

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH PENANG



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15th Sunday after Pentecost

September 6, 2026

***"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

"A new command I give you: Love one another.
As I have loved you, so you must love one another."

John 13:34, NIV

OPENING PRAYER**CALL TO WORSHIP** (*Responsively*)

L: God is love, and His love has been revealed to us through Jesus Christ.

P: We come before Him with grateful and open hearts.

L: We love because God first loved us.

P: His love transforms us and moves us to love one another.

L: True love is not merely spoken, but demonstrated through our lives.

P: May God's love be the driving force behind all that we do.

L: Let us receive His love and allow it to shape our words, actions, and relationships.

P: We desire to love as Christ has loved us.

***OPENING SONG**

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

UMH384

Love divine all loves excelling
Joy of heaven to earth come down
Fix in us Thy humble dwelling
All Thy faithful mercies crown
Jesus Thou art all compassion
Pure unbounded love Thou art
Visit us with Thy salvation
Enter every trembling heart

Come Almighty to deliver
Let us all Thy life receive
Suddenly return and never
Nevermore Thy temples leave
Thee we would be always blessing
Serve Thee as Thy hosts above
Pray and praise Thee without ceasing
Glory in Thy perfect love

Breathe O breathe Thy loving Spirit
Into every troubled breast
Let us all in Thee inherit
Let us find that second rest
Take away our bent to sinning
Alpha and Omega be
End of faith as its Beginning
Set our hearts at liberty

Finish then Thy new creation
Pure and spotless let us be
Let us see Thy great salvation
Perfectly restored in Thee
Changed from glory into glory
Till in heaven we take our place
Till we cast our crowns before Thee
Lost in wonder love and praise

All to Jesus I surrender
All to Him I freely give
I will ever love and trust Him
In His presence daily live

*I surrender all
I surrender all
All to Thee my blessed Savior
I surrender all*

All to Jesus I surrender
Humbly at His feet I bow
Worldly pleasures all forsaken
Take me Jesus take me now

All to Jesus I surrender
Make me Saviour wholly thine
Let me feel the Holy Spirit
Truly know that Thou art mine

All to Jesus I surrender
Lord I give myself to Thee
Fill me with Thy love and power
Let Thy blessing fall on me

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PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

1. Pray for victims and families of the flood in parts of China and Nepal. Pray for rescue and relief efforts as the search continues for those missing.
2. Pray for Malaysia as air quality reaches hazardous levels in certain parts of the nation. Pray for authorities to effectively intervene in the fires causing this haze, especially in a particularly hot & dry El Niño season.
3. Pray for Penang Trinity to be a church where the love of Jesus is shared and felt by all who visit or call it home.
4. Pray for ourselves, that we would be open to the work of the Spirit to bear the fruit of love in every area of our lives.

E-OFFERING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Give to: MBB 5072 4612 6505 (Trinity Methodist Church Penang)

Please indicate for "Offering/Pledge" or "Poor & Needy" in Recipient Reference 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.

(FOR 10 AM SERVICE ONLY)

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.

(FOR 10 AM SERVICE ONLY)

HOLY BAPTISM

Ms Chuah Hooi Yee

CONFIRMATION

Ms Danielle Lim Ern Hui

SONG OF PREPARATION

Break Thou the Bread of Life

UMH599

Break Thou the bread of life dear Lord to me
As Thou didst break the loaves beside the sea
Beyond the sacred page I seek Thee Lord
My Spirit pants for Thee O Living Word

Bless Thou the truth dear Lord to me to me
As Thou didst bless the bread by Galilee
Then shall all bondage cease all fetters fall
And I shall find my peace my all in all

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SCRIPTURE READING

1 John 4:7-21

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Love: The True Driver

Rev Shearn Sya

(FOR 10 AM SERVICE ONLY)

RECEPTION INTO MEMBERSHIP

Ms Chuah Hooi Yee

Ms Danielle Lim Ern Hui

HOLY COMMUNION

***CLOSING SONG**

Jesus Calls Us
(stanzas 1,3,4,5)

UMH398

Jesus calls us o'er the tumult
Of our life's wild restless sea
Day by day His sweet voice soundeth
Saying Christian follow Me

In our joys and in our sorrows
Days of toil and hours of ease
Still He calls in cares and pleasures
Christian love Me more than these

Jesus calls us from the worship
Of the vain world's golden store
From each idol that would keep us
Saying Christian love Me more

Jesus calls us by Thy mercies
Saviour may we hear Thy call
Give our hearts to Thine obedience
Serve and love Thee best of all

