



PRAYER CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER 2021

Pastoral Care | Worship & Prayer Pillars

REV LEE KIEN SENG

1. Thank God for seeing Gavriel through his PSLE oral exams. Continue to pray for him as he sits for his PSLE listening comprehension for English and Chinese (17 Sep), English (30 Sep), Math (1 Oct), Chinese (4 Oct) and Science exams (5 Oct). Pray that he will persevere and maintain a good attitude as he runs this last lap.
2. Pray that Gaius and Gloria will consistently read the Bible together and with much joy as they commune with God and with each other around his Word.
3. Pray for the EDC Planning retreat (24&25 Sep) that Ps Kien Seng together with the pastors, deacons and elders will have wisdom from above to plan how to do church in 2022.
4. Pray that as a family, we will be channels of God's grace to the people whom God brings into our paths.

WORSHIP MINISTRY

Choir

1. Thank God that Li Hua is out of quarantine.
2. Thank God for choir member, Li Kim Hong, who joined from February 2020, but has now decided to return to her home church. Pray that she will continue to serve God wherever she is.
3. Pray that the choir can have their annual retreat and to have good attendance and fellowship.
4. Pray for preparation of Lessons and Carols.
5. Pray that all choir members will continue to keep their spiritual walk with God.
6. Pray for Ps Loli as she continues to plan and lead the choir.

Worship Leaders:

1. We thank God that worship leaders have responded well to the frequent changes and are doing their best to lead congregants to worship God.
2. Pray that God will continue to sustain the worship team during this time.

Live-stream Team

1. Pray for positive engagement amongst the current team members, and that the team will be encouraged to serve, with continued interest to do it well.
2. Pray for more brothers and sisters who are keen, to step forward and avail themselves to serve in this ministry.

Ushering & Computer Crew

1. Pray for all ushers and computer crew to walk closely with God daily and serve Him with joy at all circumstances.

Band members

1. For the musical talent that God has bestowed upon every band player, pray that they will make music from the heart to the Lord, always giving thanks and glory to God the Father.

AVL Project

1. The AVL (Audio, Visual & Lighting) joint project with Chinese church has commenced. Pray for wisdom as the team work in tandem with the consultant in the functional requirements, competent vendors to provide suitable equipment and that these new systems will not only meet our needs well but also be cost-effective.

NEWCOMER'S MINISTRY

1. Pray for newcomers, who may have tuned in to TW online service, to be blessed by the sermon each Sunday.
2. Pray that they will let the church know that they are new so that pastoral care can be extended to them.
3. Pray for Newcomers' ministry team members to look out for new people and then, freely reach out to them.

PRAYER MINISTRY

1. Pray for God's gracious providence of 2 prayer committee members.
2. Pray that God will open a door for True Way to have a Live (physical) Prayer Meeting soon, instead of the current Zoom meeting.
3. Pray for worshippers, including young adults, to participate in the Church Prayer Meeting via Zoom on the first Wednesday of the month.
4. Pray for worshippers to interact with other worshippers through text messages, phone calls or other digital means so that they can listen to others' needs and then, encourage and pray for them.
5. Pray for those who are uncomfortable in praying within a small group, to desire to be

trained and thus, being equipped in their personal and corporate prayer life.

DISCIPLESHIP GROUP (DG) MINISTRY

1. Pray for Cluster heads to reach out to their respective DG leaders through digital means so that they may know the needs of their DG leaders and what they have been going through.
2. Pray for DG leaders to connect with their DG members through digital means during this trying time. Pray for DG leaders to encourage, minister to and pray for their DG members. Pray for DG members to be frank and ready to open up themselves to their DG leaders.
3. Pray for members and regular worshippers to consider joining a DG if they are not in any. Pray that they will request a DG to participate in, and hence, be assimilated into the life of the church.

CANCER SUPPORT MINISTRY

1. Soon Chong Guan- Pray for good appetite and strong immune system to overcome the side effects of chemo treatment. May he continue to fix his eyes upon the Lord and find peace and stability as he continues with his treatment. Our Lord is the Pioneer and the Perfector of our faith. Heb 12:2.
2. Aw Lay Tin- Thank God she is coping well with her oral chemo. Pray that she will sleep well and spend quality time with the Lord, learning again to worship the Lord in spirit and truth.
3. Rickson Chng- Praise the Lord he is able to care for himself and able to attend church. Pray for God's guidance regarding further treatment using immunotherapy. Pray that he will encounter the Lord in a personal way. Ps 27:4 ..that he will find delight worshipping in the house of the Lord.
4. Peter See- His disease has spread to the chest recently. Pray he will seek the Lord for healing and salvation. Pray that every obstacle be removed so that he can experience the love of God and receive the free Gift of salvation from God. Rom 6:23.
5. Poh Chin Teck- Praise the Lord for His mercy and grace in the chemo treatment. Pray the Lord will confront and reveal Himself to him, that he will know Our Lord Jesus is the Way, the Truth and the Life. Jn 14:6.
6. Clarissa Chan- Pray that the Lord will comfort her family members especially her husband, sister and niece. Pray that they will be drawn to Christ during this time of bereavement.

WOMEN MINISTRY

1. Pray that participants will be blessed for the event on 18 September.
2. Pray that the Core team will have wisdom in planning for 2022 in their coming retreat on 4 September.
3. Pray for planning of the Christmas outreach in November.

4. Thank God for 2 new Core team members being recruited recently and for adjusting to the team.

PRAY FOR SINGAPORE

Pray for Singapore Christians - Christians — “To reflect upon their Relationship with God.”

You adulterous people! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Therefore, whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. Or do you suppose it is to no purpose that the Scripture says, “He yearns jealously over the spirit that he has made to dwell in us”? - James 4:4-5 ESV

“. . ., for the LORD, whose name is Jealous, is a jealous God”. - Exodus 34:14 ESV

“Come, let us return to the LORD; for he has torn us, that he may heal us; he has struck us down, and he will bind us up.” - Hosea 6:1 ESV

Questions to ponder over and respond:

- Do we provoke the Lord to anger and jealousy by embracing those things which the Lord hates?
- Have we grown cold in our relationship with God?
- Have we allowed non-essentials to become essentials in our daily life?
- Have we loved the world instead of loving God?
 - Remember, “To love the world is to hate God. To love God is to hate the world.” (SØREN KIERKEGAARD). We cannot love both. Stop pursuing after the world. We need to return to the Lord God Almighty!

Prayers:

1. Pray that we will love the things which God loves and hate the things which God hates.
2. Pray that we will search ourselves honestly to know whether we have fallen into the traps of the world such as greed, covetousness, status-consciousness, worldliness and materialism, and then, with the grace, guidance and help of God, we will seriously repent from these sins and return to the Lord our God.
3. Pray that we will be conscious of the effects of casual Christianity such as frivolity, hedonism, vanity, worldly entertainment, gluttony, superficiality, indifference, compromise and cowardice. Through this strong consciousness, we will repent from our sins and turn our hearts readily to the Lord our God. Let us restore our desire for authentic discipleship.