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# FAITHFUL STEWARDS

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***“Moreover it is required in stewards that one be found faithful” (1 Corinthians 4:2 KJV).***

A steward is one who manages another’s property, finances or other delegated affairs. As born-again believers, we are God’s stewards and to be faithful is not an option. We ought to be loyal, trustworthy and steadfast. We must be committed and dedicated to serve God and there is nothing hypocritical about our whole being. The faithful steward does what God has entrusted him and his faithfulness opens the door for God to promote, prosper and cause His faithful steward to prevail over every obstacle, even his enemies.

As born-again believers, we are required to be faithful stewards.

- a) We live lives true to our faith in Christ’s saving grace. We live as those forgiven of our sins (1 John 1:9). We walk by faith and are led by the Holy Spirit (2 Corinthians 5:7, Romans 8:14).
- b) We are entrusted with spiritual gifts and natural talents, abilities and material possessions (James 1:17). Regardless of our status in life, we

are required to be faithful stewards of God. The Bible says, *“And he gives grace generously. As the Scriptures say, “God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble””* (James 4:6).

- c) We are should keep ourselves physically healthy in order to be faithful in serving God and useful to the Kingdom of God. We are also spiritual beings and need to be faithful students of God’s Word. Jesus said, *“Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word of God”* (Luke 4:4 KJV). The Bible also says, *“And let us not neglect our meeting together, as some people do, but encourage one another, especially now that the day of his return is drawing near”* (Hebrews 10:25). The assembling together is to come to church to worship, pray and receive God’s Word.
- d) We are to be faithful stewards of the earth and its environment. The Bible says, *“The earth is the Lord’s, and everything in it. The world and all its people belong to him”* (Psalm 24:1). *“So God created human beings in his own image. In the image of God he created them; male and female he created them. Then God blessed them and said, “Be fruitful and multiply. Fill the earth and govern it. Reign over the fish in the sea, the birds in the sky and all the animals that scurry along the ground.””* (Genesis 1:27-28). God has created the world with all the provision that man needs to survive. When there is lack, it is not because God has not provided, but man has failed to be the faithful steward of this earth.

Joseph’s life is a good example of one who lived, loved and served God as a faithful steward and God blessed, favoured and prospered him.

## 1. JOSEPH PROSPERED IN HIS MASTER’S HOUSEHOLD AS A FAITHFUL STEWARD

The Bible says, *“Now Joseph had been taken down to Egypt. And Potiphar, an officer of Pharaoh, captain of the guard, an Egyptian, bought him from the Ishmaelites who had taken him down there. The Lord was with Joseph, and he was a successful man; and he was in the house of his master the Egyptian. And his master saw that the Lord was with him and that the Lord made all he did to prosper in*

his hand. So Joseph found favour in his sight, and served him. Then he made him overseer of his house, and all that he had, that the Lord blessed the Egyptian's house for Joseph's sake; and the blessing of the Lord was on all that he had in the house and in the field" (Genesis 39:1-5 NIV). The Bible said, 'The Lord was with Joseph and he found favour with God. His master noticed it and made him overseer of his house and the blessing of God prospered him as a faithful steward'.

## 2. JOSEPH WAS A FAITHFUL STEWARD EVEN WHEN HE WAS TEMPTED

The Bible says, "So Potiphar gave Joseph complete administrative responsibility over everything he owned. With Joseph there, he didn't worry about a thing—except what kind of food to eat! Joseph was a very handsome and well-built young man, and Potiphar's wife soon began to look at him lustfully. "Come and sleep with me," she demanded. But Joseph refused. "Look," he told her, "my master trusts me with everything in his entire household. No one here has more authority than I do. He has held back nothing from me except you, because you are his wife. How could I do such a wicked thing? It would be a great sin against God." She came and grabbed him by his cloak, demanding, "Come on, sleep with me!" Joseph tore himself away, but he left his cloak in her hand as he ran from the house. She kept the cloak with her until her husband came home. Then she told him her story. "That Hebrew slave you've brought into our house

tried to come in and fool around with me," she said. "But when I screamed, he ran outside, leaving his cloak with me!" Potiphar was furious when he heard his wife's story about how Joseph had treated her. Then Joseph's master took him and put him into the prison, a place where the king's prisoners were confined. And he was there in the prison. But the Lord was with Joseph and showed him mercy, and He gave him favour in the sight of the keeper of the prison. And the keeper of the prison committed to Joseph's hand all the prisoners who were in the prison; whatever they did there, it was his doing. The keeper of the prison did not look into anything that was under Joseph's authority, because the Lord was with him; and whatever he did, the Lord made it prosper" (Genesis 39:6-9, 12, 16-23). When we prosper, let us be aware of temptations. Though Joseph was misjudged and thrown into prison, the Lord was with him. As believers, when we put God first and stay faithful to the vision God gives us, we will prevail over every circumstance and prosper.

## 3. JOSEPH WAS PROMOTED TO BE SECOND IN LINE NEXT TO PHAROAH BECAUSE HE WAS A FAITHFUL STEWARD AND GOD WAS WITH HIM

The Scripture records what Pharaoh said to Joseph, "Since God has revealed the meaning of the dreams to you, clearly no one else is as intelligent or wise as you are. You will be in charge of my court, and all my people will take orders from you. Only I, sitting on my throne, will have a rank higher than yours." Pharaoh





said to Joseph, "I hereby put you in charge of the entire land of Egypt." Then Pharaoh removed his signet ring from his hand and placed it on Joseph's finger. He dressed him in fine linen clothing and hung a gold chain around his neck. Then he had Joseph ride in the chariot reserved for his second-in-command. And wherever Joseph went, the command was shouted, "Kneel down!" So Pharaoh put Joseph in charge of all Egypt. And Pharaoh said to him, "I am Pharaoh, but no one will lift a hand or foot in the entire land of Egypt without your approval!" (Genesis 41:39-44). From being a man sold as a slave and imprisoned, Joseph was now in charge of the nation of Egypt. The reward for faithfulness outweighs the temptations of sin.

