

On behalf of the leadership, we say a 'BIG Thank You!' for those who have willingly responded to the "One-Time Offering" and/or Monthly Monetary Pledge towards the Ministry of Extending God's Kingdom to Sengkang/Punggol. If you have NOT sign up the "Monthly Pledge" form, please see sister Sandy Tan

Those who are honouring your monthly monetary pledge, please quote your MP Number on the envelope, if you are unable to remember your Pledge Number please ask sister Sandy Tan. Beloved, we are believing our Lord to Pour down His Overflowing blessings upon you and your family for your Obedience to Him.

谨代表管理层,我们要对那些回应愿意认捐"一次性奉献"及/或"每月宣誓奉献",支持盛港/榜鹅扩展神国事工的说声大感谢。若你还未填写"每月认捐"表格,请找 Sandy Tan 姐妹。

那些奉献每月认捐的,请将你的认捐号码写在信封上,若你不记得号码,请向 Sandy Tan 姐妹查询。蒙福的,因你顺服,我们相信我主将他满溢的福分倾福于你与家人。

### OUR COLLECTIONS 我们的奉献

**2 Corinthians 9:6-7;** Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

哥林多后书9:6-7; 少种的少收,多种的多收。这话是真的。各人要随本心所酌定的,不要作难,不要勉强,因为捐得乐意的人,是神所喜爱的。

April 2011 Collection 四月份奉献:	\$15,228.28
Rental income from tenant (Jan'11 to Apr'11)分租收入(一月至四月一年):	\$12,000.00
May 2011 collection up to 15 May 2011 五月份奉献截至十五日:	\$ 9,015.45
Rental income (May'11) 分租收入(五月一年):	\$ 3,000.00
Pledge collection 宣誓	\$ 6,192.00
Mission Fund 宣教基金	\$ 5,447.00
Church Building Fund 建堂费:	\$36,240.00

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## Church of Sengkang 盛港教会

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

蒙神呼召成为一个被 *圣灵* 充满和引导成为 *受欢迎* 和 *祷告* 的团体

CoskTimes 盛港教会周讯

22th May 2011 二〇一一年五月二十二日

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SUNDAY SERVICE TIME 主日聚会时间: 10.30am to 12.30pm 早上10.30至中午12.30分

Beloved, are you free to meet ME every saturday from 2.30pm to 4.00pm  
I will be there in My HOUSE of PRAYER waiting for you  
I will be watching for you at a distant. Come Meet Me in my House

Your Father Is Calling For You  
God of Abraham, Isaac & Jacob  
Your God



亲爱的,你每周六是否有空见我一面,从2.30pm至4.00pm  
我会我的祷告殿等候着你  
我会在远处观望你。来我家与我见面

你天父正在呼叫你  
亚伯拉罕,以撒及雅各的神  
你的神

## Giving God Your BEST Time Not Monday, Not Tuesday, Not Wednesday, Not Thursday Not Friday..... Saturday Is Best!

**Reason No:1** Battle Belongs To Our Lord But Victory Is Us Christians are not to act from mere emotions, but from settled inward Convictions that are the result of Diligent PRAYER and Study of the Word. There would be no serious disagreements if everyone of us acted from Convictions. Someone had said that Opinions are What We Hold, while Convictions are What Hold Us. Most spiritual brethren will agree with me the PRAYER Discipline Must hold our soul and spirit if we want to enjoy victory in our walk with Jesus.

**Reason No: 2** Down On Your Knees To Experience Life's Victory E.M. Bounds, in his book "Power Through Prayer" writes "The men who have done the most for God in this world have been early on their knees. He who fritters away the Early Morning, its opportunity and freshness, in other pursuits than Seeking God will make poor headway seeking Him the rest of the day"

**Reason No: 3** Our LORD Hears Our Requests Psalm 5:3 said " In the morning, O LORD, you Hear my voice; in the morning I lay my requests before you and wait in expectation." Beloved, there is a particular power at work in the heavenly realm when the people of God AGREE Together ( And that can mean just Two People, says Jesus in Matthew 18:19)

**Reason No: 4** God's People In ONE Heart & Mind In Acts 4 records a situation which bonded the disciples closely together. When the disciples were UNITED in ONE Heart & Mind, the place where they were meeting was Shaken. Beloved, every saturday from 2.30pm to 4.00pm we Gather Together With Our Lord "to shake Sengkang/Punggol" with Prayers for souls to come into the saving knowledge of our Lord & Savior Jesus.

献给神你最好的时间  
不是周一, 不是周二, 不是周三, 不是周四,  
不是周五。。。。周六最好!

