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Haven

Hazel

Hougang

Orchard

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Serangoon

Sunset Way

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## 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.

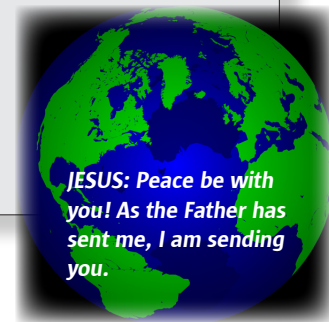
KUM YAN **methodist church**  
**english service**

Worship Leader - Mr Ian Wong

Speaker - Ps Jeff Romack

**03 May**  
**2009**

1. Praise and worship
2. Offertory
3. Welcome and family news
4. Sermon  
In a Locked Room with Jesus  
John 20:19 - 22
5. Benediction



## from the pastor's heart

Life has been smooth and easy.... but suddenly something unexpected, devastating or painful happens: financial failure, sickness, let down by loved ones.... what will you do? Do you contemplate quitting, get angry with God and people, blame, murmur? Or simply retreating to depression or isolation..... ?

Paul wrote to young Timothy "... and the time has come for my departure. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness." (2 Timothy 4:6-8). Throughout his life, Paul has endured extraordinary setback and suffering. But he declared that nothing could separate him from the love of Christ.

Very often an athlete is a winner because he endured. He pushed his body to what seems to be the maximum. His lungs ached. He has cramps in his legs. And just when he felt that he has nothing more to give, he heard the thunderous cheers from the crowd. He has completed the race and won!

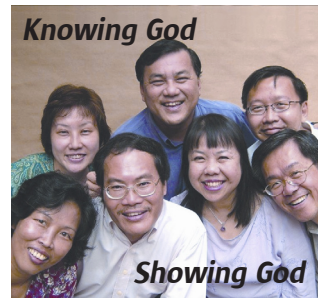
No matter what hardship and pain we may encounter now or in future, let's follow the example of Paul. Let's stay faithful and loyal to Jesus. He Himself had, for our sake, endured the cross. Let's be strong not in our own strength but in the strength which is a divine grace of God for those who are committed to receive the crown. (2 Tim 2:1). Paul continues to affirm that: "If we died with him, we will also live with him; if we endure, we will also reign with him. If we disown him, he will also disown us; if we are faithless, he will remain faithful, for he cannot disown himself." (2 Tim 2:11-13)

"You then, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus." 2 Timothy 2:1

Ps Lilian Wong

## family news

*Honour God, be on time for the service.  
Choose to be early so that you can  
prepare your heart to worship.*



### 1) ALPHA

We celebrate the 'graduation' of our course participants. Praise the Lord for the wonderful ways in which many of our friends encountered His love.

### 2) Update on Ps Boon Chiau

The biopsy of the growth in the colon has shown it to be non-cancerous. Praise the Lord! Prognosis is good and no further treatment is needed after the present operation. We thank God for watching over our pastor and causing him to get an early checkup which led to the discovery of the tumour. Ps Boon Chiau is now resting at home and thank you for all your love, care and prayers.

### 3) 'Are you part of the 100k?' Blessing Campaign (May 3 - 31)

Blessing is a prophetic way of praying. When we bless, we are invoking the goodness of God. Approach a friend, colleague or even a stranger with the 100k pamphlet and invite them to receive a blessing from God. Here's how you can pray a blessing for someone:

*Dear Heavenly Father, thank you for Your unchanging love. Thank You for sending Jesus so that we may be blessed in every way. We need Your help and blessings. Please bless*

\_\_\_\_\_ (name) with \_\_\_\_\_ .  
We receive Your blessings for him/her right now in Jesus' Name. Amen.  
So carry the pamphlets with you wherever you go and be ready to bless someone!

### 4) Folding bulletins - Saturday, 1.30 - 3 pm on May 16, 23, & 30

If you are able to help on any of the dates, please inform Siong Yeng.

5) "Open Heavens" - English Congregation prayer from 11.30 am - 12.30 pm in Room 202.

## ministry news

### Children's Ministry

Worship time: 9 am

- Preschool and Toddlers program

- Children's Church

## coming events

### How Can I Help? - What everyone needs to know for Relational Resilience

May 16 (Sat), 9 am - 5 pm

Speaker: Shelwyn Tay, *Clinical Psychologist*

Venue: Kum Yan Methodist Church

Fee: \$30 (incl materials, tea & lunch breaks)

Registration: email [focus@family.org.sg](mailto:focus@family.org.sg) or call 6336 1444

### Spiritual Warfare for every Christian: What you need to know

30 May (Sat), 9 am - 4.30 pm

Speaker: Dean Sherman

Venue: Paya Lebar Methodist Church

Fee: \$60

Registration: [www.ywam.org.sg](http://www.ywam.org.sg)

## church prayer agenda

Even before the grave damage of the global financial meltdown can be contained, we see the outbreak of the deadly Swine Flu

starting from Mexico where it is suspected to have killed more than 150 persons there. This deadly flu virus has rapidly spread to USA, Europe and Asia. WHO fears that the world is on the brink of a new global pandemic. If this happens it will surely aggravate the financial hardship which has now plagued the world; and further delay any hope of speedy economic recovery. God's Word has forewarned us that "in the last days, there will come times of stress" (2 Tim 3:1) Let us pray to know how to live in these last days.

1) Ask God to help us make adjustments necessary to live a more simple lifestyle; and live more fully according to God's Word. Through it we may be better prepared for what is to come. Stir us to be faithful to the responsibilities the Lord has entrusted to us until He returns.

2) Ask God to remove all obstacles which hinder us to immerse ourselves in His Word to understand the times and seasons in which we live. Help us to ground ourselves in God's Word and abide in His truth; that we would be steadfast in our faith, and not be "tossed back and forth by the waves, and blown here and there by every wind of teaching (Eph 4:14).

3) Pray that the Holy Spirit would reveal to us the sinful ways within us. Help us not to defend or justify the sins, but to repent and be restored in fellowship with God; and renew our walk in righteousness before Him.

4) "The end of all things is near. Therefore be clear minded and self-controlled so that you can pray" (1 Pet 4:7). Ask God to help us to heed this urgent reminder to be alert and obedient to His call in these last days to be strong in His Word, to turn away from sin, be faithful in ministry, and devoting ourselves to fervent prayer just as Peter exhorts us.