

Second Annual General Meeting

Date : Sunday, 28th March 2010

Time: 2.00 pm - 4.00 pm

Venue: 600 Ponggol Seventeenth Avenue #02-00, Singapore 829734

Agenda:

1. To receive and adopt the Audited Financial Statements for the financial year ended 30 September 2009 together with the Report of the Directors and the Auditors and the Statement by Directors thereon.
2. To re-elect the Directors retiring under the provision of the Company's Articles of Association.
3. To re-appoint Messrs S C Mohan & Associates as Auditors of the Company.
4. To transact any other matters appropriate to be transacted at an Annual General Meeting.

OUR COLLECTIONS

1 Chron 29:13-14 "Now, our God, we give you thanks, and praise your glorious name. But who am I, and who are my people, that we should be able to give as generously as this? Everything comes from you, and we have given you only what comes from your hand."

February 2010 Collection:	S\$28,387.35
March 2010 Collection up to 14 Mar 2010:	S\$ 8,914.50
Church Building Fund	S\$31,080.00

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Church of Sengkang

Is called by God to be *welcoming* and
prayerful community filled with and
led by the **HOLY SPIRIT**

THE SUNDAY TIMES

SUNDAY SERVICE TIME:

21th March 2010

10.30am to 12.30pm

Our 1st Annual Bible Camp 14 Mar – 17 Mar 2010

Examine yourselves to see whether you are in the faith;
test yourselves. Do you not realize that Christ Jesus is in
you--unless, of course, you fail the test?
2 Corinthians 13:5

A DISCIPLE OF CHRIST...

Following

Jesus

Everywhere All The Way



"Leadership Transition Is In Place & In Process"

I have attended many bible camps before, but this is my first
time attending a bible camp where the camp committee
members are very young, even the Chairman is a YOUNG
MAN!!

I am very encouraged by the passion that Church of Sengkang
has for God. They served God wholeheartedly. I am very
ministered by the worship service. God is good all the time.
All glory to God.

I am _____ Karen Ng _____, *disciple of Christ*

To Our Gracious God and Lovingly Heavenly Father for enabling us to have our First Bible Camp from March 14 - 17, 2010

Thank you, Church of Sengkang's 2010 1st Annual Bible Camp Committee Members!

Three cheers for these members who have stepped up to offer their time, expertise and experience, share their ideas and just lending a helping hand by serving in this Committee. We know how busy all of you are holding on to a full time job, and for all of you to take this on really speaks of your character. These members work tirelessly behind the scenes and played crucial roles in making our first bible camp a resounding success.

Planning and implementation are key elements for a successful camp. All of you went above and beyond the call of duty by adding camp related responsibilities to your existing roles in the Church. May our good Lord reward all of you according to His riches in Christ Jesus. Beloved, join us in applauding their efforts and thank them for serving our Lord in Church of Sengkang

Here are Church of Sengkang's 2010 1st Annual Bible Camp Committee Members!

Chairman	Bro Justyn Lim
Vice-Chairman	Sis Vanessa Chong
Secretary	Sis Amelia Chong
Treasurer	Sis Sandy Tan
Logistics	Bro Ezekiel Wong Bro Aloysius Chan
Music	Sis Vanessa Chong Bro Ezekiel Wong
F & B	Sis Angeline Tan
Multi-media	Sis Joann Tan
Publicity	Sis Mei Chan
First Aider	Sis Cynthia Yip
Advisor	Sis Lay Sim

Special thanks to

Bro Ricky Tan for his contribution on all our sermon text translation and camp booklets,
Bro Larry Eio for his videotaping for the entire 3 nights and 4 days camp at the resort and
Bro Caleb Tan for his "muscle power" assistance in the logistics

With Great Thankfulness to Our Gracious God,
Pastor David Kerk

Speaker: Pastor David Kerk

Title of Message:
Following Jesus Everywhere (All The Way)
Running For A CROWN that LASTS

Scripture Text: 1 Corinthians 9:24 -
1 Corinthians 10:1-11
Everyone who competes in the games goes into strict training. They do it to get a crown that will **NOT** last, **BUT** we do to get a crown that will **LAST** forever.

Introduction:

A Christian/Disciple is the most free lord of all, subject to none. A Christian/ Disciple is also the most Dutiful servant of all - Martin Luther. All **TRUE** Disciples have to live with this apparent contradiction. And we are bound to have problems as we try to reconcile the two halves of that statement.

When it came to Preaching The Gospel, Apostle Paul had no freedom of choice whatsoever (**v16**); he had to do it; it was an obligation, committed to him by His Lord. It didn't get Paul out of trouble; there were even some who criticized him for not claiming his rights (**v3**). The Christian Leader is often in a "no win" situation, where the only thing that sustains him in the end is his own inner Integrity before God.

Apostle Paul used the games of boxing and the sports of running to stay on track **Following Jesus Everywhere (All The Way)**

Main Points:

1. Need of SELF-DISCIPLINE

1 Corinthians 9:24 Do you not know that in a race all the runners run, **BUT ONLY** one gets the prize? **RUN** in such a way to get the Prize.

