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PRAISE & PRAYER LETTER

January-February 2026

FOCUSING ON SCRIPTURE UNION (SU)

January

1. **Sabah Team:** "We thank God for the partnerships He has provided in 2025. Pray for His guidance and protection over our current and future partnerships, that they may be fruitful, aligned with His purpose, and nurtured with integrity and trust."
2. **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."
3. **Kelly Tan:** "Pray that the Lord will continue to lead us this year and may His favour be with us as we plan and work in the field this year. May the Lord bring faithful partners and resources that we can continue to reach the next generation with God's Word."
4. **Marianne Liaw:** "Towards the end of 2025, my health suffered greatly and I was hospitalised twice over 2 consecutive weeks. Join me in giving thanks to the Lord for His grace in enabling me to continue serving Him in the face of these health challenges. Pray that He will strengthen me and grant me endurance so I can serve Him, for His grace is always sufficient and His strength is made perfect in weakness."
5. **Marianne Liaw:** "This year, I'll be taking up the overseeing and speaking at all the primary school engagements in the Central Region, whilst juggling my current ministry engagements and responsibilities as Ministry Director. Please pray that the Lord will graciously send a children's ministry worker to serve in the SU team within the Central Region."
5. **Cornelius Eden:** "Expansion goals to establish five new ministry stations by 2030: Pray for clear strategic vision, divine guidance, and anointing from the Holy Spirit for the leadership of Scripture Union Sarawak as they plan for expansion. Pray for God's provision of financial resources and suitable locations for these five new ministry stations, and for open doors to enter new communities and schools. Pray for a spirit of readiness and faith within the ministry to embrace the increased opportunities and responsibilities that will come with this expansion."

Central Team: “We are thankful for the Central Team’s year-end retreat last November. It was a meaningful time of rest, reflection, and fellowship, especially as we bid farewell to Jonathan Chin and Siau See Yuan, who are moving on. Pray that God will continue to fill our team with unity, wisdom, and strength as we step into 2026.”

6. **Chai Tze Kwang:** “Please pray for me as I teach the students from the Residential Bible School on the topic of Bible Engagement and show them how to engage scripture in meaningful ways.”
7. **Marianne Liaw:** “Pray for me as I’ll be speaking on “Finding Joy in Hard Times” at an international school’s chapel service tomorrow morning.”
8. **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.”

Chai Siew Meng gives thanks to the Lord for the new year. Pray that he will continue to rely on the Lord as he serves in Scripture Union.

9. **Marianne Liaw:** “I’ll be heading up the Camerons to deliver a full day’s lecture on the subject of “Prayer” at the Residential Bible School (RBS) tomorrow. Pray that the students will have a fruitful and meaningful time of learning, and that I’ll be faithful in delivering God’s Word to them.”

Verseliesa Luis: “Pray for me as I speak at Sekolah Kepimpinan Mikah in Sabah. Pray that God will guide my words and that each participant will be touched, inspired, and empowered to make a difference in their communities and wherever they go in the future.”

10. **Cornelius Eden:** “Recruiting new staff who have God’s calling and commitment to serve among students and teachers: Following Jesus’s instruction, pray for the Lord of the harvest to send out more laborers into the schools of Sarawak. Pray for individuals who are teachable, have a deep love for students and teachers, and are called and anointed by God for this specific ministry. Pray for wisdom and discernment for the leaders and recruiters to identify and attract the right candidates who are committed to building God’s kingdom.”

Sabah Team: “As the new year begins, lift up the Sabah Team in prayer. Pray for open hearts, successful programmes, and lives to be touched. Pray also for our health, safety, and God’s protection as we travel and serve in ministry across Sabah.”

