

# FOCUS

*For the Week of 21st February 2010*



**You Can Have a Second Chance!** Don't we all need another chance? What better way for each of us at PP to go into the new year than a New Life - with a better sense of self and family?

This coming Saturday morning, 27th February, PP will be conducting a New Life Behaviour Seminar from 10am-12noon. Brother H. M. Motsinger will present topics covering A Sense of Self, A Sense of Family and Parenting Matters.

Brother Motsinger is recognized for his work in rehabilitation. His programme is highly sought after, especially in the transformation of dysfunctional behaviours in our personal and family lives.

The seminar provides a Christian-based and relationship-oriented approach. Thousands of people of all ages have benefited from these lessons to begin their new life. We are excited that brother Motsinger is coming our way and urged every member to be present.

Invite your friends and relatives. All are welcome.

**For members who are able:** especially our Bible class teachers and Care team members, please take half day leave on Friday, 26th February (1-4pm) to join our SIBI interns on a special certification course with brother Motsinger. All participants on Friday will receive a set of notes (see outline on the back page). Part 2 of this session takes place on Saturday 1-4pm (lunch will be provided).



Missions Lessons  
by Missions  
Resource Network

**Theology of  
Church Planting**  
by Mark Hooper  
and Phil Jackson



**Starting Tomorrow**

Monday-Thursday  
22-25 February  
10am to 2:45pm

Friday  
26 February  
10am to 12noon

**Join our Interns  
in this exciting study**



# PP FAMILY NEWS

*Right: Sister Smiles and brother Tom after the baptism last Wednesday. If you can extend hospitality to our SIBI students from China, sign up at the notice at brother Patrick's office.*



We thank **all our elders** for the wonderful time we enjoyed at their homes during the annual CNY open house. As it was the first time that homes were staggered over 2 days, every home were overwhelmed with over 150 members.

**Brother Mark Hooper** will speak on the subject of "We Preach Christ Crucified" at the morning worship. Come back at 6pm to hear **brother Raybestor Loke** from the Geylang congregation speak on "Transform - from Glory to Glory" at the evening assembly.

The Missions Resource Team of **brothers Mark and Phil** will teach at SIBI, the Theology of Church Planting this week. All are welcomed to sit in these classes, especially our tentmakers.

This Wednesday: Join us at 10am for SIBI's Open Bible Study's well-attended series on "Ecclesiastes" by **brother Charles Cook**.

We resume the SPC class this Wednesday at 7:30pm. **Brother Charles Cook** will be teaching on the subject of 'Soul Winning & Apologetics'.

Invite your family, relatives and friends to the **New Life Behaviour seminar** this Saturday from 10am-12noon. For those who can, we recommend you to join in the Friday and Saturday afternoon sessions.

**Brother Siow Hwee** is booked on Tiger Air to HCM City departing March 6 (Sat) and returning March 9 (Tue). This is an exploratory trip to find out the needs of the HCM City church led by brother Stefane. Siow Hwee is looking for another guy who can teach singing to go with him. Please contact him ASAP at 67771029 if you are available.

About our PP Family: Many members were with **brother Yeo Teck Chwee** and his family this past week to comfort him in the demise of his beloved mother... **Brother Sam Ponnusamy** is warded at NUH, ward 41 bed 20. Several members visited him during the Chinese New Year holidays.

Worship Service	Today (21st Feb.)	Next Week
<b>8am</b>		
Scripture Text:	Psalm 134:1-3	Psalm 136:1-9
<b>11am</b>		
Call to Worship:	Henry Kong	Elder Winston Chong
SR/OP:	Timothy Lim	Liu Ming Hui
S. Leader:	Mac Ibra	Shawn Li
Communion:	Michael Yam	Jim Kawi
Preacher:	<b>Mark Hooper</b>	<b>Seah Siow Hwee</b>
Shepherd's Prayer:	Elder William Wong	Elder Tan Beng Chuan
Ushers		
Balcony	HI Team	HI Team
<b>6pm</b>		
Call to Worship	Henry Kong	Elder Winston Chong
Scripture Text:	Psalm 135:1-3	Psalm 138:1-3
Opening Prayer:	Ban Haw Leong	Yeo Teck Chwee
S. Leader:	Charles Pang	Deacon Paul Lim
Communion:	Patrick Ong	Elder William Wong
Preacher:	<b>Raybestor Loke</b>	<b>Deacon Li Chhoan</b>
Closing Prayer:	Elder Winston Chong	Elder Beng Chuan