### **Jesus' Teaching on Stewardship**

We can learn from Jesus' teaching on "the parable of the talents", "*The Kingdom of Heaven can be illustrated by the story of a man going on a long trip. He called together his servants and entrusted his money to them while he was gone. He gave five bags of silver to one, two bags of silver to another and one bag of silver to the last – dividing it in proportion to their abilities. He then left on his trip. After a long time their master returned from his trip and called them to give an account of how they had used his money*" (Matthew 25:14-15, 19). The master commends the first two servants for he says, "*Well done, my good and faithful servant. You have been faithful in handling this small amount, so now I will give you many more responsibilities*" (Matthew 25:21, 23). The master's commendation was based on faithfulness, not the size of the gift because we are required to be faithful. The third servant was a picture of an unfaithful servant. The master said, "*You wicked and lazy servant! If you knew I harvested crops I didn't plant and gathered crops*

*I didn't cultivate, why didn't you deposit my money in the bank? At least I could have gotten some interest on it. Then he ordered, 'Take the money from this servant, and give it to the one with the ten bags of silver. To those who use well what they are given, even more will be given, and they will have an abundance. But from those who do nothing, even what little they have will be taken away'"* (Matthew 25:26-29). In the same way, the Bible says, "*Yes, each of us will give a personal account to God*" (Romans 14:12). "*A faithful man will abound with blessings, but he who hastens to be rich will not go unpunished*" (Proverbs 28:20 ESV). "*Remember the Lord your God. He is the one who gives you power to be successful, in order to fulfill the covenant he confirmed to your ancestors with an oath*" (Deuteronomy 8:18). The Bible says, "*The blessing of the Lord makes a person rich, and he adds no sorrow with it*" (Proverbs 10:22). When the blessings of wealth and prosperity do not come from God, it comes with sorrow.

Everything we have comes from God. Joseph recognised he was God's steward of all he possessed. He was a faithful steward despite the challenges he went through and God promoted and prospered him. In the same way, we have been given talents, gifts and abilities. We have the choice to be faithful or unfaithful with all that we have. Let us be good stewards to live, love and serve Him faithfully and may the Lord say to us, "Well done, my good and faithful servant".

All Bible quotations are in the New Living Translation, unless otherwise indicated.

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# CALVARY CHURCH *celebrates* 50 YEARS

2018 MARKS THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY  
OF CALVARY CHURCH.

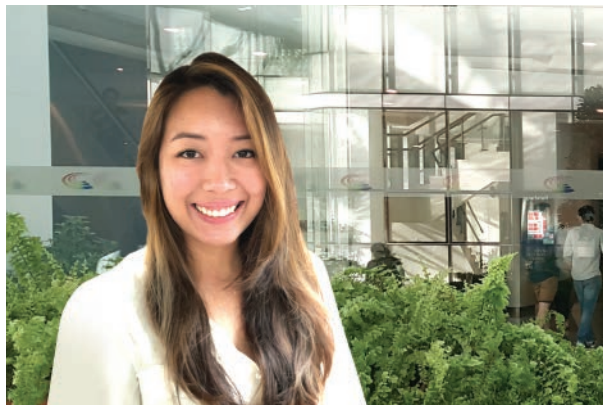
IN CONJUNCTION WITH THIS SIGNIFICANT  
MILESTONE, CALVARYNEWS WILL  
BE FEATURING 50 TESTIMONIES  
OF CALVARITES THROUGHOUT 2018.

BE BLESSED BY THESE TESTIMONIES...

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## **BLESSED BY SERVING IN THE MUSIC AND CREATIVE ARTS MINISTRY**

Calvary Church has always seemed like a second family to me. It has been a significant part of my life and a large part of this revolves around my involvements in ministries. It has been an avenue to make friends and strengthen relationships, where I have been tried and found God faithful, and a platform where I can demonstrate my love for Him.



A ministry that I have always been involved in is the Music and Creative Arts Ministry and its evangelistic productions. One of the hardest and most stressful times during the production timeline is what we call 'Intensive Week'. This happens a week before the production day and different teams are usually there most days (and nights as most people have day jobs) putting the finishing touches on the set, sewing costumes, practicing lines or rehearsing. Production after production, I am amazed and blessed by our Calvarites as they sacrifice their time and resources to be a part of evangelistic productions. Despite the heavy toll and late nights, they are cheerful, patient, wanting to help in any way they can and quick to give words of encouragement. When I am discouraged, I will get a text message or a kind word from someone in the production team, sometimes, even chocolate!

The best part is seeing everything come together and the Lord working through us, using our God-given talents to speak to the audience. It is a humbling experience and one that I am so grateful and blessed to be able to share with the amazing Calvary family I serve alongside with.

**Azalea Joy Lee**

## NEVER TOO YOUNG TO APPRECIATE

It feels like I have known Calvary Church my entire life. In fact I do! I was born to a Calvarite couple, Jeffrey Saw and Joanne Tan. This Church has brought me closer to God and gave me really awesome friends like James, Asher and many others.

Growing up, I was taught by many wonderful teachers at the Carpenter's Workshop and this has helped me understand the Bible better.



I have always enjoyed playing music. Last year, I joined the Church's orchestra team and have to say, I had a blast! When I first joined, I did not know where my journey was headed, but God put me on the right track and I embarked on my great journey. I made some really good friends and started to worship God even more from then onwards.

Calvary Church has already helped me a lot in my life. I am proud to say that I am a part of this amazing Church.

**Josiah Saw**

## SEEING GOD'S SALVATION IN MY FAMILY

I am ever thankful to the Lord for all He has done in my life and my family through Calvary Church.

In 1977, my eldest brother, Jimmy, died in a tragic accident. Our family of eight, comprising my parents and the remaining six children, were devastated and grieving until God's love and mercy came upon us one by one.

My eldest sister, Jeannie, accepted the Lord in 1978 and came to Calvary Church. She brought my younger sister, Catherine, along who accepted the Lord then. The following year, another brother, Kevin, was saved and in 1980, my youngest brother Simon, also received salvation.



It took 11 years for me to come to the saving grace of our Lord Jesus Christ. My wife, Seah Mooi Fong, her siblings David and Justine, along with me accepted the Lord in November 1989. We all began our walk of faith in Calvary Church. In 1990, my parents, my third brother, Bernard, and his wife also gave their hearts to Jesus. God has surely fulfilled our heart's desire in trusting Him for the salvation of our loved ones.

Today, we continue to see the salvation of friends and loved ones. We are indeed grateful to Senior Pastor Prince Guneratnam and all the pastors. Together as a family, we wish Calvary Church a very blessed 50th anniversary!

**Phang Wai Marudu**

## **GOD'S EVIDENT BLESSINGS IN MY MINISTRY AND MY FAMILY**

If I had to describe what Calvary Church means to me in just one word, it would be 'faithful'. When I look back and ponder on God's work in my life since I started attending Calvary Church in 2000, God's faithfulness is evident and unmistakable.

I began serving in the Royal Rangers Ministry in 2001 as a trainee commander. Little did I realise that by serving God in this role I would be a Councilman to the Royal Rangers Ministry 17 years later! The greatest thing is to have mentored young boys and girls, who have grown up and are now serving as commanders themselves. I have personally observed and experienced God's faithfulness to this ministry all these years.



