



**A DISCIPLE MAKING CHURCH  
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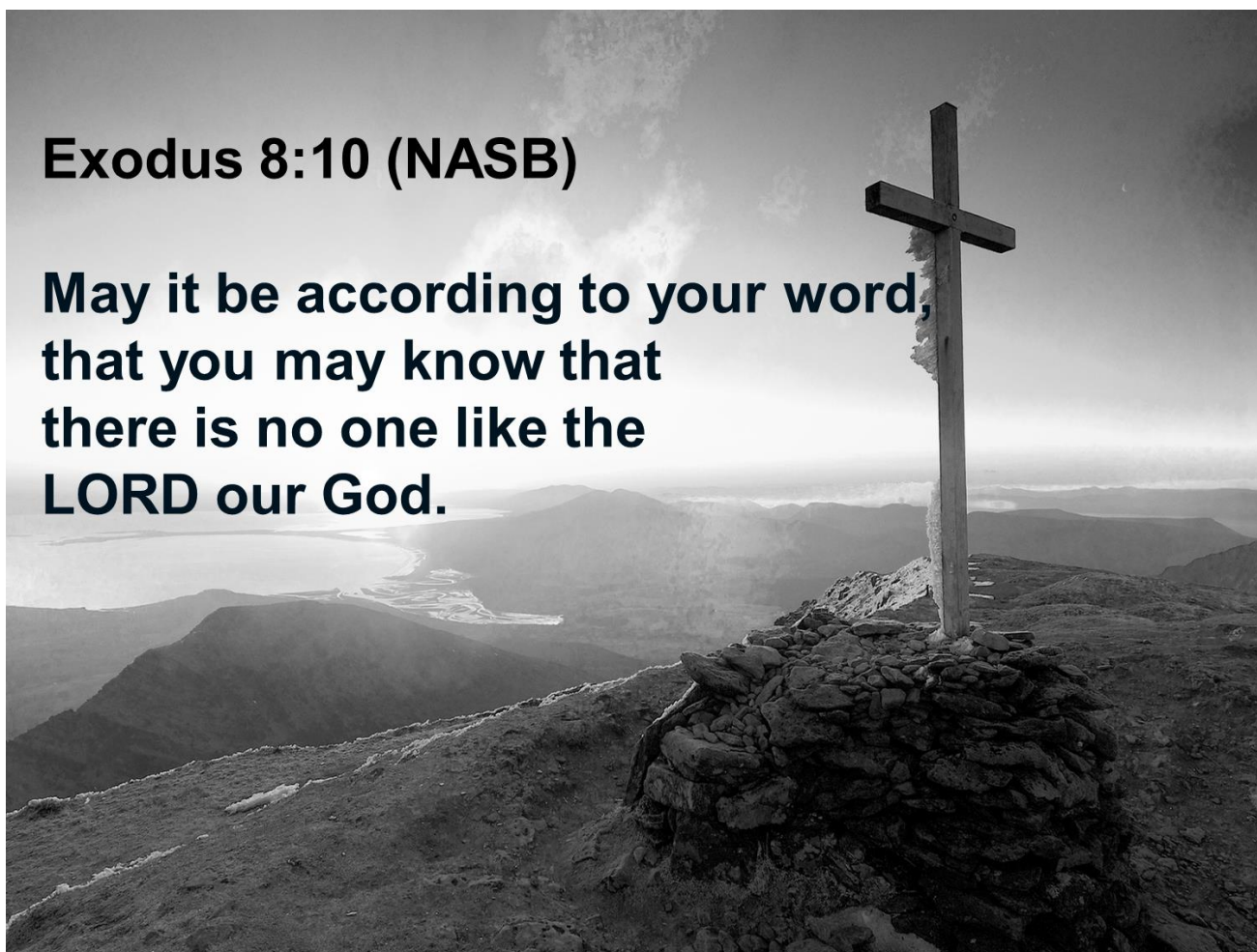
**18 AUGUST 2018 (Saturday)**  
**8:00 pm**

**19 AUGUST 2018 (Sunday)**  
**8:45 am**

**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST**

**Exodus 8:10 (NASB)**

**May it be according to your word,  
that you may know that  
there is no one like the  
LORD our God.**



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Associate Pastor : Rev. Richard Leow

# Order of Service

## PRELUDE / PERSONAL REFLECTION & PREPARATION

### CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Taste and see that the Lord is good.

C: Happy are they who find refuge in God.

