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You Need a BA (Born Again) to Serve the King of Kings Who is qualify to serve our Lord? Anyone who acknowledge Jesus Christ as Savior & Lord can serve Him. All you need is a BA to HIM. The disciples of Jesus were not highly educated. Not one was a scholar. Not one had wealth or fame. Four had been fishermen. One had been a tax collector. They were men with weaknesses and flaws like many of us. Some had a fiery nature. They stumbled and fell. Yet Jesus took these lowly men and through them turned the world upside down.

Our Lord Jesus looks for a consecrated heart. There is no truth in such words "He cannot use me because I'm not clever, I'm not talented, I'm not eloquence. John Bunyan was not a polished writer. He was limited in his education. William Booth founded the Salvation Army, the press ridiculed him. But he led and inspired an army for Christ that has spread around the world. Dwight L. Moody was an unschooled man. He never went to college. His manner was crude, and his grammar was condemned by those who heard him. But they left praising the Christ whom Moody proclaimed. He gave God everything he had, and God used him far beyond other more talented, but less dedicated, preachers.

Our Lord in Matthew 20:20-28 shared an very important truth on the greatness in serving Him. The rulers lord and have authority over the gentiles but Jesus said whoever among you would be great must be a servant. What profound truth in Christian Service, just as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, let's serve one another.

Finally, may our Lord open our eyes to wonder the coming supernatural harvest in Church of Sengkang. Beloved, are you ready to welcome the harvest of souls? Be Prepared & welcome change as it's great honor to serve our Lord.

In Season Out Season
At Your Service, Lord

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Announcements

1. TWO SPECIAL SPEAKERS ONLY ON MAY 3, 2009 (SUNDAY)

Morning Service : 10.30am to 12.30 pm

Special Topic I: Power of the Gospel,

Speaker: **Rev. Canon Dr. James Wong,**

He has been in active Christian service for 51 years. He has served in many Christian Organisation, Currently, he serves as Honorary Director for Crown Financial Ministries and Crusade for World Revival which was founded by the late Selwyn Hughes.

Evening Service : 5.00pm to 7.00pm

Special Topic II : Supernatural Working of God

Scripture Text: Book of Romans

Speaker: **Pastor David Chuah,**

also Elder Peace Tower Church, Ottawa, Canada. *Born in a strict Buddhist family from Taiping, Malaysia. Possessed by demons during his teenage years. Accepted Jesus as Savior & Lord in 1970. Married with 3 children. Emigrated to Canada in 1982.*

2. MISSION TRIP TO PHILIPPINES

Date: May 25 to June 2, 2009

Estimated Cost : S\$550 (Round trip)

Food & Lodging: S\$200 (includes 3 days 2 nites at Baguio)

Interested, please contact **Pastor David Kerk** at **96460704.**

3. RECREATION ON SATURDAY EVENING

We are grateful to our Lord for the gift of salvation and joy of serving Him. To continue with this zeal, we need to maintain a healthy body to carry out our responsibilities. All are to sweat it out in a game of badminton or basketball. for further details please contact **Bro. Justyn Lim** at **98304456**

4. HOW ABOUT A PING PONG GAME?

Praise the Lord our recreation ministry is expanding fast. We've been blessed with a wonderful Ping Pong Table. Spend the sunday afternoon in ping pong with our brethren. Let our China brother Fa Chong show you the way to top spring the ball.

OUR COLLECTIONS

Proverb 11:24-25: " One man gives freely, yet gains even more; another withholds duty, but comes to poverty. A generous man will prosper; he who refreshes others will himself be refreshed."

March 09' Collections : \$13,823.07

Last week's up to 19th Apr 09 : \$10,203.12

Church Building Fund : \$28,130.00

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THE SUNDAY TIMES

SUNDAY SERVICES TIME:

26th April 2009

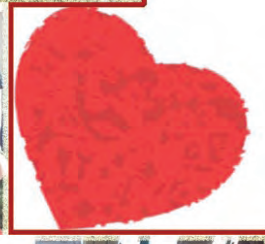
10.30am to 12.30pm



Sis Aw-Yiong Keok



Sis Lim Koon Poh



**Sunday Afternoon Home Service at
Sis Aw-Yiong Keok's home & RenCi Nursing Home.**

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All praise & glory to God for the joy in ministering to our senior brethren in the Lord. Once again, how lovely to see the brethren dwelling in unity serving our Lord.