*Wong Horr Wai with his wife, Goh Huay-Yee and their two daughters*

God has also blessed me and my family in all aspects. I married my beautiful wife, Goh Huay-Yee, in Calvary Church. My daughters, Wong Shan Li and Wong Wen Li, were both dedicated as babies and later, baptised in water at Calvary Church! Clearly, Calvary Church is a very important part of our lives. Yes, we all have our challenges. I am not exempted. God's grace, however, is sufficient to see us through.

We can be faithful to God, for He is faithful to us, as is written in Lamentations 3:23b, "Great is Thy faithfulness".

**Wong Horr Wai**

## **GIVING GOD THE GLORY BY SERVING IN CALVARY CHURCH**

Calvary Church is not only my spiritual home but also the Church where God has given me the honour and privilege to serve as a full-time staff for more than 30 years.

I count it a blessing to serve under the leadership of pastors who are 100% committed to the call of God. It is a privilege to journey with them, especially in seeing the vision of Calvary Convention Centre come to reality. Their spirit of tenacity and perseverance in times of difficulty has spurred me to always keep my eyes fixed on Jesus Christ. It was life transforming to witness God's miraculous interventions at different stages of the journey.



Over the course of my full-time service, I was assigned to different ministries. I am most thankful for the time served at the Asian Institute of Ministries and the School of Christian Growth, the two education arms of Calvary Church. These involvements impressed upon me the importance of studying God's Word to serve God well. In the different seasons of my life, I have experienced the energising and sustaining power of the life-giving Word.

God has proven to be faithful all these years as I lack nothing. I am also thankful to my Calvary family because in times of need, they have extended their love and care for me. All praise to God!

**Ho Swee Mei**





*The attentive participants*



*Sheela translating Pastor Chee Weng's amusing story*

# EXALT, EQUIP AND EVANGELISE IN TAMIL

BY MARTHA JONATHAN

On Sunday, 27 May 2018, the first Tamil Ministry Fellowship in Calvary Convention Centre (CCC) was held. Its purpose is to build up Tamil-speaking believers in CCC and to reach out to Tamil-speaking potential believers. There were a total of 75 attendees, including three first-time visitors to Calvary Church. The fellowship was made all the more encouraging with a handful of non-Tamil-speaking Calvarites joining in to support.

The session began with a wonderful time of praise and worship led by Sany Shanker accompanied by rhythmic beats of the bongos in typical Tamil worship style. Associate Pastor Yong Chee Weng

then brought the Word of God to us which was interpreted into Tamil by Sheela Shammela. He shared that evangelism amongst Tamil-speakers is one of the weakest in Malaysia and we cannot allow our limitations to stop us from doing what God has told us to do. As an example, he illustrated how God used him in different language ministries, including Tamil! When God says we can do it, we should not say we cannot! With that challenge, we commenced the Tamil Fellowship to exalt the Lord, equip believers, and evangelise the lost. We also praise God that one of the new comers accepted Christ to be her Lord and Saviour!

We ended the fellowship with a time of testimony where a number of attendees shared how they had prayed for a Tamil Ministry in Calvary Church and were blessed to see God bringing it to pass. This Tamil Ministry Fellowship serves as an affirmation that God desires for all to be saved and He will enable and equip us for His work.

**Invite Tamil-speaking potential believers to the next fellowship on Sunday, 29 July 2018, 11.30am at Room 12, Level 2, Calvary Convention Centre**



*Sany and team leading the attendees in worship*



*Enjoying a vibrant time of worship in Tamil*





Donating for a cause



Giving to make a difference in someone's life



Young adults proudly showing off their plastered puncture wounds and certificates



Kimberly



Joshua

# BOLD TO MAKE EVERY 'PINT' COUNT!

BY JANA PONNUDURAI

It gets better every year! With the Lord's blessings, we saw a record turnout of 203 Calvarites and the general public to the recent Blood Donation Drive on Sunday, 10 June 2018, organised by the Social Concern Ministry at Calvary Convention Centre (CCC).

A total of 146 people successfully donated their blood to meet the seasonal dip of 'Pusat Darah Negara' (PDN) during the fasting month.

Associate Pastor Raymond Yong appreciated all donors who came forward to support the drive this year. "We are encouraged to be able to create awareness on 'giving' and to bless the local community with this drive. We saw more millennials supporting the cause, along with 45% of the volunteers from the general public who saw our banner outside CCC. If each pint can save up to three lives, then all those who donated would have saved 438 people," Pastor Raymond said.

Medical officers from PDN expressed their appreciation to Calvary Church for a well-organized drive saying that CCC is comfortable, spacious and the Calvary Church organising team was very efficient.

Here are some wonderful testimonies from Calvarites who successfully donated their blood:

"It really was not painful at all, just one prick! Kicking your foot against a chair or wall is more painful!" - **Kimberly Woo**

"This is one way we can encourage the attitude of sharing and giving, to show that we need each other despite our backgrounds." - **Joshua Indran**

"We stepped up to donate as a family, hoping to show the love of Christ to those in need." - **Looi Sook Ming** and her son, **Lai Weng Yew**

"I am glad that I came forward to support a cause such as this and pray to be more socially conscious of my surroundings." - **JE Daniel**

"It is not often that I am able to donate because of my low blood pressure, but I thank God today I could!" - **Melissa Samuel**



Melissa



JE Daniel



Weng Yew (left) with his mom, Sook Ming





*Working together to build a structure*



*Joyful kids and teachers at Funtopia*

# LEARNING TO HAVE FAITH AND FUN

BY GAN HUA ANN

During the recent Public Holiday on Tuesday, 29 May 2018, Calvary Kids organised an outing for kids ages seven to nine. A total of 33 kids (including two new visitors) accompanied by eight teachers had a great time at Funtopia – an indoor attraction in Subang Jaya which features wall climbing, giant slides and a suspended ropes course.

Excitement filled the air as the day started with prayer and some upbeat worship songs before boarding the bus to Funtopia. Upon arrival, the kids were eager to begin as they laid eyes on the many interesting challenges before them. Initially, some were afraid of heights and on the brink of giving up; however, with the cheers and encouragement from the other kids and teachers, they chose to press on and successfully completed the course.

Time always flies when you are having fun. Before they knew it, it was time to head back to Calvary Convention Centre after lunch. In the bus, Calvary Kids teacher, K. Sulojana, shared a short message about facing fears with God’s help, followed by an opportunity for sharing of testimonies which included thanking God for new friends, protection and help in overcoming their fears. All kids responded that they enjoyed themselves and are looking forward to next year’s outing.

Praise God for the new friendships formed, bonds strengthened and a fun-filled experience for the kids!



