

Miracle Service Report

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Pastor Rony delivered an engaging sermon tonight. It is uniquely titled **IF**, a short, conditional word. A conditional sentence is a sentence containing the word *if*. For example, a teacher instructs his students, “If you want to pass this term, you must study very, very hard.” The teacher is hinting that the examination is going to be tough and if you want to pass, you have to study very, very hard. The market analyst predicts, “The property market will pick up if the economy improves.” This is no prediction at all as the property market will only pick up on condition that the economy improves. It is like saying if you want to make money at the stock market, you must buy low and sell high. It is still a condition. When you invite your friend to a party, he says, “I won’t go if that fellow is going to be there.” That is a condition. The Republican Party presidential candidate Donald Trump says, “We’re going to make America great again!” What he is saying is America can be great again only if he is elected president. It is a condition – something can only happen if something else happens. A condition must be met before a desired objective can be achieved. So it demands a choice and a decision.

Life is full of “ifs”. The Bible is also full of “ifs”. Mark 4:23 says, “**If** anyone has ears to hear, let him hear.” Here Jesus is not just talking about natural ears, but also spiritual ears. It can be a case where two persons hear the same thing, one catches the spirit of it and the other does not. Jesus is saying you hear with your natural ears, but if you have spiritual ears to hear, you will hear spiritual truths which are more powerful than natural truths.

In John 8:36, Jesus says, “Therefore **if** the Son makes you free, you shall be free indeed.” Jesus calls Himself the Son of God and the Son of Man because He was with God in the beginning and He created all things. Man sinned and because of it, Jesus, the sinless and perfect Person, tabernacled Himself in flesh and blood and became a man among us. Although He is the Son of God, He is also the Son of Man because He came to identify with us in flesh and blood. The Son of God became the Son of Man so that we, sons of men, can become sons and daughters of God when we are converted. Once we were in

spiritual darkness, but now we are free indeed.

In Mark 8:36, Jesus says, “For what will it profit a man **if** he gains the whole world, and loses his own soul?” At the end of your life on earth, you will realize that it profits you nothing. You may gain the whole world and own everything. But if you are not saved, you will lose your own soul. Now you may be in the prime of life, riding high and enjoying life. However, if you tend your life only at the natural level, this verse will scream at you when your time on earth is up. Even if you have achieved everything in life, you are a bankrupt in the spirit.

In John 10:9, Jesus says, “I am the door. **If** anyone enters by Me, he will be saved, and will go in and out and find pasture.” Tonight, you can enter the door. The door is Jesus. He is speaking figuratively. You are on the other side of the door which is darkness. But when you enter this door, you are entering into eternity with everlasting life. God is going to be not just your God, but also your Friend, Comforter and Provider. You are going to find pasture. This is the door you must enter to attain success (with no bitter aftertaste) and pleasures forevermore.

In John 6:51, Jesus says, “I am the living bread which came down from heaven. **If** anyone eats of this bread, he will live forever; and the bread that I shall give is My flesh, which I shall give for the life of the world.” Thousands of years ago when Moses was leading the children of Israel in the wilderness, God provided manna or bread from Heaven. So when Jesus spoke to the Jews, they understood that bread was supernaturally provided for them for 40 years. Jesus is saying that He is the spiritual bread and if you partake of Him, believe in him and invite Him into your heart, read His words and etch them in your hearts, you will be a different person. Your spirit will be full and you will have everlasting life.

Life is not just the physical. If life is just the physical, none of us will have meaning in life because we are going to die one day. If atheists are correct, then when we die, we become nothingness. When you have spiritual ears to hear, you will know for sure that you can never become nothingness. You are more than just a body. You have the spirit (the real person) and the soul, which is the mind, the will and the emotions inside of you. The moment your physical body dies, your spirit and soul will come out of your body. That is the reason why many, who have been clinically dead and then resuscitated, can testify that they have seen themselves floating above the bed and looking down at their broken-down bodies.

Now that you know you are a spirit, you need to reflect on these questions. How would you stand before a holy God? Are you saved? Are you in right standing with God? Jesus came to die for you, but have you received Him as your Lord and Savior?

