

Truly Present. LET ME DESCRIBE what it means to be truly present. Being present involves letting go of our constant preoccupations, immersing ourselves in the here and now, and giving ourselves wholeheartedly to whatever is at hand. ... It's about becoming more aware, alert, awake to the fullness of the immediate moment. If we are with another person, it means engaging with him or her with all of our heart, our mind, our soul, and our strength. Such wholehearted attention requires patience, time, and disciplined effort. And it is one of the greatest gifts that we can give to those around us, especially our suffering neighbor.

– Trevor Hudson, *A Mile in My Shoes: Cultivating Compassion*

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Today's Question: Look for opportunities to be fully present for another person.

Today's Scripture: Great is the LORD and greatly to be praised in the city of our God. His holy mountain, beautiful in elevation, is the joy of all the earth, Mount Zion, in the far north, the city of the great King. Psalm 48:1-2, NRSV

This Week: pray an increase of love of neighbor.

Prayer.

For those who are considering baptism and who are preparing for Catechism classes.

For the Council for our Lord's continued wisdom and grace to guide and lead them in their leading of BLC for the year.

For health and healing for all those who are not well, as well as the elderly in our midst who are facing health challenges, their families and caregivers

Pray for the planning for the church camp and BLC Anniversary.

Adapted from the 24-7 Malaysia & CCM:

Pray for all the ongoing cases for corruption for truth and justice to prevail.

Pray for the A-G, Tommy Thomas for God's wisdom, authority and power to assist the government to reform the legal structure and system to reflect the values of genuine constitutionalism, separation of powers, rule of law and due process.

Pray for good health, God's grace, wisdom and protection for our Prime Minister Tun Dr. Mahathir.

For God's wisdom, continual guidance and power for the newly elected government officials to set things in right order, and provide a foundational framework of governance that facilitates and rewards truth, righteousness, justice, wisdom, mercy, humility.

For continual breaking down of racial divide; and for all to continue to build bridges in the nation.

Remembering in prayer -- Pr Raymond Koh, Amri Che Mat, Joshua & Ruth Hilmi.

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Liberating Truth:

Realigning Our Stories with God's Stories



Welcome to the Father's House
08 July 2018 , Pentecost 7 Sunday



Worship Gathering @ 10.00 am
 Do join us on Sundays for prayer @ 9.30 am,
 before Worship Service @ Refreshment Area.

Children, Teen & Youth ministry resumes.

Schedule for This Sunday, 08-07-2018

Pentecost 7 Sunday

Preacher: Rev. Dr. Siew Woh

Worship: Ee Lyn

Musicians: Soo Choo, Benson, Vicky

Scripture Readers: Anand, Jacy

Sound: Chee Kah **LCD:** Moh Foong

Altar (Green): to be advised

Refreshments: T4: Priscilla & Karin

Treasurer: Ee Lyn, Larry

Greeters: Renu & Michelle

Worship leading on 01 July & Lock up:
 Benjamin

Text This Sunday, July 08:

OT: 1 John 4:1-6

Gospel: John 14:15-17

Readings for next Sunday, July 15:

OT: 1 John 4:7-21

Gospel: John 15:9-11

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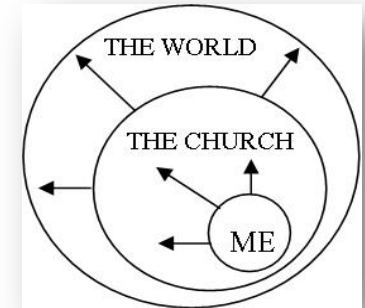
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> Batu 20, OA Congregation

> United Voice – Moh Foong

> Bible Translation Researchers

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Community

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Community - Inward

Pastoral Oversight: Rev. Dr. Sivin Kit

- > Aardvark: Johnben
- > BLC Garden Day: Vanessa
- > New groups.

Pastoral Oversight: Rev. Dr. Siew Woh

- > Women Encouraging Women (WEW): PIC - Sheh-Ren
- > Sunday Bible Reading Group: PIC - Ling Ling
- > Thursday Bible Study: TBA

Pastoral Oversight: Pr. Takeshi

- > Giving Tree: PIC - Larry Lee
- > Youth (13 years and above)
- > Youth (12 and below) PIC: Ezekiel

Children Ministry: Carmen Loke

To invite people into the Reign of **God**, encourage them to grow in the Body of **Christ**, equip them to be sent into the World in the power of the **Spirit**.
"As the Father has sent me I am sending you" John 20:21

Outward - Mission

Outreach

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Forward - Learning

Learning

John +016 3110595

Dear Friends, we will like to invite you (if you are not already involved) to serve with us for BLC's corporate worship. If interested, please speak with the the following in the various areas:

Ee Lyn/Jason – for Musicians & Singers, Sound System & LCD;

Ee Lyn/Joyce Rama - for Greeters, Altar Deco, Scripture Readers, Holy Communion Prep;

Joyce/Michelle - for providing refreshments.

Facilities Anand +017 356 1942

Attendance 01/7/2018

Adults 75

Children 22

Total 97

Collection 01/7/2018

Mission 452

Gen. Offering 3419

Tithe 450

Others -

Total 4321

Treasurer

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Calendar 2018

Upcoming events

22 July, BLC Anniversary Celebration

23-25 Aug, Thurs-Sat: National Children's Ministry Conference

31 Aug to 02 Sept, Fri-Sun: BLC Church Camp In Kampar, Perak

July

August