

SINGAPORE CENTRE FOR GLOBAL MISSIONS ANNUAL REPORT 2014



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Missions Movement in
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SCGM STRATEGIC THRUST 2012-2015

Singapore Centre for Global Missions (SCGM) is a centre for world missions established in 1980 by a team of local pastors and missions leaders in Singapore. Previously known as SCEM, we have been serving to coordinate the efforts of local churches in missions and promoting partnership in our missionary endeavours from Singapore.

STRATEGIC THOUGHT LEADERSHIP IN MISSIONS

SCGM serves to bring the best of missiological strategic thinking and best practices to Singapore from all around the world as we keep abreast with what God is doing in the 21st Century. We research, network and participate in missiological conferences and missions networks regionally and globally. We encourage the development of more Asian missionaries and missiologists who will advance the missionary enterprise from Asia, and Singapore.

CONTEXTUAL MISSIOLOGIES AND INNOVATIONS

SCGM helps grow contextual missions strategies from Singapore as we reflect on our missions practice contextually and work with other Asian missions innovators in providing relevant solutions to strategic and sustainable missions initiatives.

GLOCAL PROJECTS CONSULTATION

SCGM works alongside local churches and missions partners in developing strategic missions projects. We provide training resources and capacity building for local churches involved in missions. We consult with and coach missional business project teams and help develop missiological frameworks for their projects. We encourage holistic and transformational projects which uplift the poor both spiritually and socially.

MISSIONS MOBILISATION

SCGM partners with local churches and missions agencies to encourage missions mobilisation and facilitate strategic missions partnerships. We have been serving the local churches through organising national missions conferences and consultations over the past decades. Since 2002, we have played a key part in the triennial GoForth National Missions Conferences.

STRATEGISE. **C**ONTEXTUALISE. **G**LOCALISE. **M**OBILISE.



NATIONAL DIRECTOR'S REPORT 2014

by Lawrence Ko

**GREAT GIFTS
MEAN GREAT
RESPONSIBILITIES;

GREATER GIFTS,
GREATER
RESPONSIBILITIES!**

Luke 12:48. The Message



Last year, Singapore was named the richest country in the world by GDP per capita. Early this year, the news ahead of the annual World Economic Forum meeting in Davos was the Oxfam's report that the world's richest 1% will soon own more than 50% of the world population. This sobering fact of the widening income disparity should call for us to ponder not only at the growing gulf between the rich and the poor in the world but the growing social injustice which may result in the poor becoming angry and easily self-radicalised.

SCGM exists to promote missions among the churches in Singapore. In 2013, we adopted the strategic thrust with the tagline of **Global Missions 21**. We seek to focus on the global challenges and issues in this present age and to work with thought leaders and organisations on the needed response from Christians in missions.

In 2014 we continued to surface key agendas which we believe are important for churches in Singapore to engage in. Being one of the richest nations on earth and in the Asian region, with Christians among those well blessed, the Singapore church needs to respond to the needs of the poor, who are seeking not only spiritual peace but also material uplift and social well being. In the holistic gospel of Christ lies the Hope of humanity.

As an interdenominational organisation serving with local churches across denominational lines, 2014 was another year of tremendous opportunities serving and building partnerships with



NATIONAL DIRECTOR'S REPORT 2014 (CON'TD)

SCGM has been faithful to its mandate to serve the church in promoting missions and partnership in their missionary endeavours. Noteworthy is their contribution to the success of all the GoForth National Missions Conferences in Singapore.

Bishop Terry Kee

The Lutheran Church in Singapore
Past President,
National Council of Churches of
Singapore
& Chairman, GoForth 2014 Executive
Committee



churches and agencies. In 2014, I had the privilege to meet with pastors and shared at the clergy meetings of the various denominational churches ranging from the Anglican, Methodist, Presbyterian and Bible-Presbyterian to the Assemblies of God, Baptist and Brethren churches. I sounded the clarion call of mobilising the Whole Church for missions in the Whole World, which was of course the theme of GoForth 2014.