L: What shall we render to the Lord for the entire Lord's bounty to us?

C: We will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord.

### PRAYER (in unison)

Lord, we come into Your presence today with the busy schedules of daily activities crowding our lives. Our souls need to be fed and yet we seem powerless to find nurture and feeding that will sustain us. Open our ears, our eyes, and our hearts today to hear Your words of hope and healing for us. We ask this in Jesus' Name. AMEN.

### ACT OF PRAISE

### INTERCESSORY PRAYER

### THE LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

### OFFERTORY PRAYER (in unison)

God of power and might, You bring forth life in the midst of death, healing in the midst of disease, and hope in the darkest places of our despair. You reach out for our hand, that we might be made whole, but also that our hands might bring healing and life to others. May the gifts we offer to You today bring life and healing to Your children, both near and far. We pray in the name of Your Son, our life and our healer. AMEN.

### OFFERTORY & FAMILY NEWS

### DOXOLOGY

### PRAISE GOD

### HYMN OF PREPARATION

### GRACE GREATER THAN OUR SIN (verse 1 & 4)

UMH365

### SCRIPTURE READING

### EXODUS 8:20-9:12

L : This is the Word of the Lord.

C : Thanks be to God.

### SERMON

### GOD'S JUDGEMENT OF THE PLAGUES (2)

### HYMN OF DEDICATION

### MY HOPE IS BUILT (verse 1, 3 & 4)

UMH368

### BENEDICTION

### THREEFOLD AMEN

### PRAYER MINISTRY

If you would like someone to pray for you, please come forward and you will be prayed for.

# DAILY PRAYER BAND SCHEDULE

DAY	PRAYER GROUPS	TIME	VENUE
Monday	Interceding for the Nation and Nations	10:00 – 11:00 am	Common Room 1
Tuesday	Jericho Hour	4:00 - 5:30 pm	Common Room 3
Friday	General Prayer	9:30 am	Common Room 3
Saturday	Morning Watch Pre-Celebration Prayer	6:00 - 7:00 am 7:30 pm	Common Room 3 SS Toddlers' Room
Sunday	Pre-Celebration Prayer	8:15 am	SS Toddlers' Room

## Notes

1. Those who are interested to buy the Sermon CDs, please see Mr. Peter Yoong **after the worship service**. You can also download the sermon from website <https://www.cgmcipoh.org/sermons>
2. If you wish to bank in your pledges/tithes/gifts directly to our church account (**Canning Garden Methodist Church CA No 2**) you may do so with **AmBank** account no: **218-201-200487-4**. Kindly put the bank-in slip into the envelope that the church provides, indicate what the money is for and drop the envelope into the offering bag. Receipts will be issued after bank confirmation upon request and are to be collected personally from Church Office.
3. **Disaster Relief Fund:** As this is a revolving fund you may top up the Disaster Relief Fund so that we are able as a church to help others in their sufferings. Those who wish to contribute can place your contribution into the envelope marked "**Disaster Relief Fund**" that the church provides and drop the envelope into the offering bag.
4. The church library, which is located at the Concourse, is open on Sundays from 10.15 am - 11.15 am.
5. Mdm Cheah Chooi Mee and the Cheah family would like to express their thanks and appreciation to CGMC for the thoughtfulness and support during their recent bereavement.
6. Pledge and Offering Update

Income for Year 2018	Pledge Amount	Weekly Offering
Budget 2018	RM1,100,000	RM490,000 (52 wks x RM9,423)
Actual 5th August	RM1,117,883 / 266 Pledges	RM278,836 (31 wks x RM8,995)