11. **Chai Tze Kwang:** "Please pray for me as I lead the team in the Central Region with the new team composition. Please pray for wisdom as I juggle between field ministry work as well as managing and building up the team."
12. **Marianne Liaw:** "I'm thankful to God for the opportunity to minister His Word to His people in City Community Church, Melaka very recently during their Sunday Service. Pray for more opportunities to engage churches in Melaka with God's Word."
13. **Kelly Tan:** "Please pray for the Northern Team as we will be sharing the Word of God with the STPM students from Kolej Tingkatan Enam Haji Zainal Abidin tomorrow afternoon."
14. **Dylan Loke:** "Please pray for the various schools as they begin their various chapel services. Please also pray for us as we go into the schools and share God's Word with them."
15. **Koh Earn Soo:** "We thank God for the various interregional camps and events that enabled the ministry staff from the Central, Northern, and Sabah regions as well as SU Sarawak to work together as a team and support one another. Please pray that such interregional efforts and team spirit will continue to grow as SU continues impacting the lives of many students through God's Word."

Chew Yi Hong: "We are thankful for the various opportunities for the Chinese Ministry in Scripture Union. Please pray for us as we navigate this new ministry and for the right partners to come our way as we reach out to this demographic of students."

16. **Marianne Liaw:** "Please uphold me in prayer as I continue to work on writing and producing the new syllabus for this year's SUPA Camps that will be used across all of our SUPA regional camps this year. Pray for wisdom, clarity, and faithfulness to the Scriptures as I do so."
17. **Grace Low:** "I am a new staff member in the Central Region who joined in October 2025. Please pray for me as I continue to learn the ropes in Scripture Union's ministry."
18. **Marianne Liaw:** "Thank God for the opportunity to collaborate with the Methodist Council of Education (MCOE) and other organisations for the 5th consecutive year for the International Passion Week, where we seek to reach students across Malaysia and other countries with the Gospel during Passion Week. Pray for me as I serve once again as one of the speakers at this event. Pray that all preparations go well in these next few months."

19. **Grace Wong:** "Please pray for me as I finalise the planning for our Children's Ministry training in Melaka this weekend. Pray for the various participants as they come prepared to learn."
20. **Angie Oh:** "Pray for me as I'll be sharing at Wesley Methodist School Penang (International)'s Christian Fellowship (CF) tomorrow. Please pray that the students will be encouraged and benefit from the message. Thank God for the new students who have joined at the beginning of the year. Pray also for opportunities to get to know them better and to journey with them in their faith."
21. **Verseliesa Luis:** "I thank God for the opportunity to speak at the leadership camp for school leavers. Pray that the students will deepen their faith, grow in understanding of His Word, and encounter God personally every day."
22. **Marianne Liaw, Grace Wong, and Chew Yi Hong:** "We'll be heading to Melaka today for a weekend of ministry with schools and churches. Please keep us in prayer. Pray for us as we will be speaking in some of the schools' CF tomorrow."
23. **Marianne Liaw, Grace Wong, and Chew Yi Hong:** "We'll be conducting a Children's Ministry Training Programme in partnership with Wesley Methodist Church, Melaka tomorrow. Pray for a fruitful time of training with the participants who will be attending this training."
24. **Marianne Liaw, Grace Wong, and Chew Yi Hong:** "Thank God for a fruitful Children's Ministry Training session today. Pray for Marianne as she will be sharing God's Word at Wesley Methodist Church's Sunday Service, followed by teaching their Sunday School programme tomorrow."
25. **Koh Earn Soo:** "Tomorrow, 26 Jan 2026, we will be having our first Staff Meeting of the year. Please pray that God will guide us in our discussions and that it will be a fruitful meeting."
- Marianne Liaw, Grace Wong, and Chew Yi Hong:** "Please pray for safe travels back to Kuala Lumpur after a full and fruitful weekend of ministry in Melaka."
26. **Angie Oh:** "Pray for me as I'll be sharing at Wesley Methodist School Penang (International)'s Chapel services tomorrow. Please pray that the students will be encouraged and benefit from the message, and that they will learn to pause in the busyness of life to reflect on who God is and how He relates to them."
27. **Chai Tze Kwang and Joel Mohan:** "As we connect with the various School CF leaders, please pray for these leaders as they work with their committee members to plan for the year ahead. Please pray for the teachers as well as they support the students in this ministry."

