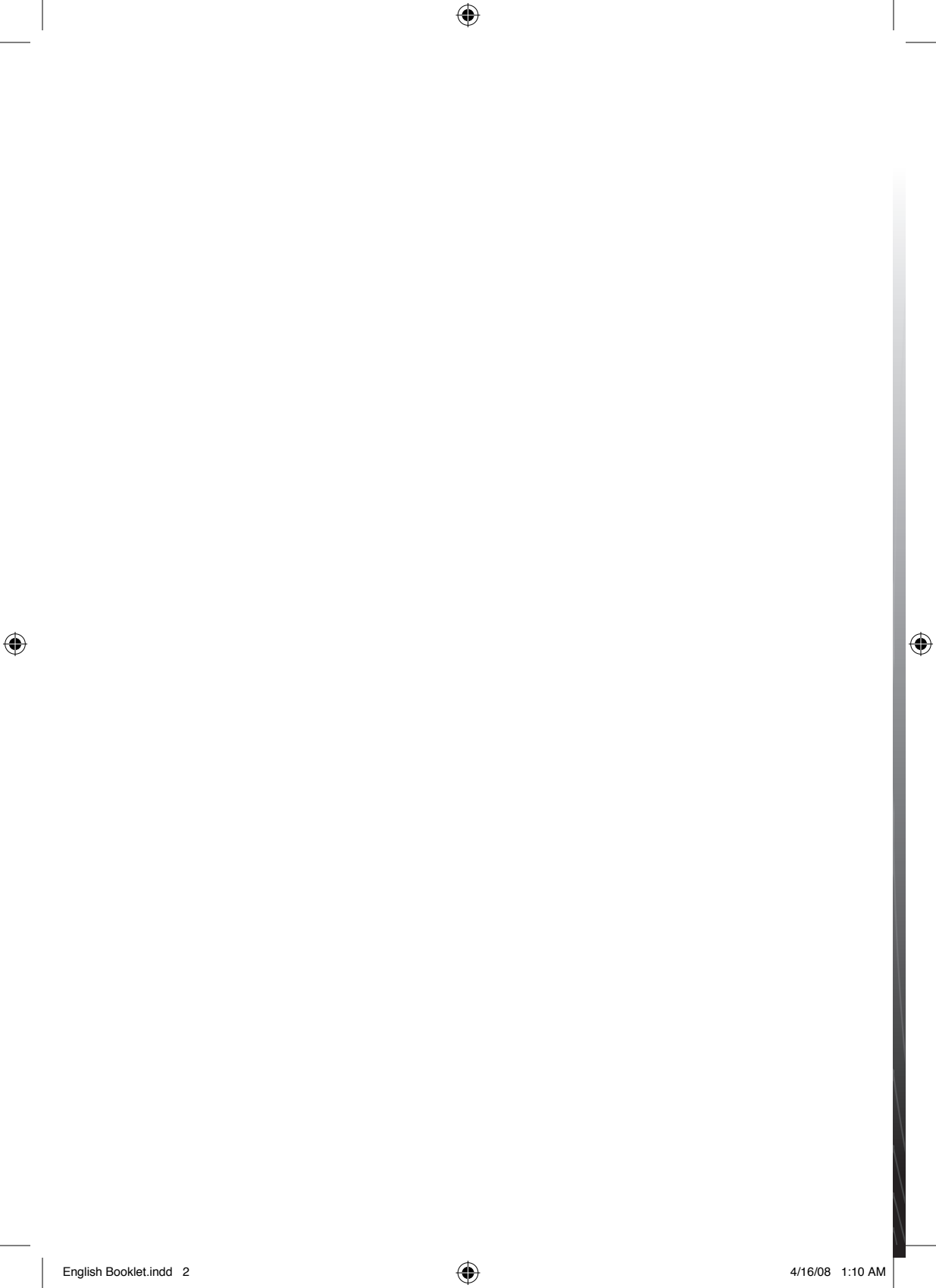


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All prayer points serve as guidance only.  
May the Holy Spirit lead you throughout the 40-Day Fast & Prayer.*

*"See, I will send you the prophet Elijah before that great and dreadful day  
of the LORD comes. He will turn the hearts of the fathers to their children,  
and the hearts of the children to their fathers;  
or else I will come and strike the land with a curse."*

*Malachi 4:5-6 (New International Version)*

## Introduction & Foreword

# UNITING THE GENERATIONS FOR THE NATION!



**T**his is the theme chosen for this year's 40-Day Fast and Prayer. The event marks NECF's 10th anniversary since the launch of our 40-Day Fast and Prayer booklet/initiative. This event has always been the highlight in the NECF annual calendar. However, this year, there's a change – the launch date will be August 8 instead of the usual July 22 and ends on September 16 when the whole nation celebrates One Malaysia Day.

In recent times, there has been concern that the younger generation is not rising to the challenge to take over the baton from the existing leadership. There seems to be a “generational divide” that in many ways have weakened the collective leadership of the national church.

Multi-generational church ministry and leadership in our day are uncharted territories and indeed a frontier to conquer. We are seeing aging churches everywhere desirous of having more youths so that the churches won't cease to exist. Unfortunately, we don't seem to be doing enough to attract them to our churches. Is there something wrong? If so, the time is ripe for the older generation to figure out how to pass the faith meaningfully and faithfully to the younger generation.

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In thinking through this process, we must consider three important factors:

- 1** Relationship building takes place when the young and the old serve together. When that happens, there is no question of control or who is in charge. This is merely secondary.
- 2** We must learn to embrace and handle conflict constructively, for only then can conflict take us into the tunnel of chaos that eventually brings meaningful engagement.
- 3** God is the God of every generation. God's plan is not for the church to be of one-generation operating with a 30-year shelf life! His desire is for every generation, with its own uniqueness, to complement the other for the good of the church and the expansion of His kingdom to His glory.

In Exodus 17, there is a classic account of how three generations stayed united to defeat the Amalekites. Moses instructed Joshua to choose men who will battle for the Lord while Moses went to the top of the hill to pray for them. The prayer support that Moses provided, assisted by both Aaron and Hur, gave tremendous encouragement and empowerment for Joshua to know God was on their side and to defeat the enemies. Likewise the Church in Malaysia. All generations must encourage and complement one another in the task ahead.

We live in a world that has been absolutely exploited by and under the onslaught of Satan. Families are being destroyed and are tearing apart. We have a common enemy and this must unite us together under a common vision for a common purpose. Each generation cannot fight alone;

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we need to honour each generation and one another and together make an impact on our society and the nation. That this has not been done is obvious. It calls for repentance, forgiveness and restoration – putting behind the failures and shortcomings we have experienced and pressing on towards the goal – of recognising the uniqueness of each generation and empowering it to play its God-given role for the destiny of the nation. That is why we must heal, build and unite the generations for the nation.

May this booklet, our 10th issue, be a significant milestone in encouraging you, your family and others to fast and pray for the building and healing of the generations to the glory of His great name!

*by Samuel Ang, Secretary-General, NECF Malaysia*



# God's Vision For Families

It has often been said that a strong family contributes to a healthy nation. While this statement has not been disputed, modern Western individualism tends to look at individuals coming together to form the basic unit of society. This is contrary to God's purpose and intention. God's purpose is for families and the family unit to be the basic structure of creation. This means that in God's eyes, people are never isolated individuals but they belong together as a family unit, in homes and communities that are both a foundation and pillar for a healthy nation.

The family unit is also at the centre of God's covenant purpose. Genesis 12:3 tells us that God intends to bless all the families of the earth. Since the family unit is the first basic institution of human life, it only makes sense that salvation come upon families. It is through families that both individuals and communities shall be saved. Likewise, if the family unit breaks down and suffers moral and spiritual decay, this will lead to a deterioration of community life, society and ultimately the nation.

Premised on this understanding, there is in a sense a moral obligation and importance to ensure our family unit is intact – a harmonious marriage relationship between spouses as well as a vibrant parent-child relationship. The obligation or motivation to keep this moral imperative must not be attributable to law or even morality per se. It stems from a divine duty premised upon Jesus Christ as Lord and master of our lives. That is why in passages of Scriptures that refer to the duties of husband-wife-parent-child (the so-called household code), the exhortation given is always as 'unto the Lord' or 'in the Lord'.

In Eph 5:22–6:9, Paul exhorts all parties within the family unit to do their part and perform their respective roles – whether as husband, wife or children – for the sake of the unity of the church. When all parties within the family unit fulfil their roles and honour one another as unto the Lord, a spiritual transformation takes places. This transformation will then become a display and witness to the world of how believers who are transformed by the power of God live and function within the structure and institution of family life. It is thus a testimony of transformed lives for the sake of a transformed community to a transformed nation.

For this special issue, we also take this opportunity to thank everyone who in one way or another has contributed to the successful publication of this booklet – those, who wrote and gave articles, testimonies, translated and proofread the text – and for all believers who will use this prayer booklet for their edification. We pray that all may benefit from this booklet in prayer and in empowering the generations to unite and move forward. Your contributions have been immense and are fully appreciated.

May God bless our prayers and efforts to “Transform the Nation in Fast & Prayer”!

*Editor's Note by Eugene Yapp & Lucrece Loo*



## *The Generation Gap: Is It Real?*

**“M**y son and I hardly talk. We have a generation gap”, one parent quipped. “The young people today do things differently, I don’t understand them”, one pastor remarked. These expressions sound familiar to both the older and younger generations. The older says it with exasperation while the younger utters it with desperation. Does this conversation exemplify a generation gap both within our family and church life? Some say “Yes” while others say “No”. Can we make sense why such expressions have become commonalities in our everyday life?

Let’s explore some distinctive social-cultural patterns that contribute to this so-called generation gap in terms of discipleship for Christ.

The “Booster” generation comprises those born between 1927 and 1945. They are defined as hardworking, single minded and committed to whatever task or hardship in following Christ. Perseverance is a key characteristic of this generation. The “Boomer” generation on the other hand, comprises those born in 1946 to the 1970s. They are defined as pragmatic, questioning the status quo and viewed upon as an idealistic generation. Their key characteristic is fulfilment and meaning in what they do and service to the Lord. The “Buster”, or better known as “Gen-Y”, are those born from the 1980s to the mid-1990s. They are generally marked by increased familiarity with instant communication technologies such as the Internet, emails and the use of websites such as You Tube and social networking sites such as Facebook, MySpace and Twitter. This generation is characterised as being more radically and culturally tolerant than the previous generations.

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With these differing characteristics, can the generations unite and work together? For example, “Busters” generally perceive the “Boosters” as strict, discipline, harsh and committed to the status quo at all cost. They are deemed intolerant to changes. The “Boosters” on the other hand, perceive the “Boomers” as anti-tradition, liberating and overly pragmatic. Such perceptions are usually coloured by one’s own social-cultural patterns and thought rather than substantial differences. The lack of understanding of each generation’s defining characteristics has also contributed to this so-called generation gap. This has led to both generations perceiving each other through their generational biases or lenses and may hinder the generations from uniting and working together.

If the above analysis proves to be true, the question is: Is the generation gap real or is it due to their own generation’s cultural biases? This is where the generations must take note of their perceptions towards one another and be aware of their own implicit biases and presuppositions towards the others.

