

2022 JULY MISSIONS MONTH

CATCH ME IF YOU CAN

JONAH

The story of Jonah reveals that

"God is a missionary God who is in pursuit of the Nineveh world (the Lost) and His Jonah servants (the missionary)."

BISHOP EMERITUS DR ROBERT SOLOMON, 'GOD IN PURSUIT'

MESSAGES

10th

July

"The Catch"
Daniel Liu

17th

July

"Catch Me"
Kenneth Teo

24th

July

"Quarantine"
Rev Dr Jerry
Hwang

29th & 31st

July

"In Pursuit"
Bishop Robert
Solomon

JMM GUEST SPEAKERS



Bishop Emeritus Dr Robert Solomon

Dr Solomon was the bishop of The Methodist Church in Singapore from 2000 to 2012. Before that, he was a medical doctor, local church pastor, annual conference president, and principal of TTC. Bishop Emeritus Solomon continues to preach, teach, and write, having written about 50 books, including *The Hurting Heart*, *The Spiritual Leader*, *Finding Rest for the Soul*, and *Faithful to the End*.



Rev Dr Jerry Hwang

Dr Jerry Hwang is on the faculty of Singapore Bible College as the Academic Dean of the School of Theology (English) and as the Associate Professor of Old Testament. He has commentaries forthcoming on *Hosea* (Zondervan), *Jeremiah* (Crossway), and *Joel/Obadiah* (Wipf & Stock). He has also published forty book reviews, essays, and articles on various facets of the Old Testament and Asian theology.



Rev Dr Tan Soo Inn

Rev Dr Tan Soo Inn is the Founding Director and Chairman of Graceworks, an organization dedicated to the promotion of spiritual friendship in church and society through publishing and training. Since 1985, he has been journeying with people through his ministry of preaching/ teaching, writing and mentoring. His primary passions include connecting the Word of God to the struggles of daily life, and the promotion of the discipline of spiritual friendship.

MISSIONS WEEKEND

- LAST WEEKEND OF JULY -

FRIDAY

8:00pm - 9:30pm

29th

July

"In Pursuit" (Part 1)
Bishop Robert Solomon

Onsite & Online
Hudson Taylor Hall
8:00pm - 9:30pm

SATURDAY

9:00am - 4:00pm

30th

July

Missions
Workshop

4 Workshops
Morning & Afternoon

SUNDAY

9:00am & 11:00am

31st

July

"In Pursuit" (Part 2)
Bishop Robert Solomon

Sunday Service
9:00am & 11:00am

JMM GUEST SPEAKERS



Lim Nan

Lim Nan is a partner with Interserve Singapore and an associate Lecturer with SIM Global Education. He served in the middle east for 5 years as a Superintendent of an African refugee school. He holds a master's degree in International Relations from S Rajaratnam School of International Studies.



Henry and Janet Armstrong

Henry and Janet Armstrong have more than 30 years of missions experience in South East Asia. The Armstrongs bring a vast personal experience of living cross-culturally and awareness of what missionaries face.



Foong Swee Kong

Foong Swee Kong is a partner with Creation Care Singapore since 2000 and has served with Scripture Union for 2 years. He holds a Bachelor of Theology degree from Murdoch University and an Advanced Diploma in Ministry from Baptist Theological College.

WORKSHOPS

- 30th July 2022 -

MORNING

Choose *either* Workshop 1 *or* Workshop 2



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Workshop 1

Spend 2 hours reflecting the work of God's hand, strolling through Dairy Farm Nature Park.

When God created Humanity, His first commandment was for them to care for His creation (Genesis 1:28, 2:15). This commandment continues today as part of the Great Commission (Matthew 28:19-20).

During the walk, we will have opportunities to reflect on our interdependent relationship with creation. Particularly the environmental impact resulting from human sin.

Dairy Farm Nature Park is located beside Hillview MRT. Please wear a pair of good walking shoes.

Workshop Facilitator: Foong Swee Kong is a partner with Creation Care Singapore since 2000 and has served with Scripture Union for 2 years.

