

Latest updates on ORPC Alteration & Additions (A&A) Project

February 2025

Building a Disciple Making Church
Our Legacy of Faith for Future Generations

1. Changes to Worship Service

Though we move out only in October, we have begun making changes to how we do Sunday worship. This is so that we don't get surprised when we move out and we get a chance to try and refine our changes before we go to Suntec.

Children's Ministry

The first major change is in the Children's Ministry. From 5 January 2025, the children have started on a re-structured format for Sunday School. Both the children and teachers are taking some time to get used to this new format before introducing further changes.



Information Dissemination

Our weekly bulletin & announcements are being sent out through the WhatsApp broadcast. This will help us when we move to soft copy bulletins in July.

Sign up for the WhatsApp Broadcast [here](#) or scan the QR code to sign up.



Upcoming Changes

In May, we will be updating our bulletin format to support soft copy dissemination.

Our website format will also be updated for easier reading.

In July, we will be moving to electronic transfers only for our offerings and soft copy bulletins.

2. Off-site Locations

The contract with YWCA Outram (where our pastoral and administrative offices will be located) has been signed. Basic renovations are beginning in preparation for our offices to move in June.

3. Sunday Services in Suntec

Our morning and evening services will continue while we are in Suntec.
Set up begins at about 7AM and teardown ends at about 7.30PM each Sunday.

4. Fundraising Recap and Updates

The fund-raising target for ORPC is **\$23 million**. Fundraising efforts will be focused on raising \$10 million, with the remainder of \$13 million being funded by our existing reserves. Raising more than \$10 million will help us to offset potential unexpected expenses and reduce the draw-down effect on our reserves.

Latest update:



Our fund-raising progress is reported in our weekly bulletin.

We encourage all congregation members to give something - even \$1 will go a long way in helping us reach our target!

A&A Bank Account

You may now make your contributions via this following options:

Bank Transfer	PayNow/PayLah	Cheque/ Cashier's Order
Bank: UOB Singapore SWIFT Code: UOVBSGSG Account Name: Orchard Road Presbyterian Church – A&A Project Account No: 773-347-101-1	UEN No: S90CC0750JAA1 Payee Name: Orchard Road Presbyterian Church – A&A Project QR Code: 	Payee Name: Orchard Road Presbyterian Church – A&A Project Mailing Address: 3 Orchard Road, Singapore 238825

We are grateful to the various discipleship groups (DGs) who have supported past fundraising events:

- Living Stones DG sales of Melaka items
- SOTE Sunset Way sales of red packets
- Coffee@3 sales by Galatians DG (including with other DGs) - continuing



Upcoming fundraising events:

- 30 Mar YA/YM fundraising busking
- 20 April Coffee@3
- 6-7 June Children's Sleepover

5. Upcoming Engagement Sessions

On 9 February, we held an A&A engagement session with the Youths to understand their concerns and things they are looking forward to in the transition period and thereafter. More will be shared in our next update.

Do also look out for announcements on upcoming engagement sessions for different groups of people within our congregation.