Let’s pray that the Lord reveal to us our own failures and biases irrespective of which generation we belong to and work against those biases in whatever form while seeking a biblical perspective of the different generations so that we become a blessing to all!





## Choose Wisely

**Y**outh is synonymous with excitement and exuberance. But the excitement of youth can sometimes become a barrier to closeness with God – if it makes young people focus on the passing pleasures of the world instead of eternal values. The critical challenge of youth is the word 'CHOICE'. The options confronting the youth of today are simply too vast and varied to list here but be sure that the choices made today will determine the kind of tomorrow a man or woman will end up with.

It may be common knowledge to some, but do you know what the North Sea, the Mediterranean Sea and the Black Sea all have in common besides their salt water? All three seas are separated by huge land masses measuring hundreds, if not thousands, of kilometres, but if one is able to make it up to a particular mountain peak in the Alps, that person would have found the answer. From this peak, throw a piece of wood facing one direction and the wood would float down the river Rhine and end up in the Mediterranean; throw the wood facing another direction and it would fall into the river Rhone and end up in the North Sea; do the same facing yet a third direction and the wood would follow the waters of the Danube into the Black Sea. A clear message indeed! Decide wisely therefore in the days of your youth the destination of choice as one belonging to the people of the Lord.

Choose wisely therefore to make your strength and talents available to God when you are still in your youth. Be very careful not to waste them on pathways that will lead to meaningless activities that develop into bad habits from which there may be no return.

May we find the words of the Teacher in Ecclesiastes 12:1 instructive for our souls, "Remember your Creator in the days of your youth, before the days of trouble come and the years approach when you will say, 'I find no pleasure in them'."

*By Elder Kong Yeng Phooi, NECF Malaysia Vice-Chairman*

## Rallying Youths To Work With Seniors

It's impossible to transform a nation in a single day or achieve this by the will and power of one person. To transform a nation, we need people from different generations to work together humbly. By coming together, we are able to complement our strengths and weaknesses and thus become a united workforce for a transformed nation.

For each generation to work together, it means we acknowledge our limitations and shortcomings while striving for the common goal. The creative young people seem to have endless energy supply. The working adults tend to be more practical and logical. The middle-aged have contacts with many people while the seniors are experienced and full of wisdom.

I am a young teacher, teaching in Johor Bahru. I believe the nature of my profession makes me directly involved in transforming our country. I can choose to play my role as an agent of transformation alone, or join a bigger organisation with like-minded people and work with them. I thank God because there are always opportunities for me to work with the more advanced and experienced people.

At a TCF (Teachers' Christian Fellowship) meeting December last year, I had the opportunity to meet senior teachers, counsellors, and principals when NECF Malaysia presented the proposal of an education coordinating body. As they discussed issues, I was admiring them. It was both comforting and encouraging to know that they have walked the trail that I am now on. Their presence at the meeting showed their faithfulness and it caused me to want to be like them. I felt inspired and blessed sitting next to them.

After the meeting, a young lecturer called and asked me if I was crazy enough to join her in raising teachers of tomorrow in 2010. Then, we recruited another young teacher. The three of us met, planned and wanted to carry it out in our own capacity. It did not take us very long to realise that we did not have to do it alone. We could use the statistics provided by TCF to set up our presentation. That would save us a lot of time. The people at NECF helped us to widen our vision. It is a great privilege to work together with these people. They have the network and practical ideas drawn from their experiences which could help us achieve more. I am looking forward to the completion of this project.

Meanwhile, my prayer and hope is that through this simple testimony, more young adults will be willing to come together and work with the other generations towards a transformed nation! When people from different generations work together, the possibilities are endless.

*By Hew Mun Yoke, Teacher (aged in the 20s)*

# Uniting The Generations To Transform the Nation

*Psalm 145:4 says, "One generation shall praise Thy works to another and shall declare Thy mighty acts. (KJV)"*

**F**rom which "one generation" to which "another generation"? I believe it's inter-generational. It's not a one-way effort but it's both/and. The unity of the Church begins with the unity of the generations within the Church. While we are reaching out to the needs of our respective age groups, may we not forget that our God is a God of generations.

In recent years I have had the privilege of witnessing the unity of the generations – the baby boomers, the Gen-X, the Gen-Y and the Gen-Z (or better known as the i-Gen), serving together to advance the Kingdom and to transform the nation. We have been making intentional effort to mobilise generations towards transforming the nation and the community. It's about mobilising generations to devote to a common cause where each one can contribute regardless of our differences.

One of the efforts is to mobilise the generations to reach out and help the poor and the needy, the children at risk and the community families. The older generation can serve the community parents, especially the single parent, while the younger generation can serve the children and the youths. The aim is to help restore the broken families in the community apart from eradicating poverty. Hand in hand, we see the young and old serving alongside each other to help the community. We have also witnessed Christian families fostered stronger bonds when they serve together as a family.

Another effort which we have seen fruits is that we have been partnering with parents and teachers to educate them in the whole area of cyber wellness – how to mentor their children and students to have a healthy and balanced cyber lifestyle. Cyber vices among the young people have been increasing lately. The problem escalates when there's a huge disparity between the older and the younger in the area of cyber-world that has widened the gap and created the issue of 'digital divide.'

What I've learned from these experiences:

**Humility** – I've witnessed how the power of humility helped to bridge the gap between the generations. "Young men, in the same way be submissive to those who are older. All of you, clothe yourselves with humility toward one another... (1 Peter 5:5a)"

**Mentoring** – As a Gen-X myself, I've learnt that the younger ones are always looking up to us as role models whether we realise it or not. Hence, we need to first become what we desire to see in the Next Generation and be the difference we desire to see in this nation. We need to eradicate the 'poverty of role models' in the church today.

**Believe in the next generation** – while the older generation is rich in experiences and in wisdom, we need to believe in the next generation, come alongside them and unleash their potential by harnessing their creativity and energy.

*By Daniel Tan, SIB KL Youth Pastor*

*photography by jeret slack*



# Divine Order

**DAY 1**  
8 August,  
Sunday

God is a God of order! In whatever position we may be in, the secret of real peace and joy lies in the maintenance of His divine order in our inner being. Whether in family or church, if we fail to uphold God's order and substitute that with any other for the sake of our convenience and expediency, disharmony and confusion will be the inevitable result. This is what we are facing today individually and nationally! Breakthrough will never come unless we align our lives according to His order and set the right priorities in our lives, with the Lordship of Christ at the helm and all others in submission to Christ as Lord.

**Reflection: Isaiah 38:1-4.** The Lord sent a prophet to Hezekiah and ordered him to put his house in order. While the context is about the necessary preparation in view of his impending death, we will do well to take heed. In the next 40 days, seek God to reorder your life, family, church and nation, putting our priorities and relationships right. Confess where you have failed and ask Him to correctly order the priorities in your life and ministry.

## ACTION:

Reconcile with those who have offended you. Humble yourself and release forgiveness. Ask God to reveal instances where you have offended others which you're not aware of. Then, make amends.

## NATION:

Honouring the First People: Orang Asli – That God will forgive us for the injustices towards them and they be given due recognition. Raising leaders among them and believers to be strengthened and rooted in the Word. Releasing of resources and manpower in church-planting to the least-reached tribes.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to the nations... restoring His order.

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Church and Nation: Identification and repentance – of our disobedience, violation of His Commandments, substituting and abdicating His Lordship.
  - Idolatry – *materialism, self, status, success*
  - Independence – *pride, strife, manipulation*
  - Immorality – *lust, adultery, fornication, pornography*
  - Impurity – *lying, backbiting, gossip, half truths, boasting, malice, slander, etc.*
  - Injustice – *indifference towards the lost, marginalised, poor, oppressed*
- Implore the Lord to align the corporate body of Christ back to Him that there will be connection with Him in spirit and in truth. Healing and reconciliation in all broken relationships. Restoring order and unity in churches.
- God's righteousness and justice to prevail in all government and private sectors. Wisdom for PM, DPM and Cabinet to govern the nation in the fear of God. Continual peace, stability, harmony and prosperity.

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God Himself ordained family and marriages as the basic building block of human society. When the family unit crumbles, society will crumble as well. This family unit is most powerful and families need to WAKE UP to the realisation that the family institution is under attack! The war started in Genesis in Adam's family and today, the same destructive force is against families, marriages and children. But God is the Restorer and Master Builder of every broken relationship. If God is for us, who can be against us! Let us look to Him to re-build and strengthen and defend our families.

**Reflection: Eph 5:22-33, 6:1-4.** Seek God to deal with our hearts if there is anger, rejection, resentment, disappointment or failure to forgive our parents, spouses, brothers and sisters. Confess and reconcile with one another.

## ACTION:

Take a walk around your home and neighborhood and pray for a hedge of protection over your family and families in your neighborhood. Speak God's *shalom* in every household and pray for His visitation in every family that will result in household finding restoration and peace in Christ.

## NATION:

Minister of Women, Family and Community Development. Uphold Dato' Sri Shahrizat Abdul Jalil and Datin Paduka Chew Mei Fun. Pray for wisdom and strategies that will be effectively implemented for women, families and community development. To administer justice and righteousness in the domestic affairs of the country without fear or favour.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to rule over all the families in the nations.

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Healing and reconciliation in all families. Mutual love and submission to be restored in all levels of relationship within families.
- Rise up in faith and ask the Lord to free families from every assignment of the Enemy who has come to steal, kill and destroy family unit. Claim Joel 2:25 for families, 'I will give you back what you lost in the years when swarms of locusts ate your crops!'
- Pray for strong Christian homes. Parents to guide and impart godly values to their children for a future generation of responsible citizens who will love and serve God, family, society and nation regardless of race and religion.

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# New Wine for Marriage!

**DAY 3**  
10 August,  
Tuesday

**M**arriage is a holy covenant before God and is constituted by Himself (Gen 2:24). The importance of marriage is demonstrated in John 2:1-11, when Jesus began His ministry by attending a wedding feast and performed His first miracle by turning water into wine. In the Jewish customs, the wedding feast probably lasts a week. When wine runs out during such a long feast, it could bring shame to the host.

Likewise in many marriages today, instead of turning our trials and pain in marriages into the sweetest joy through the years, many marriages have become insipid, sour and even bitter, while others are empty, dry and hopeless. Whatever the state, God is a covenant-keeping God who seeks to restore all marriages and relationships if we turn our hearts back to Him. Let us begin by renewing our covenant relationship with Him!

**Reflection: John 2:1-11.** For married couples, is there fresh 'wine' in your marriage or are you dried up in anger or bitterness? Confess and renounce. On behalf of the Church and nation, beseech the Lord for forgiveness for the broken faith in our relationship with Him, committing spiritual adultery by pursuing the things of the world.

## **ACTION:**

Surprise your spouse by giving a simple gift as a token of love and devotion. Bless the widows and widowers you know in your local congregation.

## **NATIONS:**

Pray for our brethren in Jerusalem. Psalm 122:6-9 - Prince of Peace to rule over His people in the Promised Land and to turn their hearts back to Him. Pray for further breakthroughs in reconciliation and deepening love and respect between them and the Arabs.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to the Promised Land...to preserve and protect His people!

