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LAP BULLETIN

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SUNDAYS @ 9.30AM | THURSDAYS @ 7.45PM

**HYMNS FOR
SUNDAY WORSHIP**

THE CHRISTIAN & THE GOVERNMENT

(PART 3)

Adapted from Truth For the World

**PRAYER REQUESTS, BIRTHDAYS
& MEN-TO-SERVE SCHEDULE**

UPCOMING EVENTS

WE ARE HERE FOR YOU

Elders

Bro Jimmy Lau
9336 6257
Bro Michael Yeo
9010 3513

Deacons

Bro Jerry Cheong
9730 5173
Bro Benjamin Tan
9751 3074

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Bro Ernest Lau
9758 1971

Administrator

Sis Ser Ern
9457 6057

Christ for the World We Sing

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Samuel Wolcott, 1869

ITALIAN HYMN

Felice de Giardini, 1769

1. Christ for the world we sing; The world to Christ we bring
 2. Christ for the world we sing; The world to Christ we bring
 3. Christ for the world we sing; The world to Christ we bring
 4. Christ for the world we sing; The world to Christ we bring

With lov - ing zeal: The poor and them that mourn, The faint and
 With fer - vent prayer: The way - ward and the lost, By rest - less
 With one ac - cord: With us the work to share, With us re -
 With joy - ful song: The new - born souls whose days, Re - claimed from

o - ver - borne, Sin - sick and sor - row - worn, Whom Christ doth heal.
 pas - sions tossed, Re - deemed at count - less cost From dark de - spair.
 proach to dare, With us the cross to bear, For Christ our Lord.
 er - ror's ways, In - spired with hope and praise, To Christ be - long.

43

Down in the Valley

Mary Barrett, 1922

Leonard Daugherty, 1922

1. Are you dwell - ing in the sun - light? Is your path with ros - es strewn? Do you
 2. Is your day one round of pleas - ure, From the morn till set of sun? Know you
 3. Sweet it is to dwell in sun - light, Where the shad - ows nev - er rise, Where the

walk with buoy - ant glad - ness In the steps that you have hewn? Have you
 not of pain or sor - row? Are your vic - to - ries all won? Lend a
 balm - y waft - ing breez - es Kiss the blue o'er - hang - ing skies; But there's

reached the top of Pis - gah, Climb - ing al - ways firm and true?
 hand to help your broth - er, Who is strug - gling hard and true, Don't for -
 al - ways in the shad - ow Some poor mor - tal brave and true,

CHORUS

get that in the val - ley There is some - one need - ing you. Lend a

hand to help a broth - er Who is striv - ing hard and true, Don't for -
 Lend a hand to help a broth - er Who is striv - ing hard and true,

HYMN #2

get that in the val-ley There is some - one need-ing you.

Don't for-get that in the There is some-one need-ing you, need-ing you.

The image shows a musical score for a hymn. It consists of two staves: a treble staff on top and a bass staff on the bottom. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are written below the notes. The first line of lyrics is 'get that in the val-ley There is some - one need-ing you.' The second line is 'Don't for-get that in the There is some-one need-ing you, need-ing you.' The music is written in a simple, hymn-like style with a mix of quarter, eighth, and sixteenth notes, and rests.

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Let the Lower Lights Be Burning

LOWER LIGHTS

Philip P. Bliss, 1871

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1. Bright - ly beams our Fa-ther's mer - cy From His light - house ev - er - more,
 2. Dark the night of sin has set - tled, Loud the an - gry bil-lows roar;
 3. Trim your fee - ble lamp, my bro-ther: Some poor sail - or tem-pest tossed,

§ FINE

But to us He gives the keep-ing Of the lights a - long the shore.
 Ea - ger eyes are watch-ing long-ing, For the lights a - long the shore.
 Try - ing now to make the har - bor, In the dark-ness may be lost.

D.S. - Some poor faint - ing strug-gling sea-man You may res - cue, you may save.

CHORUS **D.S.**

Let the low - er lights be burn-ing! send a gleam a - cross the wave!



CHRISTIAN'S RESPONSIBILITY TO THE GOVERNMENT (PART 3)

*Adapted from
bro Chan Yong Yaw*

Payment of Taxes and Customs

Every country needs money to run its programs. The money comes from various sources such as foreign investments, trade, tourism, taxes and customs, etc.