GoForth 2014 National Missions Conference marked a new emphasis in the mobilisation movement for Christian missions in Singapore.

Helmed by Bishop Terry Kee, (the President of the National Council of Churches in Singapore in 2012-2014 when the GoForth organising committee was formed), GoForth 2014 set a new milestone in the series of this triennial conferences to mobilise churches for missions. We helped lay a missiological foundation for an ongoing national movement of missions mobilisation. The team was committed to see GoForth move forward with a sense of continuity beyond a one-off missions event.

SCGM played a key role in setting the strategic agenda for the conference theme and programme. The adopted theme of "The Whole Church in the Whole World" leveraged on the Lausanne tagline of calling "The Whole Church to take the Whole Gospel to the Whole World". As the Lausanne Singapore Committee coordinator and an executive committee member of Asia Lausanne Committee for World Evangelisation, I was well supported by Bishop Terry Kee and the GoForth 2014 committee to help emphasise the importance of mobilising every Christian for holistic missions based on a holistic gospel of Christ.

NATIONAL DIRECTOR'S REPORT 2014 (CON'TD)

SCGM is a vital missions structure for the Church in Singapore, serving as the handmaid to catalyse our national missions movement. What our spiritual forebears initiated nearly a generation ago is even more important today, as we see the closing days of the Great Commission. I strongly commend the work of SCGM to the Church in Singapore.

Bishop Rennis Ponniah
Diocese of Singapore



It takes Everyone to reach Everyone with the gospel. Mobilising “the Whole Church” in missions means getting every member of the church involved, not just the clergy or those called to full-time career missionary service, but also every believer young and old, at home or in the marketplace. Thus GoForth 2014 affirmed that all of us are called to serve in God’s missions.

Realising that “the Whole World” is both geographical as well as cultural challenges us to reach out to our neighbours with their different cultures, diverse worldviews and varied lifestyles. We need the heartlanders to reach the heartlanders, the CEOs to reach the CEOs, even as we send the missionaries to cross cultures to reach the unreached people groups. Living in a globalised world, we are constantly challenged by the simple question: How do we Love our Neighbour in a Global Village? Can the church proactively prepare for missions in new contexts? What kind of missionary mindsets, spirituality and competencies will be needed to engage in dynamic pluralistic urban contexts?

In 2014, SCGM completed the production of a series of 8 video clips on Asian urban missions with the financial support of TRAC Board of Missions and a small team of young videographers. These videos were used at the GoForth 2014 conference and distributed to churches as a missions resource for the church to engage the city in relevant ways, through creation care, enterprise development and reaching the urban migrant poor.

God is at work touching lives today in a rapidly changing and challenging world. SCGM continues to respond to God’s missions, serving churches and agencies strategically and contextually, using innovative glocal solutions and mobilising God’s resources to touch lives and transform communities, as we point to Christ’s unchanging supremacy in the globalised 21st Century world.



