

# SU/FES

## PRAISE & PRAYER LETTER November-December 2019

### FOCUSING ON SCRIPTURE UNION (SU)

#### November

1. Camp season draws nigh! Please pray for **Marianne Liaw** as she begins preparing & writing devotional materials for the upcoming National Anglican Youth Camp which will be taking place in early December 2019.
2. **Lue Jun Yi** had a good holiday trip over the past week. Pray that he will be recharged for the busy two months ahead. He will be involved in three camps: Camp LEGACY, d'NA and ISC 8.  
  
**Koh Earn Soo:** Pray for me as I preach at my home church, **Sungai-Way Subang Methodist Church (SSMC)** tomorrow.
3. **Esther Lee:** "Most of our subscribers should be renewing their Scripture Union Notes by now for 2020. Pray for their safe delivery by post.
4. **Jennifer Chew:** "Our children's ministry volunteers, **Siau See Yuan** and **Janice Sek** recently spent 9-10 weeks with SU Canada in their Children's and Sports ministry Internship program. Among the many areas, they learnt to coach various sports and share the Gospel through small groups. With their skills sharpened now, both See Yuan and Janice are more confident and experienced in running sports events and activities for Sports Camps. We continue to pray for their passion while remaining faithful in sharing Jesus with children. Our next **Sports Camp** is with a church in **Subang Jaya** from **23-24 November**. The camp will be conducted in Mandarin."
5. **Joel Mohan** is directing and will be performing in a Christmas production 'Home For Christmas' in his home church, **HighPointe Life** (on **14 & 15 December**). Please pray for strength as rehearsals are becoming more frequent and intense as the date draws nearer.

6. **d’Nous Academy (d’NA)**: The camp preparation is almost finalized. The planning committee just met up recently to tighten up the loose ends. Pray that everything will go on as planned.
7. Please pray for **Chai Tze Kwang** as he finalizes all the preparations for **Camp Legacy**, that he won’t miss out any details concerning the camp. Please also pray for the students attending the camp, that God will prepare their heart to learn and receive from Him.

**ISC8 camp (26 Dec’19 – 1 Jan’20)** – Pray for the preparations for this camp. 120 campers and officers from 10 countries will be attending. Pray for the **SU Team** and **volunteers** as they go through **two-days of orientation (8-9 Nov)** at the **SUFES campsite** in preparation for the camp.

8. **Emelda Roukin**: “**Bible Engagement Camp** for children is taking place at **Hostel Jasmine Talantang** from **8-10 November**. Pray for good weather, transportation and health not only for me and volunteers but also for the children at the Hostel. Pray that God will prepare their hearts to learn.
9. Please pray for **Elaine Liew** and the combined Subang Puchong CF Camp committee as they make plans for next year’s camp.

Please pray for **Timothy Cheang** as he will be preaching at the **Holy Light Lutheran Church** Youth Sunday **tomorrow (10 November)**.

10. Please keep **Marianne Liaw** in prayer as she preaches God’s Word at the **Living Stone Methodist Church** this morning.

**Chai Tze Kwang** will be preaching at the **Bandar Sunway Gospel Centre** this morning. Please pray for wisdom as he shares from God’s Word to the congregation here.

11. **Chai Siew Meng**: “As most subscriptions of our SU Imported Bible Reading Notes ends this December, please pray that the subscribers will continue to renew their subscriptions for the next year. Pray also that these Bible Reading Notes will continue to be meaningful as they use it together with God’s Word. Pray that there will be new subscriptions for the coming year.”