**Pledge Forms are available at the Foyer Rack.**

# WORSHIP ENABLERS

SATURDAY 8:00 pm	18 August 2018	25 August 2018
Preacher:	Rev. Dr. Andrew Tan	Mr. Leonard Lim
Scripture Reader: Scripture Text:	Mrs. Elissa Wong Exodus 8:20-9:12	Mrs. Priscilla Ebernesan Exodus 9:13-10:29
Liturgist:	Dr. Wong Lai Yin	Mrs. Ann Muttiah
Worship Leader:	Mrs, Ann Muttiah	Mr. Paul Seow
Co-Worship Leaders:	Mrs. Lana Lim Ms. Ong Joo Lee	Mrs. Irene Lim Ms. Christine Tiang
Musicians:	Ms. Tiang Wen Sze Dr. Melvin Ding Mr. Joshua Arjunan Ms. Megan Ravi	Mrs. Wern Sze Gill Ms. Deirdre Shiranee Ms. Janice Ravi Dr. Basel Ebernesan Dr. Edmund Ng
Visual Projectionist:	Dr. Looi Chui Li	Ms. Jessi Khong
Welcome Team Leader:	Ms. Chew Kar Leng	Mdm. Wong Wai Ping
Fellowship Hour:	CG30	CG27
SUNDAY 8:45 am	19 August 2018	26 August 2018
Preacher:	Rev. Dr. Andrew Tan	Mr. Leonard Lim
Scripture Reader: Scripture Text:	Mrs. Annie Pon Exodus 8:20-9:12	Dr. Teo Sue Mei Exodus 9:13-10:29
Liturgist:	Mr. Lee Hock Hin	Mr. Daniel Teh
Worship Leader:	Mrs, Ann Muttiah	Mr. Paul Seow
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Visual Projectionist:	Ms. Esther Tan	Ms. Joy-Anne Yew
Welcome Team Leader:	Mrs. Vivien Teh	Mdm Yeoh Eng See
Fellowship Hour:	CG31	CG33

# CHURCH PROGRAMME & MEETINGS

*(THIS WEEK & NEXT WEEK)*

SUN	19	NO CGMC KIDS Resume 26 August	ALPHA @ CGMC 1:00 – 3:00pm KMH	CGMC MYF 3.00 – 5:00pm MPH	AEROBIC CLASS 5:00 - 6:00pm KMH
MON	20	PRAISE DANCE 7:00 – 8:00am Carpark	PRAYER 10:00 – 11:00am CR3	SIT DOWN EXERCISE 11:00am – 12:30pm KMH	LIGHTHOUSE 5:30 - 7:00pm Lighthouse Centre
TUE	21	2.7 SERIES 10:00am – 12:00pm CR7	LIGHTHOUSE 2:00 – 5:00pm Lighthouse Centre	JERICHO HOUR 5:00 – 6:00pm CR3	
WED	22	PRAISE DANCE 7:00 – 8:00am Carpark	BIBLE STUDY 9:30 – 11:30 am CR3	LIGHTHOUSE 2:00 - 5:00pm Lighthouse Centre	
THU	23	AEROBIC CLASS 5:00 - 6:00pm KMH	LIGHTHOUSE 5:30 - 7:00pm Lighthouse Centre	2.7 SERIES 8:00 – 10:00pm CR3	
FRI	24	KOPITIAM 9:30 – 10:30am CR3	SIT DOWN EXERCISE 11:00 am – 12:30pm KMH	LIGHTHOUSE 2:00 - 5:00pm Lighthouse Centre	
SAT	25	MORNING WATCH 6:00 – 7:00am CR3	MANDARIN CLASS 9:00 – 10:30am CR3		

SUN	26	CGMC KIDS 10:30am – 12:00pm SS	CGMC MYF 3.00 – 5:00pm MPH	AEROBIC CLASS 5:00 - 6:00pm KMH	
MON	27	PRAISE DANCE 7:00 – 8:00am Carpark	PRAYER 10:00 – 11:00am CR3	SIT DOWN EXERCISE 11:00am – 12:30pm KMH	LIGHTHOUSE 5:30 - 7:00pm Lighthouse Centre
TUE	28	2.7 SERIES 10:00am – 12:00pm CR7	LIGHTHOUSE 2:00 - 5:00pm Lighthouse Centre	JERICHO HOUR 5:00 – 6:00pm CR3	
WED	29	PRAISE DANCE 7:00 – 8:00am Carpark	BIBLE STUDY 9:30 – 11:30 am CR3	LIGHTHOUSE 2:00 - 5:00pm Lighthouse Centre	
THU	30	AEROBIC CLASS 5:00 - 6:00pm KMH	LIGHTHOUSE 5:30 - 7:00pm Lighthouse Centre	2.7 SERIES 8:00 – 10:00pm CR3	
FRI	31	KOPITIAM 9:30 – 10:30am CR3	SIT DOWN EXERCISE 11:00 am – 12:30pm KMH	LIGHTHOUSE 2:00 - 5:00pm Lighthouse Centre	
SAT	01	MORNING WATCH 6:00 – 7:00am CR3	MANDARIN CLASS 9:00 – 10:30am CR3		

