MARANATHA MESSENGER

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MARANATHA BIBLE-PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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"Present every man perfect in Christ Jesus" (Colossians 1:28)

Address: 63 Cranwell Road, Singapore 509851 E-mail: maranatha.bpc@pacific.net.sg Sunday School: 10 am

Sunday English / Chinese Worship Service: 10.45 am Sunday Chinese Worship Service: 7.30 pm Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 8.00 pm

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PREPARE YOUR HEART TO SEEK GOD

"But Hezekiah prayed for them, saying, The good LORD pardon every one That prepareth his heart to seek God, the LORD God of his fathers, though he be not cleansed according to the purification of the sanctuary" (2 Chronicles 30:18, 19).

There is much blessing when you and I purpose in our heart to seek God, to obey and to delight in Him. Furthermore, the cure for our anxiety, for our burden and for our care in this temporal world is to seek first His kingdom and righteousness.

Jesus says "But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you. Take therefore no thought for the morrow: for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself. Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof" (Matthew 6:33, 34).

The Bible exhorts us to seek God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength and might, and with all your being, for God is a rewarder of them that diligently seek Him (Hebrews 11:6).

Here is how we alphabetically seek God:

Seek God with all assurance.

Seek God with all boldness.

Seek God with all confidence.

Seek God with all diligence.

Seek God with all earnest.

Seek God with all faith.

Seek God with all gladness.

Seek God with all humility.

Seek God with all intelligence.

Seek God with all joy.

Seek God with all knowledge.

Seek God with all liberty.

Seek God with all meekness.

Seek God with all nobility.

Seek God with all obedience.

Seek God with all perseverance.

Seek God with all quietness.

Seek God with all reverence.

Seek God with all steadfastness.

Seek God with all trust.

Seek God with all urgency.

Seek God with all vitality.

Seek God with all watchfulness.

Seek God with all x'pectancy.

Seek God with all yieldedness.

Seek God with all zeal.

May our gracious and mercy God, our heavenly Father, Jesus Christ our Lord and Saviour, and the Holy Spirit help us in this holy pursuit of seeking God. Amen.

By His mercy and grace Elder Daniel Tau

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Theme for the Quarter:

THE MINISTRY OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

English Worship Service:

Elder Daniel Tau speaks on The Holy Spirit Quickening

(Scripture Text: John 6:22-71; Responsive Reading: Ephesians 2:1-10).

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