*All things are possible with God!*



*Walking by faith on the suspended rope bridge*



*The kids having scrumptious lunch*





*The kids and teachers posing at the entrance of Paradise Valley*



*Scaling the Watchman Tower*

# A DAY AT PARADISE!

BY KENNEDY KOMBA

As the sun rose in the early hours of Tuesday, 29 May 2018, a vibrant group of God-loving Calvary Kids, ages ten and 11, embarked on the much-awaited day trip to the Paradise Valley in Broga. We began with a word of prayer led by Pastor Quek Lee Siu who committed the trip into the hands of our benevolent God.

The bus arrived safely at the Paradise Valley and the kids led by their class teachers, departed to the activities of the first half of the day: Abseiling and Watchman Tower. These activities had a positive effect of imparting real-life experience in overcoming fear and being victorious through the challenges.

Then, Calvary Kids teacher, Lai Gaik Hoon, shared a practical devotion on trusting God and putting

Him first in our lives. The Paradise Valley staff also provided the kids with fish-feed to feed different species of fresh water fish and prawns too! Kayaking then commenced and the reservoir turned into a lake of colourful crisscrossing kayaks filled with jubilated kids! The fun-filled trip ended on a very high note and below are some testimonies from the kids that participated:

“At first, I felt so scared, but then I thought, I have buckled-up already so there is no turning back! I ended up doing the abseiling twice!” – **Yong Mei En**

“This was the best field trip I have had! I was able to kayak and make new friends.” – **Kylie Kho**

“I enjoyed everything and I mixed with so many friends.” – **Joel Harshvarthan**

“This trip reminded me of God’s love and care.” – **Tiffany Law**

“I enjoyed this trip with Church friends and made a new friend named Hong Liang. I enjoyed kayaking and swimming. I would like to come back again.” – **Ethan Leow**



*The kids joyously kayaking*



*Having a splendid time on the swings*



# PENGELOLA YANG SETIA

OLEH PENDITA KANAN PRINCE GUNERATNAM

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**“Yang akhirnya dituntut dari pelayan-pelayan yang demikian ialah, bahwa mereka ternyata dapat dipercayai” (1 Korintus 4:2).**

**Seorang pengelola adalah orang yang mengelola harta, kewangan, atau urusan orang lain yang diwakilkan. Sebagai orang percaya yang lahir baru, kita adalah pengelola Tuhan dan untuk menjadi setia bukanlah satu pilihan. Kita harus setia, dapat dipercaya, dan tabah. Kita harus punya komitmen dan berdedikasi untuk melayani Tuhan dan tidak ada yang munafik tentang keberadaan kita secara keseluruhan. Pengelola yang setia melakukan apa yang dipercayakan Tuhan kepadanya dan kesetiiaannya membuka pintu bagi Tuhan untuk memajukan, berhasil dan membuatkan pengelolaNya yang setia untuk menang atas setiap rintangan, bahkan musuh-musuhnya.**

Sebagai orang percaya yang lahir baru, kita dituntut untuk menjadi pengelola yang setia.

a) Kita menjalankan kehidupan yang benar untuk iman kepada anugerah keselamatan Kristus. Kita hidup sebagai orang yang diampuni dari dosa-dosa kita (1 Yohanes 1:9). Kita berjalan dengan iman dan dipimpin oleh Roh Kudus (2 Korintus 5:7, Roma 8:14).

- b) Kita dipercayakan dengan karunia rohani dan bakat alami, kemampuan dan harta benda (Yakobus 1:17). Tidak kira status kita dalam kehidupan, kita dituntut untuk menjadi pengelola Tuhan yang setia. Alkitab berkata, “Dan dia memberi anugerah dengan murah hati. Seperti yang Alkitab katakan, “Tuhan menentang orang yang congkak, tetapi mengasihani orang yang rendah hati”” (Yakobus 4: 6).
- c) Kita dituntut untuk sihat jasmani agar setia dalam melayani Tuhan dan berguna bagi Kerajaan Tuhan. Kita juga adalah makhluk rohani dan perlu menjadi murid yang setia akan Firman Tuhan. Jawab Yesus kepadanya: “Manusia hidup bukan dari roti saja, melainkan oleh setiap Firman Tuhan” (Lukas 4:4). Alkitab juga mengatakan, “Janganlah kita menjauhkan diri dari pertemuan-pertemuan ibadah kita, seperti dibiasakan oleh beberapa orang, tetapi marilah kita saling menasihati, dan semakin giat melakukannya menjelang hari Tuhan yang mendekat” (Ibrani 10:25). Persekutuan bersama adalah datang ke gereja untuk beribadah, berdoa dan menerima Firman Tuhan.
- d) Kita harus menjadi pengelola yang setia di bumi dan lingkungannya. Alkitab mengatakan, “Tuhanlah yang empunya bumi serta segala isinya, dan dunia serta yang diam di dalamnya” (Mazmur 24:1). “Maka Tuhan menciptakan manusia itu menurut gambar-Nya, menurut gambar Tuhan diciptakan-Nya dia; laki-laki dan perempuan diciptakan-Nya mereka. Tuhan memberkati mereka, lalu Tuhan berfirman kepada mereka: “Beranakcuculah dan bertambah banyak; penuhilah bumi dan taklukkanlah itu, berkuasalah atas ikan-ikan di laut dan burung-burung di udara dan atas segala binatang yang merayap di bumi” (Kejadian 1:27-28). Tuhan telah menciptakan dunia dengan semua perbekalannya yang diperlukan oleh manusia untuk hidup. Ketika ada kekurangan, itu bukan kerana Tuhan belum menyediakan, tetapi manusia telah gagal menjadi pengelola setia di bumi ini.

Kehidupan Yusuf adalah contoh yang baik dari seseorang yang hidup, mengasihi dan melayani Tuhan sebagai pengelola yang setia dan Tuhan memberkati, mengasihi dan memberi keberhasilan kepadanya.

## **1. YUSUF MENJADI BERHASIL DI RUMAH TUANNYA SEBAGAI SEORANG PENGELOLA YANG SETIA**

Alkitab mengatakan, “Adapun Yusuf telah dibawa ke Mesir; dan Potifar, pegawai istana Firaun, kepala pengawal raja, seorang orang Mesir, membeli dia dari tangan orang Ismael yang telah membawa dia ke situ. Tetapi TUHAN menyertai Yusuf, sehingga ia menjadi seorang yang selalu berhasil dalam pekerjaannya; maka



tinggalah ia di rumah tuannya, orang Mesir itu. Setelah dilihat oleh tuannya, bahwa Yusuf disertai TUHAN dan bahwa TUHAN membuat berhasil segala sesuatu yang dikerjakannya, maka Yusuf mendapat kasih tuannya, dan ia boleh melayani dia; kepada Yusuf diberikannya kuasa atas rumahnya dan segala miliknya diserahkan pada kekuasaan Yusuf. Sejak ia memberikan kuasa dalam rumahnya dan atas segala miliknya kepada Yusuf, TUHAN memberkati rumah orang Mesir itu karena Yusuf, sehingga berkat TUHAN ada atas segala miliknya, baik yang di rumah maupun yang di ladang” (Kejadian 39:1-5). Alkitab berkata, 'Tuhan bersama Yusuf dan dia mendapat kasih karunia dari Tuhan. Tuannya memperhatikannya dan menjadikannya pengelola dalam rumahnya dan berkat Tuhan membuat dia berhasil sebagai seorang pengelola yang setia'.