理由第一 征战属于我主但胜利属于我们基督徒不应感情用事, 反倒从心而发。认罪乃是殷勤祷告和查经的成果。若我们每个人出自内心认罪地处事, 就不会有严重的不认同。有人说过, 意见使我们坚持, 然而, 认罪却使我们团结。许多属灵的主内们都能够与我认同, 若我们要得胜地与耶稣同行, 那么祷告的纪律必须维系我们的魂与灵。

理由第二 屈膝将经历得胜的生命E. M. Bounds, 在他的著作 "祷告的大能" 写到 "世上为神成就多事工的人都早晨屈膝。若不趁清晨, 机会和清新寻求神, 反倒去追求其他, 接下来的日子将不顺利而必须一生寻求神。

理由第三 我主垂听我们的祈求 诗篇5:3 said " 耶和華啊, 早晨你必听我的声音, 早晨我必向你陈明我的心意, 并要警醒。" 亲爱的, 当神的百姓同心同意, 属灵界就有一股力量在运行。( 耶稣在 马太18:19说, 这可以是两个人)

理由第四 神的百姓一心一意 使徒4 记载门徒们紧紧相连的一种情况。当门徒们一心一意, 他们所处的地方震动。亲爱的, 每周六从2.30pm 至 4.00pm我们一起与我主聚集 "震动盛港/榜鹅" 祷告灵魂来认识我主和救主耶稣。

Beloved Hokkien/Mandarin Christian "pengs"  
亲爱的福建/华文基督徒 "兵"

轻轻听我要轻轻听

Khin khin thia\* goa beh khin khin tia\*

我的耳要听主的声

goa e hi beh thia\* chu e sia\*

轻轻听他在轻轻听

Khin khin thia\* I ti khin khin thia\*

我的牧人认得我的声

Goa e bok jin lin tek goa e sia\*

\*祂是大牧者生命的主宰

I si toa bok chia si mia\* e chu chai

我一生只听我主的声

Goa it seng chi thia\* goa Chu e sia\*

祂是大牧者生命的主宰

I si toa bok chia si mia\* e chi chai

祂的羊会听祂的声

I e iu e thia\* I e sia\*

一生不回头

Ah Huat, Ah Neo & Ah Seng

阿发, 阿梁 和 阿成

### Hokkien Christian "PENGs"/Soldiers Ah Huat, Ah Neo, Ah Seng, Ah Heng, Ah Leng Ah Chye, Ah Szeyah & Ah Tinn Invaded Punggol Central Block 601 last Sunday and TODAY block 602A-C.

It isn't enough to talk about Burden for the Hokkien/Mandarin souls.

We must PRAY for these many souls in Sengkang/Punggol. It isn't enough to Just PRAY for the Hokkien/Mandarin speaking brethren. We must Act on our Prayers by sending them out "House To House Preaching". So, last sunday after the Hokkien/Mandarin, these hokkien "pengs" put on their "Marching Boots" marched into Punggol Central, Block 601A-601B

**TODAY**, after our Hokkien/Mandarin Service, this platoon of Hokkien Christian "pengs" are having another "road march" to Punggol Central Block 602A-602C to be led by our Platoon Commander Ah Huat.

Calling all the Ah Neo, Ah Seng, Ah Leng, Ah Chye, Ah Szeyah, Ah Tinn, Ah Mui, Ah Kim, Ah Choo, Ah Hoon, Ah Huay to fall in by 2.30pm for Prayer, 3.00pm for Praise, 3.30pm to hear what Ah Huat got to say of "What Is Christian Tradition vs Hypocrisy" and by 4.30pm, the whole platoon will charge into Punggol Central.



