

COMING WEEK APPOINTMENTS (04 May - 10 May 2009)			LAST WEEK'S Collection (26/04/09)		
			EBENEZER		CGF
TUE (05/05/09)	7.00 pm	CGF BS Dinner Fellowship	Attendance	131	37
FRI (08/05/09)	8.00 pm	Mark 9 "By Prayer & Fasting"	Offerings	\$2,050.10	\$364.50
	8.00 pm	Monash BS - Dinner	Building Fund	\$740	
	8.00 pm	BS - "1 Samuel 4" - Paul Soon/Adele	Designated		
	8.00 pm	Prayer Meeting & BS - Eld. Meyale	Designated CGF		\$420
SAT (09/05/09)	8.00 pm	YAF: Sports Night wit	Love Gift		
SUN (10/05/09)	8.00 pm	CGF - BS Discussion /Prayer meeting	Internal Loan		
	9.30 am	Choir Practice	Received To Date		
	9.30 am	Pre Worship Prayer Meeting	Internal Gift	276,360	
	10.15 am	Pre Worship Praise	Internal Loan	147,000	
	10.30 am	Ebenezer Worship: "Thou Shalt Not	External Gift	409,277	
		Foreswear" Mt 5:33-37 - Rev Tan	External Loan	150,000	
	11.45 am	Sunday School	Art & Craft	846	
	12.15 pm	Church Lunch - Mother's Day	Book Sales	1,644	
	12.45 pm	SBC: No class	Mission Fund YTD	1,450	
	2.30 pm	Strabane: - Elder Meyale	Pew	9,940	
	2.30 pm	BBK at CGF -Recess	Building Fund giving		
	4.00 pm	CGF: "Salvation of The Lord"	since 01/07/08:	25,186	
	6.00pm	Jon 2:6-10 - Dr. Stephen Lim	Next Loan	50,000	01 July 09
		CGF Singing Group Practice	Repayment	100,000	31 Dec 09

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1. WARM WELCOME:** Stay back for fellowship tea.
- 2. BBK:** Eld Meyale. **SBC:** Countdown to eternity Part 2 - Dr Stephen Lim
- 3. CONFLICT WITHIN THE BPC:** Dr Tow our supervisory pastor gave a seminar on 1 May. Much prayer is needed for Lord to prevail over human frailties. May all seek God's glory and His everlasting truth.
- 4. URGENT PRAYER:** For Taliha, ages 11, grand-daughter of Peter & Thea Kooy who has been diagnosed with juvenile diabetes.
- 5. PRAYER FOCUS:** a) **HEALTH & HEALING:** Stephanie, Mildred, Thomas, Priscilla's mother, Anne's mother, Vicky's mother. Olivia Ong, Richard & Lorraine Turner, Michael Yap, Victor Ho's mother b) **MISSIONS: Cambodia**-Life University & BPC: Rev David Koo (Sihanokville); Glory BPC: Rev Stephen Choi (Phnom Penh), First BPC: Bro Chanthon & Siang Lai (Siem Reap). **Kenya** - Samson & June Korir; Chan Pui Meng at Clinic of Life in Kiluani; Stephen Masila Nairobi, Surish **Laos**, Andrew Kam **Myanmar**, Roska Choi-Sihombing-Batam. Jess & Shire at **Qld**. Shu ling & Wai Yee, **Spore**. Stephanie **Taiwan**. Dexter **Hong Kong**, Xing Mao **London**, **TRAVEL:** Siew Leng **Spore** Kwang Kow & Diana **China**
- 6. THANKSGIVING** - Successful 7 hrs surgery to remove 8 cm tumor in head of Alice, sister of Siew Leng, For Alice salvation before the operation.
- 7. YOUTH WINTER CAMP:** June 28-July 2. Sp.: Rev Isaac Ong, Pastor Calvary BPC. Venue Lyrebird Park, Yellingbo. Huey camp master & Shuen publicity. Theme: Sanctification, Growing Together in Godliness. Su Shiang & Damien will return to attend the camp.
- 8. SPECIAL PRAYER:** For Choon Fong of Evangel BPC (KL). Head injury. Mail from Eld Lim Yew Cheng: Choon Fong still in coma. Taken off tracheostomy.
- 9. PR LIM HAI SENG IN CHINA:** From Apr 16-May 2. Writing from Yangshou: He is staying at White Lion Hotel owned by American Christian with sponsorship of poor rural kids to attend school. People anxious to learn English.
- 10. EVANGEL BP CHURCH:** 3rd Anniversary on May 3. Pr Hai Seng will be in Kuala Lumpur to represent Ebenezer. Eld Dr Lim Yew Cheng manages church.
- 11. 10th ANNIVERSARY MAGAZINE:** Editor Kim Khaiat reminds all writers to submit their articles quickly.
- 12. CHURCH LUNCH 10th MAY 09:** In appreciation of mothers, please bring a dish to share as we remember the mothers in our midst on this day.

