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| **WORSHIP (Praise and Prayer) – adapted from 24-7 Prayer as a Guide** |

**You may lead by reading this prayer together as a CG during worship.**

**Prayers for Pentecost Church – Spiritual Awakening & Revival**

Living God, you sent the Holy Spirit to breathe life into Your church so that we too can join You in accomplishing Your mission. Let us no longer be captives to fear, but messengers of Your saving love, so that all may be reconciled in You. Let there be an invasion from Heaven – to impact the Church once again to a deeper devotion to prayer until we are endued with power from on high through Jesus Christ, our Divine Intercessor. Amen.

**Nation & Justice**

Lord God, through Christ You give us peace that the world cannot give. In this time of unprecedented global and national upheaval, let Your Spirit of Truth, our Comforter and Teacher, abide with us so that we may live in hope, grow in faith, and keep your commandments of love. Preserve us from judgement, protect our nation from evil, and lead us into justice and righteousness. Amen.

**Pastors & Church Leaders**

Lord Jesus, we pray for our church leaders and pastors to:

* increase in desire for more of You and the fullness of the Spirit;
* increase in desire and will to surrender and give up control, position and recognition; may they be rooted in Your Word, walk in obedience and serve with humility;
* experience holistic rejuvenation and refreshing from being in Your presence.

**Communities & Social Transformation**

Lord Jesus, we ask that You will pour down Your Holy Spirit to bring conviction of sin, reconciliation of relationships and families, and restoration of broken communities and neighbourhoods. We pray for our neighbours and communities to be transformed and rebuilt through forgiveness, forbearance and love, as we confront the big issues of social polarisation, poverty and injustice. Amen.

**Personal Holiness**

Fill me with Your Holy Spirit that I may be a living portrait of Christ. In the words of St. Augustine of Hippo, this I pray –

* Breathe in me O Holy Spirit, that my thoughts may all be holy;
* Act in me O Holy Spirit, that my works, too, may be holy;
* Draw my heart O Holy Spirit, that I love but what is holy;
* Strengthen me O Holy Spirit, to defend that which is holy;
* Guard me then O Holy Spirit, that I always may be holy. Amen.

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| **WORD (60 Minutes)** |

* Read the scripture passage.
* Do a **SUMMARY** of the sermon highlighting the **KEY POINTS**. Do not preach the whole sermon, as majority of your members would have heard the sermon already. Allocate more time for sharing in the cell through the application questions below.
* Sermon Resource at: <http://www.dumc.my/resources/sermons/>

**What is Life?**

**(Psalm 90: 1, 2, 10, 12, 14, 17)**

**Founding Senior Pastor: Dato’ Dr Daniel Ho**

**BIG IDEA: Life is a Gift. Life is a Gain. Life is Gladness.**

**Application and Discussion Questions:**

1. What is life to you? How would you describe it in “three words or less”?
2. Share one verse from the sermon (see below\*) about “life” that spoke/impacted you the most. What did you do about it since last weekend’s sermon?
3. How would the “world” (including your pre-believer friends) describe it? How can we help them to see “life” in light of the Gospel? How is God stretching us to share this gift of life to others?

**\* Key verses shared in the sermon**

Life is a **Gift** (v. 10a)

* “The length of our days is seventy years--or eighty, if we have the strength…” (v.10)

Life is **Gain** (v. 12; Jas. 1:5; cf. Jas. 3:13, 17; Jas. 3:14-16; Gal. 5:22, 23)

* “Teach us to number our days aright, that we may gain a heart of wisdom.” (v. 12)
* “If any of you lacks wisdom, he should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to him.” (Jas. 1:5)
* “Who is wise and understanding among you? Let him show it by his good life, by deeds done in the humility that comes from wisdom…. But the wisdom that comes from heaven is first of all pure; then peace-loving, considerate, submissive, full of mercy and good fruit, impartial and sincere.” (Jas. 3:13, 17)
* “But if you harbour bitter envy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast about it or deny the truth. Such "wisdom" does not come down from heaven but is earthly, unspiritual, of the devil. For where you have envy and selfish ambition, there you find disorder and every evil practice.” (Jas. 3:14-16)
* “But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.” (Gal. 5:22, 23)

Life is **Gladness** (v. 14; v. 15)

* “Satisfy us in the morning with your unfailing love, that we may sing for joy and be glad all our days.” (v. 14)
* “Make us glad for as many days as you have afflicted us, for as many years as we have seen trouble.” (v. 15)

**Note to Word facilitator:**

As you are preparing for this session, this is a great time to pray that the Holy Spirit will guide you to

use the questions efficaciously. You can select, modify or entirely create your own questions,

according to the needs of your CG, especially if you feel that there are too many questions than

required for the allocated time.