## **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Couples to place God in the centre of their marriages, restoring their first love to Him and to each other so that joy and freshness will overflow. Couples to submit to each other and for open, transparent communication.
- Plead for deliverance to set marriages free from destruction, divorce, deception, depression and disillusionment. Pray for release of forgiveness, healing and restoration in broken couples.
- Pray against all assignments of the Enemy to break down marriages; for protection for all marriages. Pray for the marriages of your pastor, elder and leaders.
- Protection for our youths against all perversion and distortion of marriages such as same-sex marriages, co-habitation and fornication. Pray for godly couples who will be good role models to the younger generation.

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We may ask, "What is the spiritual state of our nation and why is there so much internal strife in our homes, churches and among people groups in our nation?" The reasons are simple: we have broken the two commandments – loving God and loving one another. All broken relationships are the result of violating these commandments. If we desire to see revival, harmony, unity and order in our nation, we need to address the root issue of "honouring God and honouring one another!" We need to deal with our disobedience, negative attitudes and pride so that all generations, families, churches and nation will be healed, restoring God's order to transform this nation.

**Reflection: Mal 2:2-6, Matt 19:19, Pro 15:33.** In what ways have I dishonoured God, my parents, neighbours, friends and the authorities. For example, have I honoured God in my giving? Confess and stand in identification repentance on behalf of the church and nation for dishonouring Him by our lives and attitude.

## **ACTION:**

Seek reconciliation with those who may have offended you, and vice-versa, and bless them.

## **NATION:**

Fasting Month – 'Our neighbours', as we focus prayer for them this month, let us renounce any prejudice and anger against them. Pray for love to fill the body of Christ to respect them for they are also God's beloved creation. Value their talents and pray, 'Lord, open my eyes to see them through Your eyes of love!'

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Sarawak...  
to hold this state in the palm of  
His hand!

*"Faithful and uniform obedience to this royal law throughout the churches of Christ would be of itself an evangelistic power, an aggressive spiritual energy far transcending all the revival meetings ever held."*

*D. Jackson*

## **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Honour and respect to be restored in all relationships beginning with our relationship with God, parents and children, husbands and wives, the elderly and the youths, employers and employees, church leaders and members, government officials and the public.
- Humility to initiate forgiveness in all broken relationships. Believers to live God-honouring lives in all aspects – thoughts, actions and words – and to be His salt and light.
- Body of Christ to honour God in their substance, that resources will not be lacking in community projects that reach out to the lost, poor and helpless in all states.

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# Turn Your Heart!

**DAY 5**  
12 August,  
Thursday

**M**al 4:5-6. God promised to send us the prophet Elijah to turn the hearts of the fathers to their children and children to their fathers and together to God. Fathers are to instruct and train their children and grandchildren in the ways of the Lord so that our Christian heritage is not lost in one generation but that the love for God may be passed from one generation to the next. Let us therefore pray for significant breakthroughs for parents and children as we turn their hearts back to our Heavenly Father in repentance on where we have failed, so that the Sun of Righteousness will bring healing in His wings.

**Reflection: Mal 4:1-6.** Are you holding grudges, anger, frustrations, unforgiveness or disappointment against your loved ones? Confess to the Lord, release and seek forgiveness.

## **NATION:**

Our Neighbours – Holy Spirit to move in their hearts in a supernatural way, to turn many back to Abba Father. Pray specifically for a town, district, community or state where our majority 'neighbour' group is located, for spiritual awakening in many households.

## **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Implore the Lord to turn hearts back to our Abba Father wholeheartedly. Parents to children; Pastor/Elders to their flock. Openness, mutual trust and respect to be restored in all relationships.
- Ask the Sun of Righteousness to bring restoration and reconciliation in families. Family altars to be restored and homes to be His lighthouse as a place of refuge to those who are in need.
- Fullness of the restoration of fathers to take their rightful role as head of household, leading by godly example, guarding and governing their homes in the fear of God.
- Ask the Lord for the latter rain outpouring that a great revival will commence over the entire nation and beyond.

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Wilayah...  
for His righteousness and justice to  
flow like a river!

## *No Substitute!*

**T**oday, parents are more disconnected and less involved in their children's lives than any other generation. Many parents have entrusted the care of their children to "surrogate parents" – parents or parent-in-laws, day-care centres, babysitters or worse, television and video games which have begun to influence the children's moral and social values.

God Himself gave parents – not Sunday School teachers, schools, youth ministry leaders or anyone else – to nurture and admonish their children in the ways of the Lord. There's no short cut in parenting. Parents need to be responsible for the role God has entrusted to them and not to abdicate that high calling.

**Reflection: Deut 11:16-21.** Let us search our hearts where we have not fulfilled this command and have abdicated our role in instructing children in the ways of the Lord. Confess to the Lord.

### **ACTION:**

Parents, take a day or some time off to spend time with your children.

### **NATION:**

Uphold the churches in the East Coast that they will be enlightened to the hope of His calling; to be His shining light in the midst of the darkness, to point our neighbours to Him. God to prepare His Church and release her from fear and prejudice to embrace our neighbours.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to  
Terengganu... to reveal His glory  
to all people groups.

### **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Thank the Lord for homemakers and pray for strength and grace that they will be empowered to fulfil different roles, His calling and destiny.
- Working parents that they will encounter God afresh and to know the perfect will of God for their lives. Despite busy schedules, parents will give priority to God. Imparting strong values and priorities to govern every home so that children will be brought up by strong discipline
- Parents to seek the will of God for the plans for their children, to prepare, guide and release them to serve His purpose.
- Uphold kindergartens, day care centres, Sunday School teachers to teach and impart godly values and principles to the children.

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# Curse or Blessing?

**DAY 7**  
14 August,  
Saturday

**A**braham, the father of our faith, inherited blessings from God that saw the progression of generational blessing passing from one generation to the next. In Gen 27:33, Isaac said to Esau, "I blessed him (Jacob) and indeed he will be blessed!" In Gen. 48-49, Jacob gathered his sons and blessed them and their families and spoke prophetically about their destinies. The words of faith pronounced by the Old Testament patriarchs over their children had great power.

Parents ought to store up treasures of His promises in the Word to bless their children by faith! Today we need to ask ourselves, "What spiritual depth do I have to speak forth His Word in faith to our children or to the next generation that will affect their life and destiny?" Or have we spoken death? We need to sanctify our tongue today!

**Reflection: Prov 18:2, James 3:3-11.** Confess and repent of any spoken word that has pronounced death and curses, belittled or put down your children. Seek God to cleanse and purify your heart to speak words of life and blessing. Parents, bless your children.

## **NATION:**

Declare prophetic Psalm 24 over your state and welcome the King of Glory to bring spiritual awakening and supernatural visitation upon our neighbours! Claim multitudes to come into His kingdom.

## **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Ask God to heal all wounded and damaged child and youth who are emotionally and spiritually crippled by words spoken over them by their parents, relatives, spiritual leaders, teachers or others. Break every lie and curse upon their lives.
- Youth and children will be deeply rooted in God's love and in the Word so that they will find their identity and security in Him and fulfil His calling and destiny.
- Raising up prophetic generations in all age groups, who are deeply rooted in the Word of God to release His *rhema* Word in season to turn the tide of evil for spiritual breakthrough and transformation of the nation.
- Positioning of godly believers in high places of authority to be His prophetic voice to influence decisions and policies in state affairs.

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Pahang...  
to change the spiritual landscape!

**W**e need to seek God and get rid of the pride and loftiness in our hearts and mind. Like Moses, we need humility and strong team unity so that the 'giants' in our nation will be conquered. In Ex 17:8-16, we see the interdependence of all generations for the battle to be won. Moses could have held his hands up like a champion, but if Joshua and his men had not shown up, there would not have been any victory. In this critical hour, how much more do we need to work, not independently but rather interdependently, with all generations for the sake of His kingdom, changing and transforming every realm for His Glory!

**Reflection: John 15:5, Exodus 17:8-16.** Do you have heart issues working with others or submitting to those in authority or younger leaders at your workplace / ministry or church? Be honest and confess your pride, envy, jealousy, strife...

## **ACTION:**

Call up a friend from another church and pray for our nation for unity and interdependence upon on another's gifting and resources.

## **NATION:**

Our King, Sultans and those in authority – fear of God to be upon them; wisdom in governing the nation and state. Every decision-making will truly reflect 1Malaysia, that they will not be bias and sway towards any one particular race, but recognise the strength and gifting in all races and promote interdependency among all races in nation building.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to  
Penang... for His Name to be  
honoured!

## **PRAYER POINTS:**

- On behalf of the Body of Christ, confess and renounce our pride, independent spirit and ask Him to clothe us with humility and grace to work with others. Pray for renewed minds and hearts to embrace each generation and to appreciate its strength and gifting.
- Pastors and leaders to discern their members' strength and gifting; to encourage, affirm, equip and empower them to serve and to position them according to their gift and calling.
- Church – unity and strong teamwork among all age groups in ministries for the expansion of His work both internally and externally, touching communities and nation.
- Speak blessings of unity and pray that all extended church organisations, Christian NGOs, ministry networks to be connected, honouring and serving interdependently for the common good of nation building towards national transformation.

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# Spiritual Shepherds

**DAY 9**  
16 August,  
Monday

Strike the shepherd and the sheep will scatter. The enemy knows where to strike. Pastors, Elders and church leaders are often the chief targets of the enemy's attack. Spiritual leaders are not super-beings. They have their needs, limitations and weaknesses. In addition, the ministry has become more and more complex and challenging. To be effective servants of God, they need the affirmation, assistance, support and encouragement from the Body. Their success will in turn result in the success of the Body and the Church! Believers, let us arise and be committed to pray daily for our spiritual leaders to make the difference.

**Reflection: Mark 14:27, Hebrews 13:17.** As leaders are the prime target of the enemy, how often do you pray for your pastor, elder or leader? Do you hold any grudge, anger or frustration against your spiritual leader? Take this time to confess to the Lord and ask Him to cleanse and heal every offence and hurt.

## **ACTION:**

Commit yourself to pray for your spiritual leader as often as you are led, preferably daily.

## **NATION:**

Religious leaders of our neighbours, that our Father of light will shine His everlasting light to illuminate their hearts with the Truth. Pray for radical encounters as our Lord reveals Himself to them.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to  
Kelantan...for His glory to be  
revealed!

## **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Thank the Lord for pastors, elders, spiritual leaders for their sacrifices to obey the call of God in their lives. Renewing of their passion and intimacy with the Lord. Strengthening of their relationship with their spouses and children.
- Confess and repent of church disunity; renounce every strife, contention, disunity, slandering, murmuring, envy, jealousy, backbiting, pride and rebellious spirit. Healing, restoration and reconciliation of every broken relationship. Unity, love and forgiveness to prevail in all local churches.
- Support & strong relationship between shepherd and sheep.
- Thank the Lord for unity among all denominations that they will continue to stand together as ONE mighty force and voice for the nation. Bless all the spiritual heads of each denomination for greater wisdom and anointing to prepare and empower their churches for what is to come.
  - One heart with a united vision and purpose to build God's kingdom.
  - A strong network of churches in united effort in sharing resources and manpower in community projects to reach out to the lost.

