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When they saw the star, they were overjoyed! Matthew 2:10

May God grant us the vision of His Splendour and His Majesty this Christmas 2013!

SCGM MISSIONAL BUSINESS WORKSHOP II

SCGM's second Missional Business training workshop for social enterprise development was held on 28 Nov 2013 with the focus on Strategic Thinking. Twenty participants attended this workshop, held at the Bible House, with the Bible Society of Singapore as the venue sponsor and partner. The principal trainer for the workshop was Ho Sun Yee, a management consultant with DPI. Sun Yee, who was both in the corporate world as well as non-profit sector with experience as CEO of YMCA of Singapore and Singapore

Heart Foundation, led the full-day workshop on identifying and developing the driving force for businesses as well as missional enterprises.



Lawrence Ko, ND of SCGM, introduced the workshop with the call for more business leaders and owners with experience and expertise, to start missional businesses. He pointed out that social entrepreneurs are truly the missionaries of the 21st C, which can become the sustainable missionary enterprises churches can develop to bring about the holistic (integral) missions needed to reveal the cosmic dimension of the gospel.

Cheryl Lee, a Christian business owner with a heart for a South Asian nation, shared the characteristics which distinguishes the missional entrepreneur from the ordinary business owner. At the heart of the missional business is an entrepreneur who is willing to listen and wait on the Lord before leaping by faith into the calculated risks and challenges shared by other hard nosed business leaders. Recognising that we are stewards acting on behalf of God, our real Boss, makes the difference in the way we conduct business and view the bottom lines.

Festus Thomas, SCGM Missional Business team coordinator, shared about the vision of this new initiative by SCGM to help promote the development of MB projects. The impact of MB on bottom lines must include not merely the economic, but also the social, environmental and spiritual. He encouraged participants to join as members of SCGM and be invited to a new Christian missions social network portal, GC Network, will be launched from Jan 2014.



Ho Sun Yee, management consultant, led in Strategic Thinking in social enterprise workshop



Cheryl Lee led in devotional sharing at social enterprise workshop

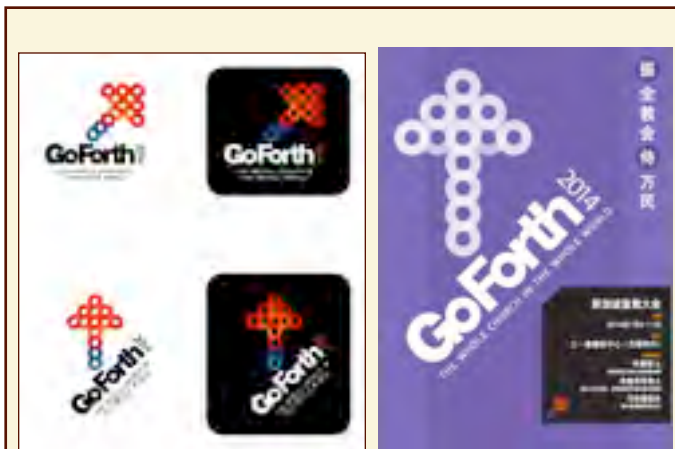
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Gen Y missionaries, Youth pastors and younger leaders attended the GoForth Lunch on Dec 4 2013 at St Andrew's Cathedral. They discussed and presented ideas on missions and youth.



Table group discussions on youth and missions in preparation for the GoForth 2014 National Missions Conference



GOFORTH NATIONAL MISSIONS 2014 YOUTH PASTORS' LUNCH

Over 60 youth pastors, youth workers and leaders of missions agencies working with young people gathered for the GoForth National Missions Conference 2014 Youth Pastors' Fellowship Lunch on 4 Dec 2013 at the North Transept Hall of St Andrew's Cathedral. Bishop Terry Kee, Chairman of GoForth 2014 Executive Committee, shared a message at the session exhorting the youth workers to continue the work of impacting the youth for missions. Lawrence Ko, Vice-Chair of GoForth 2014 EXCO presented the vision of GoForth 2014 and called for more Gen Yers to gather for the GoForth conference 2014. Group discussions and presentations were made by the youth pastors and youth leaders expressing their desire for missions to be "more than a side dish in the life and ministry of the churches". Rev Lu Guan Hoe, Chairman of GoForth Chinese Track, closed the gathering with a prayer for the GoForth 2014 movement.



Raveen Mannar, SCGM Programme Manager emceeding the GoForth Youth Pastors Lunch Fellowship



Bishop Terry Kee shared a message of exhortation to encourage youth leaders nurture youths

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SCGM COUNCIL 2013-14

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Rev Dianna Khoo
Mr Bernard Chan
Pastor Jeffrey Wong
Rev Yee Ching Wah
Mr Lawrence Ko (ex-officio)

CONGRATULATIONS GREGORY & PATRICIA!

We rejoice and celebrate with our Council member Gregory Vijayendran and his bride Patricia for tying the knot on 30 Nov 2013. May God bless them in their journey towards marital bliss!

