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# **WELCOME TO RIVERLIFE!**

# The Christian life is a journey best travelled with others.

Have you been walking solo in your faith journey? You need spiritual friendships that will spur you to grow.

We are a cell church and gathering in cell groups is an essential part of church life. Our weekly gatherings help us to live out the Biblical mandate of one-anothering. We have groups for various life stages that meet in locations islandwide.

Let us help you get started on this journey to Biblical community.

Email **cells@riverlife.org.sg** and we can get in touch with you to better understand your needs to help you get connected.

#### **NEXT WEEK'S MESSAGE**

MESSAGE SERIES: A Counter-Cultural Life

MESSAGE TITLE: We Will Triumph Over Unjust Suffering

**BIBLE TEXT: 1 Peter 3:18-22** 

Read the Bible text beforehand to prepare yourself and your household to encounter the living Word.

We will be partaking in the Holy Communion next Sun, 1 Nov during our online service. Kindly prepare a piece of bread or biscuit and grape juice or any kind of juice.

## **CATCH UP ON OUR LATEST UPDATES**

#### RIVERLIFE WEEKLY

Issue 28: Micro Groups and Disciple Making Read the full note at rlc.sg/wkly28

## RIVERLIFE

PRAYER & ROOM

## Wednesdays, 8pm to 9.30pm Live streamed from Worship Centre

Tune in at this link: rlc.sg/rpr-watch

Tips to engage during our time together: rlc.sq/rpr-engage

While Israel wandered in the wilderness, Scripture tells us that Moses pitched a Tent of Meeting for man to seek God. It was a place of encounter, where the pillar of cloud would descend and the Lord would speak to Moses face to face, as one speaks to a friend (Exo 33:11). It was also where Joshua, Moses' young assistant, would be marked by God's presence.

This is the heart of the RiverLife Prayer Room: to be a space set apart for intimacy and encounter, for every generation to collectively and corporately behold God, to minister to His heart, and to let Him mark our lives for His mission and His return.

We invite you, with your family or community, to set apart time and space amid the busyness of your week to pause, realign, and set our hearts to behold Jesus together. Christ, minister to His heart and allow Him to set us apart for His Kingdom's work.

## **JOINING THE FAMILY**

"Many Christians don't realise that joining a church is a vital step of discipleship. When you join a church, you are not joining a social club; you are publicly declaring your faith in Jesus and joining yourself to a group of Christians in life and mission".

- Godwin Sathianathan

### Sat, 7 Nov | 10.30am-12pm | Online via Zoom

Participants are required to complete a pre-recorded video session prior to joining the live online session on Zoom.

# Do you sense God calling you to RiverLife? Are you looking to make RiverLife your home church?

Joining the Family is a course on what it means to be a son and daughter of this house. You will learn God's heart for the Church and His call for us to identify with a local body of believers. You will discover how to take ownership of the mission, vision and values of this house. The course ends with details on the application process to become a RiverLife family member.

Sign up online at <u>rlc.sg/jointhefam</u> by Sun, 1 Nov. For more information, please contact Karen Koh at <u>karenkoh@riverlife.org.sg</u>.

Note: This course is a pre-requisite for Associate Membership. Getting water baptised in RiverLife does not confer church membership though water baptism is a requirement for membership.

## RIVERLIFE BIBLE READING PLAN

#### Download weekly reading schedule at rlc.sg/brp.

The mark of a growing disciple is the discipline to self-feed. During this unprecedented time, the Lord is redirecting His people to pause and rediscover Him and His ways afresh. This is the heart behind our Bible Reading Plan - that we, as a church will delight the Father when we are growing in our love for Him and allowing His Spirit to move us in obeying His Word in our lives.

The more we know God and obey His Word, our faith will be unshakeable regardless of the situation around us.

The *Bible Reading Plan* comprises a daily passage with reflection questions to guide you in meditation. You can also journal what God's Spirit is prompting you to do in applying the Word.

Join us to read through the books of Nehemiah and 1 Peter and the various themes that these books address.

## ONLINE GIVING

Contribute your tithes and offering digitally:

## 1. PayNow

Log in to your bank's existing mobile banking app.
Scan this **QR code** on the right.



## 2. Interbank Transfer

RiverLife Church Bank Account: DBS Autosave 029-902431-0

Bank Code: 7171 / Branch Code: 029





#### 25 OCT 2020 SERMON NOTES

**ENGLISH ADULT**ONLINE SERVICE

**SPEAKER**PASTOR BEN KC LEE

MESSAGE SERIES

A COUNTER CULTURAL LIFE (PART 8 OF 13)

**MESSAGE TITLE** 

THE PRICE OF DOING GOOD (1 PETER 3:13-17)

#### 1. DOING WHAT'S RIGHT DOESN'T ALWAYS GO WELL FOR US (13-14)

Luke 6:27

Matthew 5:10-12

#### 2. ALWAYS HONOUR CHRIST AS LORD IN OUR HEART (15a)

Isaiah 8:13

Matthew 10:28

#### 3. TELL A GOOD STORY OF HOPE TO OTHERS (VV. 15b-17)

Luke 21:12-15