



23 July 2025

Pledge Letter 2025

*"Well done, good and faithful servant. You have been faithful over a little;
I will set you over much. Enter into the joy of your master."*

~ Matthew 25:21, 23 ~

Dear saints and fellow servants of God,

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and our Lord Jesus Christ.

"Well done, good and faithful servant." What a joy it will be to hear these words said to you and me by the Lord! These words come from a parable that Jesus told his disciples to teach and warn them about a time called "the end of the age" (Matthew 24:3). The parable is commonly known as the Parable of the Talents (Matthew 25:14-30). With that parable, Jesus urges us, being his disciples, to be prepared for "the end" by being good stewards of the lives and resources that God has entrusted us with – to use them faithfully, lovingly, and diligently in ways that serve God's causes and purposes. While this parable is applicable to any resource that God has given to us, including our time, energies and abilities, arguably it most immediately pertains to being good stewards of wealth or money. Are we employing the wealth and money we have been given to advance God's kingdom, or are we hoarding it to preserve our own? When we are faithful to do the former, what a joy at "the end", when we hear these words from our Lord Jesus to each of us, *"Well done, good and faithful servant... Enter into the joy of your master."* Amen!

We are approaching the time of the year when every member and worshipper with our church is asked to make a financial pledge to the Lord. You may wish to consider a tithe (i.e. 10% of your income) as a good guide to pledge. This annual practice is most importantly a spiritual discipline to renew our minds in the knowledge that all that we have and enjoy comes from God, and he deserves our very best – to pledge is to decide and commit to give to the Lord our first portions and not our leftovers, to seek first God's kingdom over serving our own. And whenever God blesses you and your family during the year, prayerfully consider giving more as an offering to the Lord for the work of his church. Your pledge to give the Lord's tithes and your offerings towards our church supports our church's continuation in the Lord's mission of proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom of God and making disciples of Christ. In this season, let us consider how God has provided for us in the past year, and let us pray and consider how the Lord is enabling us to pledge and give in the coming year.

In the coming years, we will focus more on strengthening our identity as an **intergenerational church**, and building up our **younger generations**. Sending and supporting **missionaries** for the work of local and overseas missions continue to be an important effort of our church to participate in God's mission for the transformation of communities and salvation of souls. We will continue **blessing our neighbours** through Project 5 Loaves & 2 Fishes, Breakfast with Love, and **Christmas at the Kampong** for people to come, gather, and know the gospel of Christ. We also look forward to our biennial **OIKOS Camp** in June 2026. And we plan to carry out much needed **repairs** to our aging facilities.

By faith, the church leaders have approved the FY25/26 budget expenditure of \$3.6 million to support the ministries and work of our church. Allocation of the budget for FY25/26 may be found on page 3 of this letter. We continue to face the challenge of rising costs. While we constantly find ways to manage costs, our expenses have been rising at a faster rate than our collection in the past few years. As the Lord enables, will you consider giving more in the coming year to support the work of our church?

We will be observing **Pledge Sunday on 3 August 2025**. As you prayerfully pledge to give, you can fill up the online Pledge Card found at www.kkmc.org.sg/give. If you require a print copy of the Pledge Card, it is available at the entrance to the sanctuary or from our ushers. There will be time on 3 August 2025 in the worship services for you to submit your Pledge Card. Outside that time, please submit your completed Pledge Card online or to the Infomedia Counter latest by 31 August 2025.

As the Lord has given to us, let us be faithful stewards of the lives and resources we have received, and give as he has enabled us to. As we pledge and give, let us also **pray for the Lord to give us as a church family wisdom, faith, faithfulness and innovation to steward** every tithe and offering to good effect for his purpose and glory. And so we will rejoice on the day when we hear these words said to us, *"Well done, good and faithful servant. Enter into the joy of your master."*

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.

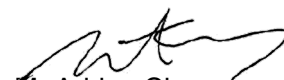
Building up, Together!



Rev Poh Zhi-Hui
Pastor-in-Charge



Mr Benjamin Quek
LCEC Chairperson



Mr Adrian Chan
Finance Committee
Chairperson

After making our pledges, we can fulfil our pledges and give our offerings in the following ways:

a) Giving in-person

You can place the pledges/offerings into the offering bags during the Offertory in the Worship Service. *(For pledges or donations to specific causes, please put the gift in a pledge envelope and indicate the necessary information on the envelope. Pledge envelopes are available at the entrance to the sanctuary or from the ushers.)*

b) Internet banking

To Kampong Kapur Methodist Church's **OCBC** Account - **"Kampong Kapur Methodist Church"**, Bank Code/Branch Code: **7339 / 695** – A/c No: **695457721001**; and in the 'Reference' field, state your Name and the Purpose of the funds transfer *(e.g. Pledges, Offerings, Donation, etc.)*

c) PayNow

To KKMCC's UEN: **S87CC0537K**, and the Church's name 'Kampong Kapur Methodist Church' will appear. Kindly indicate under "Remarks" your Name and the Purpose of the funds transfer *(e.g. Pledges, Offerings, Donation, etc.)*

d) Crossed cheque

To be made out to **Kampong Kapur Methodist Church** and mailed to **1 Kampong Kapur Rd, Singapore 208673** and on the back of the cheque, kindly state your Name, Telephone number and the Purpose of the payment *(e.g. Pledges, Offerings, Donation, etc.)*