# DAILY PRAYER GUIDE BASED ON THE SEVEN MOUNTAINS OF INFLUENCE (Dick Eastman, 2012)

## 1. GOVERNMENT (State, National and International)

Tun Dr. Mahathir Mohamad, as prime minister is now on a 5-day (17<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> Aug) visit to China accompanied by a few other ministers. His visit has garnered overwhelming interest from the media, both foreign and local.

- Pray for Tun Dr. Mahathir Mohamad and the ministers and delegations for protection and good health and grant them to have favour with the Chinese authorities that their discussions will be smooth and fruitful.
- Pray also that they will be able to attract and secure more investments from the Chinese companies.
- Thank God for the new Pakatan Harapan government for going through the first 100 days, with the people generally giving a position rating on its governance.
- Pray that the government will continue to carry out the institutional reforms of the three branches of administration, while upholding multiculturalism and inclusiveness in practices and governance.

## 2. RELIGION (The Church and her ministries)

### A) CGMC ALPHA 2018

- Pray for the members of ALPHA to work as a team in unity of spirit, purpose and vision.
- Pray for the participants for teachable hearts, willing to learn and participate by asking questions and sharing that will lead to their personal revival.
- Pray for the Holy Spirit weekend in Kampar for the Holy Spirit to touch the hearts of the participants and for them to surrender their lives to the Lord.

### B) Pray for Methodist Prayer Convention (MPC) 2018, Sibu, Sarawak, 31 August – 2 September 2018.

- Pray for the local Organizing Committee to prepare and see to all the details so that the entire Convention will run smoothly.
- Pray for the two speakers: Bishop Chen Chien Chung, Taiwan and Rev. Dr. Viv Thomas, UK.

# MISSION PRAYER ITEMS

## 1) Nepali Outreach (TNCC)

We thank God CGMC LCEC has approved the proposed renovation plan and budget for Tasek Nepali Community Center (TNCC). We thank God for His timely providence. With this renovation, the center will be able to:

- provide basic boarding for sister Samjhana who has 17 years of experience working with Nepalese, is now helping out in the TNCC
- Better equipped to host seminars, prayer meetings and bible study for both small and medium group size.

### Prayer Items :

- Pray that the renovation work will go smoothly and according to the plan
- Pray that more Christians will be able to catch God's vision for TNCC and avail themselves to serve in this ministry i.e. as van drivers
- Pray that God will use TNCC as a center that brings HOPE, LIGHT & BLESSINGS to the Nepalese in Ipoh

## 2) Judith Yeoh – Short Term Missionary to Japan

We praise God that Judith has obtained all the paperwork clearance for her 1 year in Japan. She will be leaving for Japan on 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2018.

### Prayer Items :

- Pray for Judith to be prepared mentally, physically and spiritually for the mission field
- Pray that God will be her guide and lead her in the days and months to come

## 3) John & Joanna Oo – Wycliffe Missionary in KL

John & Joanna Oo are one of those missionaries that CGMC supports. They are under Wycliffe Malaysia and serves as trainer cum consultant in strategic planning for field workers in bible translation and scripture engagement works in Asia. They have 3 beautiful children and lives in KL. Recently, Joanna was diagnosed with non-Hodgkin's B-stage Lymphoma. She has completed her six sessions of chemotherapy (the last on 3<sup>rd</sup> week of Aug) and is scheduled for a PET scan in Putrajaya hospital in October.

