



Dear friends and supporters,

We bring you greetings from CERC. Since our last update at Christmas, much has happened and God has been faithfully growing our church here and we are glad to share this news with you.

In 2014, the church has been really benefitting from the book of Romans. Many who have come to hear from Romans have gone back with a deep sense of awe of God and this Gospel. One person said that she never realized that it was possible to put the words 'rejoice' and 'suffering' together until we studied Romans 5! We took a break recently for six weeks to preach this good news. We took an innovative approach of telling non-Christians about the Sovereignty of God, Sin, Redemption, Cross, Resurrection and Election through a 6-week series called "Geddit?" There were more than 160 non-Christians who walked through our doors and we know of at least one student who accepted Christ last week! Praise God! All preparation for the 3-course meal and waitering services, were provided by our own members.

Geddit?



From 2008 of having about 15 people, we have grown to more than 160 regulars. And we have also finally settled down in our new campus, located in Subang Bestari. This is a prime location in the north, and it is part of the development of the government's Greater KL plan. Throughout KL, the prices of houses have sky-rocketed and there are more young people who are looking to buy affordable homes and this is one ideal location. Infrastructures are being developed and also the new MRT will have a station nearby. Also, HELP University's new campus is already in construction in the area. The rental for this place is apportioned to our seminarian, Jerome Leng, who lives there. It is also where our residential library is and is also for other future seminarians, as we see an increase of seminarians each year.

Wedding bells are ringing this coming February 2015! Jerome, will be marrying his fiancée Robyn, after being engaged for 4 years. She has completed her medical studies, and is currently in Singapore, attached to a hospital there and attends The Crossing Church. Jerome has completed one semester via online at Boyce College and has been thriving in his coursework thus far, maintaining a GPA of 4.0. This will help as he saves the church time and money to be able to shorten the duration of his studies in the US, though it is still costly. Pray for him and Robyn, as they plan and prepare for this new life together, and for Jerome as he perseveres on in his studies.



Daniel Lu, our second apprentice, is in the midst of preparing his self-assessment. Please pray for him as he reflects about his last three years of ministry and to see if fulltime paid ministry is his calling.

Mark Leong, an engineering graduate from the University of Birmingham, and also our third apprentice, has been of great help to us. Vanessa Ong, our fourth apprentice, joins us in August. Look forward to hear about them both in our next newsletter. Please continue to support this vital work for the future of the Gospel work in Malaysia.

Every school holidays, we run an evangelistic programme for children called Little People. In March, we saw almost 50 children coming to hear the Gospel and we ran another one this June. One of our doctors, Michelle Liew, who completed her studies at UNSW Australia, is seen here acting as a beggar in a skit during the event. Pray for these children too, that they will come to know of Jesus as their Lord and Saviour.



In campus ministry recently, Monash University, which is one of the 6 universities we are active on, gave us an unprecedented opportunity to be part of their teaching programme during their weekly meetings. Robin was given 3 slots and Jerome had 2. And in their upcoming camp in July, Mark Leong is the main camp speaker. Many of our students are contributing to the Gospel health on all the campuses, as committee members of their fellowships. Pray for us as they face many difficulties and oppositions in many situations.

Next year, we have been alerted to the possibility of owning the building that we are currently in, to alleviate long-term expenses. If God so leads you, please contribute to the Building Fund that we have set-up. Please pray for us too, as we set up a Trust, as our legal counsel has agreed, that this is the best way, in light of the trouble a major para-church organization has got into. But the road we are about to take is a less beaten one. May Christ give us success in this.

Finally, thank you for taking the time to pray for all that is happening in CERC. Do continue to pray that God our Father, will not only continue to give us these opportunities, but also that we endure and be encouraged by these works. Please continue to support us so that this work goes on and many thanks for the support you have given to us in all of this.

In Christ,

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