Workshop 2

When missionaries return home after serving God abroad, it's not only an issue of "Home Sweet Home". It's both a departure - of their time in the field, and a return to an unfamiliar 'home'.

This often means grieving the loss of what was once familiar, alongside the readjustment process. With the constant need for adaptation and change, our missionaries benefit from intention re-integration.

As their home community, an understanding of how transitions affect our missionaries allows us to better provide support to their transition when they return.

The session is beneficial for all – transitions affect all in one way or another.

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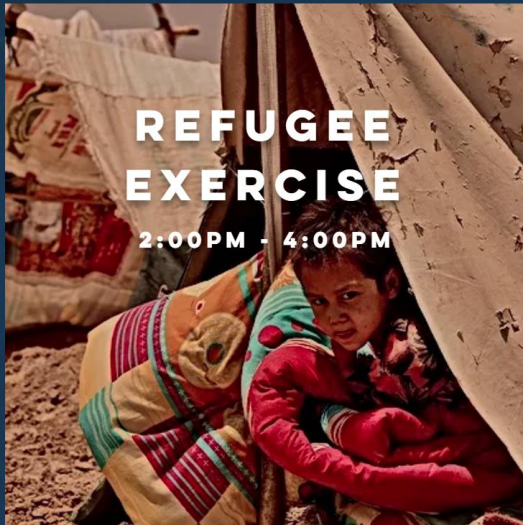
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WORKSHOPS

- 30th July 2022 -

AFTERNOON

Choose *either* Workshop 3 or Workshop 4



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Workshop 3

Imagine being forced to flee your home, your family, your safe space - not knowing where you are going.

That's reality for nearly 26.4 million refugees, around half of whom are under the age of 18. Missionaries on the frontlines in war-torn countries serve God in these difficult circumstances, knowing they face these same risks!

Imagine being denied a nationality and access to basic rights - education, healthcare, employment, freedom of movement - from the country you thought you called "home"

Through The Refugee Exercise, a one-of-a-kind experiential workshop, we recreate the frustrations, struggles, and pains of global refugees. Don't miss this!

Workshop Facilitator: Lim Nan is a partner with Interserve Singapore and an associate Lecturer with SIM Global Education. He served in the middle east for 5 years as a Superintendent of an African refugee school.

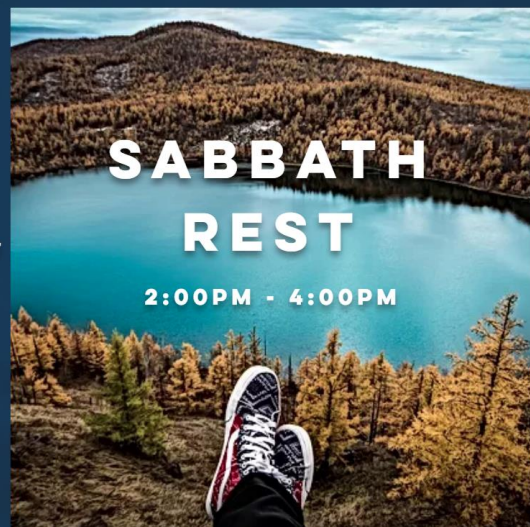
Workshop 4

Sabbath rest is an act of submission to God by enjoying His presence, without being distracted by the noise of this over-stimulated, digital world.

When missionaries return, we're keen for them to share their experiences, and we look forward to catching up with them. Yet, we often overlook their post-field exhaustion, sense of loss and frustration. It is no wonder then that rest is mandated by God.

With a better understanding of Sabbath rest, we hope the church will be equipped to provide much needed support to returning missionaries. In addition, this workshop also hopes to help members understand the importance of Sabbath rest in their own busy lives.

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RESOURCES

MISSIONAL CELL GROUP MATERIALS

THE UNPLEASANT TASK

Study One

The Unpleasant Task

Wouldn't it be nice to be tasked by God to do things that converge with what you like? But God doesn't always assign enjoyable tasks. Why?

THE UNHEALTHY PERSPECTIVE

Study Two

The Unhealthy Perspective

What excites you? What makes your heart beat faster? Is there any person/people group that the Lord has been placing on your heart recently?



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