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ORDINATION

CALLED BY GOD

*But as God hath distributed to every man,
as the Lord hath called every one, so let him walk.*

1 CORINTHIANS 7:17

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ORDINATION WORSHIP SERVICE

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19th December 2021

Prelude 序乐		Sermon 证道	<i>“From Generation to Generation”</i> 一代传到一代 Rev Edward Paauwe 包爱华 牧师
Announcements 报告事项	Rev Edward Paauwe 包爱华 牧师	Special Musical Item 献唱	<i>A Prayer for Humility</i> 谦卑的祷告
The Lord is in His Holy Temple 主在圣殿中		Charge to the Candidate 对被按立者的勉励	<i>“Preach the Word”</i> 务要传道 Rev Okman Ki Okman Ki 牧师
Call to Worship 宣召	Rev Edward Paauwe 包爱华 牧师	Hymn 唱诗	<i>O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee</i> 求主容我与你同行
Opening Hymn 唱诗	<i>Joy to the World</i> 普天欢腾	Questions to the Candidate 对被按立者的问答	Rev Edward Paauwe 包爱华 牧师
Invocation & Gloria Patri 祷告与荣耀颂		Questions to the Congregation 对会众的问答	Rev Edward Paauwe 包爱华 牧师
Responsive Reading 启应经文	Psalm 100 诗篇 100	Laying on of Hands 接手仪式	Ministers and Elders 牧师与长老
Tithes & Offerings 奉献		Ordination Prayer 按立祷告	Rev Okman Ki Okman Ki 牧师
Doxology & Offertory Prayer 三一颂和感恩		Extending the Right Hand of Fellowship 接纳仪式	Ministers and Elders 牧师与长老
Scripture Reading 读经	2 Timothy 2:1-3; 4:1-2 提摩太后书 2:1-3; 4:1-2	Closing Hymn 散会诗歌	<i>Go Labour On</i> 勤做主工
Hymn 唱诗	<i>The Church's One Foundation</i> 教会唯一根基	Benediction 祝祷	Rev David Weng 翁志仁 牧师
Prayer 牧祷	Rev Edward Paauwe 包爱华 牧师	<i>Threefold Amen/The Lord Bless You and Keep You</i> 阿们颂/愿主赐福看顾你	
		Postlude 散会奏曲	

Joy to the World

**1. Joy to the world the Lord is come;
Let earth receive her King;
Let ev'ry heart prepare Him room;**

**And heav'n and nature sing;
And heav'n and nature sing;
And heav'n and heav'n;
and nature sing.**

**2 Joy to the earth the Savior reigns;
Let men their songs employ;
While fields and floods rocks hills and plains;**

**Repeat the sounding joy;
Repeat the sounding joy;
Repeat repeat;
the sounding joy.**

**3 No more let sins and sorrows grow;
Nor thorns infest the ground;
He comes to make His blessings flow;**

**Far as the curse is found;
Far as the curse is found;
Far as far as;
the curse is found.**

**4 He rules the world with truth and grace;
And makes the nations prove;
The glories of His righteousness;**

**And wonders of His love;
And wonders of His love;
And wonders wonders;
of His love.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Greetings in the Name of Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ! We welcome all members, visitors and friends to the ordination service today. Please stay back for fellowship and refreshment after the service, but please be reminded of the Covid restrictions.
2. The church thanks Rev Edward Paauwe, Rev Okman Ki, Eld Michael Lee and Eld Colin Gan for ordaining Pastor David Weng. May God bless them!
3. Greetings received from Rev Charles Seet, Eld & Mrs Teck Leong Sng, Eld & Mrs George Foong, Pr Bee Choo Tan (Life BPC); Rev & Mrs Way Kay Tang and Rev William Yip (Evangel BPC, S'pore); Rev Eng Boo Tan, Rev Fatt Ping Lee and Pr Jenny Chin (Grace BPC); Rev Jin Hong Chai (Moriah BPC); Rev George Lim (Macedonia BPC); Pr Hai Seng Lim and Dn Keat Lee (Ebenezer BPC), Rev Kwang Shik Moon (KPCA); Rev Sokha Sun (Krang Angkrang Church); Rev & Mrs Mathews Abraham; Rev Seng Fong Goh; Eld & Mrs David Yeo; Eld & Mrs Thomas Liaw; Eld & Mrs James Wong; Ps Kent Limosnero; Pr Ang Liang Phoa (Filadelfia BPC); Evg Helmi and Juniar.
4. There is Christmas Day Pot-Bless lunch at Pastor & Mrs. Weng's residence on Saturday, 25th December 2021 at 12:00pm.
5. There is Christmas Gospel Sunday on Sunday, 26th December 2021 at 3:00pm. You are encouraged to bring a friend. Speaker: Elder Dr Michael Lee.
6. You may send your tithes and offerings to the following bank account: Providence Bible-Presbyterian Church, BSB 035046, Account No. 433717.

