

FOCUS

For the Week of 30th August 2009



From our Minister's Desk:

"To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose... A time to plant and a time to heal; A time to build up, and a time to laugh; A time to keep, and a time to speak..."

In another 55 days, the church will come together with our family and friends to celebrate our 45th Anniversary. Just like our 40th Anniversary where we enjoyed a great time at IMM Building, we are hosting a grand dinner on Friday, 23rd October from 6:30pm-10:30pm at the nearby Dragon Gate Restaurant at Harbour Front Centre.

On our back page is a song that brother Chen has penned for the occasion and will perform for the first time at the dinner. We are asking for photographs of PP events from our Interest Groups, Care Teams, Bible Classes and individuals that we can use at the dinner as a powerpoint presentation and a souvenir keepsake for all attending.

Some members have booked entire tables for their family and friends. This is a great way to introduce the church to them. Sign up on the poster at the church offices. The closing date is the end of September. Confirm your booking with your payment of \$33 per seat to any of our staff.



**PP's 45th
Anniversary
Grand Dinner
on Friday, 23rd
Oct. at Dragon
Gate Restaurant**

Many of us remember what a great time we had when we celebrated our 40th Anniversary at the IMM Building. Many members reserved an entire table for their family and friends as a means to introduce the church to them.

This time, we will get together at the spacious Dragon Gate Restaurant at the nearby Harbourfront Centre. The restaurant is well known for its dian xin and Chinese specialities. The cost is affordable, just \$33 per head.

We look forward to a great time of fellowship and thanksgiving. Please book early to avoid disappointment.

PP FAMILY NEWS

Above: brother Rahim's baptism last Sunday. Sister Lorene Paulo who is transferring membership to PP today.



Brother Chew Chong Lin will exhort us at our morning worships today. Come back at 6pm when **deacon Li Chhoan** will speak on "Are You Serious?"

Plan to attend the new SIBI weekend course, '**How to Live in a Pagan World**' (based on the book of I Corinthians) which will begin on Friday, 4th September.

Join us this Wednesday at 10am for SIBI's **Open Bible Study** and 7:30pm for **SPC's** study on the parables.

About our membership: Please get to know sister **Sophia Tanicala**, a doctor who will be working with the NUH for a year... Our condolences to **brother Boo Chye** on the demise of his brother this past week.

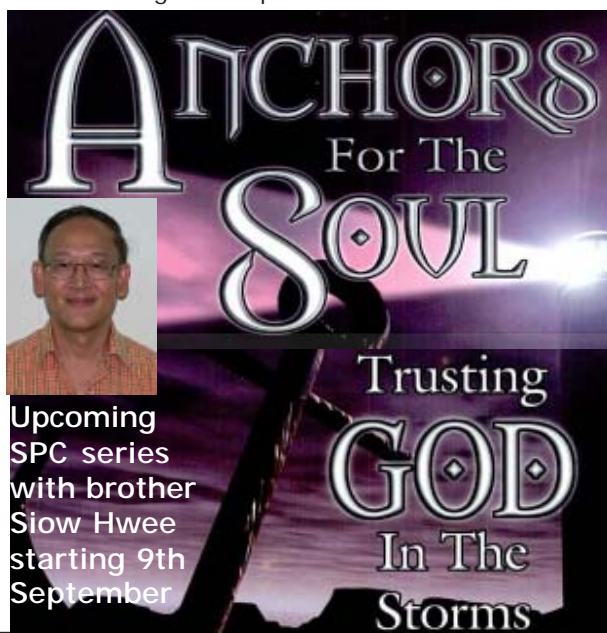
Work has started on the **installation of a chair lift and ramps** at the church premises in our effort to make our building more handicap friendly.

Please place your lunch order for the **a cappella singing** next Sunday with sister Liesl at church lobby today.

The final '**2 are Better Than 1**' seminar will take

nearby NUSS. Breakfast and lunch will be provided. Please confirm your attendance with elder Beng Chuan @ 96393008.

Coming next at SPC: A new 7-week series on 'Anchors for the Storms of Life' by brother Seah Siow Hwee will begin on September 9th.



