



2 March 2025

AM

## Building a Disciple-Making Church

Inter-Generational Sunday

9 – 10.30 am

### WE PREPARE OUR HEARTS TO WORSHIP GOD

**Entry of the Word**

**Prelude**

### WE PRAISE GOD

**Call to Worship**

**\*Hymns of Praise & Adoration**

I Will Sing of The Mercies of The Lord (page 5)  
This Is My Father's World (page 7)

### WE SEEK GOD

**Prayer of Confession & Thanksgiving**

**The Lord's Prayer** (sung)

**\*Hymn of Prayer**

The Risen Christ (page 8)

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Anthem**

Love in Any Language (page 9)

### WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

**Scripture Reading**

1 John 3:11-24  
Scripture Reader: This is the word of God.  
**Congregation: Thanks be to God.**

*\*Congregation to stand*

**Children's Message**

**Sermon**

Loving in Deeds and Truth

**\*Hymn of Response**

We Are God's People (page 11)

**WE SERVE GOD IN HIS WORLD**

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Offertory**

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**\*Doxology**

**\*Benediction**

**\*Three-Fold Amen**

**Postlude**

## SCRIPTURE

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### 1 John 3:11-24

<sup>11</sup> For this is the message you heard from the beginning: We should love one another. <sup>12</sup> Do not be like Cain, who belonged to the evil one and murdered his brother. And why did he murder him? Because his own actions were evil and his brother's were righteous. <sup>13</sup> Do not be surprised, my brothers and sisters, if the world hates you. <sup>14</sup> We know that we have passed from death to life, because we love each other. Anyone who does not love remains in death. <sup>15</sup> Anyone who hates a brother or sister is a murderer, and you know that no murderer has eternal life residing in him.

<sup>16</sup> This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us. And we ought to lay down our lives for our brothers and sisters. <sup>17</sup> If anyone has material possessions and sees a brother or sister in need but has no pity on them, how can the love of God be in that person? <sup>18</sup> Dear children, let us not love with words or speech but with actions and in truth.

<sup>19</sup> This is how we know that we belong to the truth and how we set our hearts at rest in his presence: <sup>20</sup> If our hearts condemn us, we know that God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. <sup>21</sup> Dear friends, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have confidence before God <sup>22</sup> and receive from him anything we ask, because we keep his commands and do what pleases him. <sup>23</sup> And this is his command: to believe in the name of his Son, Jesus Christ, and to love one another as he commanded us. <sup>24</sup> The one who keeps God's commands lives in him, and he in them. And this is how we know that he lives in us: We know it by the Spirit he gave us.

## **Loving in Deeds and Truth**

1 John 3:11-24

Introduction:

1. Living by Christ's Example (vv.11-18)

2. Living by Christ's Spirit (vv.19-24)

Conclusion

# Hymns of Praise & Adoration (AM)

## I Will Sing of The Mercies of The Lord

Based on Psalm 89:1.  
Music by James Fillmore.

C G

I will sing of the mer - cies of the Lord for - ev - er, I will sing, I will

(I will sing)

4 C

sing. I will sing of the mer - cies of the Lord for - ev - er, I will

(I will sing)

7 G C *Fine* F

**VERSE**

sing of the mer - cies of the Lord. With my mouth will I make  
(my mouth)

10 C G C G C F

known Thy faith - ful - ness, Thy faith - ful - ness. With my mouth will I make  
(make known) (my mouth)

14

C G C G/D D7 G *D.C. al Fine*

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known Thy faith - ful - ness to all gen - er - a tions. I will  
 (make known)

# This Is My Father's World

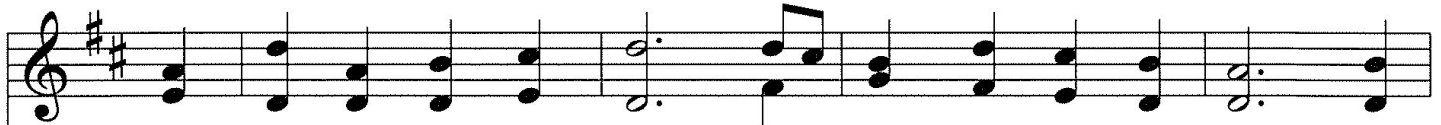
Words by Malthie Babcock.  
Music by Franklin Sheppard.



