

# SU/FES

## PRAISE & PRAYER LETTER September-October 2024

### FOCUSING ON SCRIPTURE UNION (SU)

### September

1. **Marianne Liaw** and **David Teoh**: “We thank God for the opportunity to serve as workshop speakers at an international school’s Christian fellowship (CF) camp which took place over the past 2 days. Even as we presented the Biblical perspective of friendship with Jesus and contentment respectively, pray that the students who attended the camp will benefit from what they’ve learnt.”
2. **Marianne Liaw**: “Thank God for the opportunity to establish a new ministry connection with Frontier International School last month in speaking at their chapel service and assisting them with a school community project. Pray that God will give us more opportunities to create more ministry connections with schools in various regions.”
3. **Marianne Liaw**: “Keep me in prayer as I run a programme for the Girls’ Brigade (GB) in an all-girls mission primary school followed by the secondary school tomorrow afternoon. Uphold the Central Region Ministry Team in prayer as they share God’s Word over 3 chapel sessions at an international school in Cheras over the next 2 days.”  
**Sally See**: “Please keep me in prayer as I am sharing in SMJK Union tomorrow. Pray that the girls will get to know more about Jesus.”
4. Please keep **Verseliesa Luis**, **Nimron Antung**, and **Ricky Rai** in prayer as they prepare for the children’s camp at Tamparuli this weekend. Pray that God grants them wisdom in planning the activities.
5. The **Central Region Ministry Team** will be sharing God’s Word in 3 primary schools and 3 secondary schools spread out across Cheras, Kuala Lumpur (KL) and Seremban tomorrow. Please uphold all of them in prayer.
6. **Chai Tze Kwang**: “The IGNITE Youth Summit in collaboration with DUMC NextGen is happening over the next 2 days! As the whole Central Region Ministry Team is involved in this summit, serving as coordinators, coaches and workshop speakers, please uphold us, our volunteers and all who are involved in prayer. Pray that the youths, who will be participating from schools across Malaysia in this event,

will be inspired to be witnesses of Christ in their respective schools and communities.”

**Sabah Region Ministry Team:** "Please keep **Verseliesa Luis, Ricky Rai, and Nimron Antung** in your prayers as they run a children's camp at SIB Lingga in Tamparuli. Pray that the children attending will come to know more about Jesus and maintain their enthusiasm for reading the Word of God."

7. IGNITE Day 1 is over. Tomorrow, the Central Region Ministry Team will be part of IGNITE's bazaar featuring various ministry organisations and will be promoting the ministry of SU as well. Please also that the Gospel will be shared clearly and faithfully to all who attend the evangelistic night rally.
8. Thank God for the opportunity our ministry staff from the Central and Northern Regions had to attend a 3-day Expository Preaching Seminar to equip themselves with the knowledge and skills to handle God's Word faithfully when they share it with young people across schools and churches.
9. **Janice Sek:** "Keep me in prayer as I am leading the organising team for the Girls' Brigade Drill Camp in the Central Region that starts on 14 Sep 2024 and will continue for 3 days. Uphold **Marianne Liaw** in prayer as she shares God's Word at the camp's Sunday service."
10. **Marianne Liaw:** "Uphold me in prayer as I conduct a Bible lesson in an all-girls' primary mission school in Selayang tomorrow afternoon."
11. **Dylan Loke:** "Keep the Central Region Ministry Team in prayer as we share God's Word with more than 1,000 students in an international secondary school's chapel service tomorrow morning."
12. **Marianne Liaw, Grace Wong, and Dylan Loke:** "Uphold us in prayer tomorrow as we teach God's Word to students in 2 secondary schools and 1 primary school located in KL and Petaling Jaya (PJ) tomorrow."
13. **Dylan Loke, Marianne Liaw, Joel Mohan, and Jonathan Chin:** "All-Girls' Out Camp begins today and will continue over the weekend! Please uphold us in prayer as we serve as the planning committee and speakers at this camp that will be attended by 200 girls from 5 different schools in the Klang Valley. Pray that the devotional materials prepared by us will be helpful in introducing Bible reading to the girls over the days that they'll be attending camp. Pray that the seed of the Gospel which is sown will bear fruit in the lives of many who attend."

**Janice Sek:** "Keep me in prayer as I am leading the organising team for the Girls' Brigade Drill Camp in the Central Region that starts tomorrow and will continue for 3 days. Uphold **Marianne Liaw** in prayer as she shares God's Word at the camp's

Sunday service and teaches the Juniors' program.”