28. **Marianne Liaw:** “Give thanks to God for the opportunity to have a short term mission team of university students in a programme known as Engage KL join us in our visit to Kampung Kemensah to serve the Orang Asli children in the village and share the Gospel with them. We’re praying that more young people will see the importance of mission at their doorstep here in Malaysia.”
29. **Dylan Loke and Marianne Liaw:** “Tomorrow morning, we’ll be attending the Methodist Girls’ School (KL)’s Special Thanksgiving Service in conjunction with the school’s 130th anniversary. We praise God for the continued partnership with the chaplain and Christian teachers of the school in sharing God’s Word with the students.”
30. **Chai Tze Kwang, Dylan Loke, Joel Mohan, and David Teoh:** “We will be running our annual Committee Planning Retreat (CPR) for the Petaling Jaya and Subang Jaya school CFs tomorrow and for the next 3 days. Please pray for us as we guide the CF leaders as they plan for the year ahead.”
31. **Joanne Liaw, Marianne Liaw, Jennifer Chew, Sally See, Verseliesa Luis, and Lim Yi Shien:** “Pray for us as we work on the production of the next edition of Berita SU. Pray for fresh ideas to keep our ministry supporters updated on the work and ministry of SU.”

February

1. **Chai Tze Kwang, Dylan Loke, Joel Mohan, and David Teoh:** “Do continue to pray for us as we guide the student leaders in the Committee Planning Retreat (CPR), helping them for the year ahead and challenging them to be the salt and light in their schools.”
2. **Kelly Tan:** “Pray for me as I will be sharing God’s Word at the Chapel at Wesley International School tomorrow morning.”
3. **Koh Earn Soo:** “I will be traveling to Timor Leste from 4-9 Feb 2026. Pray for safe travels and fruitful ministry with SU Timor Leste especially in the area of Discipleship in Timor Leste.”
3. **Marianne Liaw:** “This year, I’ll be taking on the role as the speaker for all of the children’s camps with churches within the Central Region. While this is yet another heavy ministry responsibility please pray that I will be faithful, and will share God’s Word with joy.”
4. **Verseliesa Luis and Ricky Rauí:** “Pray for us as we prepare for the camp activities in Sabah. Pray for God’s guidance in our planning and that every session will inspire, encourage, and guide the students towards their future.”
5. **Marianne Liaw:** “Please keep me in prayer as I develop a new module for SU’s annual Children’s Ministry Training this year that will be carried out throughout the year in different regions to train and equip Sunday School teachers and Children’s Ministry workers on how to faithfully and effectively engage young children with God’s Word.”
6. **Chai Tze Kwang:** “As I continue to lead the team in the Central Region, please continue to pray for strength and wisdom as I manage the team and think of ways to build up the team and help them grow in ministry.”
7. **Marianne Liaw:** “Remember me in prayer as I will be sharing God’s Word to His people at Faith Methodist Church, Cheras tomorrow morning. Pray that what is shared will be edifying and will build up God’s people.”
8. **Chai Siew Meng:** “Pray for more schools, churches, and centers to take up the challenge to participate in the 27th National Bible Knowledge Postal Quiz 2026.”
9. **Sabah Team:** “We thank God for open doors and opportunities to visit CFs in Sabah. Please pray for our travels across the regions, for protection, good health, and God’s guidance in every encounter. May every visit bring encouragement, inspiration, and blessing to the communities we meet.”

