

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH PENANG



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9th Sunday after Pentecost

August 10, 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***

SCRIPTURE SENTENCE

“Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshipers will worship the Father in the Spirit and in truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks. God is spirit, and his worshipers must worship in the Spirit and in truth.”

John 4:23–24, NIV

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

L: O come, let us sing to the Lord;
Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

**P: *Let us come into His presence with thanksgiving;
Let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise!***

L: For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods.
In His hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are His also.

P: *The sea is His, for He made it, and the dry land, which His hands have formed.*

L: O come, let us worship and bow down,
Let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!

**P: *For He is our God, and we are the people of His pasture,
and the sheep of His hand.***

OPENING PRAYER**ACTS OF PRAISE**All the Earth

Father into Your courts I will enter
Maker of heaven and earth
I tremble in Your holy presence
Glory glory in Your sanctuary
Splendor and majesty
Lord before You
All life adores You

*All the earth will declare
That Your love is everywhere
The fields will exult seas resound
Hear the trees' joyful cry
Praising You and so will I
A new song I'll sing (Lord I will)
(Glorify and bless Your holy name)*

Jesus Lord of all life and salvation
Into Your presence we come
We worship You our precious Savior
Fill us fill us with Your holy power
Set us aflame with Your love
'Til nations all know Your glory

Lord I will glorify and bless Your name
Glorify and bless Your name
Glorify and bless Your name
Glorify and bless Your name
Glorify and bless Your holy name

Let Us Adore

The heavens declare
The glory of God
And all of the world
Will join the praise
His wonders proclaim

The oceans and skies
Lift up their voice
And all He has made
Will rise to bless
The King of all kings

*Let us adore Him
Let us adore Him
Jesus Christ is the Lord*

Eternity's King
Is coming again
Though all of the earth
Will fade away
His truth will remain

*Come and behold Him
Bow down before Him
Jesus Christ is the Lord*

Hallelujah
Hallelujah
You are worthy of all praise

Jesus Christ is the Lord

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Only A Holy God

Who else commands all the hosts of heaven
Who else could make every king bow down
Who else can whisper and darkness trembles
Only a Holy God

What other beauty demands such praises
What other splendour outshines the sun
What other majesty rules with justice
Only a Holy God

*Come and behold Him
The One and the Only
Cry out sing holy
Forever a Holy God
Come and worship the Holy God*

What other glory consumes like fire
What other power can raise the dead
What other name remains undefeated
Only a Holy God

Who else could rescue me from my failing
Who else would offer His only Son
Who else invites me to call Him Father
Only a Holy God
Only my Holy God

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PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

1. Pray for God to intervene in the ongoing war between Israel and Gaza. Pray that God will comfort, heal, and provide for the people. Pray that many will turn to the Lord.
2. Pray for outreach to unreached communities in Malaysia such as the Orang Asli, refugees, migrant workers, and people from different faith backgrounds.
3. Pray that we will hold each other accountable in love. Pray that God will help us grow as a church family that encourages one another to walk together with Him.
4. Pray for a lifestyle of worship. Pray that God will help us honour Him not just on Sundays, but in every part of our daily lives.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

E-OFFERING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

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***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.

SCRIPTURE READING Isaiah 29:13

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

What is True Worship?

Pr Desmond Yeoh

***CLOSING SONG**

The Heart of Worship

When the music fades all is stripped away
And I simply come
Longing just to bring something that's of worth
That will bless Your heart

I'll bring You more than a song
For a song in itself is not what You have required
You search much deeper within
Through the way things appear
You're looking into my heart

*I'm coming back to the heart of worship
And it's all about You all about You Jesus
I'm sorry Lord for the thing I've made it
When it's all about You all about You Jesus*

King of endless worth no one could express
How much You deserve
Though I'm weak and poor all I have is Yours
Every single breath

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***BENEDICTION**

***THREE-FOLD AMEN**

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OPENING PRAYER**OPENING SONG**

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

UMH400

Come Thou fount of every blessing
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace
Streams of mercy never ceasing
Call for songs of loudest praise
Teach me some melodious sonnet
Sung by flaming tongues above
Praise the mount I'm fixed upon it
Mount of Thy redeeming love

Here I raise mine Ebenezer
Hither by Thy help I'm come
And I hope by Thy good pleasure
Safely to arrive at home
Jesus sought me when a stranger
Wandering from the fold of God
He to rescue me from danger
Interposed His precious blood

O to grace how great a debtor
Daily I'm constrained to be
Let Thy grace Lord like a fetter
Bind my wandering heart to Thee
Prone to wander Lord I feel it
Prone to leave the God I love
Here's my heart Lord take and seal it
Seal it for Thy courts above

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SONG OF PRAYER

I Am Thine O Lord

UMH419

I am Thine O Lord I have heard Thy voice
And it told Thy love to me
But I long to rise in the arms of faith
And be closer drawn to Thee

Oh the pure delight of a single hour
That before Thy throne I spend
When I kneel in prayer and with Thee my God
I commune as friend with friend

*Draw me nearer nearer blessed Lord
To the cross where Thou hast died
Draw me nearer nearer nearer blessed Lord
To Thy precious bleeding side*

There are depths of love that I cannot know
Till I cross the narrow sea
There are heights of joy that I may not reach
Till I rest in peace with Thee

Consecrate me now to Thy service Lord
By the power of grace divine
Let my soul look up with a steadfast hope
And my will be lost in Thine

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

SONG OF PREPARATION

Close to Thee

UMH407

Thou my everlasting portion
More than friend or life to me
All along my pilgrim journey
Savior let me walk with Thee

Not for ease or worldly pleasure
Not for fame my prayer shall be
Gladly will I toil and suffer
Only let me walk with Thee

*Close to Thee close to Thee
Close to Thee close to Thee
All along my pilgrim journey
Savior let me walk with Thee*

*Close to Thee close to Thee
Close to Thee close to Thee
Gladly will I toil and suffer
Only let me walk with Thee*

Lead me through the vale of shadows
Bear me o'er life's fitful sea
Then the gate of life eternal
May I enter Lord with Thee

*Close to Thee close to Thee
Close to Thee close to Thee
Then the gate of life eternal
May I enter Lord with Thee*

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SCRIPTURE READING Isaiah 29:13

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

What is True Worship?