Every citizen has to abide by the country's laws, including paying taxes and customs if need be. Christians ought to be law-abiding citizens; therefore, we pay taxes and customs when necessary.

“
FOR FOR THIS CAUSE
PAY YE TRIBUTE ALSO:
FOR THEY ARE GOD'S
MINISTERS,
ATTENDING CONTINUALLY
UPON THIS VERY THING.
RENDER THEREFORE
TO ALL THEIR DUES:
TRIBUTE TO WHOM
TRIBUTE IS DUE;
CUSTOM TO WHOM
CUSTOM;
FEAR TO WHOM FEAR;
HONOUR TO WHOM
HONOUR

”
(ROM 13:6-7)

The Lord Jesus taught us the same principle.

“And they sent out unto him their disciples with the Herodians, saying, Master, we know that thou art true, and teachest the way of God in truth, neither carest thou for any man: for thou regardest not the person of men. Tell us therefore, What thinkest thou? Is it lawful to

give tribute unto Caesar, or not? But Jesus perceived their wickedness, and said, Why tempt ye me, ye hypocrites? Shew me the tribute money. And they brought unto him a penny. And he saith unto them, Whose is this image and superscription? They say unto him, Caesar's. Then saith he unto them, Render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's; and unto God the things that are God's" (Matthew 22:16-21).

Giving is an important part of being a Christian. We give to the church to further the work of God's kingdom, but we also give to the government as an institution founded by God so that God can bless us. Luke gives us an example of this.



“
**GIVE, AND IT SHALL BE
 GIVEN UNTO YOU;
 GOOD MEASURE,
 PRESSED DOWN,
 AND SHAKEN TOGETHER,
 AND RUNNING OVER,
 SHALL MEN GIVE INTO
 YOUR BOSOM.
 FOR WITH THE
 SAME MEASURE THAT
 YE METE WITHAL
 IT SHALL BE MEASURED
 TO YOU AGAIN.”**

”
 (LUKE 6:38)


God uses his providence alongside men and government in order to give back what we have given.

Give to the government what rightfully belongs to them. What rightfully belongs to God is our trust and obedience. God wants us to submit to the civil authorities; we trust and obey Him in doing so.



BABY JOY!
Our heartiest congratulations to **bro Joel & sis Grace (ECOC)** on the birth of their baby girl, Alyssa Lee, on 8 Jul. Please continue to pray for the health of both mother and child as they recuperate at home.

HEALTH
Sis Kim Tian's brother, James Teo, who will be undergoing a bypass surgery on 23 July 2020. Please pray for a successful operation.



HEALTH

- Sis Baby's, sis Yeoh's, sis Rosalind's, sis Swee Inn's & bro Winston's health
- Sis Suan Kiang's, bro Eddy (JCOC)'s health
- Sis Jasmine Lim's mother's recovery from fractured ankle
- Yixian (sis Siew Siew's friend)'s recovery from her operation (removal of cyst) & her salvation.
- Claire (sis Rhui Yin's daughter)'s recovery from her fractured leg

OVERSEAS

- Bro Kenneth Liong & sis Iris in San Francisco



PREGNANCY

- Sis Melissa (Aug)



NSF

- Bro Shawn
- Bro Zachary
- Bro Wei Xiang




Happy Birthday

THIS WEEK

20 Jul (Mon) - Cynthia Tan
22 Jul (Wed) - Sydney & Shawn
25 Jul (Sat) - Jessica

NEXT WEEK

26 Jul (Sun) - Benedict
29 Jul (Wed) - Soo Ping & Gideon
30 Jul (Thu) - Chloe
31 Jul (Fri) - Sis Baby & Lynette

MEN-TO-SERVE (SUN)	19 JUL	26 JUL
SONG LEADER & OPENING PRAYER	JONATHAN YANG	ERNEST LAU
SERMON TITLE	EPAPHRAS: THE PRAYER WARRIOR	EVANGELISM SUNDAY: I AM THE WAY, THE TRUTH & THE LIFE
PREACHER	ERNEST LAU	MICHAEL YEO
LORD'S SUPPER, GIVING & CLOSING PRAYER	ONG JUN WEI	REUBEN LIM
MEN-TO-SERVE (THU)	23 JUL	30 JUL
BIBLE CLASS TOPIC & TEACHER	GENESIS 28 ERNEST LAU	GENESIS 29 ERNEST LAU

