



# Lively Stones | PETER 2:5

*Holding forth the word of life*

30 April 2023

## SUNDAY SCHOOL PROMOTION JUNIOR DEPARTMENT

***Psalm 127: 3: “Lo, children are an heritage of the Lord: and the fruit of the womb is his reward.”***

The Bible says that children are heritage of the Lord and offspring are a reward from Him. God cares about how children are raised and nurtured because they are a gift from God.

God’s Word in *Proverbs 22:6* says **“Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it.”** It is important for us to equip ourselves with the Word of God by teaching or studying His word. Sunday School is a place whereby the children can learn the teachings of Jesus and it helps to impart social values and religious principles to children through Biblical lessons.



We praise and thank God for His manifold blessings upon Life Bible-Presbyterian Church which has classes catered to the needs of children of different ages. *Psalm 119:105: “Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, a light unto my path”*. God’s word is like a lamp, a light to guide us. The closer we are to that light, the easier it is for us to follow God and be protected from turning towards sin. Let us be diligent in studying God’s word and follow the Bible to live a Godly life.

We thank God for a group of dedicated and committed teachers in our department who faithfully prepare lessons each Sunday for our children. It is always our prayers and desire that the young ones under our care will be nurtured to grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. Let us work together to be faithful servants of Jesus Christ so that we may **“...be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh (us) a reason of the hope that is in (us) with meekness and fear” (1 Peter 3:15).**

We welcome children age 9 to 12 years old (Primary 3 to 6) to join us in studying God’s Word every Lord’s Day at 9.40 am sharp @ Life Meeting Hall. The forty-five minutes of lesson includes singspiration, bible stories, worksheets prepared by our dedicated teachers.

Dear parents, do encourage your child/children to join us for Sunday School lesson each Sunday.

We look forward to seeing your children with us!

In-Christ,  
Iris Loe

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## **Class Photography**



**Primary 3 (9 years old)**  
**Location: Cry Room #2**  
**Teachers: Sisters Linda Listiyani & Christina Tarigan**

**Primary 4 (10 years old)**  
**Location: Bell Tower**  
**Teachers: Brother Adrian Kum, Sisters Lim Min Li & Elaine Ding**



**Primary 5 (11 years old)**  
**Location: Church Library**  
**Teachers: Sisters Susan Yee & Trudy Lim**



**Primary 6 (12 years old)**  
**Location: Sanctuary Level 2**  
**Teachers: Sisters Elsie Lim & Chiam Tok Ling**

## Testimonies by Teachers....

### Sister Chiam Tok Ling

Thank God for the privilege to be part of the Sunday School ministry. It is a joy to learn about God attributes and His laws together with the children.

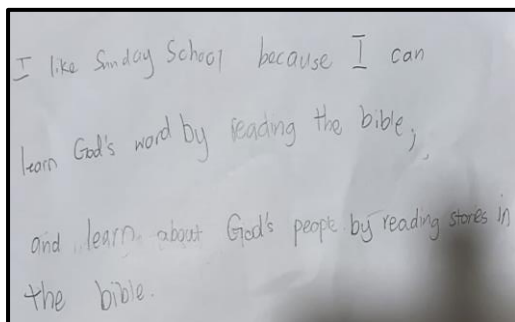
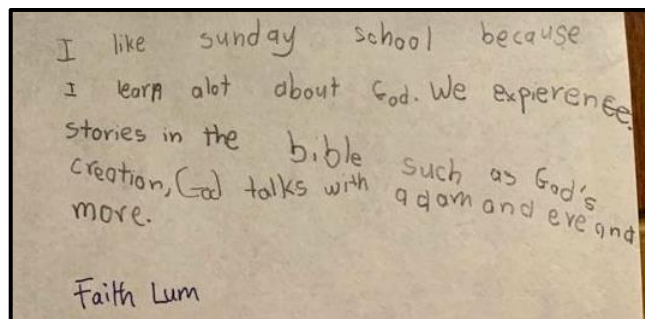
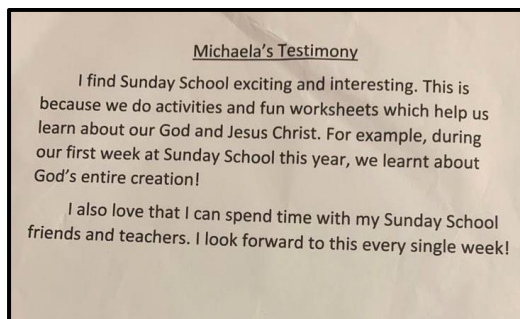
I have been much blessed by the time spent in sharing God's Word and interacting with the young ones. It is my prayer that the children develop a personal relationship with God and grow in their faith in God. May God continue to use me to instruct and to encourage the children to love God and follow Christ.