**Note to Cell Groups that have children during meeting:**

**We would like the children to engage as well on the topic during CG session therefore we are suggesting to use Manna Pad as a resource. Manna Pad materials can be found in this link.** [**http://dumc.my/resources/downloads/**](http://dumc.my/resources/downloads/)

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| **WORKS (Ministry and Bearing Witness)** |

1. **Share Your Story – even during MCO!** (Your Story, His Glory)
2. Whether your story is about how you came to know Christ, illness healed, an act of kindness in your times of need, or of how you served people or how people have served you, give glory to God. Share your story so that people will be encouraged and God's love is known.
3. If there are any good testimonies, ask your members to write out their testimonies and submit to the church: http://bit.ly/shareURstory
4. **2020 BIBLE READING PLAN** (***Lectio Divina***: Stop, Listen, Go)

Savour Luke and Acts one chapter a week with daily bite-sized readings to meditate and pray on. Get your printed copy at the Info Counter. Info? Download a copy, visit dumc.my/brp

1. **New ONLINE Forms**
2. Welcome Form for Special Guest - <http://bit.ly/welcome2dumc>
3. NEW Believers Online Form - <http://dumc.my/dcform-online>
4. Those who desire to join Cell Group - <http://dumc.my/cgkform-online>

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| **IMPACT2020.YOU.ME.theNATIONS** |

 

**IMPACT2020 has been launched for the English congregation on 29 Feb-1 Mar**

**IMPACT *NOW* was shared by Pr Kelvin during 8 & 9 May weekend celebration**

Right now and right here, we are to…

* Represent Christ, the founder and the foundation of His church
* Gather to do life together and glorify Christ
* Reach the nations represented by the refugees, asylum seekers and migrants
* Impact the lives of the people in our communities, workplaces and spheres of influence

**What will happen because of the impact of COVID-19 (New)**

* + - IMPACT will extend for another six months into 2021
    - New revised one-stop link: [dumc.my/IMPACT2020](http://dumc.my/IMPACT2020) for all your Academy and Field needs!
    - All information have been disseminated to your IMPACT Champions from your zone

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| **UPCOMING** |

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| **PREACHING SCHEDULE 2020** |

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| 11 & 12 July | **Proverbs Series** (live streaming only) | FSP Daniel Ho |
| 18 & 19 July | **Relationship Series: Impacting Family** (live streaming only) | Jason Wong |
| 25 & 26 July | **Relationship Series: Impacting Community** (live streaming only) | Bill Wilson |

Online live streaming via: [dumc.my/watch-live](http://dumc.my/watch-live) at celebration timings on Sat@5pm and Sun@9am

Go to: <http://www.dumc.my/resources/sermons/> for the latest info

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| **EVENT HIGHLIGHTS** |

* 1. **CELEBRATION VENUES (decentralised in the duration of MCO)**

Saturdays | 5.00 pm | Suggest Virtual Watch Party with CG

Sundays | 9.00am | Suggest Virtual Watch Party with CG

Info? Email [general@dumc.my](mailto:general@dumc.my)

* 1. **Join Celebrations in DUMC@Puchong every Sunday (except on weekends stated above)**

Bring your friends and family members living around the Puchong area. Look for DUMC@Puchong on Waze or Google Maps. (Please park at IOI Business Park Level B2)

* 1. **5-Day Fast and Prayer**

13-17 July | 8.30pm | fb.com/dumcMY

Repentance, Restoration and Renewal

Return to your First Love (Revelation 2:4)

* 1. **CHURCH PRAYER ALTAR (decentralised in the duration of MCO)**

Every Saturday | 7.00 -9.00am | Zoom Meeting Room

(Register for meeting ID at [bit.ly/CPAregistration](http://bit.ly/CPAregistration))

*Let us come and seek the face of God. Prayer precedes everything.*

Info? Contact [forerunners@dumc.my](mailto:forerunners@dumc.my)

* 1. **TUESDAY ENCOUNTER NIGHT** (3rd & 4th Tuesdays of every month) **(temporarily deferred)**

Come together and be refreshed by His presence.

Info? Contact [forerunners@dumc.my](mailto:forerunners@dumc.my)

* 1. **FLOODGATES**

Issue 104 of DUMC's magazine is available now with more inspiring stories, news and articles! Read it online at [dumc.my/floodgates.pdf](http://dumc.my/floodgates.pdf)

* 1. **ANNIVERSARY & GIFT WEEKEND (AGW)**

In view of the economic impact and financial challenges some may face due to MCO, AGW deadline for giving and fulfilling of pledges is extended to 30 Jun. Info? Email [general@dumc.my](mailto:general@dumc.my)

* 1. **Sign up for access to RightNow Media (from DUMC news)**

Enter your particulars into this link:[bit.ly/DUMC-RNM](http://bit.ly/DUMC-RNM)

* 1. **WANT TO JOIN THE DUMC FAMILY?**

Here are the steps:

> Join a Cell Group (You can get help at our CG Kiosk)

> Attend Basic Christianity 101

> Attend DUMC 101

> Join an Encounter Weekend

> Baptism & Membership Interview

Sign up at the Info Counter or online at [dumc.my/equip](http://dumc.my/equip)

* 1. **DUMC SOCIAL CONCERNS DEPARTMENT (SCD)**

In this challenging time, our SCD is offering assistance, relief & aid to affected communities. For help, call our Help Desk: 016 918 9968 or email marianne.tsen@dumc.my

To donate: [dumc.my/give](http://dumc.my/give)

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| **EQUIP COURSES 2020** |

**Note: EQUIP sessions below will be conducted via an online platform and you are encouraged to log on early to familiarise yourself with the tool.**

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| **DUMC 101**  25 July | 9.00am - 12.30pm | Online  **CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP 201**  18 & 25 July | 9.00am - 12.30pm | Online  **BASIC CHRISTIANITY 301 – APOLOGETICS : DEFENDINIG YOUR FAITH**  11 & 18 July | 9.00am - 12.30pm | Online |

Find out more about Equip courses online at <http://dumc.my/equip>