



**Covenant
Community
Methodist
Church**

The Greatest Blessing

*For to us a child is born, to us a son is given;
and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called
Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.
- Isaiah 9:6 (ESV)*



9th December 2024
Advent

Dear Friends:

What an exciting year this has been! We started out the year with the theme of being “*Filled with the Spirit to Reach Out*”. We had four major sermon series: *Experiencing the Spirit* (using the book by Robert Heidler), *Gifts of the Spirit*, *Fruit of the Spirit*, and the *Greatest of These is Love*.

We completed 40 outreach projects this year—10 more than our goal of 30 for our 30th anniversary. Highlights include a Movie Night, blessing MGS staff with lunch and students with a book on the life of Sophia Blackmore in Singapore, organising a Church Fiesta; supporting low-wage workers, home helpers, and nursing home residents. Each project was a reflection of God’s love in action.

During this Season of Advent, we pause to reflect on God’s goodness and faithfulness in the past year. Let us prepare our hearts to welcome the Christ Child, rediscover the joy and wonder of His birth and look forward with hope to all He has in store for us.

As we look ahead to 2025, we invite you to join a Growth Group if you haven't already done so. Our church office can help connect you. Growth Groups offer a heartwarming and enriching way to grow in faith and community. For those already in Growth Groups, we encourage you to delve into *Celebration of Discipline* by Richard Foster. Our first sermon series in 2025 will cover the topics in this book, enriching your understanding of the spiritual disciplines that draw us closer to God. Details for obtaining the book can be found on our website at www.ccmc.org.sg/book2025.

Our theme for 2025, “**Strengthened Spiritually to Serve Faithfully**” calls us to be a church grounded in God’s strength and to serve Him with renewed passion and purpose. We pray that you will be inspired to join us in walking boldly into the new year, growing deeper in faith, and serving joyfully in His name.

The Pastors, Leaders and Staff wish you and your family a very blessed Christmas! May the joy of celebrating Jesus’ birth fill your hearts and homes with His peace, joy and boundless love.

To God be the Glory!

In God’s Love and For His Service,

Rev David Gwee
Pastor-in-Charge

Ps Rufus Chan
Assistant Pastor

JOIN US AT OUR DEC 2024 SPECIAL WORSHIP SERVICES!

COMBINED CHRISTMAS SERVICE

10am, Wed 25 Dec
Auditorium, L1 & L3



WATCHNIGHT & HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE

10.30pm, Tue 31 Dec
Chapel, L1 & L3

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