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3rd Sunday of Easter

BB Enrolment Sunday

May 4, 2025

***"Be reverent, for this is the house of the Lord.
Before the service, speak to God.
During the service, let God speak to you.
"After the service, speak to one another at the fellowship area."***

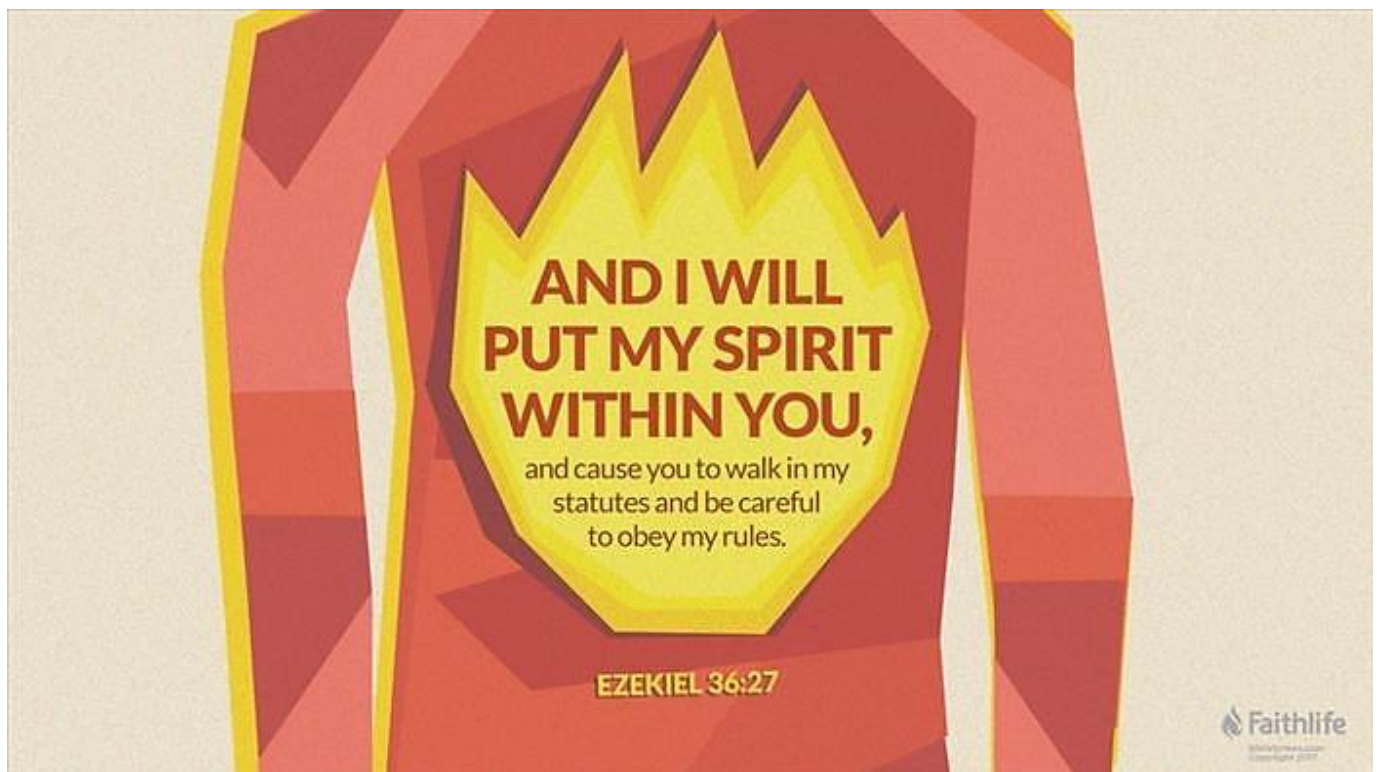


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Our Vision

Nurturing Disciples to be a Spirit-filled, Impactful Church

The 4 Essentials

***Personal Growth, Building Community,
A Voice to Our Nation, A Vision for the World***

OPENING SONG

Will Your Anchor Hold

Will your anchor hold in the storms of life
When the clouds unfold their wings of strife?
When the strong tides lift and the cables strain
Will your anchor drift or firm remain?

*We have an anchor that keeps the soul
Steadfast and sure while the billows roll
Fastened to the Rock which cannot move
Grounded firm and deep in the Saviour's love*

Will your anchor hold in the straits of fear
When the breakers roar and the reef is near?
While the surges rave and the wild winds blow
Shall the angry waves then your bark overflow?

Will your eyes behold through the morning light
The city of gold and the harbour bright?
Will you anchor safe by the heavenly shore
When life's storms are past for evermore?

SCRIPTURE SENTENCE

"Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for His compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness."

Lamentations 3:22-23, NIV

***CALL TO WORSHIP** (*Responsively*)

L: When we are confused

P: Lord, give us peace.