### Prayer Items:

- Pray for safety in travel as John travels quite a fair bit around Asia and local region
- Pray for God's wisdom to be upon him as he provides consultancy and training to the field teams
- Pray for God's healing hands to be upon Joanna as she battles with lymphoma
- Pray that God will see to their every needs, i.e. physical, emotional, financial and spiritual.

#### **4) Ulu Kinta Community Center (UKCC)**

We thank God that the number of children attending Sunday school (held every Saturday afternoon) has increased to double digit in recent weeks. Some of them are from non-Christian families. At present the number of children attending church school is limited by transportation. Sunday School teachers/helpers & van drivers are needed to help out in the Sunday School ministry and fetch the children from their homes to UKCC and back.

### Prayer Items:

Pray that God will touch young lives as they come into UKCC for Sunday school and that their families will also be touched eventually.

Pray that Christians will be able to catch God's vision for UKCC and avail themselves to serve in the Sunday School Ministry as teachers, drivers, helpers etc.



# CG VENUE

DAY/DATE	CG NO	RESIDENCE	TIME
<b>TUESDAY</b> <b>21 AUGUST 2018</b>	3	Mrs. Jennifer Liew.	10:30 am
	28	Common Room 3, CGMC.	10:00 am
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> <b>22 AUGUST 2018</b>	1	Common Room 3, CGMC.	5:00 pm
	2	MPH, CGMC.	2:00 pm
	5	Common Room 7, CGMC.	8:30 pm
	12	Mr. & Mrs. Tang Khai Kit.	8:00 pm
	14	Mr. & Mrs. Aaron Lim.	3:00 pm
	21	No Cell Meeting.	8:30 pm
	23	Mr. & Mrs. Lee Tong Pheng.	8:15 pm
	25	No Cell Meeting.	8:15 pm
	26	Mr. & Mrs. Yau Mun Yip.	8:00 pm
	33	Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Teh.	8:00 pm
34	Mr. Benjamin Chai	8:00 pm	
<b>THURSDAY</b> <b>23 AUGUST 2018</b>	15	Mr. & Mrs. Chong Him Shoong.	8:30 pm
	31	Common Room 2, CGMC.	9:30 am
	36	Common Room 3, CGMC.	10:00 am
<b>FRIDAY</b> <b>24 AUGUST 2018</b>	4	Mr. & Mrs. Lee Fook Leong.	8:30 pm
	6	Mr. & Mrs. Shu Yeoh Khoon.	8:00 pm
	7	Mrs. Annie Pon.	12:30 pm
	8	Common Room 7.	2:00 pm
	9 & 13	Common Room 3.	8:00 pm
	10	Mr. & Mrs. Lee Nyit Kean.	8:00 pm
	11	Mr. & Mrs. Choy Kam Lee.	8:30 pm
	16	Mr. & Mrs. Lee Hock Hin.	8:30 pm
	17	Mr. & Mrs. Lee Weng Woh.	8:00 pm
	19	Mr. & Mrs. Su Eng Hock.	8:00 pm
	20	Dr. & Mrs. (Dr.) Cheah Sene Kar.	8:00 pm
	22	Mr. & Mrs. Albert Loh.	8:00 pm
	24	Mr. & Mrs. Tang Yew Cheong.	8:00 pm
	27	Mr. & Mrs. Benjamin Soh.	8:00 pm
	29	Mrs. Ong Lee Li.	8:00 pm
	30	Dr. & Mrs. Basel Ebernesan.	8:15 pm
32	Mr. & Mrs. Chan Kok Chen.	8:30 pm	
35	Dr. & Mrs. (Dr.) Philip Ho.	8:30 pm	
<b>SUNDAY</b> <b>26 AUGUST 2018</b>	18	Ms. Kwok Pui Ling.	4:00 pm

# SERMON OUTLINE

## **GOD'S JUDGEMENT OF THE PLAGUES (2)**

### **EXODUS 8:20-9:12**

#### Introduction

#### **1. The Plague of the Flies 8:20-32**

“If you do not let my people go, I will send swarms of flies on you and your officials, on your people and into your houses.” (8:21)

#### **2. The Plague on the Livestock 9:1-7**

“If you refuse to let them go and continue to hold them back, the hand of the LORD will bring a terrible plague on your livestock in the field.” (9:2-3)