Dr Patrick Tan

From Pulpit to Pew

A BROKEN IMAGE OF GOD

"And, ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath: but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord." Eph 6:4

What is the image of God that our children have? What is the most powerful influence that has formed this image? The first and most powerful image of God is from mother. God is loving and tender. "Her children arise up, and call her blessed." Prov 31:28. God then is the powerful protector and provider. Father teaches them about God and faith by personal example of piety. "These words, which I command this day, shall be in thine heart." Deut 6:6. They learn of God through you. The image of God from the home is challenged in school and society. Will our children remain steadfast? "Train up a child in the way that he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it." Prov 22:6. Begin to teach your children early.

A Strong Godly Foundation

Children. Eph 6:1-3

Obey your parents. Follow their example of piety and godliness. Seek for the truth in God's Word. "In the Lord" means as your parents follow Christ. Believe in Jesus and develop a close walk with God. Attend Sunday School and Bible study. Be a useful member of YAF and the Church.

Father

Show a good example by personal godliness. Encourage your children to fear God and to remember the Sabbath day. Col 3:21. They need your guidance. You teach them God's Word or they will learn the wrong things in school and the University.

Mother

Do not cease to pray. Your prayer is powerful as that of Susanna the mother of John Wesley and Monica, mother of Augustine. Your soft approach and touch of love will bring a prodigal son back to God. You can encourage them in the faith.

Memory Verse: Colossians 3:23 "And whatsoever ye do, do it heartily, as unto the Lord, and not unto men."



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 "Hitherto hath the LORD helped us."
 1 Samuel 7:12
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ORDER OF WORSHIP

	10.30 am (Ebenezer)	4.00 pm (City Gospel Fellowship)
Pre Worship Praise	Stephen Lim/Judith Lim (p)	Kee Zhi Wong
Prelude	Carol Raw(p) Asha Meyale (o) Hui En, Keene (f)	Keene Chen
Flowers	Irene Khoo	
<i>The Lord Is in His Holy Temple</i>		
Call to Worship	Dn. Philip Soon	Dn. John Tann
Opening Hymn	93 - To God Be The Glory	88 - Praise Him, Praise Him
Invocation	Dn. Philip Soon	Dn. John Tann
<i>Glory Be To The Father</i>		
Gloria Patri		
Lord's Supper	183 - Jesus Paid It All	122 - Dawn At The Cross
Responsive Reading	1 Corinthians 7:1-17	Matthew 12: 38-50
Tithes / Offering	408 - I Give My Life For Thee John Tan/Huey Chan/Vincent Tai/Alan Mouzon	137 - Thanks To God Stuart Turner/Wei Yong Lee
<i>Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow</i>		
Doxology		
Scripture Reading	Matthew 5: 27-32 Jock Campbell	Jonah 1:17, 2:1-10 Stuart Turner
Preparatory Hymn	401 - Yield Not To Temptation	269 - Come To The Savior
Pastoral Prayer	Rev. Patrick Tan	Rev. Patrick Tan
Sermon	"Thou Shalt Not Commit Adultery" Rev. Patrick Tan	"Survival In The Fish Belly" Dn. Philip Soon
Closing Hymn	382 - Would Be True	307 - Amazing Grace
Benediction	Rev. Patrick Tan	Rev. Patrick Tan
<i>The Lord Bless You & Keep You</i>		
Postlude		
**Next Week's Roster	10/05/2009 Ebenezer @ 10.30am	City Gospel Fellowship (CGF) @ 4 pm
Speaker	Rev. Patrick Tan	Dr. Stephen Lim
Pre Worship Praise	Mohan Raw/Carol Raw (p)	Han Jie Soh
Worship Leader	Dr. Stephen Lim	William Ong
Scripture Reader	Dr. Peter Yong	Ming Jian Lim
Pianist	Lydia Chia(p)/Hannah Chia(o)	Han Jie Soh
Ushers	Paul Yeo/Jeffrey Leow/Chew Hou .Lilian/Jock Campbell	Keene Chen/Ming Jian Lim
Flowers	Mrs. Sue Edward	
Fellowship Tea	Church Lunch (Mother's Day) - Bring a Dish	Grace Kong/Jemima Xue

THE LORD IS IN HIS HOLY TEMPLE

The Lord is in His Holy Temple (x2)

Let all the earth keep silence

Let all the earth keep silence before Him

Keep silence, keep silence before Him. Amen.

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow

Praise Him all creatures here below

Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

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, Amen.

THE LORD BLESS YOU

The Lord bless you and keep you ,

The Lord lift His countenance upon you

And give you peace and give you peace.

The Lord make His face to shine upon You

And be gracious unto you, be gracious;

The Lord be gracious, gracious unto you. Amen.