

## **ORDER OF SERVICE**

#### WORSHIP

Prelude Greeting

\*Call to Worship

\*Hymns of Praise

"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" (UMH 298)

"The Old Rugged Cross" (UMH 504)

\*Psalter Reading - Psalm 103:1-5

\*Gloria Patri (UMH 71)

#### WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

Sermon by Rev Barnabas Chong Cosmic Showdown (Part 2 of 3) The Battle at the Cross John 19:28-30

\*Hymn of Response "O Sacred Head, Now Wounded" (UMH 286)

#### **PRAYER**

Prayer on Behalf

The Lord's Prayer (to be said)

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.
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.

Greetings and Welcome

\*Exchange of Peace

#### WELCOME

Presentation of Offerings and Pledges

Special Choir Item: "Jesus walked this lonesome valley"

Family News

\*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.

## **WITNESS**

\*Benediction

\*Three-Fold Amen

Closing Words

Postlude

#### **OUR HEARTFELT THANKS TO**

Worship Leader: Mr Simon Lam Service Coordinator: Mr Edmund Tan

and all who have worked hard in service of God and CMC.

<sup>\*</sup>Indicates congregation standing if you are able to



# **HOLY WEEK 2024**

SERVICE TIMING & SERVICE TYPE

PALM WEEKEND 23 Mar, 4.30 pm Contemporary Service

24 Mar, 8.00 am Traditional Service

24 Mar, 10.30 am Contemporary Service

MAUNDY THURSDAY 28 Mar, 8.00 pm Traditional Service

GOOD FRIDAY 29 Mar, 8.00 am Traditional Service

29 Mar, 10.30 am Contemporary Service

\* No Saturday Service on 30 Mar

EASTER SUNDAY 31 Mar, 8.00 am Traditional Service

31 Mar, 10.30 am Contemporary Service

\* Infant/Child Baptism will take place during service



## WELCOME

Welcome to Christ Methodist Church (CMC), a place we like to call home! We hope you will experience God's extraordinary joy, love and peace with us today. For those visiting for the first time, do fill in our online Visitor's Form on our website so we can help you get connected. God bless!

## **FAMILY NEWS**

#### 1. Holy Communion in April (Change of Date)

Holy Communion Service will be shifted to <u>13 & 14 April</u> (2<sup>nd</sup> week of the month) instead of 6 & 7 April as our pastors will be away at the TRAC Pastors' Retreat.

#### 2. Corporate Prayer Meeting

Date: 3 April 2024 (Wednesday)

Time: 8.00 pm

Venue: CMC, Level 2, Sanctuary

Come and join us for a time of prayer!

## 3. Greece & Türkiye Pilgrimage

Dates: 24 November to 8 December 2024 Estimated Cost: S\$5680 (twin); S\$6770 (single)

Number of pax: 40 (1 coach)

Note: For this pilgrimage, we will be balloting for the final confirmation of names. Once balloting is done, we will send you an official registration form from the tour agency.

Indicate your interest at www.cmc.org.sg/pilgrimage2024 by 31 March 2024.

\*This pilgrimage tour is for CMC members and worshippers only.

## 4. "Rejoice" - New Single by the Worship & Music Ministry

Our Worship & Music Ministry has launched their newest single entitled "Rejoice"! The song is based on John 12:12-19 which is the Palm Sunday scene where Jesus entered the city on a donkey to an adoring and joyous crowd.

Listen to it today! Visit <a href="www.cmc.org.sg/wmm-singles">www.cmc.org.sg/wmm-singles</a> for the links to relevant streaming platforms.

#### 5. Catch-Up @ D'Well

Tune in to our very own podcast where we will hear from CMC worshippers from various ministries as they discuss their own takeaways from the D'Well scriptural account of the day. Join us and glean new insights from God's Word. Episodes will be released on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month.

Visit www.cmc.org.sg/dwellpodcast for more!

#### 6. Homecoming Intercession & Prayer Night

Date: 24 April 2024 (Wednesday)

Time: 8.00 pm

Venue: Level 3, Auditorium 1

This is a dedicated prayer meeting for us to spend time regularly as a corporate body to intercede and pray for our loved ones to return to the Lord especially for the ones whose names have been identified and submitted to us. When we win the battle for souls in prayer, we win souls.

This meeting is shifted to the 4th Wednesday of the month as our pastors will be away at staff retreat. Subsequent meetings will be on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday.

#### 7. Natural Evangelism Conference

Dates: 27 & 28 June 2024 (Thu & Fri)

Time: 8.00 pm

Venue: CMC, Sanctuary Speaker: Canon J. John

Cost: \$15

The act of sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ is called evangelism. Evangelism is the responsibility of the whole church for the whole world. The Good News is not something we come to church to hear; it is something we go from church to tell. Come learn how to make it a natural part of your life.

Register at www.cmc.org.sg/natural-evangelism by 14 April 2024.

#### 8. Bintan Mission Trips

#### IB5

Dates: 11 – 12 May 2024 Closing Date: 21 April 2024

Pre-Trip Training: 28 Apr & 5 May 2024

IB6

Dates: 8 – 9 Jun 2024 Closing Date: 19 May 2024

Pre-Trip Training: 26 May & 2 Jun 2024

For more details and registration, visit <u>www.cmc.org.sg/overseas-outreach</u>

## 9. Estate Planning Talk

Organised by our WSCS

Date: 13 April 2024 (Saturday) Time: 1.30 pm to 3.30 pm Venue: Level 4, Auditorium 2 Speaker: Mr Lim Fung Peen

Cost: \$3 (WSCS members); \$5 (Non WSCS members)

Proper legacy planning helps families think through a multi-generational plan for transferring, preserving wealth, and giving to charitable organisations. Find out more about Wills, Lasting Power of Attorney, and Probate and learn how you can create a comprehensive estate plan, to love your family.

Register at www.cmc.org.sg/event/estate-planning by 5 April 2024.

## 10. D'Well Bible Reading Plan (Apr - Jun 2024)

D'Well is a 4-year Bible Reading Plan that takes readers through a Scriptural account each day, allowing for thoughtful reading, quiet meditation and reflective prayer at a deliberate pace.

The plans are available in different formats, and in both English and Mandarin. The plans will be released every quarter, visit www.cmc.org.sg/dwell to download.

# 11. Electronic Transfer of Offering/Pledges

Offering and pledges can be offered via the following electronic modes:

Bank account name: Christ Methodist Church

Church UEN: S87CC0528A

Online Bank Transfer

Bank: DBS Bank (Parkway Parade Branch)

Bank Code: 7171 Branch Code: 004

Auto-Save Account Number: 004-019765-8

For further enquiries,

please email info@cmc.org.sg





ChristKidz (Children's Ministry)	Sunday, 10.30 am*	
IGNITE (Youth Service)	Sunday, 10.30 am*	
Mandarin Service	Sunday, 10.30 am*	
Grace Fellowship (For Domestic Helpers)	Service: 2 <sup>nd</sup> to 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday, 10.30 am Bible Study: 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday, 10.30 am	
Cantonese Service	Saturday, 4.30 pm*	
Hokkien Service	Thursday, 2.30 pm	

\*No Service on the 1st weekend of the month – we combine with the Main Service for Holy Communion

The CMC-WIFI password is  ${\bf gofurther}$ 

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