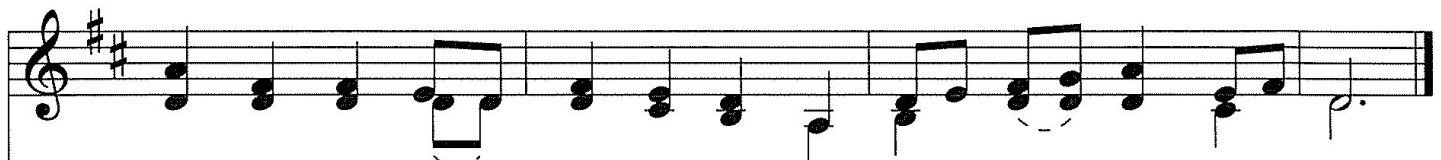
1. This is my Fa-ther's world, and to my lis-tening ears all  
2. This is my Fa-ther's world; the birds their car - ols raise; the  
3. This is my Fa-ther's world; oh, let me not for - get that



na - ture sings, and 'round me rings the mu - sic of the spheres.  
morn - ing light, the lil - y white de - clare their Mak - er's praise.  
though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the Rul - er yet.



This is my Fa - ther's world; I rest me in the thought of  
This is my Fa - ther's world; why should my heart be sad? The  
This is my Fa - ther's world, the bat - tle is not done; Je -



rocks and trees, of skies and seas; His hand the won - ders wrought.  
Lord is King, let the heav - ens ring! God reigns; let the earth be glad!  
sus who died shall be sat - is - fied, and earth and heav'n be one.



# Hymn of Prayer (AM)

## The Risen Christ

Words and Music by Keith Getty  
& Phil Madeira.

Cm B<sup>b</sup>/D E<sup>b</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> B<sup>b</sup>7 E<sup>b</sup>/G B<sup>b</sup> Cm B<sup>b</sup>/D E<sup>b</sup>

1.O Breath of God, come fill this place; re - vive our hearts to  
 2.O Word of God, so clear and true, re - new our minds to  
 3.O Love of God, so un - re - strained, re - fresh our souls in  
 4.May God the Fa - ther, God the Son and God the Spi - rit

7 Fm<sup>7</sup> B<sup>b</sup>9 E<sup>b</sup>/G E<sup>b</sup>/A<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>sus B<sup>b</sup> A<sup>b</sup>ma<sup>7</sup> E<sup>b</sup>add<sup>9</sup>/G Cm A<sup>b</sup> E<sup>b</sup>/G E<sup>b</sup> Gm<sup>7</sup>

know Your grace and from our slum - ber make us  
 trust in You; And give to us the Bread of  
 Je - sus' name. Let us re - flect Your sac - ri -  
 make us one; In hol - i - ness let us u -

12 Cm A<sup>b</sup>/C B<sup>b</sup>/D E<sup>b</sup> A<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>sus B<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>7sus E<sup>b</sup> Fine

rise, that we may know The Ris - en Christ.  
 Life, that we may know The Ris - en Christ.  
 fice, that we may know The Ris - en Christ.  
 nite, that we may know The Ris - en Christ.



## Anthem

### Love In Any Language

Words and Music by John Mays and Jon Mohr.

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Charly Lie, conductor

Jet'aime (French for I love you)  
Te amo (Spanish for I love you)  
Ya tyibya lyu blyu (Russian for I love you)  
Ani ohevet othka (Hebrew for I love you)  
I love you

The sounds are all as diff'rent  
As the lands from which they came  
And though our words are all unique  
Our hearts are still the same

#### *Chorus*

Love in any language  
Straight from the heart  
Pulls us all together never apart  
And once we learn to speak it  
All the world will hear  
Love in any language  
Fluently spoken here

We teach the young our diff'rences  
Yet look how we're the same  
We love to laugh  
To dream our dreams  
We know the sting of pain  
From Leningrad to Lexington  
The farmer loves his land  
And daddies all get misty-eyed  
To give their daughter's hand (Chorus)

*Bridge*

Maybe when we realize  
How much there is to share  
We'll find too much in common  
To pretend it isn't there

Though the rhetoric of governments  
May keep us worlds apart  
There's no misinterpreting  
The language of the heart

Love in any language  
Straight from the heart  
Pulls us all together never apart  
And once we learn to speak it  
All the world will hear  
Love in any language  
Fluently spoken here

# Hymn of Response (AM)

## We are God's People

Words by Bryan J Leech.  
Music by Johannes Brahms.

