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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 & yc service

Worship Leader - Mr Keith Leong

Speaker - Ps Ed Pousson

6 Sep
2009

1. Praise and worship
2. Offertory
3. Welcome and family news
4. Sermon
5. Benediction

MISSIONS SUNDAY
Offering our 5 loaves and 2 fish



from the pastor's heart

We thank our gracious Lord for His guidance and the prayers of brothers and sisters for the progress of mission work in Kum Yan as it moves towards the frontline. God has made something out of nothing, from little to much, from a single aspect to a multi-faceted work - like medical, discipling, for children and adults - all to flow in the direction and goal that God has set for us to be a "missions church". God has also opened the door for us to do 'missions-at-the-doorstep' with our English classes and the basketball sessions for students from the nearby SMU. And from this month the cafe on the ground floor has started business and we hope to connect with the people who come by. May we learn to welcome everyone with God's eyes, especially the people in our neighbourhood, the office workers and staff and students from SMU.

In the biography of Indian hero Gandhi it tells of an incident that happened while he was studying in South Africa. At the time he was very interested in the teachings of the Bible and was especially convinced by the teachings of Jesus in the Sermon on the Mount. He considered that the Christian faith would be of great help to the future development of India. One day, he went enthusiastically to a church for a worship service. Who would have thought that just as he was about to approach the church door, someone came up to block his way. Quietly he was told that if he wanted to attend a service he could go to another church that was meant just for black people. Gandhi turned and left immediately, never to approach another church again. Don't you feel it a great pity that such a thing had happened? If Gandhi had been able to follow his heart and become a disciple of Christ maybe the history of India would have to be rewritten. Gandhi reacted in such a way not because of the message of Christ but

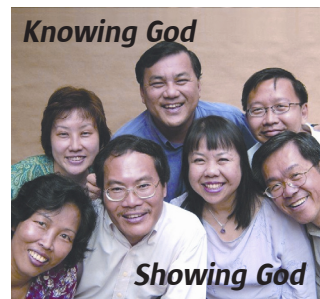
because of the 'testimony' of Christians. The real problem lay with the people and not the message.

What happened to Gandhi should not happen today for we must learn to see everyone through God's eyes so that we can truly love others. This kind of love we must continually practise in and out of the church. The next time someone comes to our church or to the cafe downstairs for a meal remember this: God loves him! and then welcome him with God's love. The little things we do will surely bring about unimagined influence and change. Just try it!

Rev David Koh

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

Pray that the Gospel message is firmly planted into the hearts of our seeker friends. As we invite them to sign up for the weekend away, pray for a good response as this will be an opportunity for them to encounter the Person and work of the Holy Spirit.

ALPHA Course (English & Mandarin)

Every Tuesday evening (8 weeks)
Time: 7 - 9.30 pm (dinner provided)
Venue: KY Levels 5&6

2) Combined Church Prayer - MISSIONS

Date/ Time: 11 Sep (Fri), 8 pm

Venue: Level 6, The Living Room

Let us coporately seek God for his direction to expand the missions work of our church. As we pray together God will fan the flames that keep our passion for His Kingdom burning.

3) Those who have placed orders for the 'Grace Mooncakes' can collect them next Sunday after the service.

4) Folding bulletins - Saturday, 1.30 - 3 pm on Sep 12, 19 & 26

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.

coming events

Eagles Rendezvous presents

When Will We Ever Get It Right - studies in 1 Timothy

Saturdays, 4.30 - 7 pm

4, 11, 18 July; 1, 15, 22, 29 Aug

Speaker: Peter Chao

Venue: Golden Landmark Hotel (Level 5)

Victoria Street

For more information, please go to:

eagles.com.sg/rendezvous.html

Kairos

A 9-session, interactive course on World Christian mission

Sat 9am to 8pm, 10, 17, 24, Oct and

Sun 2pm to 8pm, 11, 18, 25 Oct

Venue: Telok Ayer Chinese Methodist

Church (235 Telok Ayer Street)

Course Fee: \$100

Closing Date: 26 Sept 09

Please contact Li Cheng (Tel: 6337 6196) for registration details.

church prayer agenda

Every member of the teams who went for Missions between July & August returned with encouraging reports about encountering the awesome God in different ways. The people whom they ministered to in the field were blessed by the presence of our people - but our people felt they were blessed even more by their obedience in going. May all KY people flow along in full participation as God leads KY to extend the 'Tent' for Missions in the year to come.

1) Ask God to call out from KY this generation of worshippers who will consciously hear and obey the Word of the Lord as did the early disciples in the Upper Room, and in the Antioch Church. Let us allow ourselves to be mobilized to get involved in Overseas Missions; and Missions at the Doorstep that will cause "every knee to bow in heaven and on earth, and every tongue to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father" (Phil 2:10-11)

2) Pray for our missionaries by name, those who have stepped out in faith to serve God in the mission field. They have given up their rights, comfort and convenience, and exposing their young children to lower quality medical care, so that unreached people may have the opportunity to hear the Good News, and receive Jesus. Remember them daily on matters which God brings to our mind.

3) Acknowledge to God that there is no power like that of prevailing prayer:

- Moses standing in prayer between the Red Sea and the pursuing Egyptian army

- Elijah standing at Mt Carmel in prayer

against the 450 prophets of Baal

Prevailing prayers that turn ordinary mortals into people of power; and resulting in God's intervention into our situations.

Stir the hearts of people to be motivated to pray, till KY purposefully functions as a House of Prayer for powerful missions to all peoples.