10. **Marianne Liaw:** “Join me in giving thanks for the opportunity to conduct an apologetics seminar on “Answering Tough Questions” about the Faith” with the congregation of Radiant Life Assembly recently. Pray for me as I will be conducting Part 2 of the seminar later this month and sharing God’s Word with the congregation there next month as well.”
11. **Chai Tze Kwang:** “Please pray for me as I teach on the subject of Habakkuk to the students of the Residential Bible School. Please pray for wisdom as I share what it means to live by faith in the midst of pain and suffering.”
12. **Central Team:** “We are grateful to see how SU’s Internship Programme has expanded and benefited many over the years, providing young people with the opportunity to learn and experience Children’s and Youth Ministry in an inter-denominational setting. Pray for wisdom in planning as we prepare for our first intake, and ask that God will draw the right interns to join us.”
13. **Jeremy Carlson and Marianne Liaw:** “Pray for us as we head to Sungai Siput, Perak tomorrow to conduct an evangelistic sports day camp with Tamil-speaking children as part of a church’s outreach programme.”
14. **Verseliesa Luis:** “Pray for me as I speak at the Kem Hala Tuju. Pray that God will give me clarity, courage, and compassion in every word I share, and that the students will be motivated, encouraged, and grow in their purpose.”
15. **Cornelius Eden:** “SU collaboration efforts among different denominations opening new ISCFs in schools: Pray for unity and a spirit of cooperation among various churches and denominations in Sarawak, that they may work together harmoniously for the common goal of reaching students. Pray for favor with school administrations and government officials for the establishment and running of new Inter-School Christian Fellowships (ISCF). Pray that through these new ISCFs, God would bring about spiritual growth and maturity in the lives of students and teachers, making a lasting impact on the next generation.”

Dylan Loke: “As schools’ work starts to ramp up, please pray for me as I prepare new Bible talks and sermons and for wisdom to know the right things to say.”

16. **Jeremy Carlson:** “Please pray for me as I continue to support the Central Team in ministry work and for energy and good health. Please also keep me in prayer as I upskill myself in ministry, learning how to better communicate with students.”
17. **Marianne Liaw:** “Pray for me as I look into ways to engage and serve Orang Asli students who live in hostels even as we continue to discern how SU can be a blessing to the Orang Asli communities in Malaysia.”

18. **Chai Tze Kwang** and **Grace Wong**: “Please pray for us as we begin our discussion for this year’s SUPA Camp, our camp for primary age students. Please pray for wisdom as we work with a team of volunteers in planning this event.”
19. **Marianne Liaw**: “While overseeing the ministries across the regions, I’m also still actively speaking in primary and secondary schools as well as churches in the Central region. Pray for God’s strength and wisdom to guide me so that I will speak His Word faithfully.”
20. **David Teoh**: “I will be keeping in contact with various schools in the Subang Region. Please keep me in prayer as I work alongside the student leaders and teachers from these schools, helping them in their CFs.”
21. **Marianne Liaw**: “I’ll be making a few ministry trips to different parts of Sarawak to train our fellow SU Sarawak Staff Team and engage students in schools in various regions there with God’s Word throughout this year. Please keep me in prayer.”
22. **Central Team**: “SU partners with volunteers to reach children and youths with God’s Word, multiplying the ministry’s impact while providing volunteers with opportunities for Christian service and personal growth. Pray for an increase in our volunteer base so that we can faithfully support and cover the new camps and events ahead.”
23. **Marianne Liaw**: “SU is blessed as many of our staff workers have spouses who selflessly volunteer their time, energy, and resources to serve alongside us so that lives can be impacted with God’s Word. Please also remember our spouses who serve alongside us in prayer.”
24. **Central Team**: “As the schools begin their extra curricular activities, please pray for the CFs in the various schools in Klang Valley as they begin their CF meetings, that they put to practice what they have learnt in the Committee Planning Retreat (CPR) three weeks ago.”
25. **Marianne Liaw**: “Thank God for the opportunity to serve as speaker at a school camp in Batu Pahat recently. Please pray that the Lord will continue to expand SU’s ministry reach in the Southern Region so we can continue to impact young lives with His Word.”
26. **Northern Team**: “Pray for the Northern Team as we will be preparing to share at the workshops in the Wesley International School CF Camp to help the students grow in their faith.”

27. **Marianne Liaw:** “Pray for me as I conduct Part 2 of “Answering Tough Questions” seminar with the participants from Radiant Life Assembly tomorrow. Pray that what is shared will equip those who attend to give a defense for the hope they have in Christ.”
28. **Sabah Team:** “Pray for the team as they journey to Tenom for the events. Pray for God’s mercy, protection on the road, and that all the events will be blessed and impactful.”