*Unison*

1. We are God's peo - ple, the cho - sen of the Lord,  
2. We are God's loved ones, the Bride of Christ our Lord,  
3. We are the Bod - y of which the Lord is Head,  
4. We are a Tem - ple, the Spir - it's dwell - ing place,

Born of His Spir - it, es - tab - lished by His Word; Our  
For we have known it, the love of God out - poured; Now  
Called to o - bey Him, now ris - en from the dead; He  
Formed in great weak - ness, a cup to hold God's grace; We

cor - ner - stone is Christ a - lone, And strong in Him we stand: O let us  
let us learn how to re - turn The gift of love once given: O let us  
wills us be a fam - i - ly Di - verse yet tru - ly one: O let us  
die a - lone, for on its own Each em - ber los - es fire: Yet joined in

live trans - par - ent - ly, And walk heart to heart and hand in hand.  
share each joy and care, And live with a zeal that pleas - es Heaven.  
give our gifts to God, And so shall His work on earth be done.  
one the flame burns on To give warmth and light, and to in - spire.



2 March 2025

PM

## Building a Disciple-Making Church

6 – 7 pm

### Prelude

### Call to Worship

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### Pastoral Prayer

### The Lord's Prayer (sung)

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### \*Three-Fold Amen

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### *Post-Service Discussion*

*\*Congregation to stand*

## **Loving in Deeds and Truth**

1 John 3:11-24

Introduction:

1. Living by Christ's Example (vv.11-18)

2. Living by Christ's Spirit (vv.19-24)

Conclusion

# Hymns of Praise & Adoration (PM)

## Above All

Words & Music by Lenny LeBlanc  
& Paul Baloche.

G D/C C Dsus D G G/B

1. A bove all pow - ers, a - bove all kings, a - bove all

3 D/C C Dsus D G G/F# Em Gmaj7/D

na - ture and all cre - a - ted things; A - bove all wis - dom and all the ways of man,

6 C G/B Am7 C/G D/F# G G/B

You were here be - fore the world be - gan. 2. A bove all

### VERSE 2

D/C C Dsus D G G/B D/C C Dsus D

king - doms, a - bove all thrones, a - bove all won - ders the world has ev - er known;

12 G G/F# Em Gmaj7/D C G/B

A - bove all wealth and treas - ures of the earth,

### CHORUS

15 Am7 C/G Bsus/F# B G Am7

there's no way to meas - ure what You're worth. Cru - ci - fied,

18 D/F# G Am7 D/F# G G/F#

laid be - hind the stone; You lived to die, re - ject - ed and a - lone; Like a rose,

21 Em Gmaj//D C G/B Am/ G/B

tram - pled on the ground, You took the fall, and thought of me,

24 C2 Dsus D G C Dsus D G C/G G

a - bove all.

# Turn Your Eyes

Original Words & Music by Helen H. Lemmel.  
Additional words & music by George Romanacce,  
Kevin Winebarger, Nathan Stiff, Nic Trout.

C Em Am F C Em F

## VERSE

9 C Em Am C/G vs 3 F G G

1. Turn your eyes up-on Je - sus, look full in His won-der-ful face. And the  
2. Turn your eyes to the hill - side where jus - tice and mer-cy em-brace. There the  
3. Turn your eyes to the morn - ing and see Christ the li - on a - wake. What a

17 C C/E F (Am vs 3) Dm (F vs 3) C/G G7 C

things of earth will grow strange - ly dim, in the light of His glo - ry and grace.  
Son of God gave His life for us, and our mea-sure-less debt was e -  
glo - rious dawn, fear of death is gone, for we car - ry His life in our

24 Em Am F C 2.3. CHORUS F C

Je - sus, to You we lift our eyes. —

raised.  
veins.

32 F Am C/G F G

— Je - sus, our glo - ry and our prize. — We a - dore You, be - hold — You, our

39 Am C/E F G C 2nd time to CODA

Sav - ior ev - er true. Oh — Je - sus, we turn our eyes to You.

## TURN

44 Em Am F C C/G F D.S.



51 **CODA** **VERSE**

C G/C F/C C G/C F/C C F/C

You. 4. Turn your eyes to the hea - vens, our King will re -

60

G/C C Dm7 C/E Am G F C/G

turn for His own. Ev-ery knee will bow, ev - ery tongue will shout "All\_ glo - ry to

68 **CHORUS**

Csus/G C F C

Je - sus a - lone"! Je - sus, to You we lift our eyes.