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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	Love: The True Driver (1 John 4:7-21)	Love: The True Driver (1 John 4:7-21)
Preacher	Rev Shearn Sya	Rev Shearn Sya
Liturgist	Dr Khoo Cheok Kau	Mrs Loo Li Lin
Scripture Reader	Mr Hendrix Cheong	Dr Chuah Hock Aun
Musicians	Mr Seah Por Shen	Ms Amelia Loo
Sound	Mr Tan Siew Jin	Mr Joshua Wong
Visual	Mr Koay Choong Khai	Ms Esther Wong
Streaming	Mr Samuel Lee	n/a
Ushers	Mdm Aileen Tan Ms Emmy Chia Ms Wong Siew Eng Mrs Isabella Loke	Mr Tony Teh Ms Vivian Lim
Finance Stewards	Ms Liew Chin Yee, Mr Tan Kok Huat Mdm Keow Poh Lean	n/a

Next Sunday's WORSHIP ENABLERS

	<u>10.00 am Service</u>	<u>5.00 pm Service</u>
Sermon Title/Text	Suddenly (Acts 2:1-4, Acts 9:3-4, Acts 12:5-7, Acts 16:25-26)	Suddenly (Acts 2:1-4, Acts 9:3-4, Acts 12:5-7, Acts 16:25-26)
Preacher	Ms Chrisanne Chin	Ms Chrisanne Chin
Liturgist	n/a	Mrs Esther Wong
Worship Leaders	Mr Ryan Loke, Mrs Nancy	n/a
Scripture Reader	Mr Charles Teh	Ms Selina Ngu
Musicians	Ms Rachel Lee, Ms Erin Chan Ms Janice Poh, Mr Shane Tan Mr Edwin Oon	Ms Angela Cheong
Sound	Mr Daniel Purba	Mr William Ng
Visual	Mr Calvin Fong	Mr William Ng
Streaming	Ms Wong Fong Yi	n/a
Ushers	Mr Cheong Kum Loong Mr Ong Hui Yien Mrs Ong Wee Ping Ms Wong Choon Moi	Mr Christopher Wong Mrs Lim Lim Ling
Finance Stewards	Mr Ling Lek Chian Mr Lim Pang Kuan Mdm Nellie Goh Beng Hong	n/a

WEEKLY MINISTRIES & ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY

- 10.00am Worship Service in English
Church School
- 12.00pm Sungai Ara I 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
Kebaktian Bahasa Malaysia Service

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 Group:
- 2.30pm Cheeseman Rd (Bethel) – Loo Li Lin
(2nd & 4th)
- 8.30pm Young Adults I – Shaun Yong
Taman Sri Nibong – Chiang Kai Choo
Permai Village I – Ooi Lay Chen
(fortnightly)

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
(4th Sat)
- 2.00pm Small Groups:
- 8.30pm Century Garden – Lim Lim Ling
Sungai Ara II – Low Sheok Yin (fortnightly)

WEEKLY PRAYER

World

- Pray for victims and families affected by the floods in parts of China and Nepal. Pray for God's comfort, strength, and provision for those who have lost loved ones, homes, and livelihoods. Pray for rescue and relief efforts as the search continues for those missing, and ask that help will reach those in need and that affected communities will be strengthened as they begin the process of recovery.

Nation

- Pray for Malaysia as air quality reaches hazardous levels in certain parts of the nation. Pray for authorities to effectively intervene in the fires causing this haze, especially during a particularly hot and dry El Niño season. Pray for protection over the health and well-being of those affected, especially the vulnerable, and for favourable weather conditions that will bring relief and improve air quality.

Church

- Pray for Penang Trinity to be a church where the love of Jesus is shared and felt by all who visit or call it home. Pray that our worship, fellowship, words, and actions will reflect Christ's love, and that everyone who comes among us will experience genuine welcome, care, grace, and a sense of belonging.

Self

- Pray for ourselves, that we would be open to the work of the Spirit to bear the fruit of love in every area of our lives. Ask God to transform our hearts and attitudes so that His love may be evident in our relationships, decisions, words, and actions. Pray that we will become more patient, kind, compassionate, and faithful as we seek to reflect Christ to those around us.

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

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

Pastor – Rev Shearn Sya, Assistant Pastor – Pr Tan Chong Jin: 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 the Recipient Reference for online transfers.

TODAY – September 6

Communion Offering for September 2026 will go to the Methodist Crisis Relief and Development Fund (Bantuan Nepal).

Coming Up in September!

13 – Malaysia Day Service

27 – Exploration Sunday Service

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*

Prayer Request Form –

<https://bit.ly/tmcprayforme>.