L: When we are afraid

P: Lord, give us peace.

L: When we are lost in grief

P: Lord, give us peace.

All: O God, meet us in this place and grant us peace! Amen.

***OPENING PRAYER**

***ACTS OF PRAISE**

Majestic

O Lord, our Lord
How majestic is Your name
In all the earth
O Lord, our Lord
How majestic is Your name
In all the earth

*The heavens declare Your greatness
The oceans cry out to You
The mountains they bow down before You
So, I'll join with the earth
And I'll give my praise to You*

I will worship You, I will worship You
I will worship You, I will worship You
We will worship You
We will worship You

*The heavens declare Your greatness
The oceans cry out to You
The mountains they bow down before You
So, I'll join with the earth and I'll sing
The heavens declare Your greatness
The oceans cry out to You
The mountains they bow down before You
So, I'll join with the earth
And I'll give my praise to You*

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Our God Saves

In the name of the Father
In the name of the Son
In the name of the Spirit
Lord, we come
We're gathered together
To lift up Your name
To call on our Saviour
To fall on Your grace

Hear the joyful sound of our offering
As Your saints bow down
As Your people sing
We will rise with You lifted on Your wings
And the world will see that

Our God saves, our God saves
There is hope in Your name
Mourning turns to songs of praise
Our God saves
Our God saves

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Goodness Of God

I love You, Lord
Oh, Your mercy never fails me
All my days, I've been held in Your hands
From the moment that I wake up
Until I lay my head
I will sing of the goodness of God

*All my life, You have been faithful
All my life, You have been so, so good
With every breath that I am able
I will sing of the goodness of God*

I love Your voice
You have led me through the fire
In darkest night, You are close like no other
I've known You as a Father
I've known You as a Friend
I have lived in the goodness of God

Your goodness is running after
It's running after me *(repeat)*
With my life laid down, I'm surrendered now
I give You everything
Your goodness is running after
It's running after me

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I Speak Jesus

I just want to speak the Name of Jesus
Over every heart and every mind
'Cause I know there is peace within Your presence
I speak Jesus

I just want to speak the Name of Jesus
'Til every dark addiction starts to break
Declaring there is hope and there is freedom
I speak Jesus

*('Cause) Your Name is power
Your Name is healing, Your Name is life
Break every stronghold
Shine through the shadows, burn like a fire*

I just want to speak the Name of Jesus
Over fear and all anxiety
To every soul held captive by depression
I speak Jesus

Shout Jesus from the mountains
Jesus in the streets
Jesus in the darkness
Over every enemy
Jesus for my family
I speak the holy Name Jesus

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PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

1. Pray for the election process of the next Pope of the Roman Catholic Church, due to start on May 7. Pray for the candidate of God's choosing to be elected - that Christlike character is valued over any other qualification.
2. Pray for Malaysia and the victims of the many scam cases happening regularly. Pray against greed and exploitation.
3. Pray for Penang Trinity's 1st Boys' Brigade Company. Pray for the Kingdom of Christ to advance to and through all involved - officers, helpers, and members alike.
4. Pray for ourselves, that we would be filled with the Holy Spirit daily.

E-OFFERING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

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for online transfers.*

***DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him, all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son & Holy Ghost. Amen.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CHILDREN'S DISMISSAL

(...Those leaving for their Sunday School Classes will stand...)

Pastor: Praise the Lord. Give thanks to the Lord.

Children: For He is good, and His love endures forever.

People: The Lord be with you.

Children: And also with you.

BB DEDICATION AND ENROLMENT

SCRIPTURE READING Ezekiel 36:25-27

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

HOLY COMMUNION

***CLOSING SONG**

Way Maker

You are here moving in our midst
I worship you, I worship you
You are here working in this place
I worship you, I worship you

That is who you are
That is who you are
That is who you are
That is who you are

*(You are) Way Maker
Miracle Worker
Promise Keeper
Light in the darkness
My God, That is who you are*

Even when I don't see it You're working
Even when I don't feel it You're working
You never stop, You never stop working
You never stop, You never stop working

You are here touching every heart
I worship you, I worship you
You are here healing every heart
I worship you, I worship you

That is who you are
That is who you are
That is who you are
That is who you are

You are here turning lives around
I worship you, I worship you
You are here mending every heart
I worship you, I worship you

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***BENEDICTION**

***THREE-FOLD AMEN**

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OPENING PRAYER**OPENING SONG**

This is the Day

UMH 657

This is the day, this is the day
That the Lord hath made
That the Lord hath made
We will rejoice, we will rejoice
And be glad in it
And be glad in it

This is the day
That the Lord hath made
We will rejoice and be glad in it
This is the day
This is the day
That the Lord hath made
(x3)

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"This is the Day" words & music by Les Garrett

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Sweet hour of prayer! Sweet hour of prayer!
That calls me from a world of care
And bids me at my Father's throne
Make all my wants and wishes known
In seasons of distress and grief
My soul has often found relief
And oft escaped the tempter's snare
By thy return, sweet hour of prayer!