75

F Am G C/E F G Am

Je - sus, our glo-ry and our prize. We a - dore You, be - hold You, our Sav - ior ev - er

82

C/E F G 1. C C 2. Am7

true. Oh\_ Je - sus, we turn our eyes to You. You. O\_

87 **TAG**

F G C Em Am F C

Je - sus, we turn our eyes to You. rit. . . .

# Hymn of Response (PM)

## We Are God's People

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### INTRO

### VERSE

N.C.
G/A
A
N.C.
G
A
N.C.
Em7
A7
D
A
D/F#

1. We are God's

5 G D A D A D A D/F# G D  
 peo - ple, the cho - sen of the Lord, born of His Spir - it, es -

10 A D A Am Em/G  
 tab - lished by His Word; Our cor - ner - stone is Christ a - lone, and

14 F#7 F#/A# Bm G A Em7 A D E A G/A Em D/F#  
 strong in Him we stand; O let us live trans - par - ent - ly, and walk heart to

19 Gmaj9 Em/G D/A A D  
 heart and hand in hand.

#### Verse 2

We are God's loved ones,  
 the Bride of Christ our Lord,  
 For we have known it,  
 the love of God outpoured;  
 Now let us learn how to return  
 The gift of love once given:  
 O let us share each joy and care,  
 And live with a zeal that pleases Heav'n.

#### Verse 4

We are a temple, the Spirit's dwelling place,  
 Formed in great weakness, a cup to hold God's grace;  
 We die alone, for on its own, Each ember loses fire:  
 Yet joined in one the flame burns on  
 To give warmth and light, and to inspire.

#### Verse 3

We are the Body of which the Lord is Head,  
 Called to obey Him,  
 now risen from the dead;  
 He wills us be a family,  
 Diverse yet truly one:  
 O let us give our gifts to God,  
 And so shall his work on earth be done.

## Certainty in Change

Recently I was passing through Tiong Bahru and it occurred to me that soon, despite conservation measures in the area, the area would change and look different once more as it had many times in the last 30 years or so. And that made me a little bit sad. It's not that change is the enemy, much of the change that I see around me has been for good reasons and has good results. It's that change makes me – us – feel adrift. With no physical anchors to show that our past did happen here, no familiar landmarks to mentally re-enact memories against, the past feels unreal, and sometimes even inconsequential. And even more so as time passes and it feels like no one else shares these memories with you. It doesn't matter how much I try to describe the terrapin pond and the dark corridors of Tiong Bahru Market, if you weren't there, it's hard for you to understand.

And now we are preparing for A&A. To be honest, I'm not sure that I myself am mentally prepared to come through Dhoby Ghaut and see a different ORPC, even though the Sanctuary remains. All my memories of the last 22 years in ORPC are of the buildings in the present form, current steps to Dunman Hall and the umbrellas excepted. Moving away is going to be really hard for me emotionally, I think, even though I'm up to my neck in the preparations for all of these changes. And returning when the construction work is done is going to be bittersweet. The work is needed, the changes are for the better, but we are still allowed to be sad about it.

But also I am thankful. Lots of things are going to change for us in the next 2-3 years in terms of our locations, building, and even how we do worship to some extent. But despite all the changes I am thankful because I know that this church is not only about where we worship, what our building is like, or even how our worship is like. I am thankful because at our heart, ORPC is about making disciples, about a common goal to know God and to make Him known. ORPC is about God's people coming together to worship God and to do His will. Our people's love for God will not change even as we go through all these changes together, and more importantly, God will not change. We have certainty in change; we can embrace the change because of this – because our God is an unchanging God, a faithful God who will be with us through all these changes, who will use the changes for His glory. Hallelujah!

**Read 1 John 4:1-6**

- What does John mean when he says, “test the spirits to see whether they are from God”?
- How do we recognise the Spirit of God?
- Why is it important for John to reassure us that God is greater? (v.4)

**Prayer Points**

- Pray for Formwerkz Multi-Disciplinary Team – ask God to smoothen the path ahead as they make submissions to the authorities.
- Pray for those who have parents and/or grandparents who do not yet know Christ. Pray for them to have a personal encounter with God and for them to come to Christ.
- Pray that God will raise up more leaders after His own heart, both for our church community and to be lights in their professional spheres.