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**DAY 10**  
17 August,  
Tuesday

## Youth Power

Never before have we experienced a wave of young people rising up in prayer, reaching out in compassion for the welfare of the nation. This is just the tip of the iceberg; we have yet to see the fullness of that which is to come. As we enter this critical hour, may His Spirit accelerate the stirring of His call to these young generations to live out their destiny in pursuit of a lifestyle of holiness that is grounded in His Word and to give Him wholehearted devotion until they come forth into His fullness.

For the church, we need to equip, empower and commission this generation to have, alongside their parents, a passion for Jesus and pursue a supernatural empowering of the Holy Spirit to fulfil His purpose. Let us not stand in the way to hinder them but release them to the Lord!

**Reflection: Eph 3:16-20.** How deep is your root in Christ? Do you have difficulty in communicating with youths/young adults? Use the verses to pray for the youths and for yourself.

### **ACTION:**

Look into the newspaper today and pray against issues confronting our youths, that they will be set free.

### **NATION:**

Ask the Lord to raise Christian student leaders in schools, colleges, universities... with burden to reach out to our neighbours in boldness and faith to see them come to new life in Christ.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Johor...  
for His goodness and power to  
be revealed.

### **PRAYER POINTS:**

- An outpouring of His love and power to come upon this generation that they will set themselves apart for Him and excel in His excellence. An increased hunger for the knowledge of God through His Word. Many secondary students will take up Bible Knowledge in schools.
- Neutralize all assignments of the enemy and the prevailing trends that seek to corrupt and enslave this generation. Smoking, drug addiction, pornography, homosexuality, materialism, cyber games, gangsterism... etc
- Godly role model who will lead, guide and mentor them. Uphold youth pastors and workers who work among them.
- Powerful student movement among Christian youths. Raising up a band of witnesses to champion Christ in schools, colleges, vocational schools and universities . Establishing strong Christian fellowships and prayer cells.

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# Kingdom Driven Purpose

**DAY 11**  
18 August,  
Wednesday

Our Father longs for the hearts and minds of young adults. This generation of youths who have great potential and resources, are the most untapped or un-used as they are busy with their careers or find church not relevant. When they are captured and captivated, they will be world changers, fulfilling God's destiny for their lives and calling for His Kingdom purposes. Daniel 11:32b will be fulfilled when we know God intimately and are moved by God-powered desires! Let this generation's allegiance and priority be aligned to Him. When we place Him continually in the centre of our hearts, we will walk as a generation who makes a difference for His Kingdom's purposes.

**Reflection: Col 3:1-2, John 4:34.** Jesus came with a mission to do the will of His Father. What is your mission and purpose in life? Commit to the Lord and ask Him for the hunger to know Him intimately. Confess and renounce ways in which other matters have captured our hearts such that our allegiance and priority have shifted from our Lord. Receive His grace and the strength to reorder your life. Seek counsel and support from your elders.

## ACTION:

Drive / walk around shops, offices, government departments and pray for Christians to be awakened to their role and calling to serve His purposes. Prayer cells targeting our neighbours to spring forth in all sectors.

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Believers will be awakened to their hope, calling and purpose. Set free from aimlessness and purposelessness.
- Churches will birth relevant and creative ministries, that spiritual gifts will be uncovered and developed to serve the church and non-believers in our workplace and communities.
- Spiritual fathers and mothers to arise in churches, to model Christ-likeness for the young adults in family life, work and service unto the Lord. They will submit to the Lord with regards to life partners and honour Him by their purity and faithfulness.
- Young adults of all races to channel their idealism and passion appropriately and the Lord to harness them to be a mighty force to birth forth prayer cells to impact all realms of influence towards nation transformation!

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to  
Selangor....for His Kingdom to  
come.

As the population disparity between males and females widens, many middle-aged single women today find themselves without suitable life partners. This is further aggravated when there are more single women than single men in local churches. The danger with this situation is the temptation to get married outside of the faith. Coupling this is the pressure that comes from parental and communal expectations of marriage. Is being single a social stigma? Or some may ask, "Do we need a life partner to have a fulfilled life?" Let us remember, true fulfilment only comes from the Lord, not marriage. So, let us affirm the singles in our midst. In His sight, all are precious and no one group is above another; whatever social standing or status we are in, we are all equal before the Lord. Let us therefore stand together as ONE Body.

**Reflection: 1Cor:32-35.** Whether you are married or single, are you living a fulfilled life? Is there any false expectation or fear of commitment? Commit and surrender to Him.

## NATION:

Pray for the liberation of women from all religious oppression, prejudices and social injustices. God to move mightily among them that they will find new life and meaning in Jesus.

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Singles will find their deepest satisfaction and fulfilment in Him. A life of commitment and undivided devotion to Him.
- Redeeming the fullness of their time, resources and giftings to serve Him. The Lord to raise exemplary leaders among them to disciple, mentor and guide the younger generations.
- Those who are single by divorce or death of their spouse. Pray that they find their hope in Him with renewed passion and destiny to serve Him.
- Workers and tentmakers to be raised up among them to take the message of hope to the least-reached people groups in the nations.

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Perlis...  
to be exalted above all!



# Our Golden Eagles!

**DAY 13**  
20 August,  
Friday

Many seniors in the church refrain from taking an active role in the church because of their age and the availability of younger and more energetic people. Many feel that others are able to do a better job and so they just fade away into the background. Should our seniors resign and become dormant in the Church? Has their time passed? God forbids! The church must not allow the seniors to be forgotten. Instead they are the treasures and they have their role to play. With their wealth of life experience, they can pass on their accumulated wisdom to the younger generation. They have much time in hand to serve as counsellors, advisers and mentors to the younger ones. Let us not forget that God called Abraham and Moses in their old age to change the history and destiny of their nation. A crown is not complete without these precious stones. Let us affirm and stand together and call forth His destiny for our Golden Eagles!

**Reflection: Gen12:1-5.** How do you respond to His Word or promises? Do you doubt, procrastinate or are reluctant to obey His Word and allow your natural instinct to dictate your decisions and justify your actions. Let us renounce and repent of our unbelief, self justification and disobedience.

## **NATION:**

Pray for an unprecedented outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon our neighbours, their community heads, heads of clans, heads of households with dreams and visions, resulting in multitudes coming into His Kingdom.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to  
Melaka... to break through this  
ancient gateway!

## **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Thank the Lord for all senior citizens in our churches. Bless them with every spiritual gift and pray that God will use them mightily as His agent of change and to influence the younger generations in godly ways.
- Deliver the seniors from looking back on their past glories/achievements but rather look ahead to seek the Lord for new ways and understanding of current trends to bridge and forge deeper relationship with all generations so that they remain relevant to impact them.
- Seniors will find their place and role in every local church to serve. Ask the Lord to raise a wave of seniors who will rise up to be gossipers of the gospel in coffeeshops, markets, shops, stalls, parks..etc.
- Retired government civil servants will use their gifts and talents to contribute to society and nation building.

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**DAY 14**  
21 August,  
Saturday

## *Possessing the Gates*

In Gen 22:17-18, the promise of victory was given to Abraham and His seed. We, His church are Abraham's spiritual descendants to secure victory over the enemies in Christ. This promise and blessing is in our hands and He is hastening His time for restoration and aligning families with all generations uniting and standing together as an army for the battles ahead! Surely the gates of hell shall not prevail against His Church when all generations rise up in one accord, standing and possessing all gates of influence for transformation! Army of God, arise and join our Commander-in-Chief!

Declare and affirm the Word in **Gen 22:17-18** aloud. Are you faltering in God's promise? Renounce every unbelief and doubt and ask God for faith to believe and step out.

### **NATION:**

Pray for favour and open doors for strong believers among our neighbours to be positioned in high places to influence decision-making based on biblical principles and values to impact society.

### **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Pray for the fullness of restoration and realignment of families; parents with their children praying together.
  - Restoring family altars.
  - Increase of youths and children attending church prayer meetings with their parents.
- Raising up powerful Prayer Cells to be established in every high place of authority to possess all realms of influence.
- Call forth the invincible army that God is preparing for Himself in the last days ( Joel 2:10-11), consisting of all generations in close rank, invading every territory and bringing it under the Lordship of Jesus Christ.
- Lord of Harvest to raise labourers among the adults, youths and children to reach out to the lost, to teach and disciple their generation.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Putrajaya... to take the highest place.

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# Only Way!

**DAY 15**  
22 August,  
Sunday

**W**e are not here in this beautiful nation by chance but by His divine appointment, being part of His glorious plan to bring redemption to all people groups in the nation. The destiny of 28 millions comprising various people groups lies in our hands! Since the beginning of time, the enemy has stolen, robbed, perverted and blinded the hearts and minds of the people groups to worship him and alienated them from the life of God. We are here for a MISSION and VISION for the nation. There is only One Way, One Hope, One Faith, One Life – all found only in Jesus Christ. The hope lies with the Church taking hold of the keys to change the course of history and destiny of this nation to redeem all mankind to Him. Is your life a witness that points people from all faith to Him? Or do you see the magnitude of the task and shrink back?

**Reflection: 2 Pet 3:9, Col 1:10, 13, 14, 20-27.** What is your purpose and mission in life? Commit it to the Lord and confess where we have failed to be His witness in our character, attitude and lifestyle.

## **NATION:**

Open Heavens upon our neighbours. Unprecedented visitation of the Lord to bring spiritual awakening and revelation of His Son through dreams and visions in places of worship and homes. The Lord to release power gifts to be exercised by ordinary believers, resulting in dramatic healing, deliverance and conversion.

## **PRAYER POINTS:**

- In identification repentance on behalf of the nation and people groups, ask the Lord for forgiveness for idolatry and for Him to set all people groups free from their spiritual blindness and break every pact and allegiance to the god of this age.
- Decree open heavens for outpouring of His spirit upon all people groups to bring spiritual awakening and unprecedented revival.
- The Lord to prepare His Church; Body of Christ in all generations to be equipped and empowered to teach, disciple and mentor new believers. Passion and compassion for the lost.
- Churches to be set ablaze with hearts for missions to plant home churches in places among people where the gospel has not been preached, both locally and beyond our borders.

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Sabah...  
for fresh wind of His Spirit!

Many teachers have been of great influence to many successful citizens of the nation. At the inaugural gathering of Mission Schools Organisation held last year, Prime Minister Dato' Seri Najib Abdul Razak paid tribute to his teachers during his days at St John's Institute. We too may have our own stories of our favourite teachers and how they have played an influential role in our lives. Teachers are supposed to be role models and exemplary citizens. They stand to make or break a student's future and by their sacrifices, they contribute to moral citizenry. If this profession is of critical importance, why are there less and less Christian teachers today? Consider the following statistics based on a 2005 survey conducted by the Teachers' Christian Fellowship:

- *There are approximately 836 Christian teachers of different age groups. Of this figure, 5% are below the age of 30.*
- *The largest number total around 42%. They are between ages 50 and 59. This means that in a couple of years when these teachers retire or leave the service, there will be very few Christian teachers around!*

These are alarming figures and the implication is clear. At this rate, unless more Christian students enrol to become teachers within our national school system, we will have no more Christian schoolteachers within the next 10 years. Can we, the Christian community, afford this?

**Reflection: Prov 22:6.** Thank the Lord for teachers. Desperately beseech the Lord to move our young generation to respond to the teaching vocation. Breakthrough in parents' hearts to release their children to serve His call as teachers.