1:1 Apostle Paul urged us **NOT** to Fall Out of this **RACE**, **NOT** even at the last hurdle because all who Finish the **RACE** are Winners. Winner Takes It All

1:2 To Finish the **RACE** - Keep **CLOSE** to **HIM** till the end.

1:3 Why Self-Discipline? : Many Self-Indulgence - lust of the flesh, lust of the eye & pride of life

2. Need of PERSEVERANCE

1 Corinthians 9:27 No, I **BEAT** my body and make it my slave so that after I have Preached to others, I myself will **NOT** be disqualified for the prize

2:1 "Disqualified for the Prize" - Greek word adokimos means "failing the test" or "Being Rejected"

2:2 Why We Fail to Get the Prize?
2:2:1 Stop self-discipline : indulge in lust of the flesh, eye & pride

2:2:2 Lack of Perseverance : Hardship in Running the Race

2:3 Going Gets Tough, Tough Gets Going

2:3:1 We Need To Persevere - Tough Times Don't Last, Tough People Will Last

2:3:2 We Need To Obey - No Short Cut To Glory

2:3:3 We Need To Hold On - To Jesus (Our Author & Finisher of our Faith : **Hebrews 12:2**)

3. Need of REMINDER

1 Corinthians 10:1,6 & 11 For I do **NOT** want you to be ignorant of the fact, brothers, that our forefathers were all under the cloud and they all passed the sea. (**v1**) Now these things occurred as examples to keep us from setting our hearts on evil things as they did (**v6**)

These things happened to them as examples and were written down as warnings for us, on whom the fulfillment of the ages has come.

3:1 God Was Uniquely **NEAR** To Them - When They **NEEDED HELP**

3:2 They Enjoyed God's Abundance & Protection

3:3 God Sustained Them With Life-Giving Water Out of the rock

3:4 **BUT**, They **TURNED** aside to Idolatry & Met Their Fate

Reflection on This Message

Our accomplishments, achievements & assets will all fade away and we can turn from hero to zero. In this discipleship journey, only those things we do in our Lord will count for eternity. Jesus wants us **FOLLOW HIM** all the way. It is **NOT** an easy and smooth journey because there will be humps, potholes, mirages and even barricades to overcome. That's why there are comebacks and upsets in **FOLLOWING** our Lord. However, **HE** Promises to be with us. Even those whose hearts that are Far Away from **HIM** can make a ComeBack to **HIM** and to Church of Sengkang. **WE** all have a destiny in **HIM** and we got To **DECIDE!**



Sis. Solidad

“I’m really really really blessed! I love this church. It’s really a blessing to be in COSK. I feel really touched by the praise & worship, it has touched my heart and my family. I feel the love, the encouragement it’s just AMAZING! It’s a LOVE church. This camp has changed my life! I am recharged, rejuvenated by the power of God. If the lord is willing, we will come back again next year!”



Bro. Dwaine

“This church is an exciting place to be. One word of encouragement from the book of Ezra: Go up and build. Let’s keep praying for open heaven and that the spirit of God will have to freedom to move through you. Keep your eyes for the opportunities God has given you. I am excited to be in this camp! God is in control. I believe in the expansion of this church. God wants you to go out and build!”



Sis. Sharon

“This is a pretty experience for me! I thank God for blessing me in this camp. I am touched by the songs, even the Chinese songs. I want to encourage everyone to continue to be hungry, yielding and thirsty for God. He wants to do more for you. I want to challenge the young people, Don’t be afraid to stand for God. Establish your ground for God. He will NEVER LEAVE you. Continue shining!”



Sis Judy

“I am touched by Frankie’s prophecy. God will supply all our needs. We must not look back at the past! Focus on now! I thank Church of Sengkang for this camp!”



Sis Doris

Touched By the Spirit!

“I am touched by the song “You alone.” I was in tears that morning when I sang that song. I am touched by the Lord. I haven’t teared in 1 year. Thank God!”



Campers from the Mandarin and English speaking brethren, including the children, youth, and the elderly brethren, came together for a time of fellowship, learning and fun at our very 1st bible camp at Celestial Resort in Pulau Ubin! Those who came included our brother Dwaine & family from Darwin, Australia; Sis Sharon from Laguna, Philippines, as well as Pastor Nicodemus Wang & family. Our brethren from other congregations joined us too. It was a “mountain top” experience for everyone who went.

FOLLOWING JESUS ALL THE WAY



It was raining cats and dogs on Sunday afternoon, just before we were about to set sail to Pulau Ubin. However, the rain dispirited none of us. We waited patiently and prayed hard for the rain to stop and thankfully, the Lord heard our prayers! The boats were also pumped up and ready to set off! All it took was just 20 minutes, and TA-DAH! we were in a heavenly place where the peace, the love and the joy of the Lord lodged.