### 福建基督徒 "兵" /兵士们 阿发, 阿梁, 阿成, 阿兴, 阿龙, 阿财, 阿思雅 和 阿庭?? 上周入侵榜鹅中心601,今天601A-C

单单讲述对福建/华文的灵魂还是不够的。

我们必须为盛港/榜鹅的 这许多灵魂祷告。单单为这些讲福建/华文的主内祷告还是不够。

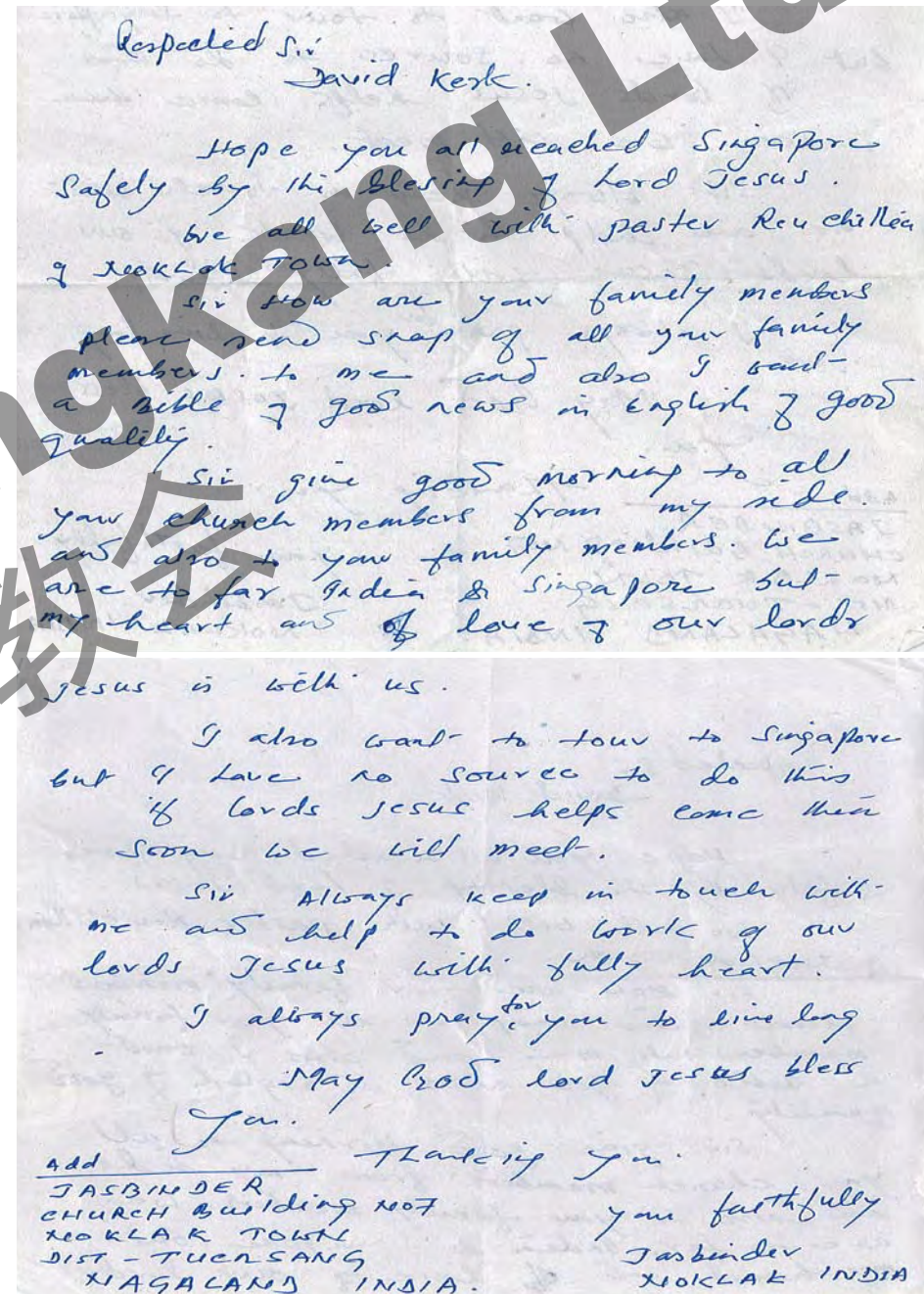
我们必须将祷告付诸于行动, 差派他们出去 "逐家传福音"。所以, 上周日的福建/华文聚会过后, 这些福建 "明" 穿上他们 "操兵鞋" 迈进榜鹅中心, 大牌601A-601B

今天, 我们的福建/华文聚会过后, 这队福建基督"明" 将有下一段 "路操" 迈进榜鹅中心大牌 602A-602C

领头的是我们的队司令官阿发。

呼叫所有阿梁, 阿成, 阿龙, 阿财, 阿思雅, 阿Tinn, 阿梅, 阿金, 阿珠, 阿云, 阿花 全部于2.30pm就绪祷告, 3.00pm 赞美敬拜, 3.30pm 听阿发讲 "什么是传统基督徒 抗衡 假冒为善" 及 4.30pm 全队迈进榜鹅中心。

### Letter from Bro Jasbinder Singh from Naklak Town, Nagaland I Want a Good News Bible Jasbinder Singh



Noklak镇, 纳戈兰, Jasbinder Singh 弟兄的书信  
我要一本好消息圣经  
Jasbinder Singh

尊敬的大卫牧师,  
靠着主耶稣的祝福, 希望你们都安全抵达新加坡。  
我们与Noklak 镇的Chillia 牧师都平安。

先生, 您家里人可好。请将所有家人的照片寄来给我, 我也要一本质地好的好消息圣经。  
先生, 向你教会的所有教友及家人问候早安。虽然印度与新加坡离得远, 但我心充满主的爱, 因耶稣与我们大家同在。  
我也想到新加坡一游, 但我没有资源。若主耶稣帮助我们很快就可见面。

先生, 请与我保持联系, 协助全心做主耶稣的事工。  
我常为你得长寿祷告。愿神主耶稣祝福你。

感谢你  
诚心的,  
Jasbinder Singh  
Noklak, 印度

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纳戈兰, 印度

**Our First Official Cosk Publication  
Rainbow of Life**

*In conjunction with our 4th Anniversary Celebration, we are producing a book on a collection of the Wonderful Works of our Lord in the lives of our brethren and the ministry of Church of Sengkang since our First Sunday Service in August 2007.*

*Do submit your personal testimony to Sis Jane Aw, Ps Wang or Ps David Kerk. Your written testimony should reach us by 15/7/2011.*

我们首个正式盛港教会刊物  
生命的彩虹

为我们的四周年庆会, 我们将出版一本收集了无数弟兄姐妹见证主自8月2007年, 在他们生命中及在盛港教会事工上的奇妙作为。

请呈交你的个人见证给Jane Aw姐妹, 王牧师或郭牧师。你书写的见证应于15/7/2011提交。

**Mission Trip to Pinghe**  
**November 7 to 16, 2011**  
平和宣教 11月7至16日

Registration is now open. Please sign up with Sis Jane Aw. Estimated cost is \$900 depending on the price of a two-way air ticket to Xiamen. More details on mission trip will be released in the coming weeks.

Who should Go?

- (1) A heart passionate for souls
- (2) A heart willing to be a blessing
- (3) A heart wanting to sing for our Lord
- (4) A good understanding of Hokkien & Mandarin
- (5) A willing heart to share in Hokkien Or Mandarin

报名已经开始。请向 Jane Aw 姐妹报名。估计费用\$900, 费用要依赖厦门来回飞机票票价而定。详情将刊于接下来的周讯。

谁该去?

- (1) 对灵魂火热的心
- (2) 愿意成为他人祝福的心
- (3) 要为主歌的心
- (4) 明白福建或华文
- (5) 愿意以福建或华文分享的心



# BIRTHDAY BOYS & GIRL ON LAST SUNDAY 上星期的寿星们



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3. 1 这是埋怨神的罪。他们的违背就是忤逆。我们何尝不是常质问神的智慧，祂的道路和祂的旨意。我们何尝不因祂的作为而心生苦毒。

4. 属灵堕落的斑白头发  
我们为何不自觉？

4. 1 我们拒绝承认！

哥前11: 28 自己省察  
哥后13: 5 岂不知你们。。。

4. 2 我们不照镜子

诗篇119: 18 求你开我的眼睛

4. 3 我们不听敬虔的劝告

- 从神安置的领袖
- 从敬虔的主内
- 从祂的话语

**反思:**  
你是否作了一些伤父神心的事。今天，你心的状况是如何？省察你自己的心，看看有否任何邪恶得罪神的没有？

一般上，巴仙率是指我们能学存的。  
若作笔记，你能更明白和记忆更多。

## 今日讲章

讲员: 郭金猷主任牧师

讲题: 属灵堕落的实证

经文: 何西阿7:9

外帮人吞吃他劳力得来的，他却不知道，头发斑白，他也不觉得。

简洁:

无论我们与主同行有多深，我们在恩典中有多成熟，我们永远需要何西阿这番严肃的警告。

我们所面对的问题是：我们是否在灵里斑白？因斑白头发指生命的堕落。我们属灵的生命或经历是否正面临任何堕落？

属灵堕落常常从内在开始。一个经典的圣经例子闻名的浪子故事。阅路加15: 11-32。

那浪子远在离家之前，就已经在心中和思想上决定要离家。这浪子是从心而发的。心中所想之事，即是心所决定之事。

头发是服权柄的记号：哥前11: 10。头发给与我们遮盖：哥前11: 15，乃是保护与荣耀。

1. 属灵奸淫的斑白头发

何西阿7: 4 他们都是行淫的，像火炉被烤饼的烧热，从抻面到发面的时候，暂不使火着旺。

1. 1 一而再地，何西阿将神不忠心的百姓比喻作行淫者。他们不全心爱神，反倒同时爱别神。他们的爱恋没有自律且不专一。可否如此比喻你和我？

1. 2 神对你一直信实：他赐你心所渴慕的。你是否让祂成为你心所渴慕的？

1. 3 神借贷我们1天24小时 或 1星期168小时。祂要求你回馈6小时是否过分？

2. 无祷告的斑白头发

何西阿7: 7。。。无一人求告我

2. 1 这肯定是所有属灵堕落的根本原因，而这也是堕落的开始的铁证。何等轻易地，在忙碌的生活中，甚至侍奉主的当儿，我们允许祷告与主交通的时间被挤出去。

2. 2 我们是否也犯了同样的罪？我们是否也有这无祷告的“斑白头发”。

2. 3 我们是否失去了这“祷告的气息”？你自己最清楚！

2. 4 神对我们要求是否太过分？你是否可1星期回馈1个半小时给祂，来到祂的祷告殿求告祂。

3. 违背的斑白头发

何西阿7: 13 他们因离弃我，必定有祸，因违背我，必定被毁灭，我虽要救赎他们，他们却向我说谎。

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## TODAY'S SERMON

**Speaker:** Senior Pastor David Kerk

**Title of Message:** Evidences of Spiritual Decline

**Scripture Text** Hosea 7:9 (NLT)

Worshipping foreign gods has sapped their strength, but they **DON'T** Even **KNOW** it. Their hair is **GRAY**, but they **DON'T** Realize they're **OLD & Weak**.

### Introduction

However far we may have advanced in our Walk With our Lord & however much we have Grown In Grace, we always need to heed to this solemn warning through Prophet Hosea

The question before us is: Are we Going **GRAY** spiritually? For **GRAY** hairs speak of the Decline of Life. Is there any decline in our Spiritual Life & Experience?

Spiritual Decline always begin inwardly. A classic biblical example is that of the Prodigal son from this well-known parable. Read **Luke 15:11-32**.

Long before that Prodigal son left his Father's home, he has determined in his heart & mind to leave Home. He was Prodigal in his **HEART**. The Heart of the matter is a Matter of the **HEART**.

Hair is a symbol of being Under Authority: **1 Cor 11:10**. Hair is given for a Covering: **1 Cor 11:15** picture of Protection \$ Glory

### 1: GRAY Hair of Spiritual Adultery

**Hosea 7:4** They are **ALL** Adulterers, burning like an oven whose fire the baker need not stir from the kneading of the dough till it rises

1:1 Over and over again, Hosea likened God's Unfaithful People to Adulterers. Instead of Loving God with all their heart, they loved other God's as well. Their affections were uncontrolled & Divided. Can that be said of you & I?

1:2 God Has Faithful to You: He has Grant you your desires. Have You Make Him your Desire?

1:3 God Has Loaned 24 hours a day or 168 hours a week. Is it too much for you to **RETURN** 6 hours back to HIM ?

### 2: GRAY Hair of Prayerlessness

**Hosea 7:7** ....none of them CALL on ME

2:1 This surely is the fundamental cause of All Spiritual Decline, and it is the One certain evidence that a Decline has set in. How easy it is in the midst of a busy life, and even in the midst of service for the Lord, to allow PRAYER & Communion with Him to be crowded out.

2:2 Are we guilty of committing this sin? Have we this 'GRAY Hair' of Prayerlessness.

2:3 Have we lost this 'BREATH of Prayer'? You know Best!

2:4 Is our God asking too much from us? Can you RETURN Just one and half hours a week to CALL on Him in His House of Prayer.

### 3: GRAY Hair of Rebellion

**Hosea 7:13** Woe to them, because they have strayed from ME! Destruction to them, because they have **REBELLED** against Me

3:1. This is the sin of complaining against God. Their essence of Rebellion is Disobedience. How often we question God's Wisdom & His Ways and His Will. We even become Bitter over His Dealings with them

### 4: GRAY Hair of Spiritual Decline: Why We Are Unaware?

4:1. We Do **NOT** Admit!

- **1Cor 11:28** Self examination

- **2Cor 13:5** see whether you...

4:2. We Do **NOT** Look at the Mirror

- **Ps 119:18** open my eyes

4:3. We Do **NOT** Listen to Godly Advices

- from appointed leadership

- from fellow godly brethren

- from His Word

- from the Spirit

### Reflection

Is there anything you're doing that has broken the **HEART** of your Father. How is the condition of your **HEART** today? Search your own heart and see if there is any wicked ways that are offensive to your **LORD**.

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