MEMORY VERSE

And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also. (2 Timothy 2:2)

WCF SHORTER CATECHISM

Q. 47. What is forbidden in the first commandment?

A. The first commandment forbiddeth the denying [a], or not worshipping and glorifying the true God as God [b], and our God [c]; and the giving of that worship and glory to any other, which is due to him alone [d].

[a]. Ps. 14:1, [b]. Rom. 1:20-21, [c]. Ps. 81:10-11, [d]. Ezek. 8:16-18; Rom. 1:25

NEXT LORD'S DAY (26th December 2021)

TITLE	RESPONSIVE READING/TEXT	MESSENGER
<i>Remember Jesus Christ</i>	Luke 1:15-38/ Luke 2:1-14	Eld Dr Michael Lee

THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS & NEXT LORD'S DAY (20th Dec to 26th Dec 2021)

DATE	MEETING/ACTIVITIES	TIME & VENUE
Wed 22/12	Bible Study/Prayer Meeting	7:00pm at 169 Brougham Dr, Valley View
Thus 23/12	Ladies Fellowship	<i>Cancelled</i>
Sun 26/12	Sunday Worship Service	3:00 pm at church, 247 Main N. Rd, Sefton Park
Sun 26/12	Children's Sunday School	3:30 pm at church, 247 Main N. Rd, Sefton Park

LAST WEEK'S OFFERINGS 12th December 2021

Attendance	16	General Offerings	\$120
		Direct Deposits	\$500, \$120, \$100, \$5
		Mission Funds	\$20, Total: \$1766.63
		Building Funds	Total: \$1,830.52

PRAYER ITEMS & SUPPLICATIONS

1. Thanksgiving: Thank God for His providence, protection and provision in the past week. Pray for forgiveness of sins, our personal walk with the Lord and growing in grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.
2. **Pray for Governments around the world to have wisdom to manage the Covid-19 crisis and deal with its related economic and social problems that many countries are facing.**
3. **Pray that God will heal and restore those who have been infected with COVID-19.**
4. Pray for God's protection upon Israel and the salvation of the Jews.
5. Pray for the persecuted Christians around the world.
6. Pray for Myanmar's situation in view of recent military coup and Christian churches and missionaries there.
7. Pray for missionaries around the world for protection, provision and for God's grace in the ministry and guidance: Rev. Sun Sohka, Mrs. Nam Soon and family (Faith Church, Phnom Penh), Pastor Kimhak and family (Bak Deng Village, Phnom Penh), Evangelist Juniar and Helmi (Nusa Tenggara Timur), Brother Haiseng Lim (Melbourne) and Jeremy Lal Pek Liana (Myanmar).
8. Pray for those who are involved in the ministry of Providence B-P Church this year: the Pulpit, Scripture reading, music ministry, ushering, logistics & PA, Children's Sunday School, Wed Prayer Meeting, Youth Bible Study, Ladies Fellowship, church bulletin, evangelism and etc.
9. Pray for Christmas Gospel Sunday on Sunday, 26th December 2021. Speaker: Elder Dr Michael Lee.
10. Pray for students (holidays): Uni students: Pirun, Jiawei & Evelyn Yeo. Primary and secondary students.
11. Pray for those who are looking for job and seeking God's direction: Melissa Chong and Bach Zhao.
12. Pray for the salvation of family members, loved ones and friends.
13. Pray for those who are distressed over various issues in life because of coronavirus crisis.
14. Health and healing: Rev. & Mrs. Edward Paauwe, Rev. Okman Ki, Rev. Mathews Abraham (Singapore), David Paauwe, Bro. Kuan Pang Loh (Singapore) & others.

19th December 2021

Rev Dr Edward Paauwe

From Generation to Generation

2 Timothy 2:1-3

The last letter Paul wrote was 2 Timothy. Paul is quite elderly at this point; he calls himself "*Paul the aged*" (Philemon 9). Now, 2 Timothy was written after Philemon, therefore, Paul would be older yet at this time. Timothy, on the other hand, is still a young man; Paul says, "*Let no man despise thy youth*" (1 Timothy 4:12). So in writing his two letters to Timothy, we see an old minister giving advice to a young pastor.

In 2 Timothy 2:2, the apostle Paul says, "*And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.*" Note that Paul mentions four generations of believers in this one verse. 1). Paul. 2). Timothy. 3). Faithful Men. 4). Others. These others are in turn to become faithful men, who teach yet others. And so the Christian faith is passed on from one generation to the next generation. In every generation God is looking for faithful men who are able to continue "*the faith which was once delivered unto the saints*" (Jude 3).

Let us look at 2 Timothy 2:2 and see what the things are that Timothy heard from Paul among many witnesses. We cannot mention all the things that Paul taught Timothy, but I'll just briefly mention five things that Timothy heard from Paul.