SCGM 2014 PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS



- Jan SCGM Breakfast on "A Global Christian" by Joanne Li, OM
AEA Asia Emerging Leaders Summit in Thailand
 Logos Hope Conversations on Singapore Missions
 Logos Hope Forum on Myanmar Missions & Partnerships
- Feb SCGM Breakfast on "Media's Impact in the Middle East"
 by Kurt Johansen, SAT7
 ND sharing GoForth 2014 at Clergy /Pastors meetings of Anglican, Assemblies of God, Baptist, Methodist and Presbyterian churches
- Mar SCGM Breakfast on "Prayer for Indonesia" by Andrias Pantauw
SCGM Missions Research Forum: In Touch in the City
 SCGM Missional Business Seminar on Christian Entrepreneurs
 VCF Teaching on "Embodiment of the Gospel" by Lawrence Ko
 GoForth 2014 Chinese Pastors' Lunch Fellowship
SAT7 Network Conference in Turkey
- Apr SCGM Breakfast on "Holistic Missions" by Dr Cathy Hine, Interserve
Missional Business Partnership Meeting in Romania
SCGM AGM / Annual Lecture 2014: The Cry of Creation
 by Rev Dr Daniel Oh
 Launch of National Missions Survey 2014
SCGM Asian Missions Media Project in Philippines
- May SCGM Breakfast on "Serving the Urban Poor" by Tang Shin Yong
 Connect 2014 Lunch (Asian Worldview discussion)
ICHE Board meeting & Annual Conference in Kenya
- Jun **Green Desert Project with FES Team**
- Jul SCGM Breakfast on "Raising Third Culture Kids in the Missions Fields"
 by Daniel Jesudason, Chairman, SCGM Council
GOFORTH 2014 National Missions Conference 9-11 Jul
- Aug SCGM Breakfast on "From Garden to City: Caring for Creation"
 SCGM Missional Business Seminar on Business for Blessings
- Sep SCGM Breakfast on "Grace in the City (Urban Missions)"
 by Dr William Wan, Singapore Kindness Movement
 National Children Ministry Conference 2015 Publicity Launch
 CDCM Course on Creation Care in Urban Settings (Sep-Nov)
- Oct SCGM Breakfast on "Kingdom Projects (Onesimus Farm)"
 by Ps Neo Ban Hui, Vice-Chairman, SCGM Council
SCGM Council Planning Retreat
- Nov SCGM Breakfast on "Urban Missions in Singapore" by Dr Calvin Chong, Singapore Bible College
 SCGM Missional Business Seminar on Franchising
Lausanne Singapore Tea: Commemorating Lausanne Movement 40th Anniversary with Dr K Rajendran (WEA)
 SCGM Office Move from Short Street to Bedok South
- Dec **Missional Business Partnership Trips to China & Sarawak**



Kimhong Hazra



Samuel Lim & Darrell Dorr



Dr Peter Nitschke & Dr Quek Swee Hwa



ND with Dr Quek & Dr Ashok Kumar



Dr Philip Marshall asking a question from the floor



SCGM MISSIONS RESEARCH FORUM

SCGM held its Missions Research Forum on 8 March 2014 at Changi Cove with about 70 participants in attendance, including Council members and a panel of 6 invited scholars as guest speakers. Far East Organisation graciously sponsored the event.

Daniel Jesudason, Chairman of SCGM Council, led in the opening words of welcome and prayer. Lawrence Ko, SCGM's National Director, shared the importance of continual learning in missions through research, especially on urban strategies in the face of a rapidly urbanised world, particularly in Asia.

Darrell Dorr, a missionary researcher at the US Center for World Missions shared about the need for frontier missions research to reach unreached and the unengaged in the cities. Dr Ashok Kumar then provided a sweep of missiological strategies covering biblical perspectives on the city as well as current and future urbanisation challenges. In 2000, 4 of the top 10 world's largest cities are in Asia. By 2025, 7 out of the top 10 cities will be in Asia even though there are already more megacities in Asia than in the West.

Samuel Lim, an OMF missionary, presented an interesting paper on "The Role of Religious Material Culture and the Possible Use of Realia in Discipling Urban Converts in Asia", pointing to the receptivity among urban migrants from the rural countryside towards new urban culture and the need for Christian art and realia in their faith formation.

Dr Peter Nitschke, Director of the Transformational Urban Leadership programme in Asia Theological Seminary (Manila), presented an interesting case study of how Christians are engaging Muslim slum dwellers to build peace in the community as these new urban migrants suffered traumas of violent conflict in their provinces in the southern Philippines. Dr Quek Swee Hwa also shared a paper on "Bruised Reed" and the education of children among the urban poor in the Indian context.

Ms Kimhong Hazra then chaired a panel discussion with lively interactions among the paper presenters as well as with the audience, which included pastors, missions practitioners, seminary students and missiologists.

