

*Resident Bishop* : Rev. Dr. Hwa Yung  
*President, TRAC District* : Rev. Ong Hwai Teik  
*Superintendent* : Rev. Andrew Tan  
*Pastor* : Rev. Andrew Tan  
*Associate Pastor* : Rev. Raymond Wong  
*Director of -Social Outreach* : Miss Veronica Ting  
*-Music* : Miss Susan Tan  
*Youth Worker* : Mr. Ronald Yap  
*Lay Leader* : Mr. Andy Chan  
*LCEC Chairman* : Dato' Michael L S Cheah  
*Administration Director:*

### CHURCH ACTIVITIES

#### SUNDAY

7.30 am Upper Room Prayer Hour  
 (Menara Wesley, Level 1)  
 8.00 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)  
 Holy Communion (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday)  
 Bible Studies  
 10.00 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)  
 Holy Communion (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday)  
 Sunday School  
 11.45 am Praise Worship Service (Sanctuary)  
 Holy Communion (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday)  
 Bible Studies  
 1.00 pm Methodist Men Fellowship (1<sup>st</sup> Sun.)  
 6.00 pm Worship Service (Sanctuary)  
 Holy Communion (1<sup>st</sup> Sunday)

#### TUESDAY

9.00 am Wesley Senior Fellowship  
 8.00 pm Parish Groups Bible Study  
 Small Group Meetings

#### THURSDAY

8.00 pm Committee Meetings  
 8.00 pm Methodist Young Adults Bible Study

#### FRIDAY

8.00 pm Parish Groups Fellowship  
 Meetings (once a month)  
 Small Group Meetings

#### SATURDAY

2.00 pm Boys' Brigade  
 2.30 pm Girls' Brigade  
 3.00 pm Methodist Youth Fellowship  
 3.30 pm Methodist Women (3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday)

### VISION FOR DISCIPLESHIP

William Kelly was an outstanding student of the Bible whose scholarship and spirituality made him a real power for God in Great Britain at the close of the last century. Kelly had once helped a young relative prepare for Trinity College in Dublin and in this way came to the attention of the professors there. They urged him to take up work at the college and thus distinguish himself. When Kelly showed a complete lack of enthusiasm for their suggestion, they were nonplussed. One of them asked in exasperation, "But Mr. Kelly, aren't you interested in making a name for yourself in the world?"

To which Kelly adroitly replied, "Which world, gentlemen?"

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**PROCLAMATION**

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

**Lord, create in us a hunger for Your Word,  
a thankfulness for Your Gospel  
and a faithfulness to Your commands.  
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

HYMN OF PREPARATION                      Are Ye Able    UMH 530

SCRIPTURE READING                      Mark 1: 14 - 20 (pg. 1002)                      Mr Yap Wooi Mee (8am)  
Mrs Christina Chooi (10am)  
Ms Christina Low (6pm)

L: This is the Word of the Lord.  
**C: Thanks be to God.**

SERMON    **Being Disciples of Jesus Christ**    Rev Andrew Tan

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

**RESPONSE**

\* HYMN OF RESPONSE                      I Am Thine, O Lord    UMH 419

\* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH    UMH 881

PRAYERS AND CONCERNS

*The liturgist will announce the topics of prayer and the congregation will pray silently.*

*At the end of each topic*

L: Lord in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayers.**

OFFERING

Loving God, we pray that the people in our community and all around the world will be touched and blessed through the ministry of these gifts. Amen

ANTHEM                      When a Child is Born    Morning Star Choir (8.00am)  
Solo: Ms Lee Poh Chee  
  
The Steadfast Love/ Thank You Jesus /  
The Sweetest Name Of All    John Wesley Choir (10.00am)  
Emmanuel Choir (6.00pm)

\* DOXOLOGY    Doxology    UMH 95







**3. METHODIST CHURCH IN MALAYSIA DIARY 2009** is on sale at the Church office at RM8.50 per copy. Only limited copies are available.

**Other items for sale:**

**Asian Beacon** (Dec. 2008/Jan. 2009) at RM5 per copy.

**Ang Pow packets** (pack of 8) at RM2 per pack.

**4. BAPTISM AND MEMBERSHIP CLASS 1/09**

**Commencement date:** Sunday, 4 January 2009      **Time:** 8.00 a.m.

**Venue:** Rooms 6 & 7, Level 1, Menara Wesley

We would like to welcome you and your family as members of the Wesley Methodist Church, Kuala Lumpur. The following are options you may wish to consider:

**(a) If you are not baptised yet, and you desire to be baptised,** we invite you to attend the baptism and membership class as above.

**(b) If you are already baptised and a member of another church, or**

**(c) If you are baptised but not a member of any church yet,** you are requested to attend the membership class in order to be a member of the church.

**(d) If you are already baptised and a member of a Methodist Church,** you can, if you so wish, request the pastor of that church to transfer your membership to Wesley Methodist Church, Kuala Lumpur (in that case, there is no need to attend the membership class).

If (a), (b) or (c) applies to you, please complete the **pink registration form** which is available at the pews and put it in the offering bag or submit it to the church office by TODAY.

**5. LTI COURSES STARTING IN JANUARY 2009**

<b>Course (Duration)</b>	<b>Starting date &amp; time</b>	<b>Closing date for registration</b>
Disciple 1 (34 weeks)	14 January (Wednesday nights at 8.00 p.m.)	7 January
Disciple 2 (32 weeks)	11 January (Sundays at 1.00 p.m.)	4 January
MasterLife 1 (8 weeks)	11 January (Sundays at 8.00 a.m.)	4 January
MasterLife 3 (8 weeks)	11 January (Sundays at 8.00 a.m.)	4 January

To register for any of the above courses, kindly fill up the **pink** registration form which is available at the pews and submit it to the church office by the closing date as given above.