## NATION:

The Minister of Education who is also our Deputy Prime Minister, Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin; policy-makers, curriculum writers, teacher trainers, education officers (district, state and federal), principals, teachers, counsellors, discipline teachers, school boards, PTA committees, etc. PRAY for wisdom, counsel, knowledge and understanding to take progressive steps to improve the education system for all races.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Negeri Sembilan... to manifest His presence and glory!

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Pray for Christian teachers and students that their eyes will be opened to their role and calling and to be His witness in the midst of darkness. Powerful move of God in our schools and campuses. Christians would be God's agent of spiritual and moral change.
- More Christian school principals to be raised up to be in position to bring transformation in schools. Pray for strong Christian Fellowships to be established in every school.
- Wisdom for Minister of Youth and Sports to spearhead government programs for young generations that will instill godly values and raise godly leaders and a productive generation.

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# Wealth In The Nation!

**DAY 17**  
24 August,  
Tuesday

**T**he Lord has ordained the creation of wealth through commerce. Wealth is to be gained through righteous dealings and shared with the poor. This cycle of receiving, generating wealth and giving to the needy is a wondrous picture of God's providence and care for the poor. Let the people of God in every line of commerce seize this truth that through our vocation, we will portray our God as a God of justice, truth, righteousness and uprightness, so that even the unbelievers will be amazed as was the Queen of Sheba with Solomon in 2 Chro 9:2-4, and give glory to God!

**Reflection: Deut 8:17-18, Matt 6:33.** Ask the Lord to open our eyes to see God as the all-sufficient provider, that through our commercial participation, they will see us as His representation of justice, truth, righteousness and uprightness. Ask the Lord to reveal ways in which you have fallen short in the area of portraying godly ideals such justice, truth and righteousness. Confess and pray that He will strengthen you.

## NATION:

Proclaim the Lordship of Jesus Christ over the economy and financial state of the country. Uphold our PM. Continue to pray for strong governance in Bank Negara and Ministry of Finance, for wisdom to execute plans and strategies with transparency.

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Renounce and repent of sin of greed, materialism, pride and ingratitude towards God's financial blessings to our nation.
- Believers in the financial realm to be a blessing, that Christians demonstrate the divine principle of blessing others financially, showing mercy to and helping those who are under financial distress.
- Exposure and correction of unrighteous dealings in all sectors of commerce, law, policy-making, leadership practices and employee actions. Law and policies governing commerce to be reviewed to cover loopholes on unfair practices.
- Commercial entities to embrace giving to the needy within and outside the nation as part of the company culture. Prov 19:17 affirms that pitying the poor equates to lending to the Lord. What a privilege!

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Kedah...  
for every spiritual blessing!



# A Call Towards Social Justice

At the launch of the Government Transformation Programme held on 18 December 2009 at the Sunway Convention Centre, Minister in the Prime Minister's Department Dato' Idris Jala said there were approximately 44,000 households classified as extreme poor under the poverty income level. According to the mid-term review of the 9th Malaysia Plan, a poor family is classified as one whose income earning is less than RM720-00 in the peninsula and RM960-00 and RM380-00 in Sabah and Sarawak respectively. Some have suggested that the poorest 10% of the population have only a 1.7% hold of the economic income compared to the richest 10% who control 38.4% of the income.

This simple statistic reveals a great disparity in terms of income and resources between the rich and poor. This social injustice is a setback in the Government's agenda to eradicate poverty. The Government has acknowledged the weaknesses in the National Key Result Area (NKRA). We need further involvement from churches, especially from the younger generation. But are our youths prepared to take up the cause for social justice for the poor or are they too "young" to be troubled by such realities? Believers, regardless of age, must be reminded that they are called to be salt and light for the nation. As light unto the nation, we have the responsibility to take on this cause for those who have been sidelined and marginalised.

**Reflection: Micah 6:8, Isa 1:17.** What is the Lord impressing upon your heart in regards to Scriptures? Renounce any indifference and apathy towards the poor and marginalised. Ask the Lord to fill us with love and compassion.

## NATION:

Social ills are high among our neighbours and migrants. Pray for powerful visitation of God in every village/slum area where violence, drug addiction and other ills are rife. Pray for supernatural encounters with Christ.

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Breakthrough in our younger generation to be conscientised on these realities and be moved to show compassion and mercy in dealing with the poor and marginalised.
- Body of Christ will be generous in releasing wealth for God's redistribution to advance His Kingdom in places and among peoples in deep spiritual and material need.
- Effective community services / projects run by local churches to impact poor communities. Lord of Harvest to release workers into these areas to minister effectively to break the yoke and set the people free from every bondage.
- Government to effectively implement projects and policies and that will eradicate poverty. Wisdom in law enforcement to battle the various social problems in the country such as drugs, child abuse, rape, prostitution, violence, gangsterism, gambling etc. Exposing and eradicating corruption in every governing body.

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Perak...  
to display His glory, power,  
justice and righteousness!





# Common Good & Justice

**DAY 19**  
26 August,  
Thursday

Islamic authorities have issued edicts that barred girls from behaving like tomboys and banned Muslims from doing yoga, although neither was enforced. Earlier this year, a Muslim woman was ordered to be caned for drinking alcohol.

In recent times, criticisms against the Islamic authorities' overzealous attempts at clamping down on immoral behaviour have mounted from various young professional groups, many of whom are Muslims. These professional groups have also taken pains to point that such practices have damaged Malaysia's reputation as a progressive and moderate Muslim-majority country.

We thank God for the rise of such professional groups and forums in the area of justice and common good. Let's pray for more of these groups who can speak objectively and sensibly against all forms of injustice and unrighteousness in this land.

**Reflection: Isa 40:3-5.** Thank the Lord who is working out His purposes in the nation using different people groups. Ask the Lord to enlarge our hearts and mind for the nation and people whom He will use.

## NATION:

Pray against every religious extremism that seeks to usurp the power and influence of those in authority. Pray that the Syariah courts will respect, uphold and recognise the constitutional and judicial responsibility of the civil courts and abide by their decisions without interference.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to  
Labuan... to advance His  
kingdom!

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Thank the Lord for raising up groups of Muslims who are concerned about justice and righteousness for everyone.
- Pray the Body of Christ will also be open-minded to engage with the moderates to seek the common good of our nation in regards to human rights, constitutional laws, policies and religion.
- Believers to be His salt and light influencing and impacting these moderates by our lifestyle and values so that their hearts will be opened to the gospel.
- Fear of God to be upon judges, lawyers and advocates so that they will be people of integrity, upholding righteousness and justice without fear of men or partiality in judgment. More Christians will be raised up in the judiciary.

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While the older generations were brought up around television, our youths today are brought up on computers. This worldwide phenomenon has changed our entire culture. With the emergence of global network, information is being disseminated at rapid speed that's beyond any control! The young generations, who have been around computers their entire lives, are able to run businesses faster and cheaper. These young people who are knowledgeable about video, audio and the written word have more potential to change the world than many corporations

Today, we see God's hand moving among our youths. They have the potential to change the world and He is preparing a generation of revolutionaries. Those who are destined by God to be a part of this movement will be on the new era of reformation that will revolutionise our world.

**Reflection: Dan 12:4** says knowledge will increase in the last days. IT communication has made it possible to acquire knowledge freely and make it available to the rich and poor, young and old.

## NATION:

Strengthening of the 5-fold ministry gifts among our brethren in the underground church for the equipping of the saints. God-inspired strategies for powerful church planting movement to be established in every town, kampong and community.

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Ask for forgiveness for the many times we have abused IT technology. We may have used it to cheat on our spouses, avoid spending time with our loved ones, steal intellectual property, download pornography, spread malicious statements, etc.
- Pray for wisdom and understanding of the times. Pray for strategies on how to use IT to reach and impact generations and nations.
- Church – equipped to minister to and lead a people living in the information age. Pastors/leaders will be discerning, at the forefront of the cutting edge of new technology for the advancement of His kingdom.
- Pray for Information, Culture, Communication and Arts Minister Dato' Seri Dr Rais Yatim, that he will personally know the Lord who raised him up for such a time as this.

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Sudan...  
to restore the devastated cities  
and heal the nation!

In 1962, a director of FBI said, “Movies are doing more to advance crime and juvenile delinquency than any other factor today.” How true his statement has become. The media is a powerful tool that can advance good or bad, positive or negative effects. Today we are seeing a stream of perverted sex, witchcraft, violence, murder, brutality, high divorce rates and so forth. The trends are also changing with more and more young people watching movies and entertainment contents online. Fewer people are reading newspapers while more are downloading contents on to their personal computers. Through advances in technology, the media and arts sector has begun to establish its own social networking and followings. The traditional forms of social life are fading away. In the midst of this rapid change, we thank God that the Body of Christ has begun to redeem the media and arts sector. The challenge calls for us to consider how we are to create contents that are truthful, reflecting godly spiritual values, relevant to the younger generation and at the same time, creative and entertaining.

**Reflection: Prov 4:24-26.** How do you spend your time? Are you concerned about what you see? Does it affect you spiritually? Commit to the Lord.

## **NATION:**

Political Leaders – ask the Lord to forgive and deliver all those leaders in authority who consult the occult or witchcraft for political gains. Believers to be positioned in every high place to be the salt and light. Pray for divine encounters with Christ.

## **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Ask the Lord for greater understanding of the new things He is doing. Despite the many media options available, pray that our eyes and ears are constantly focused on Him.
- Believers who will use their God-given skills and talents to reach out to the lost generation through movies, music, games, comics etc. Pray for the expression of these gifts in every language: English, Malay, Chinese, Tamil and others.
- God to raise a new breed of believers who will be pioneers of the new media technology. They will be creative, relevant and will utilise every new medium available to bring the prophetic message to the nations.
- Pray that the government will continue to support creativity and free speech in the media arts. Pray that no one will be prevented access to what God wants to do in the media and arts.

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## **WELCOMING CHRIST to**

Indonesia... all people groups to worship Him!

## *Caring for the Elderly*

**M**anjeet had served faithfully as a clerk in the Government all his working life. He longed to see the day of retirement but when it came and the days turned to months and then years, he became restless and anxious as his EPF savings started dwindling and his children contemplated putting him in a home. Today, like Manjeet, many senior citizens face a grim reality. A survey of 65-year-old retirees found that many had exhausted their savings (70% of EPF savings were spent within 10 years ) and were dependent on their children who in turn are shirking their responsibilities. Many idle away their time worrying and gossiping in coffee shops, food courts, stock markets, courting China women. Some like Manjeet have begun to cry out to the Lord, "Now that I am old and grey, do not abandon me" Ps 71:18.

**Reflection: Psalm 71:9, 16-18.** Ask the Lord to forgive us if we have shirked our responsibilities towards our elderly parents, if we have not understood their needs and have been impatient with them.

### **ACTION:**

Write a card of encouragement to an elderly person to appreciate her/him.

### **NATION:**

Church community projects in all states – to bless our neighbours and all races without strings attached. Through His love and good works, the Church will be His light to point them to Him.