## 2. YUSUF MERUPAKAN PENGELOLA YANG SETIA W ALAUPUN IA DIGODA

Alkitab mengatakan, “Segala miliknya diserahkan pada kekuasaan Yusuf, dan dengan bantuan Yusuf ia tidak usah lagi mengatur apa-apapun selain dari makanannya sendiri. Adapun Yusuf itu manis sikapnya dan elok parasnya. Selang beberapa waktu isteri tuannya memandang Yusuf dengan berahi, lalu katanya: “Marilah tidur dengan aku.” Tetapi Yusuf menolak dan berkata kepada isteri tuannya itu: “Dengan bantuanku tuanku itu tidak lagi mengatur apa yang ada di rumah ini dan ia telah menyerahkan segala miliknya pada kekuasaanmu, bahkan di rumah ini ia tidak lebih besar kuasanya dari padaku, dan tiada yang tidak diserahkan kepadaku selain dari pada engkau, sebab engkau isterinya. Bagaimanakah mungkin aku melakukan kejahatan yang besar ini dan berbuat dosa terhadap Tuhan?” Lalu perempuan itu memegang baju Yusuf sambil berkata: “Marilah tidur dengan aku.” Tetapi Yusuf meninggalkan bajunya di tangan perempuan

itu dan lari ke luar. Juga ditaruhnya baju Yusuf itu di sisinya, sampai tuan rumah pulang. Perkataan itu jugalah yang diceritakan perempuan itu kepada Potifar, katanya: “Hamba orang Ibrani yang kau bawa ke mari itu datang kepadaku untuk mempermainkan aku. Tetapi ketika aku berteriak sekeras-kerasnya, ditinggalkannya bajunya padaku, lalu ia lari ke luar.” Baru saja didengar oleh tuannya perkataan yang diceritakan isterinya kepadanya: begini begitulah aku diperlakukan oleh hambamu itu, maka bangkitlah amarahnya. Lalu Yusuf ditangkap oleh tuannya dan dimasukkan ke dalam penjara, tempat tahanan-tahanan raja dikurung. Demikianlah Yusuf dipenjarakan di sana. Tetapi TUHAN menyertai Yusuf dan melimpahkan kasih setia-Nya kepadanya, dan membuat Yusuf kesayangan bagi kepala penjara itu. Sebab itu kepala penjara mempercayakan semua tahanan dalam penjara itu kepada Yusuf, dan segala pekerjaan yang harus dilakukan di situ, dialah yang mengurusnya. Dan kepala penjara tidak mencampuri segala yang dipercayakannya kepada Yusuf, karena TUHAN menyertai dia dan apa yang dikerjakannya dibuat TUHAN berhasil” (Kejadian 39:6-9, 12, 16-23). Ketika kita berhasil, marilah kita berjaga-jaga terhadap godaan. Meskipun Yusuf disalah anggap dan dibuang ke dalam penjara, Tuhan menyertainya. Sebagai orang percaya, ketika kita mengutamakan Tuhan dan tetap setia kepada visi yang Tuhan berikan kepada kita, kita akan menang atas setiap keadaan dan berhasil.

## 3. YUSUF DINAikkan UNTUK DITETAPKAN MENJADI ORANG KEDUA DARIPADA FIRAUN KERANA DIA ADALAH PENGELOLA YANG SETIA DAN TUHAN MENYERTAINYA

Alkitab mencatat apa yang dikatakan Firaun kepada Yusuf, “Oleh karena Tuhan telah memberitahukan semuanya ini kepadamu, tidaklah ada orang yang demikian berakal budi dan bijaksana seperti engkau. Engkaulah menjadi kuasa atas istanaku, dan kepada pemerintahmu seluruh rakyatku akan taat; hanya takhta inilah kelebihanku dari padamu.” Selanjutnya Firaun berkata kepada Yusuf: “Dengan ini aku melantik engkau menjadi kuasa atas seluruh tanah Mesir.” Sesudah itu Firaun menanggalkan cincin meterainya dari jarinya dan mengenakannya pada jari Yusuf; dipakaikannyalah kepada Yusuf pakaian dari pada kain halus dan digantungkannya kalung emas pada lehernya. Lalu Firaun menyuruh menaikkan Yusuf dalam keretanya yang kedua, dan berserulah orang di hadapan Yusuf: “Hormat!” Demikianlah Yusuf dilantik oleh Firaun menjadi kuasa atas seluruh tanah Mesir. Berkatalah Firaun kepada Yusuf: “Akulah Firaun, tetapi dengan tidak setahumu, seorangpun tidak boleh bergerak di seluruh tanah Mesir” (Kejadian 41:39-44). Dari seorang laki-laki yang dijual sebagai budak dan dipenjarakan, Yusuf sekarang bertanggung jawab atas bangsa Mesir. Ganjaran untuk kesetiaan melebihi godaan dosa.