**MINISTRY THIS WEEK**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Venue</u>
Sun 2	9.00 am	Sunday Worship Service	Sanctuary
	9.30 am	Sunday School	Dunman Building
	11.00 am	Youth Discipleship Group	Quarters, EB, WB
	11.00 am	Young Adult Discipleship Group	DB4, DH Room, MR3, Pr Herna's office
	4.00 pm	Chancel Evening Choir Rehearsal	DH A
Tues 4	6.00 pm	Sunday Worship Service	Sanctuary
	8.30 am	Pastoral Staff Prayer Meeting	Online
Wed 5	2.00 pm	Pastoral Staff Meeting	MR1
	7.30 pm	Congregational Prayer Meeting	Dunman Hall
Thu 6	7.30 pm	Chancel Morning Choir Rehearsal	DH, SHK, SR2
Sat 8	2.00 pm	Handbells Rehearsal	Sanctuary
	4.00 pm	Orchestra Rehearsal	Sanctuary

DB: Dunman Basement; EB: Eastern Basement; WB: Western Basement; DH: Dunman Hall; SHK: Su Han Kuen Hall; MR: Meeting Room; SR: Study Room

### (1) CHEQUE or CASHIER'S ORDER

Please make this payable to "Orchard Road Presbyterian Church" and mail to: No. 3 Orchard Road Singapore 238825

### (2) INTERBANK TRANSFER

Beneficiary: Orchard Rd Presbyterian Church – Giro Offering  
Bank: UOB Bank Account No: 450-312-122-5

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We encourage our ORPC members and regular worshippers to faithfully offer their tithes and offerings and to do so electronically where possible.

This is **not** a general solicitation of funds from the public.

### FOR CONTRIBUTIONS:

Please indicate the type of Giving, i.e.

**"ENGLISH - GENERAL" or "ENGLISH - MISSION"**

- (1) at the back of **Cheque** or
- (2) in "Comments" box for **Interbank Transfer** or
- (3) in "Reference" box for **PayNow**

## OUR OFFERING

OFFERING	TARGET <u>01.01.25 - 31.12.25</u>	TARGET TO <u>23.02.2025</u>	RECEIVED TO <u>23.02.2025</u>	YTD SURPLUS/(SHORTFALL)
GENERAL	\$1,800,000.00	\$276,923.08	\$209,748.44	(\$67,174.64)
MISSIONS	\$250,000.00	\$38,461.54	\$40,586.10	\$2,124.56
TOTAL	\$2,050,000.00	\$315,384.62	\$250,334.54	(\$65,050.08)

## A&A FUNDRAISING

### (1) BANK TRANSFER

Bank: UOB Singapore  
SWIFT Code: UOVBSGSG  
Account Name: Orchard Road Presbyterian Church - A&A Project  
Account No.: 773-347-101-1

The Pledge Form may be accessed here <https://bit.ly/ORPCpledge>

Completed Pledge Forms should be sent to [aafundraising@orpc.org.sg](mailto:aafundraising@orpc.org.sg)

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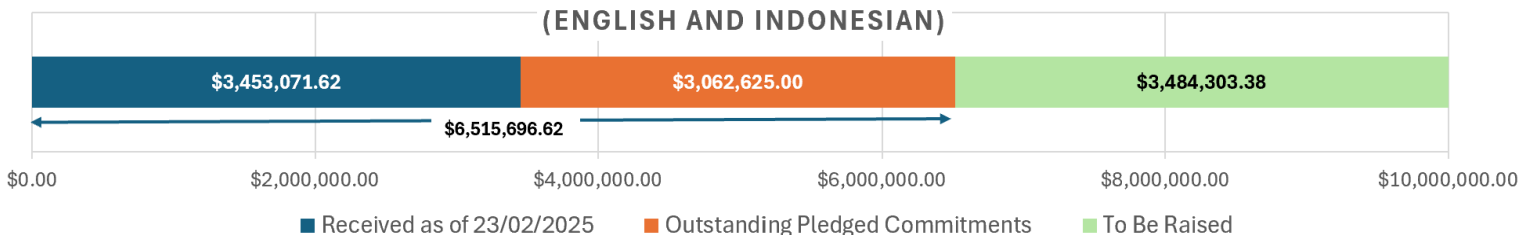
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### A&A FUNDRAISING (ENGLISH AND INDONESIAN)