**6. CANCELLATION OF KRP CHRISTMAS PARTY**

The Klang Road Parish Christmas Pot-Bless Party originally scheduled for today is cancelled. We regret any inconvenience caused.

**7. JUNIOR SUNDAY SCHOOL** will reopen on the 11th of January 2009. We welcome all children from ages 3 - 12 years old. Venue: Youth Centre; Time: 10.00 - 11:30am.

**8. SENIOR SUNDAY SCHOOL (SSS) COMMENCEMENT FOR 2009**

Parents who have children attending Secondary 1-5 please note, SSS will commence on 11 Jan. 2009. You are welcomed to bring them for registration at the MultiPurpose Hall (MPH) at 10.00am.

## 9. 2009 STM NIGHT CLASSES

Seminari Theoloji Malaysia is offering night classes (in English and Chinese) for the 1<sup>st</sup> semester of academic year 2009. The schedule for English course is as follows:

Date	Time	Course	Lecturer
13 Jan. - 28 April (Every Tuesday)	7.30 pm - 9.30 pm	Old Testament (OT) Survey	Rev Anthony Loke Lecturer in OT

In this basic course on the OT, the lecturer will employ a synchronic and diachronic approach to study the OT. A brief diachronic survey to the structure message and major themes of each OT book will be covered followed by a synchronic survey of the 6 major blocks of the OT, namely the Pentateuch, the Historical books, the Prophetic Books, the Psalms, the wisdom books and the rest of the writings.

Course Fee: RM180.00 (2 Credit Hours); RM90.00 (Audit)

To register, please contact STM at telephone 06-632 2815 or Fax 06-632 9766 or e-mail: [academic@stm.edu.my](mailto:academic@stm.edu.my) (contact Ms Cheah)

## 10. POSITION OF AUDIO-VISUAL AND IT TECHNICIAN

Wesley Methodist Church Kuala Lumpur invites suitably qualified persons with the following prerequisites to apply for the position of Audio-Visual & IT Technician.

- Malaysian Citizen (preferably a Christian).
- Male or female, between the ages of 25 and 45.
- Possess a Diploma/Certificate in related fields.
- Preferably with working experience in similar capacity.
- Competency in the operation, maintenance and trouble-shooting of audio-visual appliances, IT equipment and related accessories.
- Able to work independently and as a team member.
- Able to work beyond normal office hours and on weekends.

### Responsibilities

- Provide technical support, preparation, and setting-up of audio-visual/IT requirement/equipment for effective conduct of all church and church-related programs and activities.
- Oversee the operation and maintenance of all A/V and IT equipment and related accessories.
- Maintain and manage the stock inventory of all A/V and IT equipment and related accessories.

### HOW TO APPLY

Interested candidates are required to send or e-mail your written applications together with your resume to:

The Chairman, Staffing Committee,  
Wesley Methodist Church ,  
2, Jalan Wesley, 50150 Kuala Lumpur.  
E-mail: [klwmc@streamyx.com](mailto:klwmc@streamyx.com)

CLOSING DATE: 15 Jan. 2009

**11. FOR THE WEEK ENDED 21 DECEMBER 2008**

		8 am service	10 am service	11:45am service	6 pm service	Sunday School	Total
<b>Offerings (RM)</b>	<b>Weekly</b>	2,729.55	3,814.60	1,366.70	565.90	-	8,476.75
	<b>Poor &amp; Needy</b>	2,898.70	3,897.50	597.70	-	-	7,393.90
<b>Attendance</b>		275	422	151	48	-	896
<b>Pledges</b>		RM19,120.00					

Christmas offerings: RM4,302.00

**12. VACANCY** for position of ADMIN cum FINANCE CLERK in a consulting firm in Subang Jaya involved in environmental work. 1-3 years working experience required. For further information, please telephone 016-2064242.

**13. WANTED****Manager, Wesley Home for Senior Citizens**

Applications are invited from persons not less than 45 years of age with nursing background, valid driving licence, able to manage and look after the welfare of residents, and willing to live in, for the above post.

Salary is commensurate with qualifications and experience. Please write to:

The Chairman, Wesley Home Management Committee, 2 Jalan Wesley, 50150 Kuala Lumpur not later than 15.1.2009, or call tel. 20705003 (Ms Natalie).

**14. POSITION OF ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR**

Applications are invited from suitably qualified applicants for the post of ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR in Wesley Methodist Church, Kuala Lumpur. Applicants must satisfy the following prerequisites:-

- Malaysian Citizen who is of the Christian faith
- Preferably below the age of 50
- Preferably possess a graduate degree
- Working experience in a similar capacity
- Computer literate
- Able to work independently and as a team member
- Good interpersonal and communication skills to harmoniously work with staff, church leaders, members and the public
- Able to work beyond normal working hours and weekends when the need arises
- A sound knowledge of financial procedures relating to financial management

**Job Description**

- Administer and supervise the implementation of policies and procedures to support the programs and Christian activities of the church
- Supervise the accounting function of the church relating to the collection, disbursement and banking of church funds
- Plan and organise the resources for all programs of committees and church organizations
- Perform the human resource management and development functions
- Manage and supervise all church office employees
- A resource person for all activities of the church

**Emoluments**

An attractive salary package is offered and it will commensurate with experience.

Interested applicants are requested to send their detailed resume with the names of 2 character referees and a recent passport size photograph before 15<sup>th</sup> January 2009 to:

The Chairman, Staffing Committee, Wesley Methodist Church,  
No. 2 Jalan Wesley, 50150 Kuala Lumpur.