*The Singapore Centre for Global Missions has been faithfully engaged in serving the local churches in Singapore for more than three decades. In their catalytic role they are **promoting the vital importance of investing in Gen Y leaders in Singapore** and raising up a new generation from the 4/14 Window to transform the world.*

Dr Luis Bush
 Servant, Transform World 2020
 Servant Catalyst,
 4/14 Window Movement



SCGM ASIAN MISSIONS MEDIA PROJECT

SCGM led a team of young adults on a location shoot in Metro Manila in partnership with Mission Ministry Philippines (MMP) as part of the Asian Missions Media Project, supported by TRAC Board of Mission.

This was an initiative put forward by SCGM's ND Lawrence Ko at the 4/14 Missiology Conference in Seoul in Feb 2013, which was to train Asian Gen Y videographers to create more Christian media for the youth in Asia. Later at the ICHE conference in Manila in May 2013, a collaborative partnership was started by SCGM with Dr Corrie De Boer and Asia Theological Seminary's MATUL department to document urban missions strategies.

After a 4-month video training programme on digital storytelling with 15 young adults and recruiting a final team of 4 young videographers, Lawrence led the media team to Manila on a 4-day video shoot. The trip documented MMP's strategies in urban transformational missions in the Payatas and Wawa communities. A trip also filmed the outreach among hearing impaired youths.

The video series includes "Transforming Lives in Asian Megacities", "Nurturing Children in Slums", "Poverty Alleviation in Urban Slums", "Church Incarnate in the Slums", "Job Creation", "Trash for Cash", "Hello, Can you hear me?" and "Strategies for Urban Missions in Asia". The videos are distributed to local churches free of charge and are also available on SCGM's Facebook page and website.

EFOS Council both rejoice in and resonate with the vision and the vital and vibrant work of SCGM. There has indeed been a shared history and heritage. We also thank and praise the Lord for the dedication and dynamism of SCGM leaders all these years including its present National Director who chairs our Asia Evangelical Alliance Mission Commission.

Elder Dr Lawrence Chia,
Chairman,
Evangelical Fellowship of
Singapore



Rev C.B. Samuel addresses
the Summit



ASIA EMERGING LEADERS SUMMIT 2014

SCGM participated in the Emerging Leaders Forum in Chiang Mai in Jan 2014 organised by Compassion Int'l and Asia Evangelical Alliance with Dr Bambang Budijanto, AEA's Vice-Chairman and Director of AEA Mission Commission as the convenor. Lawrence Ko participated as a facilitator and mentor among the young leaders as well as the chairman of AEA Mission Commission (since 2009).

Dr Vinay Samuel and Rev C.B. Samuel were the keynote speakers addressing the theme "Voice for the Voiceless" and calling for the church, through a younger generation of emerging leaders, to have the courage to stand up to speak for the poor and the persecuted as the prophetic voice in society. C.B. Samuel expertly gave biblical instruction on the prophetic tradition in both the Old Testament and New Testament of addressing the powers that be on the gross injustices prevalent in biblical times. Dr Vinay Samuel shared resources including his own experience of engaging politicians and civil society in policy recommendations as director of the Oxford Centre for Religion and the Public Life. Bambang reminded the Summit that as a church, we do not have the right to remain silent, especially when social injustice abounds.

It was encouraging to see the hundred delegates, especially the young adults from South Asia to Southeast Asia, declaring their desire to learn more about social responsibility and to participate more actively in the social transformation of their nations and local communities. Workshops and discussion groups were held as Asian leaders from Jordan to Indonesia, Singapore to Sri Lanka, gave references on the ways churches are participating in the processes of combating corruption, terrorism and persecution to promote justice and peace.

The Summit ended with Holy Communion and a passionate prayer for peace in Thailand as the nation was experiencing a long-drawn civil conflict which eventually led to the military takeover of the government then.

Singapore Centre for Global Missions is doing an outstanding work in seizing opportunities for service. Knowing Lawrence Ko and his commitment to Jesus Christ's holistic mission, I know SCGM will continue in many proactive programs as they mobilise the church for its whole mission. I commend SCGM and pray for greater success in the days to come.