## PREACHING THEMES - SERVICE ROSTER

Sunday Service	2 Mar	9 Mar	16 Mar
<b>Sermon Title</b>	<b>Inter-Generational Sunday</b> Loving in Deeds and Truth	<b>Holy Communion Sunday</b> Test the Spirits	<b>Mission Sunday</b> Love One Another
<b>Scripture Reference</b>	1 John 3:11-24	1 John 4:1-6	1 John 4:7-19
<b>Preacher</b>	Rev Dr Edward Goh	Rev Dr Clive Chin	Rev Dr Clive Chin
<b>Children's Message</b>	Pr Herna Kong	-	-
<b>Worship Leader</b>	Eld Gabriel Tan <b>Dcn Gan Keng Swee</b>	Eld Neo Kian Hong <b>Dcn Lim Yui Nguan</b>	Eld Dr Chung Lai Hong <b>Dcn Benjamin Goh</b>
<b>Scripture Reader</b>	Kay Swee Tuan <b>Minna Sim</b>	Isaiah Tang <b>Alicia Yeo</b>	Ratna Sutantio <b>Ivy Ang</b>
<b>Music Director</b>	Dr Agnes Tan	Dorothy Oskar Lie	Dorothy Oskar Lie
<b>Musicians</b>	Patrick Harjadi Eunice Tang Sophia Selvarajan Jabez Selvarajan <b>Hannah Leong</b> <b>Natalie Chu</b>	Aubert Saragi Eunice Tang Michelle C. Shalomita <b>Lisa Ong</b>	Lisa Ong Eunice Tang Charis Koh <b>Hannah Leong</b>
<b>Ushers Team/ Leaders</b>	Team C Kenneth Koh <b>Team H</b> <b>Alicia Yeo</b>	Team G Tan Gek Khim <b>Team D</b> <b>Ivy Ang</b>	Team A Veronica Song <b>Team E</b> <b>Eld Winston Choo</b>
<b>Greeters</b>	Pr Ho Wei Liang Dcn Benjamin Goh <b>Pr Herna Kong</b> <b>Eld Dr Chung Lai Hong</b>	Pr Lim Chung Wei Dcn Timothy Song <b>Pr Tan Hui Ru</b> <b>Eld Liow Koh Chuan</b>	Rev Dr Edward Goh Dcn Timothy Song <b>Rev Dr Edward Goh</b> <b>Dcn Li-Ki Khaw</b>
<b>AV Duty Roster</b>	Jethro Cheung Winduputra Prasetijo Jabez Ong <b>Geoff Holmes</b> <b>Huang Junxiong</b> <b>Dcn Mazmur The</b>	Susan Tan Jeremy Lim Marie Tan <b>Elson Chan</b> <b>Jane Tham</b>	Elson Chan Juniarto Hadiatmadja Dcn Patrick Chow <b>Dcn Mazmur The</b> <b>Eld Paul Johnson</b>

**Bold Italics** - Evening Service

## YOUTH MINISTRY - SERVICE ROSTER

- *Worship in the Sanctuary*

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

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### CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLYWEDS

We congratulate Neo Seh Woon and Ngew Ling Wei on their holy matrimony on 1 Mar 2025. We pray for God's blessings on their journey together.

### MONTHLY CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER MEETING (5 MAR)

Our next prayer meeting will be on Wednesday, 5 Mar, 7.30 – 8.30 pm, in Dunman Hall. All are encouraged to attend.

### HANDBELL CHOIR OPEN RECRUITMENT

The handbell choir is looking for ringers who are committed to serving in worship. Please consider joining if you are able to read musical scores. Experienced and beginner ringers are all welcome and training will be provided. Upon signing up via the QR code, an audition will be arranged to ascertain your skills and how we may best train you. Practice sessions are currently held on Saturdays 2 – 4 pm (subject to change after Easter).



### EVANGELISM EQUIPPING COURSE

Learn how to share the gospel clearly and effectively with your family, friends, and colleagues by joining the Classic EE course (13, 20, 27 Mar & 3, 10, 17, 24 Apr, and 8 May). Please see the flyer for more information. Sign up at <http://chms.orpc.org.sg/equipping/registration/150/public> (Classic EE).

### A&A PROJECT UPDATE & PLEDGE FORM

Please see the bulletin insert for the latest update on the A&A Project. You may also view the series of updates on the A&A project via this link <https://orpc.sg/aanda/>. The pledge form is available as an insert to this bulletin.

### BE PART OF A DISCIPLESHIP GROUP

Our Discipleship Groups seek to worship, share life, pray, study God's word and serve Christ together. Come alongside us in our daily growth journey through joining a Discipleship Group. Have a look here <https://orpc.sg/ministries/congregation-care/discipleship-group/>. Email [discipleshipgroups@orpc.org.sg](mailto:discipleshipgroups@orpc.org.sg) for more information or speak to one of our staff/leaders.