12. **Timothy Cheang:** “Pray for swift approval of government funding for my daughter’s cochlear implant surgery so that she can have the implant before her 1st birthday (in December) and hopefully develop her speech and hearing without impediment.
13. **Edwin Khoo:** “Pray for fresh anointing and wisdom to all teachers and student leaders as they serve in school chapels, Boys Brigades and Christian Fellowships nationwide. Remember in prayer **ACS chapel, Wesley Methodist School Ipoh Chapel, Boys Brigade Malaysia in Perak** as I serve with them.”
14. **SU Office Staff:** Uphold the office staff – **Chia Pek Heong, Chai Siew Meng, Esther Lee and Sharon Wong** - who support the ministry behind the scenes. Praise God for their dedication to SU all these years. Pray for strength, good health and the joy of serving God through SU.
15. Pray for **Timothy Cheang** as he is preaching on **Romans 15** at **St Mary’s Cathedral** prayer meeting today.
16. **Emelda Roukin:** “Please pray for my 5 children for their work, study in school and college, for their health and that God will provide all the needs for my family.”
17. **Lue Jun Yi** is speaking at the **Teratai Mewah Gospel Centre** today. Pray that God’s Word will speak to the congregation as he shares from **Isaiah 11:2 (The Spirit of Knowledge & of Fear of The Lord)**.
18. **Marianne Liaw** has been greatly encouraged by the way the “Jesus” Bible resource series has been helpful Bible study resource material for students from CFs in Malaysian schools, refugee schools & in Boys’ and Girls’ Brigade companies. Please pray that God will enable her to continue writing & producing helpful Bible study resources in future which will enable young hearts and minds to engage with Scripture.
19. Pray for **Kelly Tan** as she will be sharing at the **Chapel of Wesley Methodist International School, Penang** today. May the Holy Spirit move the hearts of the students to respond to God’s call to repentance and renewal.

20. **d'NA:** Pray for the various speakers who are sharing on the different topics in the camp. Pray for their preparation. Pray that it will not be just merely head knowledge, but how the students will be convicted of God's truth and put into practice what they've learned.
21. Pray for **Timothy Cheang** as he is speaking at **UM varsity CF (PKVUM)** two consecutive weeks (**22 & 29 Nov**), on "**Redeeming a Broken Family Past**" and "**The Godly Family**" respectively.
22. **Lue Jun Yi** is speaking at a CF today on the importance of sharing the Gospel. Pray that the message will challenge and encourage the students to reach out to their friends.
23. The **camp facilitators** for **Camp Legacy** will be meeting today to go through the camp that will take place next week from Monday until Saturday. Please pray for **Chai Tze Kwang** as he leads this team to serve and minister to the student leaders in Camp Legacy.

**Jennifer Chew:** "We thank God for the many children from Subang Jaya attending the camp today. Pray for **See Yuan** as she leads the team with **Janice Sek** and **Elkha Asok**; and other volunteers from the church we are partnering with. Pray for good communication and understanding.

**Verseliesah Luis** (our SU project staff based in KK, Sabah) will be at this Sports camp to learn and observe. Please pray that she will be able to duplicate and run this camp back in Kota Kinabalu in BM.

24. **Lue Jun Yi:** "I'll be traveling daily to **MBS Rawang** for **Camp LEGACY**. As I'm playing a minor role in the camp, pray that I'll be of help to the general needs of the camp itself."

**Jennifer Chew** will be traveling to **Batu Pahat** for another **camp** with a local church from **25-26 November**. Pray for clarity in sharing God's Word from **John 14:6** to the children who are at camp. We ask for God's protection and sustenance of all volunteers traveling to the camp and also for **Jeremy Carlson** who will be driving late at night today.

25. Please pray for **Joel Mohan** as he serves as **Camp Commandant** at this year's **Camp Legacy (25-30 November)**. He will also be facilitating a **workshop** on **'Leading Devotion Groups.'**

Please also pray for **Chai Tze Kwang** as he coordinates the camp, making sure all the programs are in order.

26. Please pray for **Marianne Liaw** as she speaks during **Camp Legacy's Plenary sessions** today on **"Being a disciple of Christ"**. Pray that she will share God's Word faithfully and that what she shares will edify and build up the campers who are there. Do also pray for her as she conducts a **workshop** on **"How to share the Gospel"** at camp.
27. Pray for **Timothy Cheang** as he is speaking at **Nottingham CF** on **"How to live as Christians in God's Kingdom"** today.

**d'NA:** Camp is one week away! Continue to uphold the students, that God will prepare their hearts to receive from Him as they ready themselves for the camp.