Dr. Ken Gnanakan

Chairman, International Council for
Higher Education



Picture above: SCGM ND Lawrence Ko with ICHE Board members in Nairobi with Co-Chair Dr Joseph Ilori, President Dr Kevin Mannoia, Secretary Dr Lois Semenye and new board member-elect Hans Peter. Also pictured are Dr Emiola Nihinlola of Nigeria (West Africa ICHE) and Director for Operations Santosh Gnanakan and Director for Accreditation Dr Paul Mohan Raj.

INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (ICHE)

The ICHE Annual Conference was held in Nairobi, Kenya in May 2014. Delegates from America, Europe, Africa and Asia attended the conference meeting to discuss the theme "Capacity Building for Effective Integrated Learning". ICHE President Kevin Mannoia read a tribute to the late Dr Will Goodheer, ICHE Chancellor, while Chairman Dr Joseph Ilori led in a prayer. (Dr Joseph Ilori himself passed on to glory on 3 Oct 2014 but he left behind able leaders to continue the work of ICHE West Africa).

Capacity Building was the theme of the ICHE conference this year with time allocated for Resource Tracks for participants to deepen their understanding of accreditation planning, operational systems and collaborative programming in institutions for higher education. SCGM ND Lawrence Ko, who was elected to the ICHE Board, led a session on envisioning the opportunities for the future and exploring future conference themes for ICHE.



SAT7 NETWORK MEETING

The SAT7 Network meeting was held in Turkey in Mar 2014 and attended by partners from all over the world. Attending the meeting for the first time, SCGM ND was among friends as Dean Kuan Kim Seng and Richard Ting were also present to learn of the depth and breadth of the SAT7 vision for Christian television broadcast across the Middle East and North Africa. SAT7 was invited to share their strategic media vision at GoForth 2014.



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“...we ought to hear the cry of creation and care for God’s creation because God cares.”

- Rev Dr Daniel Koh



CAN THE DESERT BE GREEN?

WHY NOT?

LAWRENCE KO
AUTHOR,
CAN THE DESERT BE GREEN?
PLANTING HOPE IN THE WILDERNESS



SCGM ANNUAL LECTURE 2014

THE CRY OF CREATION

The SCGM Annual Lecture 2014 on the topic of Environmental Stewardship entitled “The Cry of Creation” was delivered by **Rev Dr Daniel Koh Kah Soon** on 22 April 2014 (Earth Day). He called for Christian response to the environmental crisis, highlighting population growth, resource depletion, reduction in biodiversity, climate change, waste disposal and human greed as causes for concern, citing the late Rev John Stott. Calvin DeWitt’s seven degradations of the earth and the report of imminent disaster by the Intergovernmental Panel for Climate Change (IPCC) should compel us to face the hard truths and engage actively instead of rejecting, being indifferent, avoiding and thinking that it is not my problem.

Referencing the Lausanne Global Consultation’s Call to Action statement (2012), Dr Koh appealed to the need for Christians to respond by discussing action steps at the local church level with prayer and the recovery of a biblical understanding of stewardship in God’s created world. As Dr Koh advocates, “It is our responsibility as Christians who care for our world to reject a life and a life-style informed by a consumerist culture and disposable value. There is a need to return to and cultivate the spiritual discipline of a simple lifestyle.”

This is because the Cry of Creation is also a Cry for Justice. Dr Koh points out that most of the people affected by the worsening environmental crises will be the poor. “It cannot be just when privileged people who contributed to the environmental crises through reckless exploitation (and) wasteful use of natural resources...continue to indulge in unsustainable lifestyles when the poorer people of the Majority World will be left to bear the brunt of blatant human mismanagement of the environment.” Dr Koh concludes: “...we ought to hear the cry of creation and care for God’s creation **because God cares.**”

BUSINESS is God's Calling

- Dato Edward Ong



MISSIONAL BUSINESS SEMINARS



Rev Erick Tan sharing his experience of starting a restaurant in Nepal



Mats Tunehag speaking

Over the years, the notion of **social enterprise** has taken a small step forward as governments and politicians have backed the growing people sector comprising a growing community of global citizens who desire to make a difference and bring about social change in their communities and around the world.

