

UPCOMING EVENTS

Look out for more details in the coming weeks for:

- * Christmas Eve Meeting
- * Christmas Day Service
- * Co-Workers Dinner on 31/12/08 from 7.00pm to 10.00pm
- * WatchNight Service on 31/12/08 from 10.30pm to 12.05am

LG MINISTRY

Calling All Home Owners in Punggol or Sengkang!
Golden Opportunity for You to Serve our Lord by letting your home be a Place of Blessings for Brothers & Sisters to Meet.

The Church intends to start a English Speaking Life Group.
Please get in touch with
Bro Joe at 94242177,
Sis Ching Ching at 97710250 or
Pastor David Kerk at 96460704.

SPECIALLY FOR YOU

Bro. Joe & Sis. Yvonne Tye invite YOU to their daughter, Sis. Jasmine's 21st Birthday & Buffet Dinner Celebration.

Date : 29th Nov 2008
Time : 6.30pm to 10.00pm
Venue : Marina Country Club, Function Room.

SUNDAY'S SPECIAL SPEAKER

(Hokien/English Service)

Speaker : Bro Joshua Cheng
Title : I Am Not Ashamed of the Gospel of Christ
Key Text : Romans 1:16
Date : 23rd Nov 2008
Time : 10.30am to 12.30pm

Our Mission

We, Church of Sengkang, exist to bring people to Jesus and membership in His family, develop them to Christ like maturity, and equip them for their ministry in the church and their mission in the world.

"God is able to do above and beyond all we ask or imagine according to His power, which is at work in us"
Ephesians 3:20.

Our Vision

To **WORSHIP, GLORIFY** and **SERVE GOD** at all time.

To **PROCLAIM** the Good News of Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.

To **WELCOME** all with **LOVE** and **Compassion**.

To **CALL** everyone to develop and use God's Gifts in working together for Him.

To **LIVE** and **WORK** for God's Kingdom.

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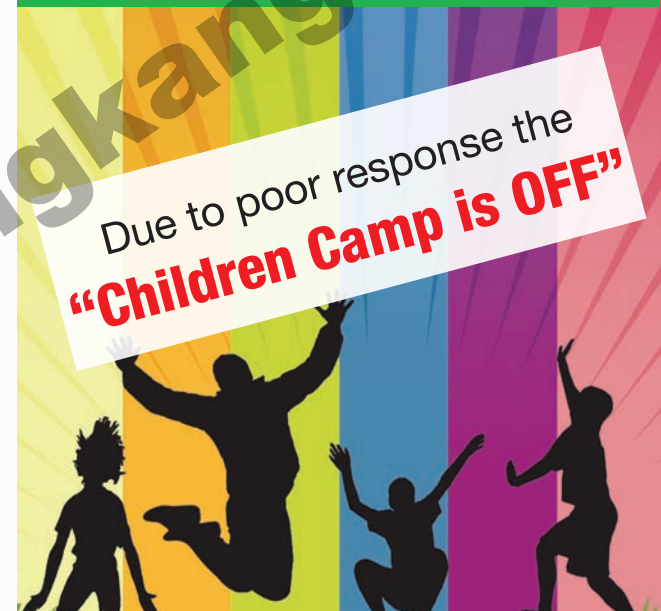
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Church of Sengkang

Is called by God to be **welcoming** and **prayerful** community filled with and led by the **HOLY SPIRIT**

THE SUNDAY TIMES 16th November 2008
SUNDAY SERVICES TIME: 10.30am to 12.30pm



Water Baptism Service Is STILL ON!

If you have not attended the class last 2 sundays,
You can STILL do so this afternoon.





Message from Pastor David Kerk

You CANNOT Count Your Days, But You CAN Make Your Days COUNT!

Do you know that Bill Gates was once a student at Harvard University? He dropped out to give all his attention to his new-found passion: computers. His mother was deeply distressed that her son had dropped out of Harvard - one of the most prestigious universities in the world. She asked a family friend, respected by Bill Gate, to talk to her son and persuade him to go back to Harvard. The man agreed to have lunch with Bill to persuade him to go back to Harvard.

During the lunch meeting, Bill Gate laid out persuasively the case for personal computers and the vast opportunity that was open for him. Bill Gate was so effective that not only did the family friend fail to persuade him to go back to Harvard, but he wrote out a cheque for US\$25,000 to help start the new Microsoft Company. Many years after that lunch meeting the man said "My biggest regret & mistake I made that day was NOT giving Bill Gate every cent in my bank account".

The uniqueness of the success story of Bill Gates shows us the bright side of regrets & mistakes. In the early years of my spiritual journey with the Lord, I used to count my days spent on the Lord. Being accounting trained, I pride myself in spending so many days for Him. But these days after experiencing so much GRACE from HIM, I MAKE my days COUNT for HIM. Despite my many regrets & mistakes, I am grateful to our Lord that He STILL LET me SERVE HIM. Brethren, please pardon my shortcomings & uphold me in your prayers.

Often time I draw strength from these words, especially I sigh over my regrets & mistakes, "All that I am, all that I have I lay them down before you, O Lord. All my regrets, all my acclaims the joy & the pain I making them yours!" from the song "I Offer My Life" by Don Moen. The words of Apostle Paul to young Timothy in the ministry of the Gospel have also been one of my greatest assurance in the Call To Serve Him. Read 2 Timothy 1:12 "...I am not ashamed for I Know whom I have BELIEVED and PERSUADED that HE is able to KEEP what I have Committed for HIM until that DAY!"

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These days, I MAKE my days COUNT for HIM as I acknowledge all the favors & blessings come from Him. God wants you & me to be successful (1Timothy 6:17 & John 10:10). I have come to know ALL God wants is for me to Bless or Give away what He has given me - the air I breathe, the talents He loans me & the energy He empowers me. So, TODAY is another new day He has given & chosen me to make a difference in someone's life. It involves with the choices I make, the heart I have, and the attitude I have towards Christ, His Church & His Children.

Beloved, I am very touched by the secret of Dr. Billy Graham's success in the ministry - the Working of God' Spirit in his life. And my prayer has been " Lord, have Your way in me and may Your Spirit take full-control over me!" in Jesus' Name. Amen.

Only By His Grace

Pastor David Kerk

EASTER BASKET

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



...because I know whom I have believed, and am convinced that He is able to guard what I have entrusted to Him for that day. **2 Timothy 1:12**

OUR COLLECTIONS

Proverbs 11:24-25: "One man gives freely, yet gains even more; another withholds unduly, but comes to poverty. A generous man will prosper; he who refreshes others will himself be refreshed."

October 08' Collections	: \$16,114.60
Last week's up to 9th Nov 08	: \$21,165.00
Church Building Fund	: \$27,080.00

If you are making out a cheque, kindly mark
"Church of Sengkang Ltd".

Today's Sermon

Speaker: **Bro. Steven Lim**

Title of Message: **Eliminate Arrogant**

Scripture Text : **Proverbs 27:2**

Let another man praise you, and not your own mouth; A stranger, and not your own lips.

Scripture Text : *Impossible to guard, yet you need to guard.*

Main Points:

1. What Is Arrogant?

- 1:1
- 1:2
- 1:3

2. Why Do Believers Behave Arrogantly?

- 2:1
- 2:2
- 2:3

3. Arrogant Brings Destruction

- 3:1
- 3:2
- 3:3

4. How To Eliminate Arrogance!

- 4:1
- 4:2
- 4:3

Reflection on this message:

The percentage is a generalization of what we retain.
Understanding and Remembering are better when we make notes.