

15 July 2021

Dear Members and Friends

PLEDGE FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR AUGUST 2021 TO JULY 2022

We wish all God's Grace and Peace.

Even as COVID-19 continues to be an ever-present reality in our lives today, in 2021, we started the year with our focus on the 3rd arm of our Vision Statement of "We at KKMC will be Faithful Disciples in Authentic Community engaged in Loving Outreach and Bold Witness to the Glory of God", for we want our church members lovingly serve the community around our church.

We now want to really praise God that, through God's blessings, and your faithful and generous tithing and giving, in the current Church Financial Year ending July 2021, our finances have not been affected.

And so, as we now approach a new Church Financial Year (August 2021 to July 2022), we seek that we carry on being good stewards of the resources God has given to our Church to help us in our on-going church ministries and programs. The Church Leaders have just recently approved the Budget of \$3.8 million for the new Church Financial Year which provides funding to support the Church's many ministries and efforts for discipleship, worship, outreach, and witness, for increased staffing of the Church Office, for capital expenditure in the purchase of both new and replacements of worn-out equipment, as well as for needed on-going maintenance work for our Church building and other assets.

The Church Leaders continue to believe that God will definitely supply all the financial needs of our church, even as we, KKMC members and friends, do our part regarding our pledges and offerings, increasing the amounts pledged and offered previously as we are able to. Details of the budget for new FY August 2021 to July 2022 are given in the table on page 2 of this letter.

As we seek to be faithful and generous, it will once again be helpful for us to remember that in order to determine the amount that we ought to pledge, we should use the Tithe (10%) of our income as a proper guide. And, when God blesses us with extra funds, for example, by way of a monetary gift or a bonus, we will also want to prayerfully consider giving a portion, to the Church in gratitude to God as an offering.

We will be observing Pledge Sunday on 1 August 2021. So, once you have prayerfully determined your pledge, please help send in your completed Pledge Card back to the church office or complete the online form found at www.kkmc.org.sg/give by the end of August 2021 to help the Church's planning and organizing of ministries for the new financial year.

Members and friends who would like to fulfill our pledges and offerings, can do so as follows:

a) Internet banking to Kampong Kapor Methodist Church's OCBC Account - "Kampong Kapor Methodist Church"; Bank Code/Branch Code: 7339 / 695 – A/c No: 695457721001; and in the 'Reference' field, state your Name and the Purpose (eg: Pledges, Offerings, Donation, etc).

- *Do note that the Church's Citibank Account will no longer be operative.*

b) PayNow to KKMC's UEN: S87CC0537K and the church's name 'Kampong Kapor Methodist Church' will appear. Do indicate under "Remarks" your Name and the Purpose of the funds transfer (eg. Pledges, Offerings, Donation)

c) **Crossed cheque** made out to 'Kampong Kapor Methodist Church' and mailed to 1 Kampong Kapor Rd (208673) and on the back of the cheque, state your Name, Telephone number and the Purpose indicated (eg: Pledges, Offerings, Donation, etc)

The Church will send an acknowledgment of the funds transfer/payment set-up by email or by post for the first transaction in the following month.

In addition, in view of the provisions of the Personal Data Protection Act, we will also need members/ friends and their spouse (*if combining pledges*) to sign the Pledge Card and authorise the Church to collect, use or disclose their personal data for purposes of maintaining and up-dating the Church's records in respect of their pledge for the next Financial Year. We assure all that the information regarding their pledged amount will remain strictly confidential.

May GOD continue to grant His grace and mercy and provision on you and your loved ones.

Together in the Service of our Lord



Rev Kenneth Huang
Pastor-in-charge

Mr Tanguy Lim
LCEC Chairperson



Mr Victor Lai
Finance Committee Chairperson

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BUDGET	FY2020/21		FY2021/22	
Category	Budget \$'000	% of Total Budget	Budget \$'000	% of Total Budget
Missionaries Support	508	12.6	511	13.5
Other Ministries and Programmes	661	16.4	571	15.1
Kindergarten Subsidy	205	5.1	0	0
Conference Commitment	548	13.6	552	14.6
Full-time Staff Costs	987	24.5	1,211	31.9
Administrative Costs	195	4.9	111	2.9
Property Management Costs	284	7.1	290	7.6
Depreciation on Fixed Assets	150	3.7	160	4.2
Sub-total - Operating Budget	3,538	87.9	3,406	90
Capital Expenditure	488	12.1	387	10
Total Operating and Capital Expenditure	4,026	100.0	3,793	100.0

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"7 Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. 8 And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work."

– 2 Cor 9:7-8 –