Churches have produced a long string of missionaries over time with their missionary enterprises. These days missionaries and mission workers can also be called faith entrepreneurs, or simply social entrepreneurs in the broad sense of the term as their spiritual mission is usually embedded in their social aims and impact. The local church can encourage and empower the rise of the social entrepreneurs as the Lord initiates and inspires.

In 2014, SCGM organised missional business seminars to bring entrepreneurs together to trade ideas and encourage enterprise development. More importantly, the seminars addressed the need for Christian businesses to be sustainable, scalable and impactful as God's channels of blessings by being connected through an ecosystem of business opportunities, strategies and resources.

A missional business forum was organised as a pre-conference event for GoForth 2014 with Dato Edward Ong, Mats Tunehag, Erick Tan and William Heng as panelists moderated by Lawrence Ko and Festus Thomas. Dato Ong's passion as a business leader whose boss is God inspired the audience of 350 who attended the forum. "Business is God's Calling" became Dato Ong's quotable quote.

In August SCGM organised a MB seminar with Dr Nora Hughes and Thomas Alexander challenging the enterprises or "For Profits" to help transform communities by becoming "Business for Blessings". In November, we had 2 consultants from FT Consulting to share the possibility of Franchising as a way to accelerate enterprise development to create jobs and provide quality goods and services in the mission fields.



LAUSANNE SINGAPORE COMMEMORATES 40TH ANNIVERSARY OF LAUSANNE MOVEMENT



Fifty friends of the Lausanne movement gathered at the GCF meeting hall in North Bridge Road on Sat 8 Nov 2014 for an afternoon tea fellowship to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the Lausanne movement.

Lawrence Ko, SCGM's National Director and also the coordinator for the Lausanne Singapore Committee, shared a brief history of the Lausanne Movement and the significance of the Lausanne Covenant for the evangelical church. He also shared of his participation in and benefit from the Lausanne gatherings from the Asia Lausanne conferences in 2006 and 2011 to the Cape Town Conference in 2010, which saw a sizeable Singapore delegation of 20 participants.



Our guest speaker was Dr K Rajendran, Associate Director of World Evangelical Alliance Mission Commission, who shared on global trends and how the whole church can be involved in missions in the whole world. Panel speaker Ms Ailene Chou-Grandey, co-founder of Perspectives Singapore, then challenged all to develop a perspective of a global Christian living out the call of God in everyday life. We praise God for the afternoon of networking and fellowship.



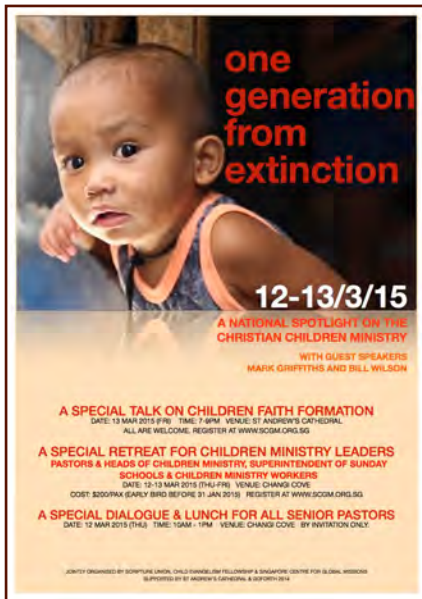
*"In a short span of time, the Singapore Centre for Global Missions has been able to accomplish a lot in **building bridges for partnership in global mission, promoting innovations and learning for greater effectiveness in missions, igniting passion for holistic mission** among the younger generation, children and youth. I see an increasing contribution of SCGM to missions and mission movements in Asia and Globally."*

Bambang Budijanto, Ph.D.