28. **Elkha Asok:** "There is a **Children's Church Camp** in **Penang (28 Nov–1 Dec)**, **SU Children's Ministry** is partnering with **Christ Commission Centre church** to teach and handle games/activities in the camp. Our theme is **'Superhero'** and **Kelly Tan** will be our camp teacher. Please pray that the children will have a great time learning and having fun knowing who they are and who Christ is."
29. Today, the students from **Camp Legacy** will be going through a session of praying and fasting in camp. Please pray for the students, to not get distracted and to be fully engaged in this session to listen to what God wants them to hear from His Word.
30. **Chai Siew Meng:** "Pray for the preparation for the **21st National Bible Knowledge Postal Quiz 2020**. Pray that more centers will sign up for the Quiz and that the students will take up the challenge to participate in the Quiz. Pray that the Lord will speak to them personally as they read their Bible.

## December

1. Praise God for **Camp Legacy** which just ended yesterday. Please pray for the students as they go home remembering all the things they have learned and committed to God. Please pray for **Chai Tze Kwang** as he rests and prepares for **d'NA Camp** from **4th December** until the **14th December**.
2. **Jennifer Chew** will be on a 3-week break and taking time off work to travel. She asks that God would fill her with strength and new perspective and direction for her life while serving with SU.
3. **Lue Jun Yi**: "I'm coordinating d'NA this year. Pray alongside me for the camp and students, and also my role in the camp. Pray that everything we've planned will run as it is."
4. **d'NA**: The camp starts today! Pray for God's Spirit to be present as both the campers and staff learn from the various speakers, interaction with one another and the programs that have been planned.
5. **Timothy Cheang**: "I will be involved at **d'NA Camp (4-14 Dec)**. Please pray that God will strengthen me and also watch over my family as I will be away most of the time serving at this camp."
6. **Emelda Roukin**: "Pray for the **Youth Camp** at **Kota Marudu** that may be changed from November to early **6-8 December 2019**. Pray for at least 30-50 participants, volunteers and every preparation including the preparation for the teaching sessions."
7. **Koh Earn Soo**: I am part of a workshop panel at the **60th OCF Convention** in **Malacca** discussing Missions/Christian Ministry. Pray that through the workshop many will be encouraged and challenged to serve.
8. **Edwin Khoo**: "Pray that God will provide a bilingual female co-worker (English/Chinese staff) for SU Chinese ministry in Perak.
9. In this season as **Charis Tan** continues in her ministry journey in SU and church, pray that all the areas she serves in may please the Lord, and be part of God's purpose in her life.

10. **d'NA:** Today is the mid-point of the camp. Pray that God will continue to sustain both the campers and staff - in our classes, community engagement and also be sensitive to God's presence and message for us.
11. Please pray for **Elaine Liew** as she departs to **Egypt & Israel** with friends from **6-18 December**. Pray for a blessed time as we explore the places where our Lord had walked that there will be a greater understanding and appreciation of Him.
12. **Esther Lee:** "Thank the Lord for Bible Promoters who faithfully encourage their members to subscribe and get in touch with God everyday through reading His Word."
13. **Marianne Liaw** will be speaking to the girls at junior level this year at the **Girls' Christian Camp 2019** that will take place from **13-16 December** at **MCKL**. Please pray for clarity, faithfulness and creativity as she teaches these young hearts God's Word during the main sessions. Pray also for both **Marianne** and **Elkha Asok** as they will also be running the workshop/activity slots for the junior girls at camp.
14. d'NA ends today! It also marks an end to the current d'NA syllabus, as we are preparing for a new syllabus and structure for next year. Pray for the campers to continue to be grounded in God's Word and actively develop themselves as Christian thinkers in their own community.  
  
