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SAMANTHA
NEWSLETTER

Thanksgivings:

July ~ Dec 07

Awana presentation

* English Presby'n Pastors

* Sembawang Church

Home Church, BSC

* 6 sessions Teachers' Training

* Share Awana @ prayer meeting

* Coordinate Vacation Bible School for 65 children.

Family

*Share Christ with Uncle from China and mum through Jesus film.

*2 aunts, 3 cousins and mum attended gospel meeting in Home church.

*Dad's eye surgery miraculously recover from 'bad'.

*Nephew from Canada attend Christmas Service

Children @ Family Camps

* Faith Mission Home

* Anglican Clergy Retreat

Neighbourhood

Celebrate Christmas with children and parents where Carolers share the message of Christ.

Precept Bible Study on Revelation & Daniel

Timeless GOD's Time Machine



Dear beloved,

It's end of a year and beginning of another? These moments often draw more of our attention. Why? What about failures and successes? Are there rejoices or regrets? I believe its all because we know our days are numbered (Ps 90:12), time is irreversible; and we all want to live a worthy life. What takes up the bulk of your time and drives you around? I believe it is key to what shapes our life and evidence of our beliefs. God has given each of us 24 hours each day to show our faith in Him and will it be counted when we see Him. *May His love and grace keeps us within His Sovereign Will.*

I thank God for the pockets of time of in-depth bible study, listening to solid teaching messages and hands-on ministry. Your partnership in prayer and support has helped me do this. From all these, **I discover that our ETERNAL GOD reveals and acts in its proper time ALL He planned and purposed from eternity past to eternity future**, especially in my study of Daniel and Revelation in 2007. You, my beloved is in HiStory too. (**Psalm 139:14-17...all the days ordained for me were written in your book before one of them came to be...**) **Glory to our Almighty God in the Highest, who is not constrain by time YET acts in time so that Man may know He alone is God, and worship Him.** I see our world as His time machine where HiStory unveils. Aren't you glad you can know Him who got the whole world in His hands.

Therefore, I believe like Daniel did, **the people who know their God 'will firmly resist him (the evil one)' ~NIV and 'will display strength and take action.' ~NASB. (Dan 11:32b).** especially in the last days where the Evil one is more subtle and active in deceiving and misleading, even the elect. (**Ephesians 5:15-17 'Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil. Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is.'**)

As a child of God and servant of Christ, my greatest joy is knowing our God through His Word and 'seeing' Him in my life in every good and adverse circumstance. **It is therefore my prayer that you and children that God has entrusted me with will share this hunger and joy in His Word, becoming witnesses that are strong and active in enduring faith.**

In His Name and for His glory, Amen.

GOD's Perfect Time in HiStory

Galatians 4:4 'But when the **time had fully come, God sent his Son**, born of a woman, born under law, to redeem those under law, **that we might receive the full rights of sons.'**

1 Timothy 2:6 'Christ Jesus, who gave himself as a ransom for all men..in its proper time.

Romans 11:25 'I do not want you to be ignorant of this mystery, brothers, so that you may not be conceited: Israel has experienced a hardening in part UNTIL the full number of the Gentiles has come in.

Luke 21:24 '...Jerusalem will be trampled on by the Gentiles UNTIL the times of the Gentiles are fulfilled.'

Romans 1:13 'I do not want you to be unaware, brothers, that I planned many times to come to you (but have been prevented from doing so until Now) in order that I might have a harvest among you, just as I have had among the other Gentiles. 1 Thess. 2:18 '...but Satan stopped us'

My Life in GOD's History

1979— Accepted Christ; join home church, Bethesda Serangoon, helped by Christian colleagues in engineering co.

1992— Join Christian Work, CEF

1998— Seek further direction in CEF

1999— CEF Board propose Leadership training CMI in CEF, USA

2000— Full sponsorship and smooth passage to complete CMI

2001— Administrative ministry now include teaching children in camps, chapels and kindergartens and teachers training.

2002—Own my home 3-room flat in Hougang by clear answers from God in time for my brother & wife who needed a place to stay before theirs is ready.

2003—Moved in and birth of Hougang neighbourhood outreach.

2004—Renew and enlarge vision for children's outreach at Regional Conference, NZ, fully sponsored; desire to serve in CEF for the rest of my days.

March 2005— finish 13 years in CEF, but close in June 2005. Then Awana opened.

July 2006—Become Awana's 1st missionary in Singapore where clubs already running more than 15 years.