Vice-Chairman, Asia Evangelical Alliance
& Director of Mission Commission

catalysing missions in Singapore

SCGM CALENDAR 2015



- Jan SCGM Breakfast on “Engaging One Billion (Buddhist Worldview)” by Ps Ramylal Fernando
SEANET CONFERENCE in Thailand
Love Singapore Pastors’ Prayer Summit
Seminars on Chinese Festivals at The Bible Church
- Feb SCGM Breakfast on “Japan After Tsunami” by Ps Yoshiya Kondo
- Mar SCGM Breakfast on “Children & 4/14 Vision” by David Leong
National Spotlight on Children Ministry - Pastors’ Lunch, Children Ministry Leaders’ Retreat & Public Rally (12-13 Mar)
Global Diapora Network Forum in Philippines
English Presbytery’s Mission Consultation on Creation Care
- Apr SCGM Breakfast on “A Hole in Our Gospel” by Ajit Hazra
SCGM Annual General Meeting 23 Apr 2015
SCGM Annual Lecture 2015: The Courage To Be by Dr Bruce Nicholls
Church Missions Strategy Consultation (24-25 Apr)
- May SCGM Breakfast on “Asian Ethnomusicology” by Joseph Lee
SCGM-SEANET Talk
SCGM Missional Business Weekend (21-23 May)
- Jun ICHE ANNUAL CONFERENCE in Cambodia
- Jul SCGM Breakfast on “The Care of Souls” by Dr Jimmy Tan
SCGM 35th Anniversary Concert: Ethnic Rhythms
- Aug SCGM Breakfast on “The Soul of the City” by Bishop Emeritus Dr Robert Solomon
Green Desert Project in Inner Mongolia
- Sep SCGM Breakfast on “Diaspora Missions in a Port City” by Rev Peter Manimuthu
SCGM Church Missions Strategy Consultation (4-5 Sep)
SCGM Missional Business Trip
- Oct SCGM Breakfast on “Engagement in Public Space” by Dr Kwa Kiem Keok
SCGM Council Planning Retreat
SCGM Missional Business Trip to NE India
SCGM Urban Missions Research Forum (23-24 Oct)
SCGM Missional Business Weekend (29-31 Oct)
- Nov SCGM Missional Breakfast on “Education & Holistic Missions”
Global Hindu Ministry Network in Thailand (9-13 Nov)
SCGM-SEANET Talk 24 Nov by Rev Malcolm Tan
- Dec SCGM Missional Business Trip to Sarawak

SCGM BUDGET 2015

SINGAPORE CENTRE FOR GLOBAL MISSIONS BUDGET FOR 2015				
	Budget 2014	JAN-DEC 2014	Budget 2015	
Description				
RECEIPTS				
Donations	220,000.00	57,187.00	170,000.00	
Staff Support	150,000.00	80,733.00	130,000.00	
Project Sponsors/Income/Grants	73,500.00	4,305.00	65,000.00	
Fundraising	100,000.00	-	100,000.00	
Event Management	30,000.00	36,000.00	10,000.00	
Books sale	12,000.00	5,290.00	10,000.00	
Other Income	10,000.00	10,539.00	15,000.00	
Total Receipts	595,500.00	194,054.00	500,000.00	
EXPENSES				
Staff Cost	201,372.00	157,786.00	203,000.00	
Operating Cost	75,000.00	37,942.00	37,000.00	
Project Cost	66,000.00	18,200.00	115,000.00	
Fundraising	10,000.00	-	20,000.00	
Other Expense	6,800.00	10,417.00	4,000.00	
Total Expenses	359,172.00	224,345.00	379,000.00	
Surplus/Deficit	236,328.00	(30,291.00)	121,000.00	



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in fulfilling our Mission & Vision of

**Catalysing the National Missions Movement
in Singapore as we serve the local churches
in strategising, contextualising, globalising
and mobilising...**

for Global Missions in 21st Century!

To find out how you and your church or organisation can support and partner us in our missions mobilisation in Singapore, please feel free to contact us at 6339 8950 or email us at lawrence@scgm.org.sg

SCGM PARTNERS IN 2014

It's heartening to see SCGM continuing to be a driving force for Singapore churches to keep on the cutting edge of what God is doing in the 21st Century.