### **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Ask the Lord to strengthen family ties, commitment and responsibility and that children will care for their elderly parents.
- Bless all senior citizens in the Body of Christ that they will use their remaining years to serve Him faithfully, impart, nurture and give godly advice to the younger generation.
- Church to equip and integrate senior citizens into the various church ministries and that there will be avenues for them to reach out to other retirees caught in worry, doubt , fear, aimlessness and loneliness.
- Effective government policies to be implemented for the well being of elderly, disabled persons. To subsidise the rising cost of healthcare, food, housing for senior citizens, establish well-run homes and to find ways to utilise them in nation-building efforts.

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Iran...  
His power to be manifested to  
overthrow spiritual darkness.

# Silent Cry!

**DAY 23**  
30 August,  
Monday

**W**ar has been declared since the beginning of time when the 'serpent' sought to crush the seed of the woman – her posterity. Today, within nations globally, hundreds of millions of innocent lives have been snuffed out before they could see the light. Bruising the woman's seed bruises the heart of God as each human life is of great worth and value in His sight. EVERY life is precious and matters to God! The Church must therefore be His voice for the helpless and VOICELESS generation! May their silent cry be our cry today...

**Reflection: Gen 1:26-27, Psalm 139:13-18.** Pause a while to consider the things that break God's heart. Thank the Lord for His love for you and all people groups because we are beautifully and wonderfully made in His image.

## NATION:

Pray for the secret believers who seek help from local churches and do not get it, that they will continue to hope in Christ. Local church will be willing to take the risk of helping new believers and body of believers will be their source of encouragement and refuge for those who are discovering new life in Christ.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to  
Palestine... to demonstrate His  
power and glory!

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Stand in identification repentance on behalf of people in our nation who have shed innocent blood and seek His forgiveness and mercy on behalf of those who have committed this grievous sin.
- Ask God for deeper understanding of the sanctity and dignity of all human life. Church to rise up to be the voice for the voiceless!
- Uphold programs by Christian organisations that focus on youths, that more teenagers will resolve to make a stand against premarital sex. Godly values and purity to be restored in teenagers.
- Exposing and closing down all clinics that illegally practice abortions in our nation.

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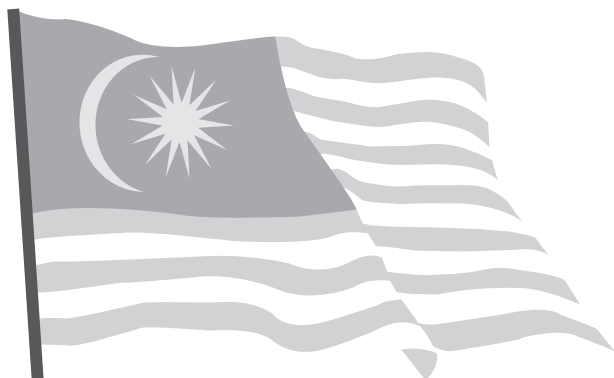
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## *Merdeka! Merdeka!*

Through the years, we have enjoyed much peace, stability, growth and prosperity despite the many upheavals at different times and seasons. The Lord has preserved us as a nation... as the Body of Christ rise up in prayer. Truly we thank God for raising up His people to stand in the gap to intercede like never before. Over the last two decades, we have seen the prayer movement gaining great speed. This is just the beginning. God desires to shape this nation to display His glory and splendor to all people groups and the nations beyond. Let us continue with fervency to intercede and proclaim "MERDEKA" in all realms!"



### **PROCLAIM:**

- **MERDEKA** over our nation and Government! Declare Isa 60: 1-3 over the nation, liberating her from all spiritual darkness. Ask our Father of Light to shine His everlasting light over our nation and to all people groups.
- **MERDEKA** over the Church, liberating her from all contaminations of the world that she will set herself apart. Call forth an army of united generations to come forth to be His witnesses in all realms.
- **MERDEKA** over financial institutions! Declare Isaiah 60:5-7, liberating this realm from greed, materialism and hoarding. Call forth abundance of wealth to be released to fund national and global evangelisation.
- **MERDEKA** over the Education Realm, liberating our nation from all false ideologies and humanistic world view. Call forth a generation of young people who will distinguish herself in leadership with wisdom, knowledge and character to serve His calling.
- **MERDEKA** over IT and Communication, liberating her from all onslaught of the evil one who seeks to sow confusion, corruption, distortion and perversion of truth! Call forth a new wave of young generation of believers to dominate this realm with creative ideas to reach the unreached with the gospel.
- **MERDEKA** over Media and Arts, liberating this realm from all wrong values and virtues from being sown. Raise godly Christian men and women to take this gate to influence viewers with godly values and principles.
- **MERDEKA** over the majority group in our nation! Freedom to accept Christ without restrictions.

# Weak & Helpless

**DAY 25**  
1 September,  
Wednesday

Davin didn't like it when mum's boyfriend stayed in the house. When mum wasn't around, he would become moody and violent. Grabbing Davin's neck, he would stub his cigarette on his arm, legs and private parts laughing as Davin screamed in pain. Davin feared telling his mum as he was threatened with further punishment and beatings. Everyday we hear cases of children sodomised, brutalized, raped in shrubs, under the bridges, ponds, lakes. Those that survive live shattered and broken lives full of fear and hate. In 2007, reports said 8 Malaysians were raped daily, not including the countless unreported cases of children and those living in physical abuse. In most of these cases, the children trusted and knew their attacker who preyed on them because they were weak and helpless.

**Reflection: Matt 19:14, Psalm 127:3-4.** Seek God's forgiveness for forgetting that children are a gift from Him and they are our pride, joy and reward from Him. Ask Him to forgive us for hindering them from coming to Jesus and help us to treasure, protect, guide, teach and love each and every one of them irrespective of race and religion.

## **ACTION:**

Pray for a child today.

## **NATION:**

Pray for our neighbours who are studying abroad, that they may come to the knowledge of God and accept Christ.

## **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Children's ministries in every church that they be lighthouses to the children in their community and outreach areas. Christian children will be raised up, ground in His Word to reach out and comfort their friends in need.
- Vigilance and security in schools, kindergartens, tuition centres, shopping malls, etc. Law enforcers to be watchful and alert to protect children in public places when they are not accompanied by adults.
- Exposing all child abusers, syndicates or individuals who prey on children with evil intentions. Ask God to heal and deliver children from all afflictions: physical, emotional and spiritual abuses.
- Church in all states to have concerted and united effort for community/social projects to help, rescue and provide loving care to the helpless and fatherless children.

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Iraq... to restore the nation and people to find hope in Him!

## *Redeeming the Generation*

When others sleep, the Mat Rempits begin their day. Mat eagerly looks forward to these daily gatherings. His friends in the gang are his life. With them he feels brave, the drugs make him feel alive, far from the aimlessness at home, loiterings in the shopping malls and being called 'hopeless' and 'useless'. His life is like a motorcycle, always on the move and picking up speed. When in speed, he cannot slow down and think. Whatever the group fancies, he will follow. Some days they prey on young women, even pregnant ones; other times, they smash car windows, steal bags and laptops, destroy property and perform dangerous stunts on their bikes.

These youths and others like them must be reconciled to their parents, authorities and God. Parents, authorities and the government must likewise do the same and find ways not to alienate but to restore them.

**Reflection: Malachi 2:1-8.** Ask God for forgiveness where as a nation we have failed in our priestly covenant duty according to Mal 2: 5 to bring "life and peace", compassion and "true instruction" to the lost youths.

### **ACTION:**

Go for a drive or take the LRT with your prayer partner; along any road or highway, proclaim life to come forth and bless all lost youths to turn their hearts back to our Father! Pray for a radical encounter with Christ. Declare Isa 62:10-12 for an open highway of salvation and they will be called the Redeemed of the Lord!

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Tunisia...  
for divine visitation among the  
people!

### **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Ask God to forgive parents who have lost their priestly duty to give "true instruction" to their children who are lost in the cycle of entertainment, leisure, lust of the eyes, casual sex, computer games, late night parties.
- God's deliverance to come upon the Mat Rempits, bringing radical deliverance and revelational encounters.
- Pray for creative ways to reach out to them. Church to be relevant in building bridges and help the young generation in their community.
- Government to have wisdom and compassion to address, engage and educate the youths with love and understanding. To engage them in nation building and community life that transcend culture and race. To initiate community programs that nurture wholeness, love for nation and religion.

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# Substance Abuse

**DAY 27**  
3 September,  
Friday

Alex had always been ambitious and wanted to study in the US but all came unstuck when he failed in his exams and his girlfriend broke off their relationship. Life crumbled into complete darkness. Unable to cope he began to hang out in pubs and soon got involved with the wrong kind of “friends”. Soon, he was drawn into their ‘club drugs’. This is just one case of thousands of young people who have been targeted and lured into drugs. Some just want to ‘try out’ out of curiosity; some want to escape reality while others join the crowd because of peer pressure. Many came from dysfunctional homes, and broken relationships. Today there are 1.2 million drug addicts and many have failed in their attempt to kick the habit. For those who have been set free, they are finding difficulty in social acceptance. Disillusioned, they soon fall back to old habits. As a church, we have a social responsibility towards these people. Let us cry out to God for mercy to help us accept them.

**Reflection: Psalm 107:10-16.** Is there any trace of prejudice against this group of drug abusers? Do you regard them as a social menace? Confess and renounce every prejudice, religiosity and hypocrisy. Ask Him to fill us with love and compassion.

## ACTION:

Send a gift to a Christian drug rehab centre to encourage the staff there.

## NATION:

God to expose all extremist and radical fundamentalist groups in our nation. Finances that support these groups to be crippled and exposed. Wisdom for authorities to root out these forces. For God’s revelation to the extremists so that their lives be turned over to serve God’s purpose.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to  
Afghanistan... war to cease,  
lasting peace on the nation!

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Take authority over the spirit of rebellion, hopelessness and drug addiction that seek to destroy our youths. Teachers and law enforcers to be vigilant against syndicates working through schools and colleges to trap and recruit students.
- The Body of Christ will reach out and be their source of comfort, encouragement, direction to young people who are facing rejection and feeling lonely. Effective youth ministries to reach out in love.
- Expose drug traffickers in our nation and local processing labs in remote places. Expose and remove all corrupt officials in authority who are protecting these syndicates.
- Strong support groups to uphold and strengthen those who have been delivered from drugs. They will find love and acceptance and able to integrate back into society successfully.

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**DAY 28**  
4 September,  
Saturday

## *Patriotic Generation!*

Each year, many youths attend the National Service Training programme in selected locations all over the county. Among the stated objectives for the programme are:

- Developing the younger generation who are patriotic and with love and devotion for their country;
- Enhancing unity among the multi-racial communities in the country by instilling a spirit of caring and volunteerism among society; and
- Developing a positive characteristic among the younger generation through good values.

One of the ways to achieve these objectives is through 'Kelas Kerohanian' (religious classes conducted by volunteer teachers). Classes are held on Thursday and/or Friday nights from 8.00 to 10.30. More than 120,000 youths are trained each year. Currently, over 40 out of 82 campsites have Christian trainers going in regularly to conduct Bible studies. This therefore provides Christians with great opportunities to make a positive impact on the lives of our youths and to foster a right spirit and attitude for nation building.

**Reflection: Psalm 18:30-40.** Pray that God's agenda for our next generation and the good objectives of the NS will be achieved. Not only raising physical army but also a spiritual army.

