

# PRO-CHRIST ANTI-CROSS

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PHILIPPIANS 3:17-21

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Brothers, join in imitating me, and keep your eyes on **THOSE WHO WALK** according to the example you have in us. <sup>18</sup> For as I have often told you before, I tell you now even weeping, that **MANY WALK** as enemies of the cross of Christ.

# PHILIPPIANS 3:19

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**Their end is destruction,  
their god is their belly,  
their glory is in their shame, and  
they mind earthly things.**

# PHILIPPIANS 3:20-21

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**BUT OUR CITIZENSHIP IS IN HEAVEN,**  
and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus  
Christ, <sup>21</sup> who will transform our lowly body to be  
like his glorious body, by the power that enables  
him even to subject all things to himself.

# **ENEMIES OF THE CROSS**

**Walk in the Way of Decadence**



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**WORSHIP  
THEIR BELLY**

# PROVERBS 13:25 NKJV

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**THE RIGHTEOUS EATS**  
to the **satisfying** of his **soul**.

# ECCLSIASTES 6:7 NRSV

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All human toil is for the mouth,  
yet the appetite is not satisfied.





**ENEMIES OF THE CROSS**



**GLORY IN  
THEIR SHAME**

# PSALM 12:8

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**VILENESS IS EXALTED**  
among the children of man.

# MR LIM SIONG GUAN 2017 LECTURE

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Lessons for Singapore . . .

**The Age of Decadence** comes about because of the following factors: An extended period of **wealth and power, selfishness, love of money, and loss of a sense of duty.**



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**A CULTURE OF DECADENCE**

**guilty pleasures**

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**sinful sweets**

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**decadent delights**

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**savage treats**



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**sinfully delicious**

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**sin & savage  
bakehouse**

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**feed your addiction**

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**indulgence your way**

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**100% indulgence**

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**you don't need  
a reason for indulgence**

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**A CULTURE OF DECADENCE**

**original sin**  
**RESTAURANT**

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**A CULTURE OF DECADENCE**

**decadance**

**DANCING SCHOOL**



# PSALM 12:8

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among the children of man.

———— ENEMIES OF THE CROSS ————

MIND EARTHLY  
THINGS



# FRIENDS OF THE CROSS

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**Walk in the Way of the Cross**

# IMITATORS OF CHRIST

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**Philippians 3:20-21** ESV

**BUT OUR CITIZENSHIP IS IN HEAVEN,**  
and from it we await a Savior,  
the Lord Jesus Christ . . .

# PHILIPPIANS 1:27

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## PRACTICE YOUR CITIZENSHIP

in a manner worthy of the Gospel of Christ.

- Phil 1:27 – Roman Citizenship
- Phil 3:20 – Heavenly Citizenship

**RENDER TO CAESAR**  
**the things that are Caesar's**

MATTHEW 22:21

# Happiest City in Asia ■ 3<sup>rd</sup> in the World

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- education
- urban innovation
- healthcare
- low crime
- public transport
- smooth traffic
- administrative excellence
- global connectivity
- peace and prosperity
- and more



# PROVERBS 11:11

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The blessing of the upright exalts a city.  
But the mouth of the wicked tears it down.

# DEUTERONOMY 28:47-48 ADAPTED

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Because you did not serve the Lord your God with joy and gladness in the abundance of all things, you shall serve your enemy in hunger and thirst and in need of everything.

**RENDER TO GOD**  
**the things that are God's**

MATTHEW 22:21

# MR LEE KUAN YEW – 7 JUNE 1996

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Do not be so obsessed with properties or car prices and believe that life's main chances have already passed you by. However, material success is not everything. *Man shall not live by bread alone.*

# — INVITATION • RESPONSE • PRAYER —

- 1 **Imitate** those who imitate the Crucified Christ
- 2 **Weep** over those who ignore or evade the Cross
- 3 **Raise a standard** against the culture of decadence
- 4 **Practice** your dual citizenship responsibly
- 5 **Do all things without grumbling**  
and in a manner worthy of the Gospel

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