## Ajaran Yesus tentang Pengelolaan

Kita dapat belajar dari ajaran Yesus tentang “perumpamaan tentang talenta”, “Sebab hal Kerajaan Sorga sama seperti seorang yang mau bepergian ke luar negeri, yang memanggil hamba-hambanya dan mempercayakan hartanya kepada mereka. Yang seorang diberikannya lima talenta, yang seorang lagi dua dan yang seorang lain lagi satu, masing-masing menurut kesanggupannya, lalu ia berangkat. Lama sesudah itu pulanglah tuan hamba-hamba itu lalu mengadakan perhitungan dengan mereka” (Matius 25:14-15, 19). Tuan memuji dua orang pertama karena dia berkata, “Baik sekali perbuatanmu itu, hai hambaku yang baik dan setia; engkau telah setia dalam perkara kecil, aku akan memberikan kepadamu tanggung jawab dalam perkara yang besar” (Matius 25:21, 23). Penghargaan tuan didasarkan pada kesetiaan, bukan ukuran hadiah kerana kita sememangnya harus setia. Pengelola ketiga adalah gambaran seorang hamba yang tidak setia. Tuan itu berkata, “Hai kamu, hamba yang jahat dan malas, jadi kamu sudah tahu, bahwa aku menuai di tempat di mana aku tidak menabur dan memungut dari tempat di mana aku tidak menanam, mengapa kamu tidak menyimpan uang ku di bank? Supaya sekembaliku aku menerimanya serta dengan bunganya. Kemudian dia menyuruh, ‘ambillah talenta itu dari padanya dan berikanlah kepada orang yang mempunyai sepuluh talenta itu. Karena setiap orang yang mempunyai, kepadanya akan diberi, sehingga ia berkelimpahan. Tetapi siapa yang tidak mempunyai, apapun juga yang ada padanya akan diambil dari padanya’” (Matius 25:26-29). Dengan cara yang sama, Alkitab mengatakan, “Demikianlah setiap orang di antara kita akan memberi pertanggung jawaban tentang dirinya sendiri kepada Tuhan” (Roma 14:12). “Orang yang dapat dipercaya mendapat banyak berkat, tetapi orang yang ingin cepat menjadi kaya, tidak akan luput dari hukuman” (Amsal 28:20). “Tetapi haruslah engkau ingat kepada TUHAN, Tuhanmu, sebab Dialah yang memberikan kepadamu kekuatan untuk memperoleh kekayaan, dengan maksud meneguhkan perjanjian yang diikrarkan-Nya dengan sumpah kepada nenek moyangmu, seperti sekarang ini” (Ulangan 8:18). Alkitab mengatakan, “Berkat Tuhanlah yang menjadikan kaya, susah payah tidak akan menambahinya” (Amsal 10:22). Ketika berkat kekayaan dan kemakmuran tidak datang dari Tuhan, itu datang dengan kesedihan.

Segala milik kita dan apa yang kita lakukan datangnya dari Tuhan. Yusuf mengenalpasti dia adalah pengelola Tuhan atas segala yang dia miliki. Dia adalah seorang pengelola yang setia meskipun ada tantangan yang dia lalui dan Tuhan memajukan dan membuat dia berhasil. Dengan cara yang sama, kita telah diberi bakat, karunia, dan keupayaan. Kita punya pilihan untuk menjadi setia atau tidak setia dengan apa yang kita miliki. Marilah kita menjadi pengelola yang baik untuk hidup, mengasihi dan melayani Dia dengan setia dan biarlah Tuhan berkata kepada kita, “Baik sekali, hambaku yang baik dan setia”.

Semua petikan Alkitab adalah dari Terjemahan Bahasa Indonesia melainkan dinyatakan.

# 忠心的管家

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**「所求于管家的，是要他忠心」  
(林前4:2)。**

**管家是管理他人财产、财务或其他委派事务的人。作为一个重生的信徒，我们是神的管家，忠心不是一种选择。我们应该忠心、值得信赖和坚定。我们必须尽忠职守，献身事奉神，我们的整个生命没有虚伪的一面。忠心的管家做神托付他的事，他的忠心为神打开了一扇门，来提升，兴旺，使他忠心的管家能够战胜所有的障碍，甚至他的敌人。**

作为重生的信徒，我们必须是忠心的管家。

- 我们过着一种忠于我们对耶稣基督拯救的恩典的信仰生活。我们生活因我们的罪得赦免(约一1:9)。我们行事为人是凭着信心，并且是被圣灵引导(林后5:7, 罗8:14)。
- 我们受托属灵的恩赐和自然的才干、能力和物质财富(雅1:7)。不管我们在生活中的地位如何，我们都必须是神忠心的管家。圣经上说：「但是他赐更多的恩典，正如经上说：“神抵挡骄傲的人，但赐恩给谦卑的人”」(雅4:6)。
- 我们必须身体健康，才能忠心事奉神，并在神的国度里有用。我们也是属灵的人，要忠心地学习神的话语。耶稣说：「人活着，不是单靠食物」(路4:4)。圣经上也说：「不可停止聚会，好像那些停止惯了的人，倒要彼此劝勉，既然知道那日子临近，就更当如此」(来10:25)。聚集在一起，就是到教会去敬拜、祈祷和领受神的话语。
- 我们要做地和环境的忠心管家。圣经上说：「地和其中所充满的，世界和住在其中的，都属耶和華」(诗24:1)。「神就照着他的形像创造人，照着神的形像创造他们；他创造了他们，有男有女。神赐福给他们，神对他们说：“要生养众多，遍满这地，治理它；要管理海里的鱼、天空的鸟和地上各样活



动的生物”」（创1:27-28）。神创造了这个世界，有了人类生存所需的一切。当有缺乏时，并不是因为神没有供应，而是人类没有成为这地忠心的管家。

约瑟的一生是一个很好的例子，他是一个生活，关爱和事奉神作忠心管家的人；神祝福，赐恩惠给他和使他兴盛。

### 1. 约瑟在他主人家里作忠心的管家而兴盛

圣经上说：「约瑟被带下埃及去。有一个埃及人波提乏，是法老的官员，是护卫长，他从那些带约瑟下来的以实玛利人手中把约瑟买了去。约瑟在他埃及主人的家中，耶和华与他同在，他是一个通达的人。他主人见耶和华与他同在，又见耶和华使他手里所办的事都顺利，约瑟就在主人眼前蒙恩，伺候他主人，主人派他管理家务，把一切所有的都交在他手里。自从主人派约瑟管理家务和他一切所有的，耶和华就因约瑟的缘故赐福给那埃及人的家；凡家里和田间一切所有的，都蒙耶和华赐福」（创39:1-5）。圣经上说：「耶和华与约瑟同在和他在神的面前蒙恩。他主人注意到，就派他管理他的家务，而神的祝福使他兴盛作忠心的管家」。

### 2. 约瑟是一个忠心的管家，即使当他受到试探。

圣经上说：「波提乏把他一切所有的都交在约瑟手中，除了自己所吃的食物，其他的事一概不知。约瑟英俊健美。这些事以后，约瑟主人的妻子以目送情给约瑟，说：“你与我同寝吧！”约瑟拒绝，对他主人的妻子说：“看哪，一切家务我主人一概不知，他把所有的都交在我手里。在这家里没有人比我更大，除你以外，他也没有留下一样不交给我，因为你是他的妻子。我怎能行这么大的恶，得罪神呢？”妇人就拉住他的衣服，说：“你与我同寝吧！”约瑟把衣服留在她手里，逃出外面去了。妇人把约瑟的衣服放在身边，直到他主人回家，就用这样的话对他说：“你带到我们这里来的那希伯来仆人进来要调戏我，我放声大喊，他就把衣服留在我身边，逃到外面。”主人听见他妻子对他说的话，说：“你的仆人就是这样对待我”，就非常生气。约瑟的主人把他抓起来，关在监狱里，就是王的囚犯被关的地方。于是约瑟在那里坐牢。但耶和华与约瑟同在，向他施恩，使他在监狱长的眼前蒙恩。监狱长就把监狱里所有的囚犯都交在约瑟手下；在那里的一切事都由他处理。任何交在约瑟手中的事，监狱长一概不察，因为耶和华与约瑟同在，耶和华使他所做的都顺利」（创39:6-9, 12, 16-23）。当我们兴盛的时候，让我们觉察试探。约瑟虽被误判入狱，耶和华却与他同在。作为信徒，当我们把神放在第一位，并且忠于神给我们的异象，我们就能战胜各种环境和兴盛起来。