Upon reaching our destination, we took a siesta followed by a sumptuous buffet-style dinner. Following after was a powerful praise and worship session, which saw many lifting up their hands worshipping the Lord, crying out to him and speaking in tongues. Sis. Sharon shared that she was touched by a few Chinese worship songs and touched by the Holy Spirit. What a great way to start the first day of our bible camp eh? God surely was in our midst!

The second day of the bible camp started as soon as the cock crowed. We gathered in our respective groups for our morning devotion sharing and were assured that God’s plans always lead to victory. No matter what struggles we face, we must focus on being secure in the love of God and trust that we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us! With our prepared hearts and mind, we had another spirit-filled praise and worship session, where Sister Doris Yong was touched by the song “You alone” and cried out to the Lord for the first time.





Soon after was a marathon of discipleship sermons and teachings. First was a sermon by Pastor Robin Yiu on being a fruitful disciple of Christ. This sermon emphasized that only through God's cutting & pruning and our desire to abide in Jesus, then can we be a fruitful disciple of Christ. Second was a short sermon by Pastor David Kerk on the Disciple's vocation, followed by a group discussion through which we were reminded that God can change even the hardest heart and call that person into ministry or a new creation. Third was a sharing by Bro. Roy Tan on the 2nd coming of our Lord and that we are in fact living in the very last hours of our Lord's return. He concluded this sharing with a question, "Are you prepared to receive our Lord?" Last in line was a sermon by Bro. Frankie Yee, an inspirational and motivating speaker who spoke about the transfiguration story of Jesus and God's plan for our salvation. He ended his sermon with Proverbs 4:23- "Guard your heart with all diligence; For out of it are the issues of life."



In between the sermon marathon, we had a fun time of games led by our Chairman and Vice-Chairwoman. Bursts of laughter and radiant smiles filled the room. It was heart-warming to see everyone (the young and the old) enjoying themselves, letting their hair down and playing games with enthusiasm and fire!

Day three, say what? DAY THREE?! Our bible camp was almost coming to an end. The morning began with group devotion, where we spent time reflecting on our heart's attitude towards God. Do we lift him up or do we seek honour for ourselves? This morning devotion taught us to be humble before our Lord, and that we must never take away the glory from our God for He is the real hero.

Similar to day 2, we had another superb praise and worship session, where God's holy presence dwelled amongst us. Shortly after was the final sermon by Pastor Robin Yiu on the self denying, cross bearing follower of Jesus. Our morning ended with Pastor David's sharing on the disciple's relationship with fellow brethren. This was a valuable sharing session as we learnt about righteous anger and unrighteous anger, and how we must never cease to give mercy to others and love our enemies. Thus, we should all think of each other as family in Church of Sengkang! Amen? Amen!



Lunch was at a seafood restaurant located at the other end of Pulau Ubin, where we were served with fresh coconut, lime juice and mouthwatering dishes. Not to mention the yummy chilli crab with fried buns! Aren't we blessed? Eating crabs in a church camp surely is a rare sight, but definitely not in the Church of Sengkang! Praise the Lord for his provision and supply!



The night ended with Bro. Frankie's sermon on overcoming the voice of accusers and focusing on God's glory and grace. In Christ Jesus, all sins have been forgiven and we have been set free. Therefore, we must not mull over the past, but focus on the right things and start to walk in freedom. Shout another Amen? AMEN!

The last day of camp saw us through a succession of testimonies shared by some of our campers, followed by a hearty lunch and fellowship with our brothers and sisters in Christ. Soon before we even know, time was ticking away and we had to bid sayonara to the scenic campsite. We all loaded the boats, bade goodbye to Celestial Resort and vroom-vroom the speed boat sped across the sea, back to Punggol Marina Country Club! All glory and honour be to our God for the success of our very 1st Bible Camp!

*Amelia Chong reporting with Jesus Christ.
Amen? AMEN!*

Reflection by our camp chairman, Bro. Justyn Lim

This was my first time that I was involved in planning a camp, needless to say, a BIBLE CAMP! The planning began way back in the last quarter of 2009. As a Camp Committee chairman, the first task was to bring forth a group of committee members from the handful of youths willing to do the work of God.

With the help of our gorgeous Vice-Chairwoman, Sis Vanessa, we came out with a group of members to be in our planning team. I prayed and seek God's help in assigning the different tasks to these members. And God is so great, all the members were so suitable for their respective roles and responsibilities being assigned to them.

The planning phrase of the camp took us some time to conclude decisions such as the Camp tees, campbooklet's design, camp activities and etc. Many nights were sacrificed by our Brothers and Sisters in the team. Although, there were some hiccups during the planning of the rooms and activities, God is always with us, that eventually He provides us with a smooth sailing camp. As the chairman of the committee, I would like to thank God for the wisdom and strength that He had provided us with. I would also like to extend my thanks to all the speakers, campers and committee members of the camp.

If God is willing, COSK will have a camp each year, and we will grow from strength to strength each year!

"Following Jesus all the way!"
"To God be the Glory!"

*COSK Bible Camp 2010
Camp Committee Chairman
Justyn Lim*