14. **Kelly Tan, Sally See, Angie Oh, Siau See Yuan, and Grace Wong:** “SUPA Penang kickstarts today and will continue over the next 3 days! Please pray that the campers, who will be embarking on a Kingdom Quest as they journey through the Scriptures, will discover the King of God’s kingdom and His mission to seek and save the lost! Uphold in prayer all our staff team and volunteers who will be serving throughout this camp!”
15. **Central Region Ministry Team:** “Praise God for the opportunity to share His Word to young lives in the 3 camps which took place over these past few days. Pray that God’s Spirit will continue to be at work in the lives of the students whom we have taught the Scriptures to.”

**Verseliesa Luis, Nimron Antung, and Ricky Rau:** "Please keep us in prayer as we conduct a Bible Basics training with church leaders and pastors at Calvary Church in Kota Kinabalu on 17 Sep 2024. Pray that God will guide us as we lead the training sessions."

16. **Marianne Liaw:** “I’m thankful for the opportunity to share God’s Word with His people at Faith Methodist Church recently. Pray that SU can continue to be a blessing in edifying and building up the body of Christ through our ministry to different churches.”

**Koh Earn Soo:** "Please keep the Sabah Region Ministry Team in prayer as they conduct the Training of Trainers (TOT) sessions on Bible Basics with Calvary Charismatic Churches in Sabah for their youth pastors and leaders on 17 Sep 2024. May they in turn equip the young people through Sabah in engaging with Scripture."

17. **Chai Tze Kwang:** “Scripture Union’s Secondary Age (SUSA) Camp is set to begin tomorrow! Please uphold myself, **Joel Mohan, Dylan Loke, David Teoh,** and **Chew Yi Hong** in prayer as we serve alongside our volunteers as camp coordinators, commandants, speakers, and group leaders throughout the following 4 days. Pray that the youths who come will gain a better understanding of what the Scriptures have to say about the process of sanctification in a believer’s life.”

**Janice Sek, Marianne Liaw, and Grace Wong:** “Keep us in prayer as we serve as programme coordinators and as the camp speaker for Canaan Baptist Church Children’s Camp that begins tomorrow and will run until the day after tomorrow! Pray that the children will discover Jesus, the King of God’s kingdom, as we bring them on a journey through the Gospel of Mark.”

18. **Verseliesa Luis:** “Please keep me in prayer as I travel to Kota Marudu for a children's camp. Pray that the children will have a joyful experience discovering the Word of God and that they will apply what they have learnt.”

19. **Koh Earn Soo:** "Thank God for the way SU ministries have grown over the years and for all the staff. We need more staff as there are more opportunities than we can handle. Pray that God will bring in the right staff for the different regions and the funds to hire them."
20. **Janice Sek, Marianne Liaw, and Grace Wong:** "Keep us in prayer as we serve once again as programme coordinators and the camp speaker at Community Baptist Church's Children's Day Camp tomorrow. Pray that the seed of the Gospel, which is sown in the hearts of these children, will bear fruit in due time!"
21. **Sabah Region Ministry Team:** "We thank God for the opportunity to join the Youth and Children Camp at Kg Tilis as a camp advisors. Please pray that the camp runs smoothly and that God grants us and the team strength, wisdom, and good health before, during, and after the camp."
22. **Central Region Ministry Team:** "We're thankful for the opportunity to share God's Word with children and youths across different schools and churches in 6 different camps over the past school holidays! Please join us in giving thanks to God for opening doors for us to minister His Word to so many young lives."
23. **Marianne Liaw:** "Thank God for the recent opportunity to share at 3 chapel sessions in Arrows International School, on serving those in need from a Biblical perspective. Pray that the students will grasp the truth of how Christians are to live in response to God's amazing grace shown to us by being rich in good works."
24. **Jonathan Chin:** "I've been writing devotional resources for the camps we've been serving in. Pray that these materials will help students engage with the Scriptures in a faithful and meaningful way."

**Central Region Ministry Team:** "It's been a challenge interacting with the students in the CF of an international school in Puchong as many of them were initially hostile and unresponsive to what we shared from God's Word. Praise God that we've been learning to connect with and share God's Word with them as a team throughout this year on a monthly basis. Pray that we will persevere in labour and also, as we run the CF programme with them on 26 Sep 2024."

25. **Dylan Loke:** "A private secondary school in KL has started running their own chapel services since March this year and we've been privileged to serve as speakers on a monthly basis. Please keep in prayer the Central Region Ministry Team staff who will be sharing God's Word with the students tomorrow morning."

**Grace Wong:** "Our primary school reach has grown this year. Uphold me in prayer as I speak to 200 students ages 7-9 years tomorrow morning at an international primary school in KL."