### **NATION:**

Religious colleges and universities. Expose every element of extremist teaching being carried out to indoctrinate the hearts and minds of our neighbours' young generation. Pray for divine visitation of the Lord to all true seekers and turn their lives around to be His powerful instruments of peace.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Pakistan... His power to be manifested to frustrate the plans of the evil one!

### **PRAYER POINTS:**

- For excellent, efficient, creative, qualified, and disciplined officers, trainers, counsellors and jungle guides. Protection as they travel to remote campsites.
- For good maintenance of facilities and equipment; security and cleanliness in living conditions and protection on trainees' health.
- For enough committed Christian teachers to be trained and sent to ALL 82 camps in 2010. Churches to adopt and pray for the camps and the yearly three batches of trainees in their localities in 2010.
- For spiritual awakening in all camps and Christian youths to be His light and salt to encourage and stand with those trainees in their times of need. Maturing of our next generation for the Kingdom of God.

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# Youths in Sabah & Sarawak

**DAY 29**  
5 September,  
Sunday

The authorities have made great concerted effort to actively target the younger generation in Islamising the native people, the 'Bumiputeras' of East Malaysia. The Islamic religious authorities have focused their activities on longhouses by for example, setting up hostels or "asrama" where the warden and staff are Muslims who deliberately influence the students living there towards Islamic values and way of life.

This has caused deep concern as the majority of the Christian population in Malaysia are from Sabah and Sarawak. The urgency is to bring awareness of the strategies used against our younger generation and to educate our youths on the basic foundation of their faith so that they are steadfast and always abounding in the ways of the Lord.

**Reflection: Col 2:6-12.** To 'continue to live in Him' – what does this mean to you? Is this the reality in your walk with the Lord?

## NATION:

Migrants and our neighbours in Sabah and Sarawak. Churches to raise labourers to reach out to them. Open highways and clear path to sow the 'Truth' to and pray for powerful move of God to bring spiritual awakening to them.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to South Thailand... His consuming fire to consume all elements of extremism!

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Thank the Lord for preserving Sabah and Sarawak. Continue to ask the Lord to protect our youths in these states from all schemes to influence and indoctrinate them with wrong values.
- Indigenous pastors and leaders in the rural areas to be empowered, awakened and alerted on the schemes of the enemy. They will be vigilant to warn, disciple and strengthen the youths. For strong discipleship and mentoring in the interior churches.
- Releasing of finances and resources to establish Bible schools, training centres, Christian schools and kindergartens so that the younger generation's faith will be preserved and strengthened.
- Raising up more pastors and leaders to empower churches in the interior. More youths will heed the call of God to be church planters; evangelists, pastors and teachers.
- Greater partnership and united effort between the Peninsular and East Malaysian churches to formulate mission strategies that will reach the lost.

## NOTES:

# Unity and Diversity

They would meet for Bible study once a week, studying the Word of God and singing hymns, united through the Holy Spirit in one faith and under one Lord. When they came across difficult passages in their studies that divide their respective denominations, they would maintain love, patience and care for one another. Yet come Sunday, their differences will be marked in their Catholic, charismatic, Brethren, Anglican, Methodist churches. Some raise hands and speak in tongues, while others sing hymns and ladies cover their heads in reverence. Nevertheless these brothers and sisters believe that “There is one body and one Spirit – just as you were called – one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.” (Eph 4:5). Seeking unity in the things that unite them, they concentrate on the Word, prayer and in evangelism, the transformation of the nation believing in the promise that one day “the Lord will be king over the whole earth. On that day there will be one Lord, and his name the only name.” Zech 14 : 9

**Reflection: Eph 4:3-5, Ps 133.** Thank the Lord for the unique calling and strength in all denominations. How awesome when different parts of the body with all generations come together in unity! The enemy shudders!

## NATION:

Exposure of all extremist/deviated teachings that instil hatred and racism in religious schools that corrupt children’s mind. Authorities to take swift actions and for God to overthrow this evil scheme and protect this young generation for future good and harmony.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Libya...  
the Lion of Judah to roar over the nation!

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Ask the Lord to forgive us of our pride and arrogance; to seek to celebrate each other’s giftings and doctrinal distinctives.
- Churches will promote activities, conferences that will unite the various denominations in prayer, worship, the Word, evangelism among all the generations, young and old. A spirit of unity and cooperation in sharing and releasing resources with common vision towards transformation of society, community and nation.
- One united VOICE, with clear purpose to face the authorities on issues that are affecting the Body of Christ.
- Bless all denomination heads and pray for one united prayer movement to come forth.

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# 4/14 Window

**DAY 31**  
7 September,  
Tuesday

There's an urgent global appeal to consider the strategic importance and potential of the 1.2 billion children and youths in the 4/14 Window (children aged from 4 yrs to 14 years). As a national church, we need to open our hearts and minds to the idea of reaching and raising up a new generation from within this vast group – a generation that can experience personal transformation and can be mobilised as agents for transformation throughout the world. The vision and hope is to maximise their transformational impact while they are young, and to mobilise them for continuous impact for the rest of their lives. It is imperative that we see children and young people as a crucial, strategic force, capable of transforming the nation and the world. May our hearts be opened to embrace this 4/14 Window and release this generation into the full potential God has for them. *(Luis Bush)*

**Reflection: Lam 2:19, Matt 18:14.** Urgently ask the Lord to move our hearts to see this generation through His eyes and pray for them. Ask the Lord how else you can avail yourself to build this group?

## NATIONS:

God to pour out His Spirit on this 4/14 generation of all races; dreams and visions that reveal Christ and their eternal destiny in Him.

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Ask God to release a revelation of His heart upon His church, to shake us, break us, and change us with what He sees, feels and hears in regards to children.
- Raising workers, Sunday School teachers who understand the needs, nature and potential of this emerging generation to disciple and equip them to transform their schools, community and nation.
- Thank the Lord for the national children prayer movement. Pray that in each local church, God will raise up prayer leaders who are equipped to teach and empower children and youths to pray.
- God to protect and preserve this generation and their destiny, to mould them to be His prophetic generation with radical commitment and excellence in character to be His future leaders to shape the destiny of nations.

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to  
Yemen... for supernatural  
encounter among people groups!

# Waking Up The GIANTS!

One can almost imagine the fear in Satan as he thinks of the Church's unmeasured potentials. "Let the Church sleep! If she wakes up, she will SHAKE the world!" so the saying goes. Is not the Church the sleeping giant of today? There is more evidence of religious sensation before our eyes than evidence of spiritual regeneration and supernatural phenomenon! Not many Christians today can forget the fact that the devil goes about as a roaring lion, but we seem to have lost sight of the fact that the Lion of the tribe of Judah has defeated the "roaring lion" and therefore, every anointed Samson or Gideon or church can have victory over the "lion of hell". Though wicked men are doing wicked things, God's promise to us is that "the people that do know their God shall be strong and do exploits" (Daniel 11:32). *(Leonard Ravenhill)*

**Reflection: Isa 52:1-12.** Seek God to remove every 'cobweb', dust that has dulled your spirit. Shake loose every self denial, delusion and deception. Ask Him to cleanse and awaken your spirit man.

## NATIONS:

Followers of Christ in the Middle East have often been oppressed. Pray for an awakening of faith and spiritual life among His followers across the entire region, enabling them to be His channel of life to our neighbours.

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Implore Him to awaken the Body of Christ to her true spiritual state with deep conviction and repentance to come forth. Renounce and repent of our complacency, self sufficiency, self indulgence, compromise, carnality, etc.
- Restoring passion and hunger to spend time with Him and His Word in the Body of Christ. Believers to be enlightened to His hope and calling to be His salt and light.
- Prayer Cells springing forth in all realms of influence, reaching out and establishing strong discipleship in schools, colleges, housing estates, marketplace, etc.
- Decree an open highway and ask God to raise up His standard over our Church and nation to thwart the plans of the evil one so that His GIANTS will ARISE and SHINE in the days of His power! Declare our GOD REIGNS over Malaysia.

## NOTES:

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Saudi Arabia... to turn their face back to the Most High God!



# Lay Down Your Crown

**DAY 33**  
9 September,  
Thursday

**R**ev. 4:10 depicts a glorious scene of the 24 elders falling on their faces and laying their crowns in worship before the Lamb on the Throne. This scene in heaven gives us a picture of the Church acknowledging Christ as Lord. We need to bare all and cast ourselves before the throne of God, sacrificing our self significance, positions, achievements, dying to ourselves and “rights” in total submission to live our lives for His sake! We need to see the best in others, strengthening, empowering and releasing the next generation and those who follow behind to come forth without strife and competition! Are you willing?

**Reflection: Rev 4: 9-10, 7:9-17.** Seek God for the revelation of your heart and what He requires of you.

## **ACTION:**

Take a map (if you don't have one, write down on a sheet of paper a town, city or nation), lay your hands on a city or country and pray for revival and spiritual awakening.

## **NATIONS:**

Pray that true seekers among our neighbors may, by divine appointment, be connected to believers. They will receive the Word of God, DVDs and other helpful materials about the Way. The Holy Spirit to open their minds to understand the gospel.

## **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Renounce and repent on behalf of the Body of Christ for self-seeking ways, strife, competition, insecurities and contention, envy, jealousy... Pray for deepening love and passion for Christ and for the lost.
- Spiritual leaders/pastors/elders in churches that their lives and walk will be prompted by an expression of perfect humility, love for God, for one another and for all people groups.
- To be filled with wisdom, spiritual insight and discernment; empowering, strengthening and releasing every generation to fulfill his/her calling
- Greater unity in strategic networking to fulfill the Great Commission among all churches. New wave of pioneers to be raised up and sent forth to reach the unreached.

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Mali...  
for life to come forth!



**W**e need to be desperate in our prayers. In Isaiah 38, when King Hezekiah was struck with illness, a prophet was sent and he was told that he would die. In desperation, he turned his face to the wall and prayed and wept bitterly. God heard his prayer and healed him and added another 15 years to his life. In His mercy God delivered him and defended the city.

In response to fervent and desperate prayer, God may change the course of our lives and our nation. God's thoughts and ways are far higher than our thoughts and plans. In times like these when we cry out to Him, He will incline His ears to our cries. He is looking for humble and contrite hearts. We may even live to see His great deliverance of our nation. We will also have a legacy to pass on to the next generation. The heritage of our faith will be passed on to our children because we have stood in the gap and seen His deliverance over our lives and nation. In these crucial times, we are facing the strength of united intercession and the desperate cry from our hearts will indeed make a difference to impact our generation and the generations to come.

**Reflection: Matt 5:3, Isa 38.** When was the last time you were desperate for God and cried out to Him wholeheartedly? Tell the Lord and confess every trace of self sufficiency and ask Him to humble our hearts.

## NATIONS:

A deep spiritual thirst will come upon the sons of Ishmael that they will seek the Truth and will be filled with the Spirit of Truth pointing them to Christ. Home groups of believers will multiply exceedingly in their communities.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Algiers...  
to thirst and hunger for Truth!

## PRAYER POINTS:

- His Holy Spirit to move the Body of Christ to a place of desperation. Insatiable thirst and longing for more of God. Restoration of first love and hunger for His Word.
- Churches will be houses of prayer and thousands upon thousands of prayer cells in homes, offices, schools, colleges, government departments to be established.
- Implore the Lord for holy desperation for souls in the lives of every believer to have His burden for the lost. They will be equipped and empowered to share the gospel, teach and disciple new believers to grow in the knowledge of Him.
- Ask the Lord to break down barriers and strongholds that have kept the people in your community, town or city in spiritual darkness. Invite His Presence to touch and open hearts to the gospel.

