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**25TH DECEMBER 2018 - CHRISTMAS DAY**

Special Thanks to :  
Liturgist : Patrick Dutton  
Song Leader : Jason Tan  
Scripture Reader : Juliet Yuen

Musicians  
Beatrice Wang / Khong Mei Yan  
Wong Li Jian / Becky Yong

Vocals  
Ruth Yong / Lilian Wang  
Sound / Video Tech

Jed David / Jason Yap

Flower Donations :  
Shirley Khoo & family  
In memory of Mr Khoo Kok Chaing (20.12.2008)

Alice, Amy and Dr Kathryn Ooi  
In praise and thanksgiving for God's blessings and love.



**The Methodist Church In Malaysia**

Bishop: The Rev Dr Ong Hwai Teik

TRAC President: The Rev Dr T Jeyakumar District Superintendent: The Rev Ashok Amarasingham

**Trinity Methodist Church Petaling Jaya**

The Rev Ting Moy Hong (Pastor In Charge) The Rev Joshua Hong (Associate Pastor)

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]*

L: Today old dreams die and new dreams come to life. The promise is fulfilled.

P: **Glory to God in the highest, and on earth, peace.**

L: Hope gives way to joy and prayer to proclamation.

P: **Glory to God in the highest, and on earth, peace.**

L: The candles tell the story. Dawn invades midnight. The Light of the world has come.

P: **Glory to God in the highest, and on earth, peace.**

L: This light is a light for all, warming us from within, radiating love, lighting our lives with the presence of God in human flesh, within us and among us now and always.

P: **Glory to God in the highest, and on earth, peace. Goodwill to all.**

#### \* OPENING CAROLS *(Sung in a medley)*

Hark! the Herald Angels Sing UMH 240

Angels We Have Heard on High UMH 238

#### \* OPENING PRAYER *[unison]*

Reigning Gracious God,  
whose rule extends to the farthest stars,  
come to rule within us on this glorious day  
when the Word becomes flesh once more to dwell among us.  
We open ourselves to the light  
and long to offer our lives as a dwelling place for your truth.  
Speak to us again through the Child of Bethlehem.  
Reach out to the child in each of us,  
and hold us in the warmth of love's embrace.  
For we pray in his name. Amen.

## CHRISTMAS ACT OF PRAISE

Happy Day

Jesus Messiah

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

## PROCLAMATION

### PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION *(in unison led by Scripture Reader)*

Gracious Lord, in Your mercies for us, You took on flesh and became one of us. Be near to us now to speak Your light shedding and life giving Word. Speak Lord and help us listen that in listening we may be unto the World, Your light and love. Amen.

### SCRIPTURE LESSON :

John 1 : 1 - 14

NT 1027

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God!**

### CAROL

Angels from the Realms of Glory

UMH 220

### SERMON

God of Grace and Truth

*by Rev Ting Moy Hong*

#### \* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

UMH 881

#### \* GLORIA PATRI

UMH 70

### OFFERTORY PRAYER *(Led by the Pastor)*

### OFFERTORY

### INTERGENERATIONAL CAROLERS CHRISTMAS MUSICAL OFFERING

### PARISH NEWS

### DOXOLOGY

UMH 95

#### \* CLOSING CAROL

Joy to the World

UMH 246