Sweet hour of prayer! Sweet hour of prayer!
The joys I feel, the bliss I share
Of those whose anxious spirits burn
With strong desires for thy return!

With such I hasten to the place
Where God my Saviour shows His face
And gladly take my station there
And wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer!

Sweet hour of prayer! Sweet hour of prayer!
Thy wings shall my petition bear
To Him whose truth and faithfulness
Engage the waiting soul to bless
And since He bids me seek His face
Believe His word, and trust His grace
I'll cast on Him my every care
And wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer!

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***DOXOLOGY**

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Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son & Holy Ghost. Amen.

SONG OF PREPARATION

Spirit of the Living God

UMH 393

Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me
Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me
Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me
(x2)

CCLI Song # 23488

"Spirit of the Living God" words & music by Daniel Iverson

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SCRIPTURE READING

Ezekiel 36:25-27

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Looking Forward to God Every Day

Rev Shearn Sya

HOLY COMMUNION

***CLOSING SONG**

Spirit Song

UMH 347

Oh, let the Son of God enfold you
With His Spirit and His love
Let Him fill your heart and satisfy your soul
Oh, let Him have those things that hold you
And His Spirit like a dove
Will descend upon your life and make you whole

Jesus, oh Jesus, Come and fill Your lambs (repeat)

Oh, come and sing this song with gladness
As your hearts are filled with joy
Lift your hands in sweet surrender to His name
Oh, give Him all your tears and sadness
Give Him all your years of pain
And you'll enter into life in Jesus' name

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***BENEDICTION**

***THREE-FOLD AMEN**

Today's WORSHIP ENABLERS

	<u>10.00 am Service</u>	<u>5.00 pm Service</u>
Sermon Title/Text	Looking Forward to God Every Day (Ezekiel 36:25-27)	Looking Forward to God Every Day (Ezekiel 36:25-27)
Preacher	Rev Shearn Sya	Rev Shearn Sya
Liturgist	n/a	Mr Lim Lai Keat
Worship Leaders	Ms Alanis Yeoh, Ms Christabelle Ng Ms Ruth Chua	n/a
Reader	Mr Brian Chua	Dr Mallise Tong
Musicians	Mr Caleb Chua, Mr Daniel Liew Mr Johannes Pon	Mrs Angela Yoon
Sound	Mr Mark Chieng	Mr Andrew Lee
Visual	Mr Christopher Ng, Mr Calvin Fong	Mrs Esther Wong
Streaming	Mr Timothy Teh, Mr Shane Tan	n/a
Ushers	Mdm Aileen Tan, Ms Emmy Chia Mrs Sally Loh, Ms Wong Siew Eng Pvt Brian Khoo, Pvt Hosea Yeoh Pvt Joshua Leung, Pvt Low Hao Ting Pvt Amanda Choong, Mr Zac Nathanael	Mr Tony Teh Mrs Connie Lim
Finance Stewards	Ms Liew Chin Yee, Mr Khoo Boo Thye	n/a

Next Sunday's WORSHIP ENABLERS

	<u>10.00 am Service</u>	<u>5.00 pm Service</u>
Sermon Title/Text	Jochebed's Window (Exodus 2:1-10)	Jochebed's Window (Exodus 2:1-10)
Preacher	Mrs Kok Wei Wenn	Mrs Kok Wei Wenn
Liturgist	n/a	Mrs Esther Wong
Worship Leaders	Mr Amos Lau, Ms Cheah Yan Li	n/a
Reader	Ms Clarissa Hii	Ms Vanessa Goh
Musicians	Ms Michi Ong, Ms Rachel Lee Mr Amos Lau, Mr Tairven Lee, Mr Edwin Oon	TBC
Sound	Mr Daniel Purba	Mr Andrew Lee
Visual	Mr Calvin Fong	Mr Joshua Timothy
Streaming	Mr Christopher Ng, Mr Shane Tan	n/a
Ushers	Mr Cheong Kum Loong, Mr Khoo Boo Thye Ms Tan Yu Ai, Ms Wong Choon Moi Mr Lawrence Hii, Mr Samuel Lee Mr Lee Wei Bin	Dr Goh Yoke Seng Dr Mah Chiou-Fen
Finance Stewards	Ms Cheong Sau Chan Mr Yeo Hwang Seng	n/a

WEEKLY MINISTRIES & ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY

- 10.00am Worship Service in English
Church School
- 12.00pm Sungai Ara II Small Group –
Jason Chieng
- 1.30pm Methodist Youth Fellowship
- 1.30pm Young Families 1 Small Group –
Tairven Lee
Young Families 2 – James Hii
Post Alpha Small Group
- 3.00pm Boys' Brigade