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



For those who would like to join Penang Trinity's 2026 Reading Plan, download the Youversion Bible app, then open this link:

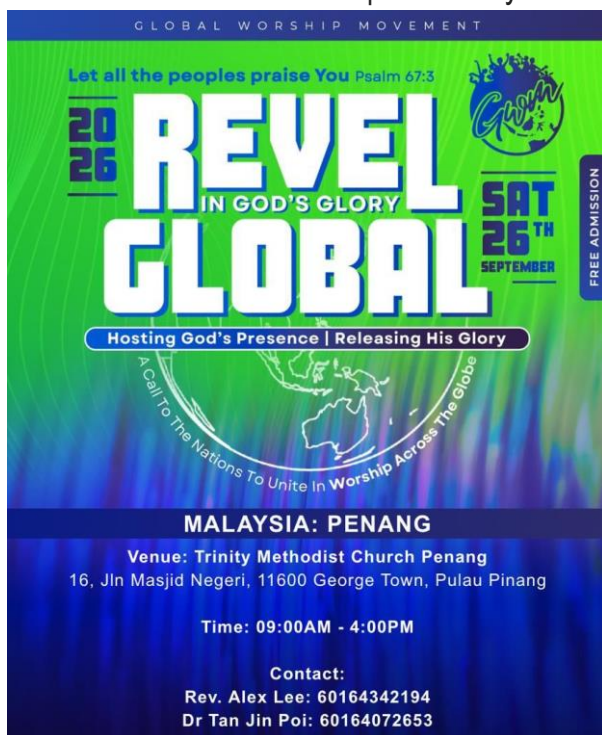
<http://bit.ly/tmcbible2026>



Global Worship Day

Saturday, 26 September 2026

9:00 AM – 4:00 PM | Sanctuary





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Through Knowing Yourself & Knowing Your Neighbour

Make His Name Known



WHAT IS MY IDENTITY?

The world constantly threatens our identity. Discover who you are in Christ and stand with confidence.



WHAT ARE MY GIFTINGS?

God gives us gifts to equip us for His purpose. Find out what God has given you!



WHO IS MY NEIGHBOUR?

Learn about the major belief systems around us. Discover common ground to share the Gospel with love.



FOR EVERYONE

No pre-registration or preparation required.

Just come and join!



8 SESSIONS ON SUNDAYS, 1PM



BEING ON MISSION WITH GOD

means finding opportunities to make His Name, His mercy, His goodness and His holiness known to the people around us.

This practical course will equip you to reach out to your friends, family and neighbours with confidence and compassion.



Find open doors



Survey the land



Engage with the Gospel

8 SESSIONS

SUNDAYS 1PM

1	26 July (2hrs)	Identity in Christ, Spiritual Gifts
2	2 Aug (1.5hr)	Practicum: 5-fold ministry outworked into the local church
3	9 Aug (2hrs)	Outworking of Spiritual Gifts
4	16 Aug (1.5hr)	Practicum: 5-fold ministry outworked into the community
5	23 Aug (2hrs)	Know your neighbour: major religions around us
6	30 Aug (1.5hr)	Practicum: Connections
7	6 Sept (2hrs)	Know the trends: prevailing mindsets around us
8	13 Sept (1.5hrs)	Practicum: Connections



STARTS 26 JULY



LUNCH PROVIDED



PRACTICAL & RELEVANT

Interactive sessions and practical exercises to help you live on mission.



IMPACT LIVES

Be equipped to share the hope of Jesus in today's world.

Let's make His Name known, together!

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*"How beautiful are the feet of those who bring news!"
— Romans 10:15*





Moving Nations *from Her Knees*

The Authority of a Godly Woman

"She arose, a mother in Israel" — Judges 5:7

DATE
12 September 2026
Saturday

TIME
9:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Full Day

VENUE
Trinity Methodist Church
Penang

PROGRAMME OF THE DAY

Morning Session — The Foundation of Authority

Building the lifestyle that backs your prayers

8:30 AM
Registration & Fellowship

11:00 AM
Break

9:00 AM
Welcome & Worship
Opening prayer, praise and worship

11:15 AM
Teaching 2: Mother in Israel Mandate
Spiritual warfare for family & nation

9:30 AM
Teaching 1: Deborah's Secret
Faith, obedience & the prayer life of authority

12:00 PM
Small Group Practice
Warfare prayer activation — declaring Scripture

10:30 AM
Silent Reflection & Small Group Sharing
Encounter with God's Word; revelation & prayer activation

12:30 PM
Lunch Break

Afternoon Session — Deployment: Mothers Arise!

Taking your authority and walking it out

2:00 PM
Building Your Deborah Arsenal
Personal warfare prayer toolkit workshop

3:30 PM
Ministry & Commissioning
Impartation, anointing, commissioning as watchmen

3:00 PM
Corporate Warfare Prayer
United declarations for family, church & nation

4:00 PM
Closing & The Deborah Challenge
Testimonies, 40-day challenge, final charge



4:15 PM – 5:00 PM **Healing Prayer - Open Ministry Time**

A sacred space to receive and minister healing — spirit, soul, and body. Come and encounter the God who restores.

VENUE
Trinity Methodist Church Penang

16, Jln Masjid Negeri, 11600 George
Town, Pulau Pinang

REGISTRATION

RM 20
per person

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A 24-7 PRAYER ASIA
TRAINING PROGRAMME IN
PARTNERSHIP WITH TRINITY
METHODIST CHURCH PENANG

"Will you arise, a mother in Israel?"



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