One day, Jesus was passing by Samaria. The Samaritans were not friendly to the Jews and Jesus was a Jew. Jesus sat there by the well and a lady came by. This was strange as it was high noon and no lady would be present at the well at this time. The reason why she was there was because she was an outcast. She was looking for love at the wrong places and with the wrong faces, one after another. All the other ladies knew about her and out of shame, she dared not come out at a cooler hour to draw water. So she came at a time when no one would go there. But Jesus was sitting there waiting for her because she had a divine appointment with God. When she drew water from the well, Jesus asked her for a drink. It took the Samaritan lady by surprise as she was an outcast and Jesus, being a Jew, was considered a notch above the Samaritans. Many Jews looked down on them because they were half-breeds. The lady was surprised and asked Him, “How come you, being a Jew, ask me, a Samaritan, for water?” And Jesus answered, “If you knew the gift of God, and who it is who says to you, ‘Give Me a drink,’ you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water.” Those with spiritual ears to hear, let them hear. Jesus was not talking about natural water because the lady looked at Jesus and did not understand what He was saying. Jesus was talking about the water of salvation. When you receive Christ into your heart, all you need to do is to say “Lord, I know I’m lost and in darkness. I know I’m a sinner and I can’t save myself. Nobody can save me so I turn to You.” And Jesus will give you the living water to satisfy you and you do not have to run all over the place to look for love in the wrong places. If only you know that Jesus can offer you living water, then you will say “I want this water. Other things are secondary. All things will fall into place when I’ve this living water.” Jesus is the living bread and living water. He can satisfy the total person.

Jesus says in John 8:51, “Most assuredly, I say to you, **if** anyone keeps My word he shall never see death.” If you take the Word of Jesus and

keep it in your heart, the Bible says you will not see death. Invite Jesus into your heart, partake of His Word and you will not see the second death. Second death happens when a lost soul has no Heaven to go to and is being sent to another place that is full of darkness and torment. 2 Corinthians 5:17 says, “Therefore, **if** anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new.” When you invite Him into your spirit, you are in Him and He is in you. You have become one in Christ and a new creation. All your past history, sins, blunders and hurts have passed away and you start with a new slate. Behold, all things will become new. Tonight, you can become a new creature, but it is conditional: you must be in Christ.

During the healing prayer, many came forward for prayer and were touched by God. Hallelujah! Here are some of their testimonies.

For two months, William Yeo **suffered numbness and pain on his left waist**. After one month, he saw a doctor. He was told he had **spurs on his spine** that were pinching his nerves which also caused numbness and pain. His doctor recommended major treatment, but William decided to trust the Lord and attended the Miracle Service twice. The second time he came, the numbness and pain lifted and he was completely healed. Praise the Lord!

Les Lee Mae, from the Philippines, **prayed in proxy for her mother who was diagnosed with breast cancer** in 2014. Recently, she received news from the Philippines that after further tests, her mother is now totally cleared of cancer.

Shirley Wong **suffered back shoulder pain**. Tonight, the pain eased off. Jenny Leong suffered from neck and back condition. She **could not turn her neck** since August last year. Praise the Lord, she is 80% healed of her neck condition and believing God to heal her back condition.

Ong Boh Chiew **suffered from water retention in his kneecaps** and has been attending the Miracle Service. Tonight, after prayer, the water cleared from his kneecaps.

Enda Ng gave God the glory for lowering her **cholesterol level** which was once **very high**. Hallelujah!

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Encounters With God Series Part 8

CONQUERING the PROMISED -LAND-

By Pastor Pacer Tan

Joshua 6 chronicles the story of how God led His people into the Promised Land.
What an amazing victory!

We can see the power of God in our lives as well. Today’s sermon will
focus on how we can walk in victory.

中文聚会 Chinese Service

华语崇拜会
阴影中的自由
黄耀基牧师 Pastor Colin Wong

福建崇拜会
完美生活
许美玉牧师 Pastor Rachel Koh

下个主日 Next Sunday

林万兴牧师 Pastor Lionel Lim

9点华语崇拜会: 委身基督

11点15分华语崇拜会: 委身教会 (福建崇拜会实况转播)

3点15分福建崇拜会: 从赌徒到门徒

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吉隆坡大复兴神召会林万兴主任牧师将于3月13日主日再次来到我们灯塔教会中文聚会。他将在兀兰早上9点华语崇拜会为我们分享华语信息“委身基督”，淡滨尼11点15分华语和福建崇拜会分享华语信息“委身教会”，淡滨尼3点15分福建崇拜会用福建话分享“从赌徒到门徒”个人见证。林万兴牧师的生命经历曲折多彩，圣灵带领他从偏门进入神的国度，并为主得着灵魂。欢迎大家带领朋友亲人出席！



洗礼典礼

教会积极鼓励还未接受洗礼的弟兄姐妹报名参与来临4月23日（星期六）于淡滨尼会所举办的洗礼典礼。洗礼前的华语讲解课程将于4月3日（主日）分别在两个会所举办。福建讲解课程将于3月26日在淡滨尼会所举办。详情将在近期公布。请在聚会结束后向柜台处索取报名表。

中文聚会来临课程

中文聚会即将在3月与4月份开办以下课程。初信课程特别为初信者提供稳固的属灵根基，而陪谈员讲解课程却是有意成为陪谈员的先决条件之一。请在散会后向柜台处报名！欲知详情可拨6788 1323 联络高启发弟兄。