Pr Desmond Yeoh

***CLOSING SONG**

My Jesus, I Love Thee

UMH172

My Jesus I love Thee I know Thou art mine
For Thee all the follies of sin I resign
My gracious Redeemer my Savior art Thou
If ever I loved Thee my Jesus 'tis now

I love Thee because Thou hast first loved me
And purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree
I love Thee for wearing the thorns on Thy brow
If ever I loved Thee my Jesus 'tis now

In mansions of glory and endless delight
I'll ever adore Thee in heaven so bright
I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow
If ever I loved Thee my Jesus 'tis now

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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	What is True Worship? (Isaiah 29:13)	What is True Worship? (Isaiah 29:13)
Preacher	Pr Desmond Yeoh	Pr Desmond Yeoh
Liturgist	n/a	Mrs Esther Wong
Worship Leaders	Ms Alanis Yeoh, Mr Ryan Loke	n/a
Scripture Reader	Mrs Sally Loh	Ms Selina Ngu
Musicians	Ms Michi Ong, Mr Eian Chan Mr Tairven Lee, Mr Euan Chan	Ms Amelia Loo
Sound	Mr Matthew Chieng	Mr William Ng
Visual	Ms Joanna Joyce	Ms Esther Wong
Streaming	Mr Samuel Lee	n/a
Ushers	Mr Cheong Kum Loong, Mr Khoo Boo Thye Dr Ho Seng Hooi, Ms Wong Choon Moi	Dr Goh Yoke Seng Dr Mah Chiou-Fen
Finance Stewards	Ms Cheong Sau Chan Ms Janet Yeoh	n/a

Next Sunday's WORSHIP ENABLERS

	<u>10.00 am Service</u>	<u>5.00 pm Service</u>
Sermon Title/Text	Whole Life Worship (Romans 12:1)	Whole Life Worship (Romans 12:1)
Preacher	Dr Khoo Cheok Kau	Dr Khoo Cheok Kau
Liturgist	Ms Iris Ang	Dr Cheah Ui Hock
Scripture Reader	Mr Hendrix Cheong	Ms Vanessa Ngu
Musicians	Mr Bernard Lee	Mrs Angela Yoon
Sound	Mr Daniel Purba	Mr Joshua Wong
Visual	Mr Koay Choong Khai	Mr William Ng
Streaming	Mr Christopher Ng	n/a
Ushers	Mrs Heng Ah Leak, Ms Heng Kai Ting Mr Oon Chee Soon, Ms Pauleen Khoo	Mdm Jenny Hoo Ms Vivian Lim
Finance Stewards	Mr Ling Lek Chian, Mr Tan Kok Huat Mdm Keow Poh Lean	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
- 5.00pm Worship Service in English

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 Sheok Yin (fortnightly)

WEEKLY PRAYER

World

- Pray for God to intervene in the ongoing war between Israel and Gaza. Pray that God will comfort, heal, and provide for the people. Pray that many will turn to the Lord. Ask that in the midst of suffering, His mercy would be revealed, and that the church in those regions would be strengthened to shine His light and bring hope to the broken-hearted.

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- Pray for outreach to unreached communities in Malaysia such as the Orang Asli, refugees, migrant workers, and people from different faith backgrounds. Pray that the message of God's love would reach them through faithful witnesses, and that the church would be equipped to meet both spiritual and physical needs with humility, compassion, and perseverance.

Church

- Pray that we will hold each other accountable in love. Pray that God will help us grow as a church family that encourages one another to walk together with Him. Ask that our fellowship be rooted in truth and grace, building a community where mutual trust, honesty, and care reflect the heart of Christ.

Self

- Pray for a lifestyle of worship. Pray that God will help us honour Him not just on Sundays, but in every part of our daily lives. May our devotion be consistent and sincere, shown in how we work, serve, rest, and relate to others—bringing glory to God in both the ordinary and extraordinary moments of life.

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

Administrator – 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 Noel Laujang.
- **Floral Gifts:** Please contact the church office or email office@penangtrinity.org.
- **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 – August 3

Communion Offering for August 2025 will go to the TMCP Education Aid Program (EAP).



Trinity Methodist Church Penang Education Aid Invites Applications for Education Grant.

Eligibility:

1. Citizens and/or Residents of Malaysia Enrolled in Institutions of Higher Learning in Malaysia.
2. For First-Degree and Diploma Courses.
3. Must be Recommended by a Member/Regular Worshipper of Trinity Methodist Church Penang.

Application Opens:
1 July - 15 August 2025

Email office@penangtrinity.org for the application form.

Coming up in August!

- 22 & 23 – Renewal Service
- 24 – 68th Church Anniversary
- 31 – National Day Family Worship

2025 Church-wide Bible Reading Plan:

<https://bit.ly/tmcbible2025>

Prayer Request Form – <https://bit.ly/tmcprayforme>.
All requests are confidential unless permission is given to circulate to a larger prayer group.

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*

TRAC Family Discipleship & Ministry Consultation: Prospectus

Organised by: TRAC Board of Laity
Venue: Trinity Methodist Church, Penang
Date: 23 August 2025, Saturday
Time: 9.00 AM – 4.00 PM

Please Scan QR below to register:

