



RENEWING OUR HEARTS
BUILDING AS ONE

Worship Service

18 May 2025

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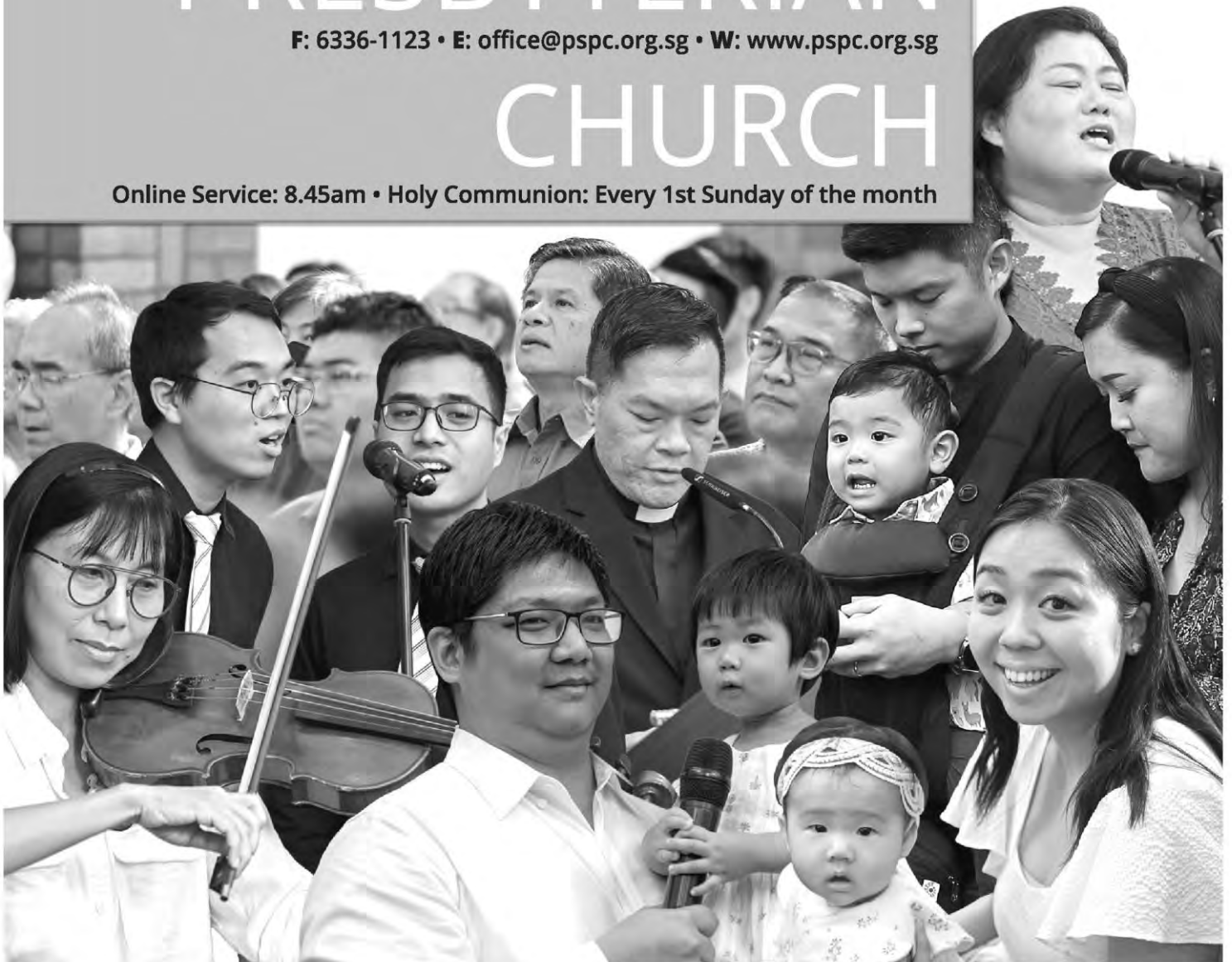
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CHURCH

Online Service: 8.45am • Holy Communion: Every 1st Sunday of the month



5th Sunday of Easter
Order of Service
18 May 2025
8:45 a.m.

Gathering

Silent Meditation

Prelude

Call to Worship

† Opening Song *Holy Forever*

† Invocation Prayer

Silence *(Let us personally confess our sins to God and ask for His forgiveness.)*

Prayer of Confession *(Let us collectively confess our sins to God
and ask for His forgiveness.)*

Assurance of Pardon *(Our need to know forgiveness.)*

† **Welcome & Exchange of Peace** *(Passing the peace of those forgiven by God.)*

Songs *Jesus Paid It All*
Draw Me Close
Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me

The Word

Scripture Reading **Philippians 3: 1 - 11**

Reader	This is the Word of the Lord.
Congregation	Thanks be to God.

Sermon	That I May Know Him	Dorothy Koh
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Our Response

Offering *(Congregants may present their offering by e-giving or cash.)*

† *Please stand if you are able*

Let us give to the Lord our undivided attention by putting our handphones on silent mode.

† **Doxology & Thanksgiving** *(Hope draws its conclusion from the past to the future producing a doxology.)*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Installation of New EDC Members

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Sending

† **Closing Song** *Knowing You*

† **Benediction**

† **Threefold Amen**

Postlude and Silent Meditation

5th Sunday of Easter
Order of Service
18 May 2025
11:00 a.m.

Gathering

Silent Meditation

Prelude

Introit

This Is The Day

Choir

Call to Worship

† **Opening Song**

Thine Is The Glory

PH 122

† **Invocation Prayer**

† **Gloria Patri** *(Reminding us that God is the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.)*

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Silence *(Let us personally confess our sins to God and ask for His forgiveness.)*

Prayer of Confession *(Let us collectively confess our sins to God
and ask for His forgiveness.)*

God of mercy and grace,
we bow before You in humility,
knowing all too well our sinful resistance
to Your will and leadership.
Forgive us for holding so tightly to our own ways
that we fail to discover the wonderful life
available to us in Jesus Christ.
Forgive us when we have been part of the problem
rather than part of the salvation
You offer to Your people.
We are sorry.
Give us the love
that will enable us to bring good, not evil,
to those around us. Amen.

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Assurance of Pardon *(Our need to know forgiveness.)*

Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered. Blessed is the man against whom the LORD counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit. (Psalm 32: 1-2)

† Welcome & Exchange of Peace *(Passing the peace of those forgiven by God.)*

Presentation of Newly Installed EDC Members

Responsive Reading Psalm 148

- ¹ Praise the LORD! Praise the LORD from the heavens;
praise him in the heights!
- ² **Praise him, all his angels;
praise him, all his hosts!**
- ³ Praise him, sun and moon,
praise him, all you shining stars!
- ⁴ **Praise him, you highest heavens,
and you waters above the heavens!**
- ⁵ Let them praise the name of the LORD!
For he commanded and they were created.
- ⁶ **And he established them forever and ever;
he gave a decree, and it shall not pass away.**
- ⁷ Praise the LORD from the earth,
you great sea creatures and all deeps,
- ⁸ **fire and hail, snow and mist,
stormy wind fulfilling his word!**
- ⁹ Mountains and all hills,
fruit trees and all cedars!
- ¹⁰ **Beasts and all livestock,
creeping things and flying birds!**
- ¹¹ Kings of the earth and all peoples,
princes and all rulers of the earth!
- ¹² **Young men and maidens together,
old men and children!**
- ¹³ Let them praise the name of the LORD,
for his name alone is exalted;
his majesty is above earth and heaven.
- ¹⁴ **He has raised up a horn for his people,
praise for all his saints,
for the people of Israel who are near to him.
Praise the LORD!**

Songs

*Praise The Lord, You Heavens, Adore Him
When I Survey The Wondrous Cross*

PH 101

The Word

Scripture Reading

Philippians 3: 1 - 11

Reader
Congregation

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Thanks be to God.

Sermon

That I May Know Him

Dorothy Koh

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Anthem

A Covenant Prayer

Choir

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Choral Dismissal

Looking To Jesus' Face

Choir

Postlude and Silent Meditation

SERMON OUTLINE

Speaker: Dorothy Koh

Text : Philippians 3: 1 - 11

Title : That I May Know Him

Getting to know Jesus

Knowing Jesus by counting all “gain” as “loss”

Knowing Jesus to be found in Him, sharing in His life and death

Knowing Jesus in His death: How it may look like

CHURCH NEWS

1. Church Camp 2025 – WhatsApp Community and Camp Briefing

For all campers, please scan the QR code to join the WhatsApp community group if you have not done so to stay updated with the latest church camp announcements.

The church camp briefing will be held over 2 dates. Please attend either one of the sessions as we share important information regarding to the camp.

- 24 May (Saturday, online) at 10am (*Details of the online session will be shared via the WhatsApp community announcement*)
- 25 May (Sunday, in-person) after 8:45am service (Conference Room - Level 1) and after 11am service (Room 201 - Level 2)



2. PSPC Haven Ministry Night Mission Walk

The Haven Ministry will be conducting a night mission walk this week to reach out to the rough sleepers in the Bugis, Waterloo, and Lavender areas.

Date: 23 May (Friday)
Time: **10pm** till late
Meeting Point: PSPC Fellowship Hall

There will be a short briefing and prayer before the walk. If you are interested to join us for this session, please contact Sean Wat (9752 5492), Ng Kum Chuen (9738 1211), or Ho Zhi Wei (9118 9884).

3. Men's Ministry Annual Retreat

Brothers, please lock in your calendars to attend our retreat on 12 July (Saturday). Our speaker, Rev Dr Malcolm Tan, will speak on the theme of "The Seasons of a Man's Life". We are looking forward to seeing more men, young and older, in attendance. Registration will open in June. For more information, please contact Eld Wilson Teng or Lionel Gan.

4. PSPC Church Office Job Opening – Finance & Admin Executive

As announced during our ACM, the Staff Relations Committee (SRC) is recruiting a suitable person to fill the position of PSPC Finance & Admin Executive. For enquiries or to submit your resume, please contact Eld Andrew Aw (Session Clerk) via email (andrewawkianli@gmail.com).

5. Staff Movement

- Rev Kelvin Chen - EP Election Duty (18 May) and Mission Trip (23 - 26 May)
- Rev Ron Tan - Annual Leave (18 May)



Know Your Presbyterian Heritage

**12th, 19th & 26th July 2025 (3 Saturday)
1PM – 4.30PM**

**Venue: PCS Synod Office @ OHV
7 Holland Village Way, One Holland Village #01-19, Singapore 275748**

**Target: Pastors, Preachers, Elders, Deacons,
Church Leaders and Worshippers**

Trainers: Rev Dr Leonard Wee & Rev Peter Chan

Course Fee: \$20 per pax

To Sign Up, please scan the QR Code or via the link below:

<https://tinyurl.com/AICS-E250712>



12th July 2025 :

"History of Presbyterianism" & " Presbyterian Theology"

19th July 2025 :

"Worship in the Reformed Tradition" & "Presbyterian Spirituality"

26th July 2025 :

"Church Polity and Governance" & "Presbyterian Missions"

PRESBYTERIAN EDUCATORS' NETWORK (PEN)



Discovering the power of connecting with
God & fellow Christian educators

PEN is an initiative by the Presbyterian Education Council (PEC) to provide a "safe place" whereby educators who are in PCS member churches may gather for:

- (1) mutual engagement as Christ's disciples;
- (2) mutual encouragement as Christian educators to fulfill our God-given vocation."



Date: 31 May 2025 (Saturday)

Time: 12 Noon to 2.30pm

Venue: Synod office @ OHV (#01-19)

- 12 Noon to 12.15pm - Welcome & Worship
- 12.15pm to 12.45pm - Ice-Breaking Activity
- 12.45pm to 1.45pm - Lunch Fellowship
- 1.45pm to 2.15pm - Message / Sharing
- 2.15pm to 2.20pm - Closing Prayer



Please scan QR code to register for catering purpose.



Exit B Holland Village MRT → up escalator → left → right at junction → through Market & Food Centre → OHV Mall right side #01-19. (8 min walk)

Sermon Series 2025

January - June 2025



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- 5-Jan Church Theme 2025
- 12-Jan Ephesians 2:11-22 (Built To Last)
- 19-Jan 1 Corinthians 12 (Everyone's Involved)
- 26-Jan Philemon (Everyone's Invited)
- 2-Feb Psalm 100 (We Gather Together)
- 9-Feb Luke 10:1-20 (Community Commissioned)
- 16-Feb Matthew 25:31-46 (Servant's Entrance)
- 23-Feb John 13:1-17 (And They'll Know We Are Christians)
- 2-Mar Nehemiah 9:1-5; James 5:13-20 (True Confessions)
- 9-Mar Matthew 18:15-35 (Confrontation and Restoration)
- 16-Mar Ezekiel 34:1-16 (A Haven for Healing)
- 23-Mar Philippians 1:1-11
- 30-Mar Philippians 1:12-18
- 6-Apr Philippians 1:19-30
- 13-Apr Philippians 2:1-11
- 20-Apr **Easter Sunday Combined Service**
- 27-Apr Philippians 2:12-18
- 4-May Philippians 2:19-30
- 11-May **Mother's Day** (*Open Topic*)
- 18-May Philippians 3:1-11
- 25-May Philippians 3:12-21
- 1-Jun Philippians 4:1-9
- 8-Jun Philippians 4:10-23
- 15-Jun **Father's Day** (*Open Topic*)
- 22-Jun **Creation Care Sunday**
- 29-Jun **Youth Sunday** (*Open Topic*)

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PRAYER MINISTRY

*“To clasp the hands in prayer is the beginning of
an uprising against the disorder of the world.”*

- Karl Barth

Our Ministry

PSPC Church Camp 2025 - As the Church Camp draws near, we pray for God to enable the Church Camp Committee, speakers, facilitators as well as PLH and Scripture Union programmes to complete their respective preparations so that we can anticipate God's blessings and work in our lives.

Newcomers and Visitors - We give thanks to God for all the visitors and newcomers who have been attending PSPC over the past few months, including the Mandarin Service. We uphold the Chinese Ministry Welcome Lunch today that the attendees will experience God's love through our hospitality.

Our Family

Seminary Graduations - We rejoice with the following seminary graduates. We pray that God will use their equipping to be a channel of blessing to PSPC and beyond.

- **Dn Lai Kian Fong** - Certificate in Theological Studies (Biblical Graduate School of Theology)
- **Dorothy Koh** - Master of Theology (Trinity Theological College)
- **Samson Yu** - Master of Ministry (Trinity Theological College)

Mission Trip - We uphold **Rev Kelvin Chen, Eld Evelyn Loh, and Catherine Tang** as they embark on a mission trip to Indonesia from 23 - 26 May. We pray that God will keep watch over their travel and enable them to bring encouragement to the mission partners.

Our World

Ukraine-Russia Conflict - The Ukraine-Russia peace talk held in Türkiye has reached a gridlock. We pray for God to overcome existing obstacles, strengthen political will and enhance international diplomacy so as to arrive at a ceasefire and restoration of peace.

SEMINARY GRADUATIONS

PSPC expresses our thanksgiving to God and conveys our congratulations to Dorothy Koh (Master of Theology) and Samson Yu (Master of Ministry) who graduated from Trinity Theological College on 17 May 2025.

DOROTHY KOH

That I May Know Him, the One Who is For Me



Years ago, when I pondered on what I wanted to do with my life, the only thing which came to mind was that I wanted to study theology. Theology, as the study of God, can never be boring, because God is infinitely interesting. For me, doing theology is more than just an academic exercise. It is one way I can worship God and serve Him.

For my Master of Theology (MTh) thesis, I explored an area of theology known as theological anthropology, which is the study of the human person from a theological perspective. In particular, I wanted to determine a clear theological reason for human sexuality: why God created us as male and female beings. For this purpose, I looked into the writings of Karl Barth, who roots the reason for human sexuality in the concept of the *imago Dei*, or image of God. Barth could arguably be the first influential Protestant theologian of the 20th century to posit the image of God as being the relationship between man and woman.

I am blessed to have the support of my husband (Matthias) and PSPC for my MTh studies. I am grateful for the privilege of working under Rev Dr Edmund Fong, who supervised me and combed through my drafts, giving me valuable feedback. I am also thankful for the new friends I have made on this journey. Throughout this time, I experienced God's providence as He directed me to relevant resources, enabled me to understand the material, and guided my thoughts as I wrote what I hoped would bless His church.

While love always points to the truth of God's Word, true love is demonstrated in this: while we were still sinners, God gave His Son for us (Rom 5:8). To be the One for us. In all our journeys, let us seek to know Him, as we share in His sufferings, becoming like Him in His death, that we may share in His resurrection life (Phil 3:10-11). In reconciling God's design with the fallenness of this world, we can hold on to His promise of a coming time when He will wipe away every tear from our eyes and make all things new (Rev 21:4-5).

Dorothy Koh

SAMSON YU

志于一像

——三一行思札记

志不在多知，亦不为博识，惟愿清心一事：

寻太初之道，校内中之光。

昔岁沉心于经卷，奔走于市里。

或披书独坐，向古人请益；

或登台言说，试将真意传达于人心。

入山访民，讲教于巷口小堂；

十岁小娃，七十老翁。

身虽在异处，志惟一也。

言非为雄辩，行非为立名。

所求所行，不过随彼幽召之引。

知识予我省思，省思使我跌宕；

跌宕之中，反得近彼真实。

此年之变，不在所能所职，

而在于：

所思更深，所信更静，

所行更定，所望更清。

志于一像，非徒仰望，亦是追随；

非止写于纸笔，乃愿活出彼像。

谨此片语，照我前行。

二〇二五年四月，记于三一圣山途中

In Pursuit of the Image

— A Trinity Year in Reflection

I did not seek knowledge for its own acclaim,

Nor did I long to master every name.

One thing I asked: a heart made clear—
To follow the First Light, and draw it near.

This year, I lingered with ancient words,
And wandered where city dust still stirred.

I sat with books in shaded rooms,
And stood to speak in gathering gloom.
I walked the hills to knock on doors,
Taught children songs on chapel floors;



A child of ten, a sage of years—
To each, I brought both truth and ears.
My words were not to dazzle crowds,
My steps not drawn by praise or shroud.
What moved me on was something still—

A silent call, a pulling will.
Knowledge fed the fire to think,
But thought soon led me to the brink.
And at that edge, I learned to see
A deeper thread in mystery.
The change, this year, was not in skill,
Nor in position, craft, or will—
But in this:
Thought grew wide,
Faith grew deep,
My path found stone,
My gaze grew steep.
I journey not to gaze alone,
But walk to make the image known;
Not merely penned in line or lore,
But lived in ways worth writing for.
Let these few lines light paths anew—
I write them now to walk them true.
April 2025, along the pilgrim road of
Trinity Hill

Samson Yu Hongen

INFODESK

	18 May 2025	25 May 2025
Preacher		
	Dorothy Koh	Rev Darryl Chan
Worship Leader		
8:45am	Eld Aaron Tan	Eld Alex Lee
11:00am	Eld Richard Chong	Tan Tong Jen
Scripture Reader		
8:45am	Susanna Tan	Daniel Lee
11:00am	Paul Tan	Wee Shwu Hoon
Back-up Singers / Cantors		
8:45am	Tan Lee Choo / Amanda Ng	Daniel Lee
11:00am	Loh Shu Ching	Wong Lee Jeng
Musicians		
8:45am	Hannah How / Felix Tan / Daniel Teo / Rachel Teo	Benjamin Cher / See Kurt Wei / Jordan Wong / Wong Ye Wen / Yeo Wei Le
11:00am	Organist – Zhang Dan Wei Pianist – Selena Chua	Organist – Tang Yueh Tarn Pianist – Deborah Chai
Ushers		
8:45am	Marion Aw / Tan Chwee Eng / Jasmine Yeo	Ang Lay Hian / Thaddaeus & Esther Tan
11:00am	Patricia Wong	Joe & Ee Mei Lee
Welcome Team		
8:45am	Pang Wei Chuan	Sharon Goh / Ng Lai Har
11:00am	Patrick & Lily Tham	Patrick & Lily Tham
AV / Livestream Crew		
8:45am	Audio – Zekeil Tay Visual – Nicholas Smith Livestream – Ian Chia	Audio – Dn Benjamin Smith Visual – Mei Smith Livestream – Timothy Aw
11:00am	Audio – David Koh Visual – Lewis Tham	Audio – Loh Shu Ching Visual – Yap Neng Giin
Counting Supervisor		
8:45am	Ho Kuen Loon	Tan Jeng Beng
11:00am	Eld Andrew Ong	Zara Loh
Breakfast Ministry		
	CG of Eld Jack Lum	Ong Lye CG

Prinsep Street Presbyterian Church (PSPC)

PSPC ~ Proclaiming Salvation, Perfected in Christ

Worships Passionately • Lives Biblically • Prays Fervently • Equips Holistically
Serves Faithfully • Evangelises Globally

A Welcoming Church

We warmly welcome all visitors and newcomers to PSPC. Please scan this QR code and complete the online form or the visitor's card in the welcome pack and hand it to any of our ushers or simply drop it into the offering box. We look forward to knowing you better and sharing with you more about PSPC at our Visitors' Corner in the Fellowship Hall.



A Disciplemaking Church

The vision of PSPC is to be a community of disciples who are "PSPC ~ Proclaiming Salvation, Perfected in Christ." Our cell group ministry is where we grow in our love for God and for one another. We invite you to speak to our Befrienders to find out more about our cell group ministry.

A Caring Church

Congregants who need counsel or prayer may approach the Pastoral Staff or Elders after the worship service. Those who need pastoral care during the week may contact the Church Office (6337-0595).

English Service

Rev Darryl Chan (darrylchan@pspc.org.sg)

Rev Kelvin Chen (kelvinchen@pspc.org.sg)

Rev Ron Tan (rontan@pspc.org.sg)

Pr Dawn Tan (dawntan@pspc.org.sg)

Pr Carol Ng (carolng@pspc.org.sg)

Jess Goh (jessgoh@pspc.org.sg)

Dorothy Koh (dorothykoh@pspc.org.sg)

Mandarin Service

Rev Cheam Wan Seng (wscheam@pspc.org.sg)

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Gifts and Offerings



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Sunday Worship Services

8:45 am	English Service (Contemporary)	L1 – Sanctuary
11:00 am	English Service (Traditional)	L1 – Sanctuary
11:00 am	Mandarin Service	L4 – MPH
1:30 pm	Filipino Service Maechel de Celis (maechel.dage@gmail.com)	L3 – The Upper Room
2:00 pm	Mizo Service Rosang Zual (mcfsingapore@gmail.com)	L1 – Sanctuary L4 – MPH

Children's Ministry (Sunday)

Pr Carol Ng (carolng@pspc.org.sg)

8:45 am	Infants (0-17 mths)	L1 – Infants' Room
	Toddlers (18-36 mths)	L1 – Toddlers' Room
	Children Worship	L2 – Room 209
	Nursery 1 (3-4 years old)	L2 – Rooms 210-211
	Kindy 1 & 2 (5-6 years old)	L2 – Room 207
	Primary 1	L2 – Room 205
	Primary 2	L2 – Room 204
	Primary 3	L2 – Room 208
	Primary 4	L2 – Room 214
	Primary 5	L2 – Room 209
	Primary 6	L2 – Room 206

Prinsep Lighthouse (Sunday) (PLH) [13-18 years old]

Rev Ron Tan (rontan@pspc.org.sg)

10:40 am	PLH Discipleship Groups	L3 – The Upper Room
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English Lessons for Migrant Workers (Sunday)

Colin Koh (drcolintskoh@gmail.com)

11:00 am	HELLO Class	L2 – Room 209
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Young Adults Coming Here Together (YACHT) [19-25 years old]

YACHT Sail Groups meet on different days and times.
A combined group meet-up is held on the last Saturday of each month.
For enquiries, please contact Dorothy Koh (dorothykoh@pspc.org.sg).

Senior Members Fellowship (SMF)

Rev Kelvin Chen (kelvinchen@pspc.org.sg)

Thursday 10:30 am	SMF Bible Study	L1 – Conference Room
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Prinsep Cell Group Ministry (PCGM)

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