26. **Joel Mohan:** “Praise God for the opportunity we have to share God’s Word regularly in a private school in Klang. Keep in prayer our Central Region Ministry Team staff who will be speaking to 200 students tomorrow morning at the school’s chapel service!”
27. **Janice Sek, Siau See Yuan and Grace Wong:** “We thank God for the opportunity to run a half-day Bible Engagement sports programme with the primary age students of a homeschool in PJ recently.”
28. **Marianne Liaw:** “Uphold me in prayer as I share God’s Word at Emmanuel EFC Church’s Youth Sunday about the importance of impacting young lives with the Scriptures. Pray that God will grant us a fruitful time of ministry and that what I preach will be edifying to members of the congregation across all ages tomorrow morning.”
29. **Koh Earn Soo:** "Please pray that God will continue to give me the wisdom, energy, and strength needed to continue leading SU while juggling the many needs and responsibilities. We want to give thanks for God's faithfulness and provision last year. Pray that I will continue to learn to trust God to provide for all the needs of SU. Pray that God will continue to help me connect with ministry partners and link me with more of them."
30. **Central Region Ministry Team:** “It’s been an action-packed month for all of us on the Central Region Ministry Team. Pray that we can find pockets of time to rest and recuperate from all that has been on-going for the past month!”

## October

1. **Marianne Liaw:** “I’ll be conducting a Girls’ Brigade programme at an all-girls primary mission school tomorrow afternoon. Pray that these girls will learn what it means to seek, serve and follow Christ from the Bible.”
2. **Esther Lee:** “Thank our Lord for our daily devotional books, Daily Bread and Encounter with God, that have been available for our subscribers for all these years. Pray that they may find joy and encouragement each day as they read and meditate on His precious Word. Some devotionals are due for renewal, so please pray that the subscribers will continue to press on, not slacking in the Word of God. Pray that the printer will be alert when collating the pages.”
3. **Central Region Ministry Team:** “We have 4 Bible teaching sessions across 3 schools in the KL and Klang regions today. Please keep all of us on the team in prayer!”
4. SU’s Gotong-Royong Day is on 7 Oct 2024! Pray that all the staff in the Central Region, who will be carrying out different cleaning tasks throughout the day, will have a fun and productive time together.

**Verseliesa Luis:** “Keep me in prayer as I teach God’s words using the Godversation materials to the children at Ranau”

5. **Marianne Liaw:** “Keep me in prayer as I teach God’s Word at Klang Wesley Church’s Youth Fellowship tomorrow morning.”
6. **Sally See:** “Uphold me in prayer as I share God’s Word in SMJK Union on 9/10/24 and SMK (P) Methodist on 11/10/24.”
7. **Central Region Ministry Team:** Uphold us in prayer as we conduct our monthly CF programme at a secondary school in Puchong on 10 Oct 2024.
8. **Dylan Loke:** “Keep me in prayer as I speak to the 14 to 15 year-old students at a chapel service of an international school in KL tomorrow morning.”
9. **Chew Yi Hong and Marianne Liaw:** “Keep us in prayer as we speak to 16 to 17-year-old students and 13-year-old students at 2 chapel services respectively at an international school tomorrow morning.”
10. **Cornelius Eden:** “May the Councils of SUPM and SU Sarawak be united in purpose, working together harmoniously for the advancement of their missions.”

11. Keep **Chai Siew Meng** in prayer as he prepares for next year's 26th National Bible Knowledge Postal Quiz 2025. Pray that God will grant him wisdom and guidance as he coordinates with the various quiz coordinators in different schools and centres. Pray also that more schools and centres will sign up for this Quiz. Pray that the students will be willing to take up the challenge to participate in the Bible Knowledge Postal Quiz.
  12. **Marianne Liaw**: “Uphold me in prayer as I speak at Trinity Methodist Church Sungai Buloh’s Sunday Service tomorrow morning. Pray that what I preach from the Scriptures will encourage and build up the congregation.”
  13. **Cornelius Eden**: “Bless SU with divine provision and resources needed for their endeavours. Uphold the staff and councils in prayer, covering them with grace, protection, and encouragement as they serve the community.”
  14. **David Teoh** and **Marianne Liaw**: Keep us in prayer on 18 Oct 2024 as we conduct a half-day event on Boy-Girl Relationships from a Biblical perspective with 30 students ages 12-14 years in a homeschool in PJ.
  15. **Marianne Liaw**: “I’m thankful for the opportunity recently to serve as a special speaker at the Asia Audio Bible Contest, co-organised by SUPM in partnership with Faith Comes by Hearing (FCBH), that encourages young people across various countries in Asia to engage with God’s Word. Pray that this on-going ministry effort will encourage young people across Asia to discover Jesus through the Word.”
  16. **Central Region Ministry Team**: “Uphold us in prayer as we share God’s Word to the students of a private secondary school in KL during their chapel service tomorrow morning.”
  17. **Joel Mohan** and **Dylan Loke**: “Uphold in prayer the Central Region Ministry Team staff who will be sharing God’s Word in a private secondary school in Klang and also a private secondary school in Seremban early tomorrow morning. Pray that God will grant safe travels too.”
- Sabah Region Ministry Team**: “Our Transform, Impact, and Lead (TIL) Camp is happening from 18-20 Oct 2024 at Sekolah Menengah (SM) St Mary, Papar. Pray that we will have a good time together with the students and that the students will continue to grow in their faith and understanding of God’s Word.”
18. **Joanne Liaw**: “Please pray that God will continue strengthening and enabling me as I serve God through Scripture Union (SU) as a Personal Assistant in various administrative and assigned duties.”