May God's hand continue to work powerfully as SCGM creates even greater opportunities for God's Kingdom and empowers His people to be God's light in our turbulent world.

Rev Dominic Yeo
General Superintendent,
Assemblies of God, Singapore
Senior Pastor, Trinity Christian
Centre, Singapore



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Prinsep Street Presbyterian Church

\$10,000 & Above

All Saints Church (Mandarin)
St George's Church

\$20,000 & Above

St Andrew's Cathedral

\$50,000 & Above

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Asian Journeys Ltd
Bedok Methodist Church
Bethel Presbyterian Church
Emmanuel Evangelical Free Church
Faith Assembly of God Church
Fellowship of Evangelical Students
GoForth 2014 NMC
Kampong Kapor Methodist Church
Katong Presbyterian Church
Korean Presbyterian Church
Methodist Church of the Incarnation
Salem Chapel
Singapore Bible College SMF
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The Bible Church
The People's Bible Church
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Wong Chee Seng
Wong Kron Joo

\$2,000 & Above

David How
Eugene Lim
Lawrence Ko
Paul Ng

As the Father has sent me, I am sending you.

John 20:21

We thank God for your faithful support, prayers and generous partnership in resourcing God's missions through our ministry.

I wholeheartedly support the purpose and ministry of SCGM as we, the Church in Singapore, work towards the Commission so that 'this Gospel of the Kingdom shall be proclaimed throughout the whole world' (Matt 24:14). Surely God has willed Singapore into our current geopolitical existence for such a purpose.

Bishop Kuan Kim Seng
Asst Bishop, Diocese of Singapore
Dean, St. Andrew's Cathedral
Director of Missions



SCGM COUNCIL 2014-15

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	Rev Jeffrey Wong
	Mr Wong Kron Joo
	Rev Eddie Chandra
National Director:	Mr Lawrence Ko (ex-officio)



April 24-25 2015. 9.00am-4.00pm
Zion Bishan Bible-Presbyterian Church
Fee: \$100. Specially for Pastors, Missionaries,
Missions Executives, Church Missions Chair &
Committee Members.
To register, please visit www.scgm.org.sg

Keynote Speaker:

Dr Bruce Nicholls

Pastor, Missionary, Christian Theologian,
Co-founder of Asia Theological Association

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the Paradigm Shifts. Form Strategic Partnerships. Mobilise the
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SCGM ANNUAL LECTURE 2015



THE COURAGE TO BE!

The Call & Cost of Missions in 21st C

**Thurs 23 April 2015.
7.30pm-9.30pm.
St Andrew's Cathedral**

FREE ADMISSION.

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The Christian mission is a call to reveal the gospel of Christ to a world seeking truth and grace. How can we respond strategically in a world of crisis and change? Come hear Dr Bruce Nicholls' heart for 21st C Asia and be inspired with a courage and faith to respond to God's calling to His Church.

Speaker:

Dr Bruce Nicholls

Bruce is a visionary with a heart for Asia. He has been an ordained pastor and a missionary in Asia for many decades and co-founded the Asia Theological Association in 1970. He is the founding editor of *Evangelical Review of Theology*, and continues as the editor of the 50-

volume *Asia Bible Commentary* series, written by Asian, Middle Eastern and South Pacific scholars, and sponsored by the Asia Theological Association. He is now the senior advisor for the ATA and continues to travel widely in Asia and the Middle East to encourage the Asian church's work in global missions.

GOFORTH 2014 SNAPSHOTS



Above: Korean Mentor Revolution in dance;
Right: Asia Evangelistic Fellowship team in song.



Above left clockwise: Dr Samuel Lee;
Bishop Emeritus Dr Hwa Yung; Rev
Dr Patrick Fung; Rev Dr Vinay Samuel;
Bishop Rennis Ponniah.



Bottom Left: Rev Dominic Yeo in
prayer; Middle: Bishop Wee Boon Hup;
participants on their knees praying the
Lord of the harvest.

