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What happens a minute before 2.30pm every Saturday?

Pray, Pray & Pray.

That's right!

We step into the House of Prayer to Pray.

I know all of us want to do :- Pray.

Prayer is what we will do when we see a need in the church.

We not only intercede for the many needs of the Church.

Together with Our Lord,
we wage war in the spiritual realms
releasing souls into His Kingdom
through united prayers & thanksgivings.

Read Ezekiel 30:22

Beloved, Come & Experience the Power
of United Prayers.

Our God is searching for someone
who is willing to stand in the gap.

The Lord says in *Isaiah 6:8*

“Whom Shall I send, and who will go for Us?”

Will we response, just as Isaiah did, “Here am I, send me”.

Are you willing to be the watchman that
our God is looking for?

Beloved, you never know what God
can do through your obedience.

Come, Join Him In Prayer.



HOLY SPIRIT FIRE

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

Acts 2:3-4

Registration for Children Camp CLOSSES today.

If you still have not sign up, please do so immediately after Service. Get the form from the office, Sis Ching Ching or Pastor David Kerk.



Calling all secondary & college youth, poly & uni-youth!

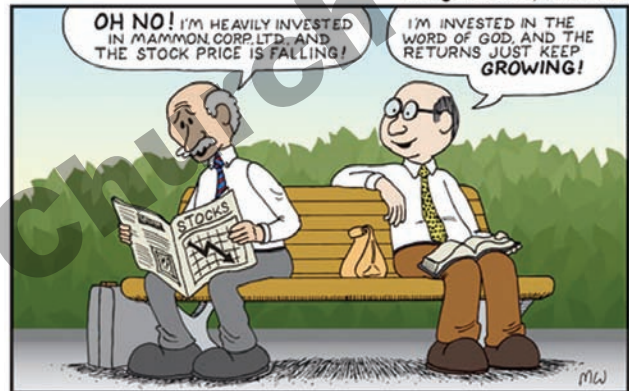
Come and Support our Annual Youth Camp. Get hold of registration form from the office, Sis Ching Ching or Pastor David Kerk.



Those who have accepted Christ as your Savior, please attend the Water Baptism Class today.

INVESTOR

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All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness...

2 Timothy 3:16



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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

9th November 2008

SUNDAY SERVICES TIME: 10.30am to 12.30pm



We are delighted that you have joined us today! We hope you feel welcome and at home with us! At COSengkang, our motto “God Is Love” and is expressed through the various Services and ministries that we have in the Children Ministry, LG Ministry, Music Ministry, Prayer Ministry & Pastoral Ministry.

Each Sunday at 10.30am, we celebrate the greatness and the goodness of God as we worship Him together. We believe with all our hearts that “man’s chief end is to glorify God and to enjoy Him forever”.

Vibrant and praise-filled worship is one of the ways that we can glorify God and to give Him great joy and pleasure.

Enjoy our spontaneous worship. You may be unfamiliar to singing in the Spirit, but you will soon find out it is a way of singing new songs to the Lord (Psalm 40:3).

As we worship, God speaks to us through the preached Word and also through prophecies, so we invite you to come expecting to hear the living God speaks to His people. Better still, come early to join our pre-service prayer at 10.15am.

Sometimes during the Service, the Lord ministers to people as they come to Him for cleansing, healing and empowering. So feel free to reach out to Him in faith and hope! Do speak to our pastoral team or leadership for ministering to your Spirit, soul and body.



Message from Pastor David Kerk



What Keeps a 91 years old elderly Sister with Walking Stick and Wheel Chair Still Serving our Lord?

If there is One word to describe Sis Chionh ma ma. It got to be 'ZEAL'.

• ZEAL Matches LOVE

I recall the words of the late great C.T. Studd, pioneer missionary in China & India & Africa once said, "IF Jesus Christ be God, and died for me, no sacrifice is TOO great for me to make for HIM".

ZEAL in the Service of the Lord matches the greatness of the Lord's Love in our redemption. It's obvious, isn't it? Those of us who have been greatly LOVED should LOVE greatly & SERVE zealously in return. C'mon, there is no way to REPAY God's LOVE other than a ZEAL for HIM.

• Yi Sheng Feng Xian, Yi Sheng Bu Hui Tou

We love to sing "With All My Love" - song No. 90 from COSengkang's Songbook. This song is best to be sung in mandarin. I like the chorus very much (especially in the mandarin language), these words "With all my love, I will worship You. With all my life, glorify Your Name. I give my life, never turn away. I will Love You all my days". Each time this chorus is repeated, my heart beats faster. Each time my heart wavers, my spirit stirs me up on His Great Love for me. IF Jesus has not plucked me from the enemy's hand, I don't know where I will be today?

• Let NOTHING Move You!

Later in that afternoon, as I sat to reflect on Sis Chionh ma ma's journey of grace of salvation I was further challenged with the words of apostle Paul in 1 Corinthians 15:58 "Therefore, my dear brothers, stand firm. Let NOTHING move you. Always give fully to the Work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is NOT In Vain". I got so lifted up knowing God's people are never left without hope, even if it seems that everything around us might have gone wrong. In God's sight all faithful ministry has lasting value, even when humanly it might appear to have been fruitless. Beloved, let us persevere on and never be found less than zealous in living for the Lord we Serve & Love.

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• GLORY of God & GOOD of Souls

One of the marks of a Zealous Disciple of Christ is that he/she is clearheaded and energetic in pursuing the double goal of the Glory of God and the Good of Souls. Just take a look at the story of Nehemiah. He was very mindful of the Glory of God through the rebuilding of the walls of Jerusalem and restoring Godliness in the city of Jerusalem. The walls were down, morale was at rock bottom; God was not being honored in the city of Jerusalem that bore His Name. This pathetic condition drove Nehemiah into deep distress. He & his friends prayed for God to grant mercy and he made up his mind to set things right for the city of Jerusalem. That was the ZEAL in action. ZEAL that was active because Nehemiah was mindful of the Honor of God. Beloved, why should you & I be passionate about SERVING GOD? I can only think of "Christ's LOVE compels me" read 2 Corinthians 5:14. This has been my greatest motivation in SERVING God & LOVING God's people.

Beloved, my prayer has always been "Lord, make me single minded to LOVE You and to LOVE others with Your LOVE and may I LOVE YOU all my days (yi sheng ai ni gen sui ni). In Jesus' Name. Amen.

With All My Love

Pastor David Kerk

Upcoming Events

- ❄ Christmas Eve Evangelistic Meeting
- ❄ Christmas Day Morning Service
- ❄ Co-Workers Dinner & WatchNight Service

Our Collections

Deut. 8:18: "But remember the LORD your God, for it is He who gives you the ability to produce wealth, and so confirms His covenant, which He swore to your forefathers, as it is today."

October 08' Collections	: \$16,114.60
Last week's up to 2nd Nov 08	: \$10,547.50
Church Building Fund	: \$27,080.00

If you are making out a cheque, kindly mark
"Church of Sengkang Ltd".

Today's Sermon

Speaker: **Bro Michael Lim**

Title of Message: **Dare to Care**

Scripture Text : **Nehemiah 1:1-11**

Main Points:

1. Care enough to ask

1:1

1:2

1:3

2. Care enough to weep

2:1

2:2

2:3

3. Care enough to pray

3:1

3:2

3:3

4. Care enough to volunteer

4:1

4:2

4:3

Reflection on this message:

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