### 3. 约瑟被提升地位仅次于法老，因为他是一个忠心的管家，而神与他同在

圣经记载了法老对约瑟说的话：「“神既指示你这一切事，就没有人像你这样聪明又有智慧。你可以治理我的家；我的百姓都必服从你口中的命令。惟独在宝座上，我比你大。”法老又对约瑟说：“看，我委派你治理埃及全地。”法老就脱下手上带印的戒指，戴在约瑟的手上，给他穿上细麻衣，把金链戴在他的颈项上，又给约瑟坐他的副座车，在他前面有人呼



叫说：“跪下。”于是，法老委派他治理埃及全地。法老对约瑟说：“我是法老，若没有你的命令，埃及全地的人都不可擅自办事。”」（创41:39-44）。从一个被贩卖为奴隶和囚徒的人，约瑟现在治理埃及全地。忠心的赏赐胜过罪恶的试探。

#### 耶稣关于作管家的教导

耶稣的「按才干接受托付的比喻」是值得我们借鉴。「天国又好比一个人要出外远行，就叫了仆人来，把他的家业交给他们。他按着各人的才干，给他们银子：一个给了五千，一个给了二千，一个给了一千，就出外远行去了。过了许久，那些仆人的主人来了，和他们算账」（太25:14-15, 19）。主人赞扬前两个仆人，因为他说：「好，你这又善良又忠心的仆人，你在少许的事上忠心，我要派你管理许多的事」（太25:21, 23）。主人的赞扬是基于忠心，而不是才干的大小，因为我们必须忠心。第三个仆人是一个不忠的仆人的描绘。主人说：「你这又恶又懒的仆人，你既知道我没有种的地方也要收割，没有播的地方也要收获，就该把我的银子放给兑换银钱的人，到我来的时候可以连本带利收回。把他这一千夺过来，给那有一万的。因为凡有的，还要加给他，叫他有余；没有的，连他所有的也要夺过来」（太25:26-29）。同样地，圣经上说：「这样看来，我们各人一定要把自己的事在神面前交代」（罗14:12）。「诚实人必多得福；想要急速发财的，难免受罚」（箴28:20）。「你要记得耶和华—你的神，因为得财富的能力是他给你的，为要坚守他向你列祖起誓所立的约，像今日一样」（申8:18）。圣经上说：「耶和华所赐的福使人富足，并不加上忧虑。」（箴10:22）。当财富和兴盛的祝福不是来自神的时候，它同时伴随着忧虑。

我们拥有的一切和我们所做的一切都来自神。约瑟对他所拥有的一切承认他是神的管家。他是一位忠心的管家，尽管他经历了种种的挑战，神却提升他和使他兴盛。同样地，我们被赐予才干、恩赐和能力。我们可以选择对我们所拥有的一切忠心还是不忠心。让我们作好管家，忠心地生活，关爱和事奉他。愿主对我们说：「好，你这又善良又忠心的仆人」。

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The main office at Calvaryland



Residents attending their weekly chapel

# CALVARYLAND - LOVE IN ACTION

BY PASTOR SHEREEN WONG

Calvaryland is an integrated social care centre that has a Home for Older Adults, a Children’s Home and a Centre for Women in Crisis. It provides help and hope to the impoverished regardless of gender, religion, social or ethnic origin. We seek to dignify lives and integrate individuals back to society as responsible and contributing citizens. Calvaryland also provides job opportunities for the poor in the community.

## TESTIMONIES OF VOLUNTEERS WHO SERVE IN THIS MINISTRY

“I thank God for giving me the practical skills and energy to work in repairs and maintenance at Calvaryland. I have also organized fun and educational trips for the children to farms and orchards. I can never out-give God; the more I give of my time and abilities, the more God blesses me. Hallelujah!” – **Philip Chang**, a Calvarite volunteer with DIY skills for building maintenance

“Most old folks need company, love and attention. Every month, I drive the van and bring the old folks to the town area to eat and shop. They look forward to this outing. I feel blessed to see them happy.” – **Bernard Lee**, a Calvarite volunteer providing transport for the mobile elderly

“I thank God for my love and talent in cooking. Every month, I cook a full meal for all the residents. I always try to cook food that they like to eat and I am blessed to see them enjoy the meals I have prepared.” – **Kuku Chin**, a worshipper in Sepang Praise Assembly, a Calvary Church Outreach

## RESIDENTS OF CALVARYLAND WHO HAVE BEEN BLESSED THROUGH THIS MINISTRY

Jennifer, along with her three younger sisters, were brought to Calvaryland in November 2014. Their single mother had to constantly work till late and the girls were left exposed to unhealthy influences from neighbours. In early 2016, she enrolled in a vocational institute under the MySkills Foundation grant in Port Klang. Today, Jennifer is a staff of De’Divine Cafe in Brickfields and we rejoice that she has invited Jesus into her heart.

Marion is an 87 year old widow who was brought to Calvaryland in June 2015 due to age related physical challenges. She has found a new family



Older adults gathering for breakfast at the dining hall



Children playing a game of “hot potato”



Children having a meal and fellowship



# MEMBERSHIP INTAKE

Congratulations to 23 Calvarites who were received as members on 10 June 2018 at the Sunday Worship Service at Calvary Convention Centre. May you continue to be faithful in this local body of Christ and be involved in serving the Lord.



Senior Pastor Prince Guneratnam praying for the new members

here and enjoys the beautiful surrounding as well as practical care given. She has grown fervent in her faith, regularly reading her large print Bible.

King Moy came to Calvaryland in October 2012. She became homeless when she stopped working as a maid for a family in Klang, after serving them almost all her life. King Moy accepted Jesus and has become a prayer warrior, interceding daily for the salvation of other residents at Calvaryland, Calvary Church and the nation.