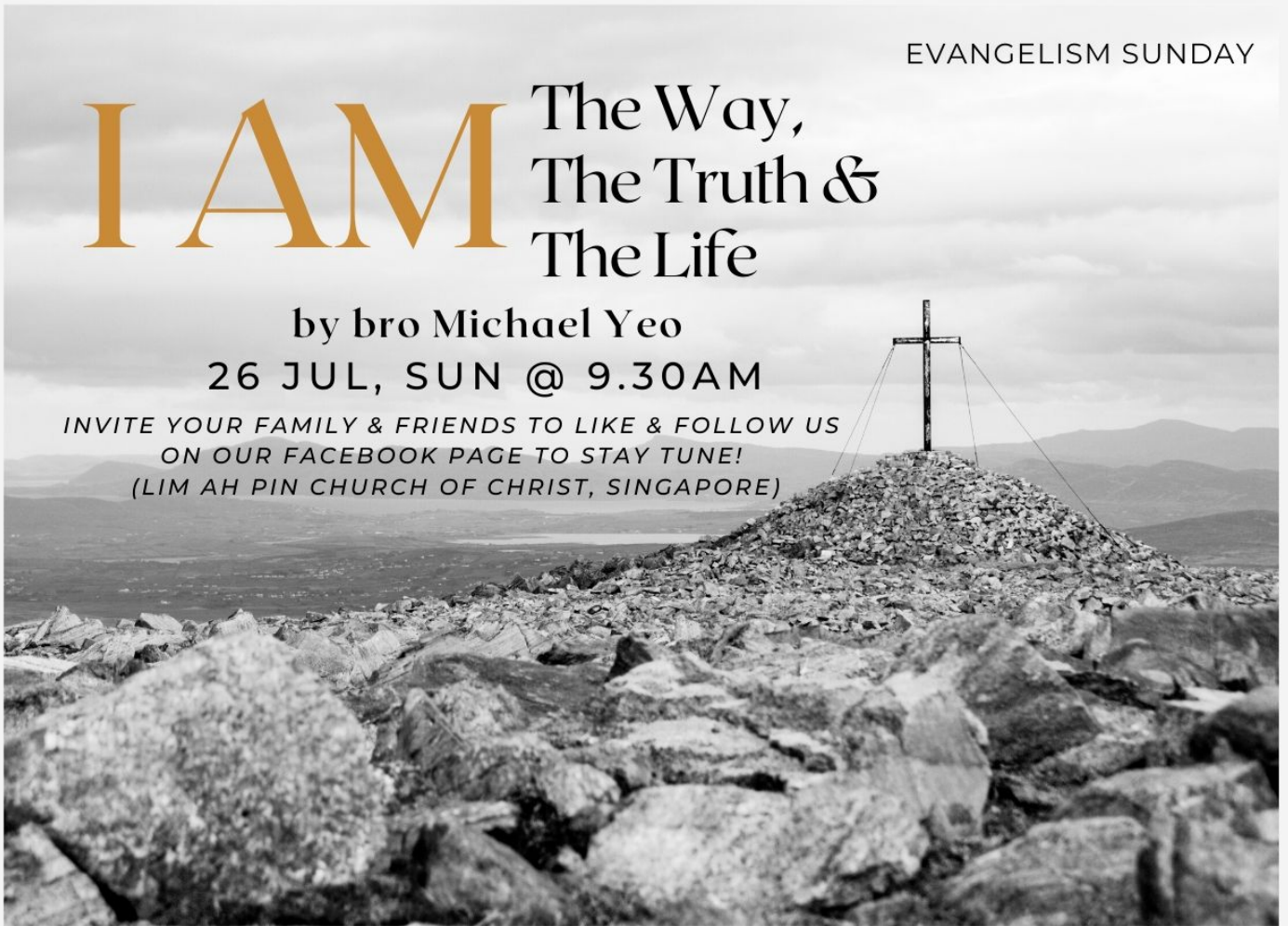
EVANGELISM SUNDAY

I AM The Way, The Truth & The Life

by bro Michael Yeo

26 JUL, SUN @ 9.30AM

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ESCAPE

TO THE BEGINNING

● NOT-THE-USUAL ●

BIBLE

QUIZ

GEN 1-30
10 AUG, MON
10AM