#### **3. The Plague of the Boils 9:8-12**

“And it will become fine dust over all the land of Egypt, and will become boils breaking out with sores on man and beast through all the land of Egypt.” (9:9)

#### Lessons:

##### **a. God extends grace to His people.**

“But on that day I will deal differently with the land of Goshen, where my people live;....<sup>23</sup> I will make a distinction between my people and your people.” (8:23; See 9:24 also)

##### **b. God passes judgement on hardened hearts.**

“But the LORD hardened Pharaoh's heart and he would not listen ...” (9:12)

Mat. 11:21-23; Mk. 3:20-30; Rom. 2:8; Phil. 1:27-28; Heb. 2:1-4

##### **c. Both grace and judgement brings glory to God.**

“.... and you shall know that I am the LORD your God, who brought you out from under the burdens of the Egyptians.” (Ex. 6:7)

“And the Egyptians will know that I am the LORD when I stretch out my hand against Egypt and bring the Israelites out of it.” (Ex. 7:5)

#### -----questions for sermon discussion-----

1. What new elements are introduced in this second cycle of three plagues?  
What do these new elements mean? What do you learn about God's judgment?
2. Name all the graces and favours God extends to Israel.  
What are the graces and favours that God has extended to us, His people, the Church? What do all these graces and favours of God mean to you?
3. Read all the verses from Exod. 4-9 about God hardening or Pharaoh hardening his heart. How do you explain who is responsible for the hardening of hearts?  
What must you do to avoid your hardening of your own heart?
4. What does the glory of God mean? How the glory of God is made known to Israel and to Egypt? Do you believe God will judge evil?

# ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENT

## CELL LEADERS' TRAINING

Date	Modules
8 <sup>th</sup> September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Philosophy of Cell Groups</li><li>• Leadership of Cell Groups</li></ul>
15 <sup>th</sup> September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Leading Cell Group Meetings (Adoration and Study)</li><li>• Leading Cell Group Meetings (Accountability and Prayer)</li></ul>
22 <sup>nd</sup> September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Caring for Cell Group Members</li><li>• Service of Cell Group Members</li></ul>
29 <sup>th</sup> September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Cell Group Dynamics</li><li>• Handling Cell Group Problems</li></ul>

**Venue: CR8**

**Time: 2:00pm to 6:00pm**

**Various Zone Leaders will be leading the seminar.**

- Cell Leaders / Interns and potential interns who have not attended are required to attend the training.
- Cell Leaders who want to refresh their learning may attend.
- All who are interested in the Cell Group ministry may attend.

Please register at the Church Office by **5 September 2018, Wednesday.**

# Welcome to CGMC Worship Service

May you encounter God and be enriched in your fellowship with us.  
Visitors, guests and members are welcome to join us for coffee / tea  
at our Concourse after worship.

## FOUNDATION CLASS

### ADULT & YOUTH

23 September 2018, Sunday, 10:30 am – 12:30 pm

Common Room 4

Refer to the notice board for more information. Registration forms are available from Cell Leaders. Submit your registration through your CG Leader.

## THE MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT COURSE

An Alpha-related course that helps married couples draw closer and grow a stronger bond in their marriages. You will get to understand each other, relate to each other and look at each other at a whole new level. There is complete privacy ie. you will not be required to share anything about your relationship with anyone other than your partner.

Every Saturday from **8 September - 20 October 2018**

(total of 7 sessions)

2.30pm - 5.00pm at KMH, CGMC

Fee: RM 120 per couple

## 2<sup>ND</sup> LC & 5<sup>TH</sup> LCEC MEETING

11 September 2018, Tuesday, 8:00 pm

MPH

Note: Ministry Chairpersons are to submit your reports for the meeting to Church Administrator latest by **28 August 2018** (Tuesday).

## 27<sup>TH</sup> TRAC METHODIST SENIORS' FELLOWSHIP (MSF) ANNUAL CAMP 2018

9 - 12 October 2018

Syuen Hotel, Ipoh

Theme: Hearts and Eyes for Christ

Closing Date for Registration: **26 August 2018**