MONDAY

- 10.00am Tanjung Bungah Small Group –
Chan Chen Weng
- 8.00pm Lighthouse Watchmen Prayer Network
(LWPN), Bayan Lepas – Teng Leong

TUESDAY

- 7.00pm Young Adults III Small Group –
Gerviene Sya

WEDNESDAY

- 10.00am Line Dancing
Wednesday Small Group –
Tan Saw Lee (1st & 3rd Wed)
- 11.00am Church Office Staff Meeting
- 3.00pm Galilee Kopitiam (2nd & 4th Wed)

THURSDAY

- 10.00am Island Glades Small Group –
Tan Kok Huat (2nd & 4th)
- 9.00pm Tree Residency Small Group
– Jesse Ong

FRIDAY

- Small Groups:
- 2.45pm Cheeseman Rd (Bethel) – Loo Li Lin
- 8.30pm Young Adults I – Seah Por Shen
Taman Sri Nibong – Chiang Kai Choo
Permai Village I – Ooi Lay Chen

SATURDAY

- 10.00am Church Prayer Meeting –
<http://bit.ly/tmcprayer>
- 10:30am Permai Village Small Group –
Daniel Teh
- 1:30pm Alzheimer's Caregivers Support Group
- Small Groups:
- 2.00pm Century Garden – Lim Lim Ling
- 8.30pm Sungai Ara I – Low Sheek Yin (fortnightly)

WEEKLY PRAYER

World

- Pray that as the Roman Catholic Church begins the election process for the next Pope on May 7, God's divine wisdom will prevail. Pray that the College of Cardinals will be led by the Holy Spirit to elect a leader who reflects Christ's humility, compassion, and truth. Pray also, that the new Pope will serve with integrity, unity, and a deep desire to shepherd God's people globally.

Nation

- Pray for Malaysia as the nation grapples with a rise in scam cases. Pray for protection over all citizens, especially the vulnerable, from falling victim to deceit and exploitation. Pray against the spirit of greed and dishonesty that fuels such crimes, and for our authorities to act decisively and justly to curb these activities. Pray also, for healing and justice for all who have been affected.

Church

- Pray for the 1st Penang Company of the Boys' Brigade in Penang Trinity. Pray that every officer, helper, and member will grow in their faith and devotion to Christ. Pray that through their fellowship and service, the Kingdom of God will be planted deeply in their hearts and shared boldly in their communities. Pray also, for unity, guidance, and a strong sense of purpose in their ministry.

Self

- Pray that we will seek to be filled daily with the Holy Spirit, allowing His presence to guide our decisions, words, and actions. Pray that we will grow in spiritual maturity and bear fruit in our personal and communal lives. Pray also, that we may become sensitive to the Spirit's prompting, walking in step with God's will, and becoming vessels of His grace to others.

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

WELCOME to worship at **Trinity**. For any assistance please contact:

Pastor – Rev Shearn Sya, Assistant Pastor – Pr Desmond Yeoh: 04-828 7445

Administrators – Ms Angeline Choo: 013-243 1282 | Mr Noel Laujang: 011-1258 0898

- Sermons and past worship services are available online (<http://replay.penangtrinity.org>).
- Visitation ministry for the homebound, please inform Angeline Choo.
- **Floral Gifts:** From Mrs Annie Chan in Thanksgiving.
- **Online/ATM Transfer:** Maybank Account No. MBB 5072 4612 6505 (Trinity Methodist Church Penang). Please indicate for “Offering/Pledge” or “Poor & Needy” in Recipient Reference for online transfers.

TODAY – May 4

Communion Offering for May 2025 will go to TMCK Poor and Needy Fund.



Coming up in May!

11 – Mother’s Day

17 – 3rd LCEC Meeting

18 – MW Sunday

2025 Church-wide Bible Reading Plan:

<https://bit.ly/tmc bible2025>

Prayer Request Form – <https://bit.ly/tmcprayforme>.

All requests are confidential unless permission is given to circulate to larger prayer group.

2025 TMC Church Camp Registration

Early Bird Rate:
RM320 per person
April 6 – May 18

Post Early Bird Rate:
RM400 per person
May 19 – May 25



Breakfast options will be available for sale between 9am – 10am. For takeaways, please bring your own containers. Refreshments will be served after the 10am service at The Solid Rock.

10AM / 5PM Service

- ✗ *Booking of Seats – Not required*
- ✗ *MySejahtera checks – Not required*
- ✓ *Record names of attendees – Required*
- ✓ *Masks, Social Distancing – Strongly encouraged*

Equipping Families for Home Discipleship

Speaker: Dr Herbert Tan

May 24 | 9am-5pm

Cost: RM10

Closing Date: May 18, 2025