## CALVARYLAND INFORMATION AND CONTACT DETAILS

- Calvaryland is a non-profit organization that welcomes contributions in kind and financial support from corporations.
- We welcome volunteers who want to make a difference in the lives of the elderly and children.
- Calvaryland is also looking for more full-time caregivers (males and females) as well as a general worker (male) to partner with us in our mission to impact our society, one life at a time.
- For more details about Calvaryland, please email: [calvarylandsp@gmail.com](mailto:calvarylandsp@gmail.com) or call 03-3141 2590 / 03-3141 2597.

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# UNDERSTANDING AND GROWING IN THE WORD OF GOD

BY ASSOCIATE PASTOR CHAN LEE PENG

The School of Christian Growth (SCG) is the education arm of Calvary Church that provides systematic Bible teaching with practical application of the Word. Below are some testimonies from students who have greatly benefitted from courses offered on Sundays from 11.30am - 1.00pm at the Level 4 classrooms, Calvary Convention Centre.

“I started attending SCG at the age of 13 back in the Cheras Satellite Church. The courses offered over the years have been very beneficial to my spiritual walk. I believe every Calvarite should attend SCG, as it is a time where we can dig deeper and attain useful application knowledge. It is crucial that we take ownership of our own spiritual journey, by equipping ourselves with Kingdom teaching so that we may be vessels ready for God’s use.” – **Victoria Choi**



“Since attending SCG in early 2010, I have realized that studying God’s Word is not an option. Without it, our spiritual growth will be stunted and we will be ill-equipped to overcome trials and temptations as well as to live a life pleasing to God. SCG has spurred me to put my faith in God, who wants only the best for us. This realisation has given me strength to persevere both in good and challenging times.” – **Mok Chek Keng**

“I was introduced to my first class, My Faith, by my Life Group leader. I found it to be a great foundation in knowing the Bible. I enjoyed the sessions and subsequently signed up for other classes. Through



SCG, my knowledge of God's Word has improved tremendously. There were many ‘light-bulb moments’ when the teaching of God’s Word brought light and revelation to me.” – **Marcia Chan**

“I started attending SCG classes because the topics were interesting and thought-provoking. It has helped me to have a better understanding of God’s plan for our lives and to walk right before Him. The lessons are invaluable and I truly appreciate the teachers who make the lessons easy to understand, lively and interesting.” – **Barbara Devaraj**

“I have definitely grown spiritually while studying the different books of the Bible, especially the Old Testament. It has more significance to me now since I understand it better and am able to see how our God has been the same yesterday, today and forever!” – **Julian Goh**

“I am grateful for the learning opportunities provided by SCG. I attended a DVD course entitled “One Thousand Gifts” by Ann Voskamp which was very interesting and practical. It has taught me to live fully in the moment, to slow down, reflect and give thanks. For me, it was a good reminder not to live a hurried life as I do not want to be oblivious to the goodness and grace of God that is all around me!” – **Yeoh Kar Yen**

“Through the many years of attending SCG since it first started, I have become wiser, more mature in my thinking and it has helped me to become more Christ-like. I find it needful to keep feeding on God’s Word even though I have completed two terms of the AIM Leadership course. We will never have enough of God’s Word as long as we live.” – **Tan Choon King**

Sign up for the new SCG term that begins from 15 July – 23 September 2018. Log on to [calvary.org.my/school-of-christian-growth](http://calvary.org.my/school-of-christian-growth) to sign up online. For more information, call 03-8999 5532 ext. 416.

# ASCENSION TO PENTECOST 10 DAYS FAST AND PRAY

BY ASSOCIATE PASTOR TIMOTHY ONG



During the period of 10 days fast and pray, from 11 to 20 May 2018, the Church was encouraged to come together as one body to pray and worship. Many received the infilling of the Holy Spirit in a measure they had never experienced before. More than 1,100 adults came out with great expectation throughout the ten nights of prayer.

## THINGS THE LORD HAS DONE IN OUR MIDST AS THE BODY OF BELIEVERS PRAYED

1) God spoke when we prayed together:

“On the third night, the Lord said, ‘There are some whose hearts and lives are withering like dying flowers; but when the Holy Spirit comes and waters these lives, they grow again and become vibrant.’ The people of God responded with fervent praying in the Spirit.” – **Associate Pastor Yong Chee Weng**

“On the second night of our fast and pray, I heard the Lord tell me ‘I love you too’ when I was singing unto Him, ‘I love You.’” – **Yvonne**

2) God gave us guidance when we came to seek His face together:

“I was encouraged when I was led to respond and received God’s wisdom to help me in a decision I needed to make.” – **Brenda**

3) God healed when we prayed together:

“I had severe pain in my knee and had to have assistance to walk. I came every night during the 10 days of fasting and prayer and on the fifth night, God healed me. Now, not only can I walk, I can run!” – **John**


4) There is a price to pay to encounter God:

“Despite the challenges of a busy and tiring day, I purposed in my heart to make time to seek God’s face at the Prayer Emphasis meeting. I was blessed when I went. I felt a powerful anointing of the Holy Spirit’s presence and received a personal assurance from God that He loves me and will never leave me. If I obey Him and walk in His ways, He will do miracles in and through me. Praise God!” – **Sandy**

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# WORSHIP SCHEDULE JULY 2018

## Saturday, 5.00pm Calvary Damansara Heights

- 07** Associate Pastor Chan Lee Peng  
**Communion**
- 14** Associate Pastor Peter Ong
- 21** Associate Pastor Steven Kum
- 28** Associate Pastor Yong Chee Weng  
**Missions Emphasis**

## Sunday, 9.00am Calvary Convention Centre

- 01** Associate Pastor David Seah  
**Communion**
- 08** Associate Pastor Steven Kum
- 15** Associate Pastor Timothy Ong
- 22** Associate Pastor Yong Chee Weng
- 29** Senior Pastor Prince Guneratnam  
**Missions Emphasis**

## ACTIVITIES

### CALVARY YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

Saturday, 07 July 2018, 1.00pm  
Calvary Damansara Heights  
Topic: Faith Matters - A Book Study on Galatians

### CHINESE FELLOWSHIP

Sunday, 29 July 2018, 11.30am  
Theatrette 1, Level B2, Calvary Convention Centre  
Speaker: Pastor Quek Lee Siu

### TAMIL MINISTRY FELLOWSHIP

Sunday, 29 July 2018, 11.30am  
Room 12, Level 2, Calvary Convention Centre  
Speaker: Associate Pastor Yong Chee Weng

## MISSIONS EMPHASIS



### MISSIONS PRAYER

Friday, 27 July 2018, 7.30pm  
Calvary Damansara Heights

### YOUTH MISSIONS

Saturday, 28 July 2018, 1.00pm  
Calvary Damansara Heights

### FAITH PROMISE

Saturday, 28 July 2018, 5.00pm  
Calvary Damansara Heights  
Sunday, 29 July 2018, 9.00am  
Calvary Convention Centre



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