SERMON NOTES

The Methodist Church In Malaysia
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Trinity Methodist Church Petaling Jaya
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9.00 am Service

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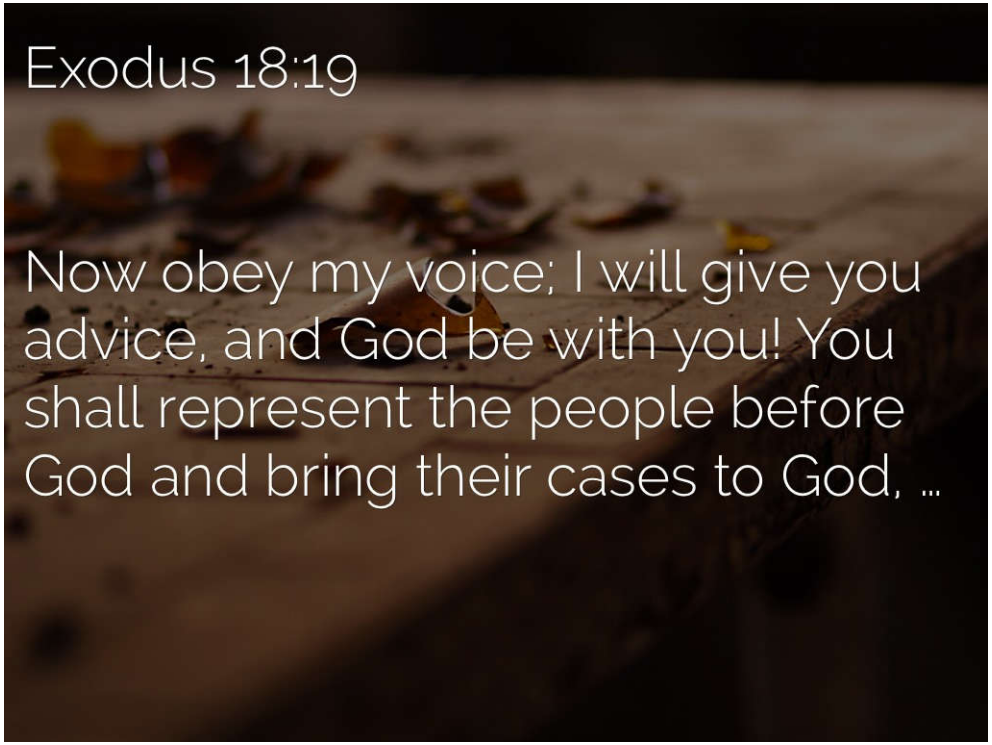
10 FEBRUARY 2019 - 5TH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY



As we gather to worship the Almighty God,
let our conversation with one another cease so that we may commune with Him.

PLEASE SILENCE YOUR MOBILE PHONES

Please do not leave your bulletin behind. Take it with you.

He says, "Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth."

Psalm 46 : 10

PRELUDE
(Quiet meditation and private prayer)

WELCOME AND SHARING OF THE PEACE OF GOD
** Indicates Congregation to stand, if able.*

* **CALL TO WORSHIP** *(Responsively; Inspired by Hebrew 11-12)*
L: God has called us like Moses in the wilderness,
the prophets in the hills, and the disciples in the cities.
P: They shared their blessings so that we might know God's presence here.
L: Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses,
let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely.
P: Let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the Pioneer and Perfecter of our faith.

* **OPENING HYMN** Jesus Calls Us

* **OPENING PRAYER** *[by Liturgist]*
Father, thank you that you have brought each of us safely to this place.
We gladly surrender our lives to you in worship and praise.
As we gather we remember those who are not with us today -
For those who are sick we ask for healing,
And for those away from us we ask for your blessing to be on them.
We invite Your Holy Spirit to move freely amongst us.
Come dwell in each of our hearts.
Equip us, challenge us, comfort us, teach us.
Inspire us as we learn more about your majestic ways.
Father, as we meet now may we behold Your beauty and encounter your grace.
We ask all these in the wonderful name of Jesus. Amen.

* **ACTS OF PRAISE**

PASTORAL PRAYER

PROCLAMATION

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION *(in unison led by the Scripture Reader)*
Almighty God, in you are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge. Open our eyes that we may see the wonders of your Word; and give us grace that we may clearly understand and freely choose the way of your wisdom; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

SCRIPTURE LESSON : Exodus 18 : 13 - 27 NT 72

This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God!

* **HYMN OF PREPARATION** Take Time to be Holy UMH 395

SERMON "Becoming Under Shepherds after God's Own Heart"
by Rev Joshua Hong

INSTALLATION OF 2019 SG /ZL/ HF LEADERS

RESPONSE

* **GLORIA PATRI** UMH 70

OFFERTORY PRAYER *(Led by Pastor)*

OFFERTORY

PARISH NEWS

INTRODUCTION ON CE AND FAMILY MINISTRY COURSES

* **DOXOLOGY** UMH 95

THANKSGIVING

* **HYMN OF DEDICATION** Here I Am, Lord UMH 593

* **BENEDICTION**

* **THREEFOLD AMEN** *[unison]* UMH 898
[*Quiet meditation and personal prayers]*

ALTAR MINISTRY
Those who need prayers may come forward to the altar area for ministry.

If you are here for the first time, we warmly welcome you to Trinity Methodist Church, PJ.
May our worship service draw you closer to God.
If you would, do give our Pastors and us an opportunity to be introduced to you personally.
We shall be pleased to pray with you should you need someone to do so with you at the end of the service.