### Sister Elsie Lim

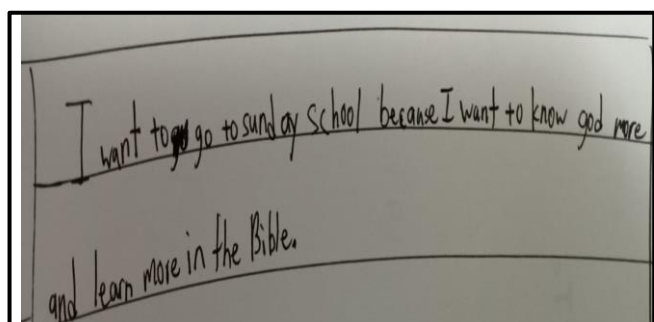
Thank God for the opportunity to serve Him in Sunday School for many years. Till today, I'm still a learner and always be mindful that I must be a doer of the Word and never be complacent with my spiritual life. I'm glad that I'm also growing spiritually in this ministry because of the lesson's preparation. We all know that teaching is a great responsibility and indeed it is a comfort to know that our Lord Jesus Christ is my teacher. There are times God uses my students' childlike faith to remind me to keep on trusting Him. Thank God for watching me all these years! Psalm 32:8 "I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way which thou shalt go: I will guide thee with mine eye."

## Testimonies by Students....

### Primary 3



**Faith Chan (P3)**



**Jun Yang (P3)**

### Anne Low (Primary 4)

My name is Anne Low and I am 10 years old this year. I enjoy attending Sunday School because I get to spend time talking to my friends about how our week in school have been and I am also able to study God's words. As there are ten of us in my Sunday School class, we are never quiet.

During the circuit breaker we were not able to meet up but our Sunday School teacher will allow us extra time to catch up with one another over Zoom after she finishes her lesson. My favourite Bible story is about Moses leading the Israelites across the Red Sea. It reminds me that God can help me through my trials and challenges if I trust in Him.

### Primary 4.... Continued

Name: Corine Xie Yixi  
When it was my first day of church, I was amazed by the word of God. I enjoyed different story told by my Sunday school teachers, because I can learn more interesting meaning about different bible story, and the most important thing you all should know is that God love you and,

God loved us just the same, and we are his sheeps. God blessed me with my parents so that they can teach my brother and I about his word. Hope that you can come and join our church's Sunday School. May God bless you!

I have been attending Sunday school from young I am now the 14th class I like my teachers. One of the stories that impressed me the most was Mr. William Calgate. Mr. Calgate was a man who I hope He was a man who obeyed God's promise of Israel. He had the grace a lot of his money to God's work, and that's what I like about the God. I hope to be like him one day. I hope you will join us in every school.  
Ethan Qy

### Primary 5

I look forward to attending Sunday school every week. I can learn more about God & God's word through the teachers. I also become closer to God as I can learn more about Him. My Sunday school teachers, are Auntie Susan and Auntie Trudy, are very nice and dedicated. They taught us how to memorise bible verses so that we can keep God's word in our hearts. This year, we have studied the book of Genesis - Genesis and learnt about the Creation Mandate which is All mankind's responsibility. ~~It is~~ In my everyday life, I will ~~try to~~ do things that honour and glorify him. "It is a joy to live everyday for him Jesus." "For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain." Phillipians 1:21.  
Neo Nathaniel P5

I enjoy going to Sunday school as the teachers are kind and helpful. They make the bible stories come to life. I learned more about God's sin, why and how to believe in God and much more. Joining Sunday school has cleared a lot of doubts and worries in life, I especially like it when we learn about the parables of Jesus.  
"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." John 3:16  
I love this verse because it shows how much God loves us, he gave us his only Son to save us when we didn't deserve anything from God, the only thing we have to do is to believe in Christ and we will go to heaven!  
I hope more people can come to Sunday school to learn more about God!  
~ Hannah Kusman P5

### **Justus Low (Primary 6)**

My name is Justus Low and I am 12 years old. I have been attending Sunday School since I was 2 years old. There are currently 4 of us in the Primary 6 class and I hope that more can come and join us.

I enjoy attending Sunday School because we get to share our struggles, pray for one another and encourage one another to trust in the Lord. I thank God for my parents and Sunday School teachers for teaching me God's words and learning to trust in Him. The many lessons I have learned in Sunday School help me to make a stand for the things that are right in God's eyes. Just like how God protected Daniel and his friends when they made a stand for their faith. God will also help us when we find it challenging to do what is right.

My favourite verse which I learned from Sunday School is Psalm 46:1. It says "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble." The verse reminds me that God is always with me and that He is a strong tower that I can run to in times of difficulties.

This year, my Sunday School classmates and I will be taking the PSLE. Although it will be a very busy and stressful period for us, I believe that God will see us through. Please pray for us that we always be reminded of the precious truths which we had learned during Sunday School, to seek the Lord and trust in Him at all times. Thank you.