SCGM EVENTS 2013



SCGM CHRISTIAN YOUTH
Media for Missions Project SEP-NOV 2013

Workshops for equipping Christian Youths to produce missions videos on Asian missions. Learn about missions, digital film storytelling, video production over ten weeks. Ten youths will be selected to go on location shoots in Manila at ICHE Asian Youth Media Workshop from Oct 28-31 2013. organised by Singapore Centre for Global Missions & TRAC Board of Mission

<p>DATE</p> <p>WEEKLY 2 OCT - 27 NOV 7PM</p>	<p>LOCATION</p> <p>51 WATERLOO STREET</p>	<p>Calling all Christian young people who are video/digital film enthusiasts. Put your expertise to good use by creating videos for promoting awareness of Asian missions. Journey with media and mission experts and exchange ideas with peer producers in the creation of short Christian digital films for Asian missions. Registration fee: \$100 for 7 sessions. Email willizabeth@scgm.org.sg For more information, please visit www.scgm.org.sg</p>
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SCGM is pleased to launch a Youth Media Project to encourage youths and young adults to be trained in digital film production, to produce Asian mission videos which can be used for GoForth 2014. The first round was organised in the months of Oct-Nov 2013. This project is supported by the Methodist TRAC Board of Mission.

Manila Oct 2013 ... Media Project on Urban Slums



Lawrence with the youth committee of church in Las Pinas fish port



Dr Peter Nischke, Director, Urban Missions at Asia Theological Seminary



Boy with his lunch in a dumpsite



Ramon Padilla, pastor & church planter who has worked with urban poor



Livelihood for family living in one of Manila's dump sites



Slum settlement along Las Pinas port



Children play during low tide in riverside village

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Snapshots SCGM EVENTS



SCGM Media Project training workshop at Public Domain led by Brandon Myles Krause



ND speaking on A Christian Perspective on Chinese Culture at Kg Kapor Methodist Church



SCGM Missions Focus Group Discussion led by Ng Zhiwen Adrian Chan and Saw Seang Pin held on Nov 27 2013 attended by church pastors, mission leaders and missiologists



Bishop Terry Kee, Dr Peng Chung Mien and Pastor Chua Seng Lee were among the participants at Focus Group discussion exploring issues in mission partnerships



How you can partner SCGM in 21st C Missions:

Pray for SCGM and Intercede for the Missionaries from Singapore

Engage us as your Missions Mobilisation Partner

Invite us to Consult with your Missions Board in Strategy

Join us in Networking Breakfasts and Send Thought Leaders our way

Be Equipped through our Training to be Missionary Carers, Events Organisers and Missions Mobilisers

Avail as Trainers and Consultants for missional business

Volunteer with SCGM using your Skills and Expertise

Join us as a Member of SCGM and Catalyse Missions in Singapore!

Interested to explore partnership, internship or volunteering opportunities?

Email admin@scgm.org.sg or call us

to arrange for volunteer briefing.

Our Mission:

Catalysing the National Missions Movement

Our Vision:

Serving the Local Church in Missions Mobilisation in the 21st Century

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SCGM Missional Breakfast
 Thursday, 2nd January 2014, 8 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. St. Andrew's Cathedral

Global Christian
 Speaker: Joanne Li from Logos Hope



When the age of exploration began, the Church was made aware of the presence of people groups which are so different from us. The immense opportunities for cross cultural missionary outreach also presented themselves to us. Do we have the curiosity to discover the richness of cultural resources around us?

God is the God of all nations, the God of history and God of all creation. What is God doing in the world which is now our global village?

Speaker: Joanne Li, Logos Hope ship's Project Manager, is a young Taiwanese lady residing in Singapore for a short term in preparation for the imminent visit of the ship. Trained as a dentist, Joanne has spent three years of her life serving on the ship. Come hear how God has led her on a personal journey of discovery amidst the ship's travels.

Pray for SCGM Jan-Mar 2014

- Jan 2 SCGM Missional Breakfast: Global Christian
- Jan 6-9 ND at Pastors Prayer Summit in Malacca
- Jan 11-14 ND at Asia Evangelical Alliance Mission Conference on "Leading in the Public Sphere" in Chiang Mai, Thailand
- Jan 24 GoForth Pastors Lunch on Logos Hope Ship
- Jan 29 Missionary Fellowship at Bedok Methodist Church
- Feb 6 SCGM Missional Breakfast: Media for West Asia
- Mar 1 SCGM Research Forum (Changi Cove) "Missional Transformation in Urban Settings"
- Mar 6 SCGM Missional Breakfast: Holistic Missions
- Mar 15 SCGM Creation Care Workshop
- Mar 26 ND at Media Missions Network Meeting in Mid East
- Mar 30 SCGM Missional Business Field Trip to East Europe -4Apr

Speaking Invitations:

ND speaking on Chinese Culture and Chinese New Year celebrations at seminar and pulpit ministry at Bedok Methodist Church, Salem Chapel

A CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE ON CHINESE CULTURE & FAMILY VALUES



LAWRENCE KO
 NATIONAL DIRECTOR,
 SINGAPORE CENTRE FOR GLOBAL MISSIONS

GOFORTH PASTORS LUNCH
 24 Jan 2014. 11am-2pm
 Logos Hope ship.



Join us for Lunch on Opening day of Logos Hope Ship's visit to Singapore Jan 24- Feb 3 2014.

Begin the new year with a prayer for the world.

SCGM Breakfast Fellowship

every first Thursday morning
 8am-9.30am.

St Andrew's Cathedral.

Join us on Jan 2 2014 for the first mission and networking breakfast meeting.

"It's heartening to see Singapore Centre for Global Missions 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.

Rev Dominic Yeo

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