

This Sabbath Program

9:30-10am	Praise Songs
10am-10:45am	Sabbath School
11am-12pm	Worship
Preacher:	Ps. Weoi Siong Tan
Sermon Title:	Contending with Cosmic Forces
Scripture:	Mark 1:24
12pm-1pm	Potluck Lunch
1pm-2pm	Choir Practice



"What do you want with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God!"

Mark 1:24 NIV

Next Sabbath Program **25 July 2015**

9:30-10am	Praise Songs
10am-10:45am	Sabbath School
11am-12pm	Worship
Preacher:	Ps. Weoi Siong Tan
Sermon Title:	Putting On Defensive Weapons
Scripture:	Isaiah 41:10
12pm-1pm	Potluck Lunch
1pm	Health Talk

Welcome to our worship service today. In worship, we focus all our beings to Him who has called us out of darkness into His marvelous light. We hope that you will enjoy this time of fellowship, learning and edification; and that you will experience the Lord's blessing. For any assistance, ask any of our Sisters or Brothers at Church.

Order of Worship

Adoration
Call to Worship
Invocation
Welcome /Hymn of Adoration
Pastoral Prayer
Response

Worship through Giving
Offering Hymn, Offertory

Scripture Reading
Preaching of the Word
Hymn of Response

Benediction
Hymn of Commission



Announcements

CHURCH CAMP PAYMENT

Please note that the payment for Church Camp is due today. If you need further details or you want to make payment, please see Sis. Jacintaa.

HEALTH TALK

Dr. Pang will give a Health Talk next Sabbath – 25 July 2015 @ 1pm. Topic: Toxin in Modern Living. Limited seats. Please book your seat with Ps. Tan.

Sunset Times

(Petaling Jaya)

Yesterday:	7:28pm
Sabbath:	7:28pm
Next Friday:	7:29pm

We would like to hear from you. Please visit us at

Learning From The Leper

As we read the account of the leper in the first chapter of Mark, there are a couple things we can learn from it. The first thing we can learn is how to come humbly to Jesus. We read that the leper came to Jesus with the words, "if you will". There wasn't a demand, but a humbleness in his asking to be made clean. It wasn't for him to decide, but for God to decide, as with anything in our lives.

Unfortunately, there is teaching that God will bring healing if we ask with the right amount of faith. If this were the case, Jesus would have rebuked the leper for his "lack of faith". We also read that the Apostle Paul asked God to take away his thorn in the flesh and God didn't (2 Corinthians 12:8).

Secondly, we learn more of the compassion of Jesus. Jesus could have easily just said the words "be clean". Instead he reaches out his hand and touches the leper. Luke's gospel record of this account says that the leper was "full of leprosy" (Luke 5:12). This wasn't a case of a few spots,

And a leper came to him, imploring him, and kneeling said to him, "If you will, you can make me clean." Moved with pity, he stretched out his hand and touched him and said to him, "I will; be clean." And immediately the leprosy left him, and he was made clean. Mark 1:40-42 ESV

but a body that was covered. He probably hardly resembled a man and was shunned from society. Yet, Jesus who is God, reached out his hand and touched the man with compassion. What a beautiful sight this would have been to see! As we study this scripture, let us learn to humbly come before God as the leper did. We can also learn to show compassion to those who are hurting and have been shunned from society as Jesus did.

Show the humbleness of the leper and compassion of Jesus today.

TOY REPAIR

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds.

- PSALM 147:3 NIV

Do you have suggestions, comments, or prayer requests? Please look for Ps. Tan or Eld. Anthony. It's our pleasure to be of service to you.



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