### PERSONAL PARTICULARS

If you have changed your personal particulars recently, or you have queries regarding church events/ministries, please email Ping at [orpcenglish@orpc.org.sg](mailto:orpcenglish@orpc.org.sg) or contact the church office (Mon to Fri).

### STAFF UPDATE

Dr Agnes Tan will be on leave 4-16 Mar.  
Pr Herna Kong will be on leave 6-7 Mar.

## **CHURCH-WIDE EVENTS: MAR – MAY 2025**

<b>Wed 5 Mar</b>	<b>7.30 pm</b>	<b>Congregational Prayer Meeting [Dunman Hall]</b>
<b>Wed 2 Apr</b>	<b>7.30 pm</b>	<b>Congregational Prayer Meeting [Dunman Hall]</b>
<b>Sun 13 Apr</b>	<b>9 am &amp; 6 pm</b>	<b>Palm Sunday Services / Holy Communion [ORPC]</b>
<b>Wed 16 Apr</b>	<b>8 pm</b>	<b>EP Holy Week Convention [ARPC@Tengah]</b>
<b>Thu 17 Apr</b>	<b>8 pm</b>	<b>EP Holy Week Convention [ARPC@Tengah]</b>
<b>Fri 18 Apr</b>	<b>9 am</b>	<b>Good Friday Service [ORPC]</b>
	<b>10.30 am</b>	<b>English Presbytery Holy Week Convention [Suntec]</b>
<b>Sun 20 Apr</b>	<b>9 am &amp; 6 pm</b>	<b>Easter Sunday Services [ORPC]</b>
<b>Sat 26 Apr, 3, 10 &amp; 17 May</b>	<b>10 am</b>	<b>Membership Class [DB6]</b>
<b>Wed 6 May</b>	<b>7.30 pm</b>	<b>Congregational Prayer Meeting [Dunman Hall]</b>
<b>Sun 25 May</b>	<b>9 am (after Service)</b>	<b>ECM – Election of Elders &amp; Deacons [Sanctuary]</b>
	<b>11 am</b>	<b>Annual Congregational Meeting [Sanctuary]</b>
	<b>6 pm (after Service)</b>	<b>ECM – Election of Elders &amp; Deacons [Sanctuary]</b>



# Evangelism Equipping (EE) training - Classic

- *Acquire knowledge*
- *Share the gospel*
- *Role-play*

This course is focused on imparting the fundamental points for effectively sharing the gospel over 8 weeknights of training. Together with course materials, role plays and on-the-job training, participants will build their skills and confidence to share the good news of Jesus.

13, 20, 27 March (Thu)  
3, 10, 17, 24 April, 8 May  
7:30pm to 9:30pm,  
Meeting Room 2.



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Introductory @ Dunman Basement 2  
Classic @ Meeting Room 2, level 3, Dunman



## 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.

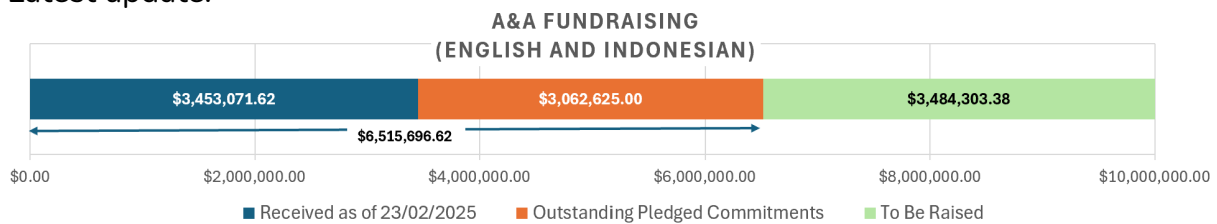
### 3. Sunday Services in Suntec

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
<p><b>Bank:</b> UOB Singapore  <b>SWIFT Code:</b> UOVBSGSG  <b>Account Name:</b>            Orchard Road Presbyterian Church – A&amp;A Project  <b>Account No:</b> 773-347-101-1</p>	<p><b>UEN No:</b> S90CC0750JAA1  <b>Payee Name:</b>            Orchard Road Presbyterian Church – A&amp;A Project  <b>QR Code:</b></p> 	<p><b>Payee Name:</b>            Orchard Road Presbyterian Church – A&amp;A Project  <b>Mailing Address:</b> 3 Orchard Road, Singapore 238825</p>

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.

Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. - 2 Corinthians 9:7

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## PLEDGE FORM

for the ORPC Building Alterations and Additions (A&A) Project Fund, launched in May 2024



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### What is a pledge?

