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*President, TRAC District* : Rev. Dr. Ong Hwai Teik  
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*Associate Pastor* : Rev. Buell Abraham  
*Supply Pastor* : Pastor Milkias Padan  
*Youth Workers* : Mr. Jonathan Chan  
                           Mr. William Kwong  
*Lay Leader* : Dr (Mrs) Sieh Mei Ling  
*LCEC Chairman* : Mr Lim Teong Sit  
*Admin. Director* : Mr Cheah Tuck Wing

### CHURCH ACTIVITIES

#### SUNDAY

7.30 am Upper Room Prayer Hour  
           (Menara Wesley, Level 3)  
 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  
           BM Worship Service  
 11.45 am Praise Worship Service (Sanctuary)  
           Holy Communion (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday)  
           Bible Studies  
 12.30pm Wesley Nepali Sangati Worship(MPH)  
           Holy Communion (2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday)  
 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 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

7.30 am Morning Watch (Prayer Meeting)  
 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)



The Father's love is so strong and so big that it does not possess the other; **but is willing to let go.**

His love is so strong and so big that it makes no demands **but is willing to wait patiently.**

It is a love that forgives and welcomes home. His love will not rescue us out of or stop us from distancing ourselves.

Instead, it redeems the time spent and the life lived in that place.

This is good news for those of us who have may lose loving.

God's love is everlasting to all of us. Reflect on the message and God's Word, today.

<b>8.00 A.M</b>		
<b>10.00 A.M</b>	<b>ORDER OF WORSHIP</b>	<b>DECEMBER 19, 2010</b>

	<b>Liturgist</b>	<b>Organist</b>
8.00 a.m.	Mr Sam Rajaratnam	Ms Rita Chang
10.00 a.m.	Dato' Michael Cheah	Dr (Mrs) Sieh Mei Ling

**ENTRANCE**

GATHERING

Organ Prelude

Welcome and Church Announcements

Choral Introit      Deck the Halls      Bright Morning Star Choir (8am)  
*(Traditional Christmas Carol)*

For Unto Us a Child is Born      John Wesley Choir (10am)

\* GREETING

God sent His Son to this earth,  
to be sacrificed for our sake,  
taking our sins upon Himself and dying for us.

**Christ was born for us!**

**Let our hearts rejoice!**

\* HYMN OF PRAISE      Hark! the Herald Angels Sing      UMH 240

\* OPENING PRAYER

**Loving and merciful Father,**  
**we thank You for the most wonderful gift**  
**we could ever receive - Jesus Christ our Savior.**  
**In Him, You walked this earth in humility,**  
**and not in the splendor You were worthy of.**  
**You paid the ultimate price to save us from sin and death.**  
**We thank for Your sacrifice,**  
**and worship and glorify You in gratitude and love.**  
**In Jesus Christ's name we pray,**  
**Amen.**

ANTHEM      God Rest You Merry Gentleman      Bright Morning Star Choir (8am)  
*(Traditional Christmas Carol)*  
O Holy Night      John Wesley Choir (10am)  
(Flute Solo: Carol Lim)

OFFERING FOR THE POOR AND NEEDY (Victims of Mt Merapi volcanic eruption)



**THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION**

TAKING THE BREAD

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING UMH 13

BREAKING THE BREAD UMH 14

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP UMH 14

**SENDING FORTH**

\* CLOSING HYMN There's a Song in the Air UMH 249

\* THE BLESSING

\* GOING FORTH

Choral Response Threefold Amen Bright Morning Star Choir (8am)

(UMH 898)

Christmas isn't Christmas John Wesley Choir (10am)

Silent Prayer

Organ Postlude

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[**Bold words** indicate congregational response; \* indicates standing]

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**Come early and spend quiet time with God.**

Liturgist: Mrs Jenny Fong

Pianist: Mr James Hong

ENTRANCE

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Emmanuel Choir

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## \* ACT OF PRAISE

Gloria Patri

UMH 70

PROCLAMATION

## PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

**Open our hearts and minds, O God.**  
**by the power of Your Holy Spirit.**  
**so that as the word is read and proclaimed,**  
**we may hear Your Message with joy this day. Amen.**



## THANKSGIVING

Father, we thank You for the hope  
with which You have filled our lives.  
We thank You that in the coming of Christ to be the Saviour of the world,  
You have given us the assurance of Your love  
and Your sovereign control of all things.  
Thank You for the promise of His coming again as Lord of all  
that gives us a precious hope to hold on to.  
We are grateful that Your giving Your all to us through Jesus Christ  
sets the example for us to follow:  
to give our lives, our possessions, and our talents  
in order that others may come to know You.  
Thank You for the privilege of being called  
to be channels of Your love for the world.  
As our Lord Jesus taught us to pray...

THE LORD'S PRAYER

## SENDING FORTH

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- \* THE BLESSING
- \* GOING FORTH  
    Choral Response                      Emmanuel Choir  
    Silent Prayer  
    Organ Postlude

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**2. OUR CONDOLENCES** to Dato' & Datin Jeyaratnam Ponnudurai and family on the demise of his sister, Daisy Ponnudurai Lee, on 10 December 2010.

**3. LEGACY TREE PROJECT FUNDRAISING**

The unaudited amount collected as at 14 December 2010 is RM8,113,402.05.

**4. CHRISTMAS SACRIFICE ENVELOPES**

We praise God and we thank you for your response to our appeal on the Christmas Sacrifice to save your spending on Christmas presents and bring them to Legacy Tree. All offerings placed by you in the Christmas Sacrifice envelopes at all services will continue to be directed to the Legacy Tree project. THANK YOU ALL!