# CALENDAR of events

**Sunday, 21st February 2010**

- 7:30am Shuttle Bus Service
- 8:00am First Morning Worship  
Speaker: Mark Hooper
- 9:30am 2010 first quarter series  
- Finishing Well  
Foundation Class  
- Now That I'm a  
Christian by deacon Terry Wan
- 11:00am Second Morning Worship
- 1:15pm Shuttle Bus Service ends
- 6pm Evening Worship  
Speaker: Raybestor Loke

**Monday-Thursday, 22-25 Feb**

- 10am Theology of Church Planting
- 2:45pm by brothers Mark & Phil

**Wednesday, 24th February 2010**

- 10am SIBI Open Bible Study on  
"Ecclesiastes" by  
brother Charles Cook
- 7:30pm SPC class this Wednesday  
"Fishers of Men" by  
brother Charles Cook

**Friday, 26th February 2010**

- 10am Theology of Church Planting
- 12noon by brothers Mark & Phil
- 1pm New Life Behaviour  
with brother Motsinger
- 4pm

**Saturday, 27th February 2010**

- 10am New Life Behaviour Seminar
- 12noon with brother Motsinger

# FAMILY CONCERNS

**Please pray for:**

- God will bring peace to my friend, Nadyne as she mourns over the recent demise of her mother - Tricia Kiang
- Andy's right shoulder injury to get well after a fall from bicycle accident last year- Julie Wee
- Immanuel's sister, Mangayamma's recovery from a critical surgery after recent accident - Paul Quek, David Dass, Patrick
- Mary Wee's pain in her leg to recover  
- William Chong
- My skin problem to recover. PP elders and deacons. Kumar and my family and work  
- David Dass

**Thank God for:**

- Brother Cher Yam's sermon - Foon Yoong, Fook Weng, Linda Kho, Maribel, William Chong, Geoffrey Kiang
- His comfort during my illness this past week  
- Maribel
- Providence through the elders at PP church  
- Sandra
- Granting me my driving licence in Singapore  
- Kumar
- The trip to Sansai, Chiangmai with Kuo Wei and Malinee - Henry and Nat



**Focus on the Family**  
with H.M. Motsinger  
this Saturday  
27th February  
10am-12noon

Bring your family

**FACTS & FIGURES**

8am Worship	189
11am Worship	190
6pm Worship	33
Total:	412

Morning Giving	\$9,523
Evening Giving	\$ 320
Total Contribution	\$9,843



**Receipt No. Donor Amount**

3RsF 1355	Anonymous	\$50
3RsF 1356	Anonymous	\$300
3RsF 1357	Anonymous	\$300

MF 1062	Anonymous (China)	\$160
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**Saturday morning (27 February; 10am-12noon)**

### **A Sense of Self**

The best place to start designing a new life is with yourself. This session will help you understand your own self-worth. We do not know where you stand in your belief about God or even whether you believe in God. We also do not know what concerns you have in your life. Perhaps you are in a state of relative satisfaction with life or maybe you are in the depths of despair and suffering. If you are hurting and in difficult circumstances, whether or not they are of your making, we urge you to take heart. Perhaps the darkness of your despair or the depth of your longing will lead you to see truths you have never seen before. It has been said, "When it is dark enough, men see the stars." Whatever your situation, this course may help you better understand yourself and your relationships with others. Who Am I? Understanding Our Behavior. Understanding Our Feelings. Understanding How We Think.

### **A Sense of Family**

This session will help you gain a greater appreciation for your family and increase your respect for God's design for the family. You will learn its importance in preparing children for adulthood.

### **Parenting Matters**

This session will help you gain a deeper understanding of your family and appreciation for God's design for parenting. You will learn its importance in preparing children for adulthood and providing parents a very fulfilling experience.

**Friday and Saturday afternoon (26-27 February; 1-4pm)**

**True Freedom** - God's design of freedom.

**Christian Marriage Skills** - designed to develop skills that will produce a happier, stronger, and more loving marriage which will bring a fuller life to all of the family.

**The Christian Woman** - understand yourself as a woman and why God loves you. It has four units addressing the different phases of your life - A Woman of God, Christian Wife, Christian Mother.

**Attitudes and Behaviors** - Virtues and Vices.

**Overcoming Addiction** - Starting Off Right, Finding Peace with God, Making Peace with Men.