A pledge is a confidential, written promise to give money (whether a one-off sum or installments over a period of time) to the A&A project fund in the future. It is a commitment made in faith in accordance with the resources that God has given us. A pledge is not a legally binding contract, and can be reviewed and changed as circumstances evolve.

### Why pledge?

Your pledge enables the A&A committee to plan its finances for the A&A project fund effectively, and to determine the financial commitment we are able to undertake for the entire rebuilding works ahead of time. We hope that through pledging, congregation members will build a culture of giving to the project based on our pre-committed goals.

**I/We pledge our support for the A&A Project Fund of Orchard Road Presbyterian Church (ORPC)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Congregation: \_\_\_\_\_

Member of Congregation: Yes  No

I/We pledge to give the Church's A&A Project Fund a one-off giving or by regular giving over a period of time or a combination of the two.

Pledge for one-off giving: Amount: \$\_\_\_\_\_

On the date: \_\_\_\_\_

Pledge for regular giving: Amount: \$\_\_\_\_\_ monthly/quarterly/half-yearly (circle one)

Starting the \_\_\_\_\_ (day) of \_\_\_\_\_ (month) \_\_\_\_\_ (year) for \_\_\_\_\_ months (maximum of 24 months from the commencement date of the fund-raising efforts in Aug 2024)

The A&A Fund Raising Committee will be approaching individuals or groups who are donating SGD\$100,000 and above to discuss your contribution.

Please send in your pledge early so we can plan our finances more effectively. Thank you.

You will find below a QR code for donations to the AA Project, **please input your unique pledge ref no (which will be given in the pledge acknowledgement letter) in the reference field when you make your transfer**, in order to facilitate a seamless process for our finance operations staff.



**Personal Data Protection –**

By signing on this Form,

1. I consent to the collection, use and disclosure of my personal data by ORPC for purposes of my participation in pledging of funds towards the Church Building Re-development Project. I acknowledge that my personal data may be disclosed to third parties engaged in the organization and hosting of this A&A Project.
2. ORPC will limit the personal data disclosed to the third parties to that which is necessary and will remind the third parties not to process, use, disclose and retain your personal data beyond the purpose for which it is required by the third party.

**For Non-Members:**

I/We confirm that this Pledge and Donation is our free-will offering and not solicited by Orchard Road Presbyterian Church (ORPC)

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Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Thank you for your commitment to contributing to the A&A Project Fund.  
Let's build the Lord's house, our legacy of faith together**

**Notes:**

- This Form can be placed in the Sunday offering box; scanned and emailed to [aafundraising@orpc.org.sg](mailto:aafundraising@orpc.org.sg); or handed/mailed it to the Church at "Orchard Road Presbyterian Church, No. 3 Orchard Road, Singapore 238825 for the Attention of the Fund Raising Committee"
- This Pledge Form is for use only by members and regular worshippers at Orchard Road Presbyterian Church
- If you need any help completing this Form, please contact any of the Church Leaders

## HISTORY

The Orchard Road Presbyterian Church (ORPC) was founded in 1856 to minister to the needs of the Scots community in Singapore. The first church building on the present site was completed in 1878, and has been extended several times. In 1975, the sanctuary was extended, and in 1985, the new extension of Dunman Hall was completed and a new chapel was built. Alongside the growth of the physical facilities has been the development of the church from an English-speaking expatriate congregation to a local church embracing four different language congregations. In 1995 we planted a branch church (Bukit Batok Presbyterian Church) which became independent in 2013. Similarly, our Mandarin congregation (Providence Presbyterian Church) became independent in 2005. ORPC consists of the English Congregation and the Indonesian Congregation, and worshipping with us now in the same building are Providence Presbyterian Church, and the German-speaking Protestant Congregation in Singapore.

## FAITH AND MEMBERSHIP

As a church with roots in historic Presbyterianism growing out of the Westminster Confession of Faith, we affirm the Lordship of our Saviour, Jesus Christ. We look to the Scriptures as the inspired Word of God and the one authoritative and infallible standard for our faith and practice. We welcome those who profess Jesus Christ as their personal Lord and Saviour into our formal membership. Our membership is truly international, representing the breadth of God's call upon people from all ethnic and economic backgrounds. Members are received upon initial profession of faith in Jesus Christ by baptism, confirmation, and in transfer from other Christian churches. Classes for baptism, confirmation, and for transfer of membership are held periodically and announced in the bulletin.

## THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the grave. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## 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; and 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, and the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen

## 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.