:25New CreationABCDOrchardCommonwealthRiver ValleyEast CoastStamfordFull HouseSunset WayHavenVictoriaHazelWest Coast

Hougang WIP

Koinonia

Please contact Joanna at <u>joanna@kumyan.org.sg</u> if you would like to join a cell group.

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Jimson Low Nicole Wee
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#### **GIVING ONLINE**

Detailed instructions and important information on giving online can be found on our website: https://kumyan.org.sq/give/

#### I-BANKING

ACCOUNT: Kum Yan Methodist Church

A/C TYPE: DBS Bank Current / Autosave Account

A/C NO: 033-002463-0

PAYNOW (UEN: S87CC0539B)

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