Worship Service	Today (30 August)	Next Week
8am Scripture Text:	Psalm 101:1-3	Psalm 103:11-14
11am Call to Worship: SR/OP: S. Leader: Communion: Preacher: Shepherd's Prayer:	Elder Adrian Teo Liu Ming Hui Johnsten Wee Vincent Lim Chew Chong Lin Elder Eric Tan	Henry Kong Gareth Chan Jason Mok Michael Booker Elder Adrian Teo Elder Beng Chuan
Ushers Balcony	Nehemiah Tan HI Team	Samuel Wee HI Team
6pm Call to Worship Scripture Text: SR/Prayer: S. Leader: Communion: Preacher: Closing Prayer:	Elder Adrian Teo Psalm 103:1-5 Charles Cook Charles Pang Liu Ming Hui Deacon Li Chhoan Elder Eric Tan	Henry Kong Psalm 103:19-22 Ban Haw Leong Kenneth Leow Deacon Li Chhoan Jason Mok Elder Beng Chuan

CALENDAR of events

Sunday, 30th August 2009

- 7:30am Shuttle Bus Service
 8:00am First Morning Worship
 Speaker: Chew Chong Lin
- 9:30am Bible Classes for all ages
 Combine Adults Class Series
 on "Lord, Change My
 Attitude" by deacon Swee
 Aun and his team
- 11am Second Morning Worship
 1:15pm Shuttle Bus Service ends
- 6pm Evening Worship
 Speaker: deacon Li Chhoan

Wednesday, 2nd September 2009

- 10am SIBI Open Bible Study
 on the book of Romans
- 7:30pm SPC popular series on the
 parables of Jesus by
 brother Lim Cher Yam
 at the auditorium

Friday, 4th September 2009

- 7pm-9:45pm New SIBI course on "Living
 in a Pagan World"
 by Charles Cook

Saturday, 5th September 2009

- 8:30am Final "2 are Better than 1"
 Seminar for singles at the
 NUSS. Kent Ridge

FAMILY CONCERNS

Please pray for:

God's guidance for my family in the Philippines. My employer and friends - Amparo
 Travel mercy for me and Shan to Ireland on 28 Aug
 - Molly P
 My family. PP church. Immanuel and Kumar - David Dass
 My health and work - Kumar
 My family's well being in the Philippines - Adelma
 My employer's daughter, Motomi who has high fever
 - Lorene Paulo
 My second son, Jomar that he find right direction in life - Maria
 My children's and my health, my walk in Christ - Milagros Aquino
 Rahim to grow in the Lord. Peng Liam's mother's salvation.
 Li Li Tan's mother - Sandra Chan
 Joseph Mymay to return to the Lord - Geoffrey Kiang
 My brother-in-law and father-in-law who are ill with cancer.
 Keith's choice of school. My helper's salvation in Christ
 - Serina Kho

Thank God for:

Peter Lim's sermon - Josephine Seow, Joyce Tan, Soo Lang
 Petras Ching's sermon - Patrick, Henry and Nat Kong
 The blessings and fruitful stay in Xi'an and Hangzhou and Jinhua.
 I appreciate Alice, Vincent and Doreen Lim for the
 support and work in His kingdom service. Thanks to all
 for praying - elder Eric Tan

Special Thanks:

I wish to thank one and all at PP for their love and concern
 over my salvation in Christ Jesus. I thank God for the PP church
 for being so warm and welcoming to a foreigner like me. God
 bless you all - Rahim

My family and I would like to express our appreciation for the
 love, concern and prayers shown from so many brethren for
 my recent operation. Thank God too especially for His blessing
 and providence throughout my hospital stay. With much
 appreciation - Betty Ng

We would like to thank everyone for your well wishes for
 Michelle and for your generous gifts. Special thanks to the
 youths and her care team for being such an encouragement
 to her. Thanks also go to Charles and Tom for training her to
 be more grounded with the word of God. Pray with us that
 God will watch over her and that she settle in well with the
 Church family. The Greater Springfield Church of Christ is look-
 ing forward to her arrival. Pray that she will be of service to
 this congregation - Hedy & William

FACTS & FIGURES

8am Worship	130
11am Worship	242
6pm Worship	65
Total:	437

Morning Giving	\$ 8763
Evening Giving	\$ 356
Total Contribution	\$ 9119

*Gifts
of Love*

Receipt No. Donor Amount

3RsF 1231 Anonymous \$ 4450

PP CHURCH
of CHRIST
– HYMN –
“FRIEND”



**Dedicated to the brothers and sisters
at the Church of Christ, Pasir Panjang Singapore
on the occasion of its 45th Anniversary, 25th Oct 2009**

4/4 [slow]

Dear | God
We thank you for your | kind support
Those | years those months those | days
You | played your part
You | have our heart
Your | friendship helped us | through the rough
Dear | GOD we thank you for to | day
Our | trust in THEE will | stay | | |

Through | years our friendship have been | founded old
Our | game is in the | field
If | when you win
Then | we will win
To | gether we'll be | there to achieve
Dear | GOD we thank you for to | day
With | in you we'll re | main | | |

Each | day
We'll cherish all the | time we have
And | do the best we | can
A | golden deed
For | one in need
Life's | greatest joy is | us to receive
Dear | GOD we thank you for to | day
To | work to love to | play

Dear | GOD
we thank you for to | day
For | ever we'll sing and | praise | | |

Music and lyrics
by brother Chen Kuo-Wei
– October 2009