日期	时间	课程	地点
3月12日 (星期六)	下午2点 – 4点30分	陪谈员讲解课程	兀兰会所盼望室
3月19日 (星期六)	下午2点 – 4点30分	陪谈员讲解课程	淡滨尼会所仁爱室
4月3日至4月24日 (每逢主日)	上午11点 – 中午12点30分	初信基要课程	兀兰会所沙珑室
4月3日至4月24日 (每逢主日)	下午1点 – 2点30分	初信基要课程	淡滨尼会所仁爱室

Holy Communion

Lord Jesus, as we partake at Your table today, we are reminded of Your great love for us. You died on the Cross of Calvary for the redemption of our sins. We are eternally grateful to You.



March 10 Thursday Upperlight Prayer Items

- Miracle Service
- Healing of Diabetes and High Cholesterol
- Sunday Services and Weekday Activities
- Lighters Who Are In Bereavement
- Warfare Prayer:
 - Unbelief
 - Fear
 - Confusion
- Against Dengue and Other Infectious Diseases

Facebook & Twitter Launch

We are excited to announce the official Lighthouse Evangelism Facebook and Twitter pages. Now we can keep you posted with updates on our services, ministries and special events! We are looking forward to sharing the Lord's good news online and to get in touch with fellow Lighters like you.

Like and follow us on Facebook and Twitter! Help us spread the word!



Lighthouse Evangelism Singapore



Honor Your Parents Lunch

Ephesians 6:2-3 exhort us, "Honor your father and mother" (this is the first commandment with a promise), "that it may be well with you and that you may live long in the land."

Here's a great opportunity for you to thank your parents for all their love and sacrifice. Bring them to the Honor Your Parents Lunch scheduled for May 2, a public holiday.

Tim Palace @ SAFRA Toa Payoh is the venue for this appreciation and evangelistic event. On top of a sumptuous meal, your parents, loved ones and you can enjoy an interesting program.

Tickets at \$40 each or \$400 for a table of 10 persons will be on sale next Sunday, at LET car porch and LEW lobby after the service.



AN EXCERPT FROM THE CHRISTIAN DILEMMA WRITTEN BY PASTOR RONY TAN

HOW SHALL WE LIVE?

In Noah's day, God destroyed the wicked world by water. This time, He is going to consume the earth by fire. Knowing this, how then must we live?

There is a great shaking coming such as the world has never ever known. And everything that can be shaken will be shaken so that the unshakable will remain.

Regardless of whatever happens from now until the Rapture, we shall be immovable and unshakable because of the grace and strength of God in our lives. Then we will be received into His Kingdom which cannot be shaken. Knowing how this world is going to wrap up, we should be serving our God with reverence and godly fear.

Life on earth is never a vacation. We are on a serious mission.

In the Book of Revelation, the first endtime event that will take place is the brief reign of the world by the Anti-Christ. He will usher in the Age of Lawlessness. Christ called him the son of perdition. Being lawless and destructive is his very nature. His specialty is deception.

Now we are living in the Church Age or the Dispensation of Grace. The moment the salt and light (born-again believers) of this earth are removed in the Rapture, the Age of Lawlessness will begin.

Through deceit and political manipulation, the Anti-Christ will be swept into worldwide popularity and acceptance. As the world's first dictator, he will cater to the fallen nature of man. The vilest generation will arise, and all hell will break loose on earth. As the Anti-Christ is being deceived by Satan, the last generation will be deceived by the Anti-Christ.

By then, the inhabitants of the earth will be like the degenerates of Sodom and Gomorrah. Good or evil is only a matter of interpretation. Chaos will be the order of the day.

The deliveries of goods and services will be



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hopelessly disrupted because of civil and international wars. Hunger and thirst will prevail. Desperate and senseless crimes will be committed at all hours.

Daily, people are being deceived and they, in turn, are deceiving others. It will be an era of great deception.

By then, the Anti-Christ will have a good excuse to implement military rule. He will be hailed as the most brilliant and benevolent dictator because he can enforce peace for some three and a half years. He will be so possessed by Satan that he can deceive most of the people in the world for a short time. His words will be virtually law.

Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, the former President of Iran, had openly declared that his religious savior, the Mahdi, can only come to save the world when it is in chaos and disorder. No wonder those who believe and follow him are frequently agitating, intimidating and pressing the self-destruct button so that the Mahdi will come to this planet to kill "wicked" people like the Jews and Christians. Those who are being deceived actually believe that is the only way to usher in peace to the new world.

In any case, the real Anti-Christ will be hailed as the most caring and pragmatic world leader the world has ever known. It will not be long before global citizens are terribly oppressed by his military rule.