19. **Cornelius Eden:** “Strengthen the bonds of unity among the staff, fostering a spirit of cooperation and collaboration. Provide perseverance and resilience as the staff navigate challenges, trusting in God's guidance. Grant the staff favour in their interactions with partners, supporters, and the community, facilitating fruitful relationships. May the staff's work be a testimony of faith, reflecting the values and principles of Scripture Union.”
20. **Janice Sek, Grace Wong, and Marianne Liaw:** “We'll be serving as programme coordinators and the camp speaker at Community Baptist Church (Puchong)'s Children's Day Camp. Pray that God will grant the children a fun and meaningful time and that the children will discover Jesus, the King of God's Kingdom, and the salvation He gives to all who trust in Him as Saviour and Lord!”
21. **Janice Sek, Grace Wong, Marianne Liaw, and Siau See Yuan:** “Right after camp; and we're here this morning at an international school in Cheras, excited to share God's Word with 250 students ages 10-12 years! Keep us in prayer.”
22. **Verseliesa Luis:** “Please uphold me in prayer as I visit the Christian Fellowship (CF) at Ulu Sugut, Ranau, located in the interior of the west coast division of Sabah. Pray that God will protect us on our journey to and from Ulu Sugut.”
23. **Dylan Loke:** “The Central Region Ministry Team is privileged to be able to share God's Word regularly at so many schools. Please keep in prayer our staff who will be sharing God's Word at an international school in Sentul early tomorrow morning.”
24. **Central Region Ministry Team:** “Uphold us in prayer as we share God's Word in an all-girls mission school's chapel service in KL this morning. The Christians are few in number in this school, but we praise God for the freedom the Christian girls have to gather regularly to hear God's Word.”
25. Thank God for SU's **administrative staff** who support SU's ministry behind the scenes. Praise God for their dedication to SU for all these years. May God grant them strength, good health, and joy in serving Him through SU.
26. **Marianne Liaw:** “Keep me in prayer as I speak about our identity in Christ tomorrow at a youth event organised by Bangsar Gospel Centre's Youth Fellowship. Pray that the youths will get a clearer understanding of who they are because of Jesus and what He has done amidst this world of confusion and chaos.”
27. **Koh Earn Soo:** "Keep in prayer the SU regional Community Support Group (CSG) as we meet in Bali from 28-30 Oct 2024 to review and strategise for SU ministries in the region."



28. **Marianne Liaw:** “Thankful to the Lord for the opportunity to serve as a workshop speaker and also, a chairperson and facilitator for the recent Intentional Discipleship Making Conference organised by the Malaysian Bible Seminary. Praying that what has been shared regarding the importance of Christian education in schools will encourage leaders and ministry workers in churches to see how they can be involved in impacting students’ lives with God’s Word in schools.”
29. **Cornelius Eden:** “Grant wisdom to the staff of SUPM and SU Sarawak, guiding them in decision-making and strategic planning for the organisation's growth.”
30. **Sabah Region Ministry Team:** “Please keep the Sabah Region Ministry Team in your prayers as we travel around Sabah. Pray that His mighty hand will cover us while we are traveling for events, camps, and school visitations.”
- David Teoh and Marianne Liaw:** “We’ll be serving as speakers at 1st KL Boys’ and Girls’ Brigade Revival Camp tomorrow. Please keep us in your prayers as we speak to nearly 300 young ones about the Bible’s perspective on love and self worth.”
31. **Chai Tze Kwang:** We praise God for ministry connections which have been made between a church and the CF of SMK Taman SEA. Pray that this will help the ministry of the CF in this school to grow.