**5. METHODIST CHURCH DIARY 2011** is available at the Church office at RM8 per copy.

**Asian Beacon** (Dec. 2010 – Jan. 2011) is also available at the Church office at RM5 per copy. Copies of back issues are available at RM2.50 per copy.

**6. UPDATE ON APPEAL FOR NEW VAN FOR WESLEY HOME**

We thank God that we are half way to our target of RM80,000.00 for the purchase of a new van with wheelchair lift for the residents of Wesley Home. We have collected RM41,370.00 so far and need the balance of RM38,630.00.

Members and friends who wish to contribute may send their contributions to:

WESLEY OUTREACH SOCIETY, KUALA LUMPUR AND SELANGOR

No. 2, Jalan Wesley, 50150 Kuala Lumpur.

Please contact Mr. Tung Kam Seng (017 6806146) or Natalie (016 3764965) for more information. Thank you and God bless you.

**7. MISSIONS**

A Christmas Celebration with the Wesley Nepali Sangati will be held on 26 December 2010. Worship is from 11.30 a.m. Christmas “makan” will be at 3.00 p.m. This is also an open invitation to church members and friends.

**8. THE CHURCH LIBRARY** is looking for volunteers to help out in the library on every first Sunday of the month starting in January 2011. Kindly contact Brendan (016-8625588) if interested.

**9. PERSATUAN DAYBREAK** is holding a Charity Sale in church today, 19 December 2010.

**10. THE CHURCH OFFICE** will be closed at 12.30pm on Christmas Eve, 24 December, and remain closed on 25 December (Christmas Day). It will reopen on Sunday, 26 December and close again on Monday, 27 December.

## ORGANIZATIONS

### 11. JUNIOR SUNDAY SCHOOL

For 2011 Junior Sunday School will re-open on:

**Date:** Sunday, 9 January 2011

**Time:** 10am to 11.30am

**Venue:** Day Care Center (Preschoolers aged between 3 and 6 years old)  
MPH (Children from Std 1 to Std 6)

Parents are requested to come for a briefing and register your children on 9 January 2011 if possible.

### 12. METHODIST WOMEN TWELFTH WORLD ASSEMBLY

**Date:** 10 to 15 August 2011

**Venue:** Indaba Hotel & Conference Centre Fourways, Johannesburg, South Africa

This conference is organised by the World Federation of Methodist and Uniting Church Women. The theme is "Bambelela, Christ is Our Hope". To attend the Twelfth World Assembly, you must register no later than **15th May, 2011**.

Register online at [www.WFMUCW.com](http://www.WFMUCW.com) for the lowest rate or email : WFMUCW@[trunk.com](mailto:WFMUCW@trunk.com). For further details, please contact Ng Su Yin at 012-3829986.

### 13. ATTENTION: ALL WSF MEMBERS

#### TRAC MSF Camp

**Dates;** 8 to 11 March 2011

**Venue:** Avillion Legacy Hotel, Melaka

**Fees;** Single occupancy: RM590  
Twin sharing; RM420

Please get the registrations from Barbara Tan or Goh Joo Paik at the church office. All forms with payment must be handed in by **Tuesday, 18 January 2011**.

## BIBLE STUDIES/CLASSES

### 14. BAPTISM AND MEMBERSHIP CLASS 1/2011

We would like to welcome you and your family as members of the Wesley Methodist Church, Kuala Lumpur. We invite you to attend the baptism and membership class which commences as follows:

**Date:** Sunday, 2 January, 2011      **Time:** 8 a.m.

**Venue:** Level 3 Common Room, Menara Wesley

The following are options you may wish to consider:

- (a) If you are not baptised yet, and you desire to be baptised,** you are requested to attend the above baptism and membership class.
- (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 by **27 December 2010**.

### PLEDGES

**15. PLEDGE REPORT NO. 11** Our Budget for 2010 provides for an expected income of RM1,980,000 and estimated expenditure of RM2,331,263 with a deficit of RM351,263. Our main source of income apart from offerings and donations is pledges from which an amount of RM1,300,000 is expected. As of 30 November 2010, 481 members and friends have pledged RM1,231,616. There is a shortfall of RM68,384. We urge all of you who have not yet pledged to prayerfully consider doing so in order to support the work of your church. Let us work together for His glory. We publish herewith a list of members and friends who have recently pledged. Kindly let us know if we have inadvertently omitted your name.

Miss Khor Swee Kim

Datuk & Datin Alan Lo Kong Boon

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### "I GIVE ONE RINGGIT A DAY"

We say "Thank you" to all our members and friends who have taken a "piggy bank" after the launch of "I GIVE ONE RINGGIT A DAY" last Sunday. A total of 547 "piggy banks" were distributed at the four services.

We are very encouraged by the response.

"I GIVE ONE RINGGIT A DAY" is aimed at giving every member the opportunity to be involved in the Legacy Tree building project. We welcome all members and friends of the church to be partners in this project. Young and old, and all youth organisations also have a part in this activity.



Every member will be given a "piggy bank". You may take more than one for your family and friends who wish to participate.

If you have not taken a "piggy bank", or wish to take more, we ask you to pick up one after the service today. Fill up a form that is enclosed with the bulletin and proceed to any counter in the church grounds to collect your "piggy bank". Please write your full name in the form.

*Put into the "piggy bank" RM1 a day, every day (January to December 2011).*

*All "piggy banks" (with collections) will be returned to the church in January 2012.*