1. **Salvation.** All ministers and all members of the church are to do their best to bring people to a saving knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ.
2. **Prayer.** All ministers and all members of the church are to spend time daily in prayer.
3. **The Word of God.** All ministers and all members of the church are to spend time daily reading the Bible.
4. **Hardness.** All ministers and all members of the church are to be prepared to endure hardship, yea, even persecution.
5. **Ordination.** As we note that Paul and the other unnamed members of the Presbytery laid their hands on Timothy, let us be much in prayer for Pastor David as the ministers and elders lay their hands on him.

O Master Let Me Walk With Thee

1 O Master let me walk with Thee; In lowly paths of service free; Tell me Thy secret help me bear; The strain of toil the fret of care.

2 Help me the slow of heart to move; By some clear winning word of love; Teach me the wayward feet to stay; And guide them in the homeward way.

3 Teach me Thy patience; still with Thee In close dearer company; In work that keeps faith sweet and strong; In trust that triumphs over wrong.

4 In hope that sends a shining ray; Far down the future's broad'ning way; In peace that only Thou canst give; With Thee O Master let me live.

Go, Labor On

1 Go, labor on: spend and be spent, your joy to do the Father's will; it is the way the Master went; should not the servant tread it still?

2 Go, labor on: 'tis not for naught; your earthly loss is heav'nly gain; men heed you, love you, praise you not; the Master praises-- what are men?

3 Go, labor on: enough while here, if he should praise you, if he deign thy willing heart to mark and cheer; no toil for him shall be in vain.

4 Go, labor on while it is day: the world's dark night is hast'ning on. Speed, speed your work, cast sloth away; it is not thus that souls are won.

5 Toil on, faint not, keep watch and pray; be wise the erring soul to win; go forth into the world's highway, compel the wand'rer to come in.

6 Toil on, and in your toil rejoice; for toil comes rest, for exile home; soon shall you hear the Bridegroom's voice, the midnight peal, "Behold, I come."

The Church's One Foundation

1 The Church's one foundation;
Is Jesus Christ her Lord;
She is His new creation;
By water and the Word;

From heav'n He came and sought her;
To be His holy bride;
With His own blood He bought her;
And for her life He died.

2 Elect from every nation;
Yet one o'er all the earth;
Her charter of salvation;
One Lord one faith one birth;

One holy name she blesses;
Partakes one holy food;
And to one hope she presses;
With every grace endued.

3 'Mid toil and tribulation;
And tumult of her war;
She waits the consummation;
Of peace forevermore;

Till with the vision glorious;
Her longing eyes are blest;
And the great Church victorious;
Shall be the Church at rest.

4 Yet she on earth hath union;
With God the Three in One;
And mystic sweet communion;
With those whose rest is won;

O happy ones and holy;
Lord give us grace that we;
Like them the meek and lowly;
On high may dwell with Thee.

The candidate having answered these questions in the affirmative, the presiding minister shall propose to the people the following questions:

- 1. Do you, the people of this congregation, continue to profess your readiness to receive Pastor David Weng to be your minister?**
- 2. Do you promise to receive the word of truth from his mouth, with meekness and love; and do you promise to yield him all that honour, encouragement, and obedience in the Lord, to which his office, according to the Word of God, and the Constitution of this Church, entitles him?**
- 3. Do you promise to encourage him in his arduous labour, and to assist his endeavours for your instruction and spiritual edification?**
- 4. And do you engage to continue with him, while he is your pastor, that competent worldly maintenance which you have promised; and whatever else you may see needful for the honour of religion, and his comfort among you?**

The chairman shall propose to the candidate the following questions:

- 1. Do you believe the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be the Word of God, the only infallible rule of faith and practice?**
- 2. Do you sincerely receive and adopt the Confession of Faith and Catechisms of this Church, as containing the system of doctrine taught in the Holy Scriptures?**
- 3. Do you approve of the government and discipline of Providence Bible-Presbyterian Church?**
- 4. Do you promise such subjection to your brethren as is taught in the Word of God?**
- 5. Have you been induced, as far as you know your own heart, to seek the office of the holy ministry from love to God, and a sincere desire to promote His glory in the Gospel of his Son?**
- 6. Do you promise to be zealous and faithful in maintaining the truths of the Gospel, and the purity and peace of the Church; whatever persecution or opposition may arise unto you on that account?**
- 7. Do you engage to be faithful and diligent in the exercise of all private and personal duties, which become you as a Christian and a minister of the Gospel; as well as in all relative duties, and the public duties of your office; endeavouring to adorn the profession of the Gospel by your conversation; and walking with exemplary piety before the flock over which God shall make you overseer?**
- 8. Are you now willing to take charge of this congregation? And do you promise to discharge the duties of a pastor to them, as God shall give you strength?**