Pray for **Timothy Cheang** as he is preaching at a **Christmas Evangelistic Dinner** at **St Mary's Cathedral** today.
15. **Joel Mohan** will be performing at his home church's (**HighPointe LIFE**) Christmas production over these **two days (14-15 Dec)**. Please pray for the seed of the Gospel message to take root in the lives of all invited guests.
16. **Jeremy Carlson:** "I would like to thank God for guiding me through my Diploma in Advanced Sports Management Course (ASMC). Please do pray that I will successfully graduate from this course."
17. **Lue Jun Yi** takes a short break after d'NA before continuing his preparation for the **International Students' Camp (ISC) 8** from **26**

**December to 1 January 2020.** Pray that God will continue to sustain him throughout this period of camps.

18. **Edwin Khoo:** “Pray for God's sustaining grace and provision upon me and my loved ones as I seek first the Kingdom of God.”
19. Pray for our **campsite manager, Dennis Lim**, and the **Orang Asli team** as they run the SUFES campsite in Tapah. Thank the Lord for the new kitchen operator & her team who have many years of experience in providing good food for campers.
20. **Joel Wong:** “I thank God for opening the door for further studies in a Bible seminary in Australia next year. It has been my prayer to go deeper in my own understanding of God's Word so that I will be more effective in making disciples and training others. Pray that God will keep my passion burning for His Word as I prepare myself for full-time study at the seminary.”
21. **Koh Earn Soo:** Pray for me as I preach at **Bandar Sunway Gospel Centre** on **‘Blessed are the peacemakers’** as part of a series on the Beatitudes.
22. **Elkha Asok:** “I will be going back to Sabah to celebrate Christmas with my family. Uphold us in prayer as we commit another year to the Lord and to give thanks for what He has done this year. As we step into a new year, I pray that I will be more attentive to listen to the Lord's gentle voice in teaching and guiding my steps in the ministry He has called me into.
23. **Jeremy Carlson:** “Pray for wisdom and knowledge as I will be preparing for the **International Student Camp (ISC)**. This is my first time taking a post since joining SU.
24. **Timothy Cheang** is speaking at the **St Mary's Cathedral's Children's Christmas party** today. Do remember him in prayer.

**Koh Earn Soo:** Pray for me as I share a **Christmas Gospel message** at **Kepong Grace Church tomorrow**. Pray that hearts will be responsive to Christ.



25. **Elaine Liew** is thankful to the Lord for His faithfulness and grace as she served Him this year and looks forward to His leading and guidance for the coming year. Blessed Christmas and Happy New Year to all our partners, supporters and associates!
26. **ISC8 camp starts today (26 Dec – 1 Jan'20)**. Pray for safe journey as the 120 campers and officers from 10 countries travel to the SUFES campsite. Pray that the camp will run smoothly and the lives of all who attend will be impacted for the Lord. The theme of the camp is: **“Raising the Next Gen Leaders.”** Pray that many will rise up to serve the Lord. Pray for the SU team that will be involved in different capacities at the camp: **Jory Leong, Roshan Thiran, Marianne Liaw, Koh Earn Soo, Edwin Khoo, Jeremy Carlson, Lue Yun Yi, Verseliesa Luis, Joel Wong and Christopher Cheah.**
27. Pray for **Chai Siew Meng** as he takes a break at the end of the year for rest and for a time of reflection.
28. **Timothy Cheang**: “Pray for my family as we adjust to the financial burden of caring for my daughter (audiology, speech therapist appointments, cochlear implant maintenance and any other unforeseen costs).”
29. **Marianne Liaw**: “I’m heading off to the **SUFES Campsite** in **Tapah** to share God’s Word at SU’s ongoing **International Students’ Camp 2019 (29-30 December)**. I’m excited to be able to meet and encourage students from various countries! Please pray that God will enable me to teach the Scriptures clearly and faithfully.”
30. **Charis Tan** is grateful to the Lord throughout the year of 2019. It’s been a year of adventure, growth and maturity despite facing different life challenges. God’s grace is sufficient and He is faithful! Pray that she will continue to be faithful to Him through everything she does and never lose hope in whatever challenges ahead!
31. **SU Staff**: “As we bid goodbye to the year 2019, we remember, with thankfulness, God’s providence throughout the challenging but fruitful year. Let us continue to trust in God’s loving guidance and faithfulness as we usher in the new year.”