Led by our Pastor David Kerk, a team of 13 brothers & sisters visited sis Aw-Yiong Keok in her home in Toa Payoh. We broke Bread & drank the Cup together and sang hymns of thanksgiving to our Lord. She was so glad to receive Communion in her home as she missed Church services due to her physical health.

We were ministered by her godly wisdom grew out of her 60 years relationship with our Lord. She shared "Knowing our Lord is not based on feelings but through Faith in Him" and "Walking with our Lord is liken to climbing up a flight of steps, at times can be very difficult in missing a step or push down by another person" She urged us to "nail" firmly to our Lord Jesus. We were lifted up by the words of wisdom from sis Aw-Yiong.

Our next visit was the RenCi Nursing Home where we served our newly baptised sis Lim Koon Poh her first Communion. We can witness the Power of Unity in ministry. Hymns of thanksgiving were sang in appreciation of our Lord. The team took the opportunity in sharing God's Love to the inmates of sis Lim Koh Poh. Holy Communion was also served to another sister Jeannette.

The team ended the day's ministry with a fellowship over dinner blessed by our sis Pauline Ang. Beloved we know God has called everyone to develop and use God's gifts in working together for Him. You are invited to join his Sunday Afternoon Home Service on the last Sunday of every month. Please contact sis Jane for more details.

Reported by
Sis Jane.



TODAY'S SERMON

Speaker: Pastor Don Wong

Title of Message : The New Wave - Striving For Excellence

Scripture Texts:

Philippians 2:15 That you may be blameless and innocent, children of God without blemish in the midst of a crooked and twisted generation, among whom you Shine as Lights in the world.

Daniel 6:3 Then this Daniel became distinguished above all the other presidents and satraps, because an Excellent spirit was in him.

Key Thot : We Need To Excel and How Can we Excel?

Main Points:

1: Delight : 1 Cor 10:31; Psalm 8:1; 148:13 & 150:2

So, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all to the Glory of God

1:1

1:2

1:3

2. Detail : Book of Leviticus & book of Numbers

2:1

2:2

2:3

3. Diligence: Prov 12:24; Prov 13:4 The hand of the diligent will rule, while the slothful will be put to forced labor

3:1

3:2

3:3

Reflection on this message:

*The percentage is a generalization of what we retain.
Understanding and Remembering are better when we make notes.*

MESSAGE FROM PASTOR DAVID KERK

Get Ready For the Supernatural Harvest!

Much have been spoken through the various pulpit messages that the Lord will provide our church more than a supernatural harvest. He is also going to bless us with financial abundance. So I believe it is crucial that everyone of us including the leadership with responsibility get ready for the Lord of the Harvest to pour in the abundance. A 3-stage (Preparation-Change-Serve) process has to be in place to enjoy the harvest.

Be Prepared For a Godly Character

Luke 5:36-39 Our Lord told this parable to his disciples that new wine must be put into new wineskin knowing no one after drinking old wine desires new for the old is good. God has no problem pouring down His New Wine. However, the problem is with you and me in refusing to discard our negative attitudes, bad habits or ways. We cannot go far even we are very talented if we have bad attitudes. God will not use us even we are very talented if we have bad attitudes. Lack of discipline with good attitude and highly gifted will not go far too. In short, God is looking for godly character with good attitude to enjoy that fresh Touch of God, we must be willing to change. You can be sure God has His ways to TOUCH you - they'll use people, circumstances and trials to disciple, mold and change to manifest His Presence in your lives.

Change Me O Lord!

SELF is the greatest hindrance to the Light of Christ shining through you and me. Corporately, some of churches are still stuck in the muddle with these "Seven Sacred Sayings - We Never Did It This Way Before!" The soonest we realize 'SELF Must Change', the earliest we can see JESUS SHINE over His church. Last Sunday the pastoral ministry took a bold step to realign her role and responsibility to the congregation. Sis Ching and myself are going full gear in providing pastoral care & counselling to you. We are seeing the coming to pass one of the words spoken by Dr. Arthur Devadoss on June 1, 2008 that "God will raise up many willing and available resources to serve Him". Indeed, we are thankful to our Lord that new births are beginning to serve in the multi-media, music, web-site & Sunday Times ministry. We've witnessed the supernatural working of God way beyond what we could do. The addition of one more service to the "Home Ministry" testifies of God's partnership with us in the ministry

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