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# ONE Power!

**DAY 35**  
11 September,  
Saturday

In the early church, God used simple, insignificant people to change the entire empire in Asia Minor. The kingdom of God is likened to a mustard seed which grows into a powerful movement that transforms the entire culture and society. Today, God still uses simple, insignificant people to impact nations. When every believer in every generation begins to love and appreciate one another regardless of race and status, embracing one another in genuine love and standing together as ONE united force, nothing can stop the power of God from sweeping through the nation, releasing blessings of revival and spiritual awakening. This is NOT a dream but a REALITY in the last days! Let us join Him and walk in love, accepting and esteeming one another ABOVE ourselves that all men will know that we are His disciples.

**Reflection: John 13:34-35.** Renounce every pride, prejudice, religiosity, jealousy, falsehood, insecurity on behalf of the Body of Christ. Pray for deep cleansing in the Body of Christ and the removal of all hypocrisy.

## NATIONS:

Global awakening among our neighbours. Let us cry, "Lord, You have said, 'For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the LORD, as the waters cover the sea.' Lord, may Your Name be renowned and proclaimed to all the regions of the world".  
Hab 2:14 & Mt 24:14

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Bless the Body of Christ and pray for genuine love, care and concern for one another but especially for marginalised groups.
- Authentic relationship in the Body of Christ, resulting in strong discipleship and mentoring in every generation.
- Every believer in every sphere of influence to impact all people groups to come into the saving grace of our Lord Jesus.
- All Churches to be ONE, united in purpose and vision under His Lordship to fulfill the Great Commission in every people group in our nation. Releasing of finances and resources to help rural churches for the expansion of His kingdom.

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to  
Somalia... for the latter rain!

## *Empowering the Next Generation*

God has raised a generation of youths with a “different spirit”. As Caleb in Numbers 14:24, they bear the seal of servants of the Lord who follow Him wholeheartedly. With boldness and faith, they stand to inherit all that the Lord has ordained for them. They are an overcoming generation, a people convicted by the Lord’s revelation through which they are empowered to live as “more than conquerors” (Rom 8:37-39), with the potential of impacting the present and the future generations. It is time we recognise, empower and release this generation to “take this land”!

Claim the fulfillment of **Numbers 14:24 and Rom 8:37** for the young people. Pray for yourself, your children and other young people by name. Let the love of God so saturate young lives that they walk with a different spirit, carrying an anointing of favour with God and man.

### **NATION:**

Claim Isa 62:1, Malaysia’s salvation will be like His blazing Torch. Call on the Lord for powerful visitation of God’s Spirit to stir and awaken our majority and minority groups to the Way, the Truth and the Life! Cry out for souls and national revival!

### **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Plead the Lord’s mercy on youths who have substituted their passion for God with other passions which have alienated them from God and the Body of Christ. Declare that nothing can separate them from His love.
- This generation of young people to have a different spirit, with a heart of submission to authority in their homes, churches and schools.
- Spiritual leaders to be role models to teach, lead and mentor them to be future leaders after His own heart.
- A powerful movement of this young generation who will embrace their destiny for this nation, to be actively engaged in the public square to be His voice to stand for justice and righteousness.

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to  
Singapore... to be His torch for  
the nations!



# Possessing Our Inheritance

**DAY 37**  
13 September,  
Saturday

**T**he Lord has declared that we are to reach out to the nations. We have asked but now He wants us, every generation in the Family of God, to go forth and take hold of the nation by His Word. His Word commands us to be strong and of good courage and take hold of the people groups and the land. He promised to be with us. He will go before us. Therefore let us arise and go forth to possess the land by the Word of the Lord!

**Reflection: Psalm 2:8, Rev 7:9-10.** Do you believe that God has given this nation into your hands? Or are you disheartened by the 'giants' of obstacles that obstruct your future? Whatever your fears, let us renounce every doubt, unbelief and hopelessness. Let us be resolute in our conviction and stand firm on His Word today to claim this nation.

## NATIONS:

Ask the Lord to remove the veil over the hearts and minds of our neighbours. Declare that the kingdom of this age will be the kingdom of our God! As the veil is removed, pray that multitudes will see Him on His Throne and they will acknowledge Him!

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Thank the Lord for this rich inheritance that the borders of this nation are marked out by Him and for His Glory. Claim, Psalm 24:1, "Malaysia is the Lord's and the fullness thereof!"
- Thank Him for the rich culture and diversity of all people groups in all the states. Claim Rev 7:9-10 that all tribes and tongue will stand before The Lamb of God.
- Pray for the fullness of the redemptive purpose of God to be realised. The Church to fulfill her destiny and call:
  - to reach out to the lost, both the local people groups and the millions of migrants that are right at our doorstep.
  - thousands to heed the call of God to be sent forth to the nations to the people groups who are still yet saved.
- Every believer will be passionate about prayer and intentionally plant prayer cells in spiritually dark places for the gospel to penetrate through every part of the country.

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** to  
Myanmar... to break the bonds  
of oppression!



**T**oday, let thanksgivings overflow to our Father for our liberty in Christ, for calling us His sons! Indeed we are entering into a time of restoring all generations to full maturity. We will no longer be tossed to and fro but we will stand firm and rooted in Him. "...speaking the truth in love, we will in all things grow up into him who is the Head, that is, Christ. From Him the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work" Eph 4:15-16. It's time to grow up and put away every 'childish' ways and carnality of our flesh and clothe ourselves in His royal robe as sons of righteousness!

**Reflection: Rom 8:14-17, Rev 5:10.** Ask the Lord to open our eyes of understanding to the full revelation of 'sonship' and to appropriate what He has deposited into us to walk victorious as sons and daughters of God. Renounce and shake off every spirit of inferiority or defeatism, childish ways and carnality. We are all destined to be kings and priest, the head and not the tail!

## NATION:

The Prime Minister's Department has initiated a Government Transformation Programme headed by Datuk Idris Jala. Pray he will receive God's inspired wisdom and strategies to implement the projects effectively and for protection against all temptations and a shield of favour to surround him. May there be a deep awakening upon every Christian politician from East Malaysia to his calling and to serve His purpose with fear and trembling. Courage and boldness to stand for justice and righteousness.

**WELCOMING CHRIST** to Brunei... to open doors that no man can shut!

## PRAYER POINTS:

- The power which He exerted in Christ when He raise Him up from the dead, the same power to come upon His Church to raise her up from her spiritual slumber, sluggishness and carnality into NEW LIFE and POWER, to walk as sons of God.
- Restoring and uniting all generations unto Him and releasing them to new levels of maturity. To prepare them to be His glorious Bride.
- Spiritual leaders (apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors and elders) to empower and "to prepare God's people for works of service". Instructing and activating members of the Body to be positioned rightly to function in their gifts and callings that the whole Body will be built up.
- Receiving strategies for bringing down strongholds in your community, city and nation. Releasing the apostolic and prophetic ministries in our nation.
- Declare Eph 3:20-21 – He is able to do exceedingly abundantly above all that we ask or think. To Him be glory in the church of Christ Jesus to all generations, forever and ever.

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# Preparing His Glorious Bride!

**DAY 39**  
15 September,  
Wednesday

In this critical time, the Bride of Christ must be PREPARED! In the parable of the 10 virgins in Matt 25:1-13, five had made adequate preparation for their lamps had extra oil in jars (Matt 25:4). The other five had lamps but no extra oil. At midnight, the bridegroom arrived. The lamps of the five virgins without extra oil went out to search for oil and missed the arrival of the bridegroom. When they returned and found the wedding feast in progress, they sought admission but were denied.

Jesus' coming is near, but not all will be spiritually prepared for it. His coming will be sudden and unexpected. Those who fail to acknowledge Him truly as Lord cannot enter His kingdom. Since the day and hour of His return are unknown, let us consider how we should live our lives. This is a desperate call for all generations to keep WATCH, be ALERT and be PREPARED!

**Reflection: Matt 25:1-13.** Honestly ask ourselves, "How have I been investing my time, resources or talents? Am I ready for His return?" Let us strip off every falsehood, pretension, spiritual dullness and self justification and allow His Spirit to renew us in our commitment to Him.

## NATIONS:

End-time harvest: "And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in the whole world as a testimony to all nations, and then the end will come." Matt 24:14 Global Church to be prepared for His end-time move. Thrusting forth a new wave of harvesters who will move in signs and wonders to reap the harvest. Breakthrough of resources and funds for end-time ministry!

## PRAYER POINTS:

- Call on the Lord to raise up His standard to bring His Body into a new level of purity and holiness, separating herself from all defilement to know the time and season.
- Call into His chamber – believers to enter into a new season of intimacy; to be filled with fresh anointing daily to minister out of relationship.
- Call to watch – awaken believers to the privilege of His high calling to be His watchmen to watch and pray with fervency and intensity, renewing faith and focus until His Kingdom comes! Prayer Cells to be established in private/government offices, housing estates, apartments, parks, in places where none exists in all the states.
- Call forth:
  - the greatest revival to come forth to the fullness of people groups who have yet to receive His salvation
  - His Glorious Bride without wrinkles to be prepared for His Glorious return! Maranatha! Come Lord Jesus, Come! The Spirit and the Bride say, AMEN!

## NOTES:

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**WELCOMING CHRIST** for His  
Glory to be revealed to all flesh!

## *Supremacy of Christ!*

Scriptures declare, **'Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord!'** When Christ is exalted and enthroned in a nation, the floodgates of heaven will open to bless the nation. Darkness will be dispelled, prisons will be opened, the enemy will be crushed and the land will be healed. Let us arise as the people of God and welcome the King of Glory to reign and rule in this land.

### **Enthroning Christ as Head of our Nation**

Decree: The kingdom of this world will turn to become the kingdom of our God!

### **Enthroning Christ as Head of the Church**

Enforce: The Supremacy of Christ to rule over His Church to come forth into fullness of maturity in the Body of Christ. Releasing the 5-fold ministry gifts for the equipping of the saints for the end-time harvest.

### **Enthroning Christ as Head over our Household**

Restoring Heads of household to their position – to lead, guide and instruct the children in the ways of the Lord. Decree the fullness of Mal 4:6, bringing healing and reconciliation in all relationships, standing together as ONE powerful unit.

### **Enthroning Christ as Head over all Authorities**

Release: blessings on those in authority to serve God's purpose.

That the bars of the nation that obstruct God's purposes to be broken.

Positioning of men and women after His own heart in high places of authority.

### **Enthroning Christ as Head over all realms of influence**

Decree His Word:

"He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation.  
For by Him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth,  
visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities;  
all things were created by Him and for Him. He is before all things,  
and in Him all things hold together. And He is the Head of the body, the church;  
He is the beginning and the firstborn from among the dead,  
so that in everything He might have the supremacy.  
For God was pleased to have all His fullness dwell in Him,  
and through him to reconcile to Himself all things, whether things on earth or  
things in heaven, by making peace through His blood, shed on the cross".

Amen!

Col 1:15-20

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