

# SINGAPORE MISSION UPDATE

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## TRYING TO BE IN TWO PLACES AT ONCE

The month of March was split in half for our family. During the first half of the month we were in Texas spending time with our children. However, the second half of the month was spent back in Singapore. It is very difficult when you feel like you have to be in two places at once, but Lisa and I have committed ourselves to this course of action. So far, our children have handled this difficult situation very well. Thankfully, our families have been very supportive. We appreciate your encouragement and support during our last few months in Singapore.

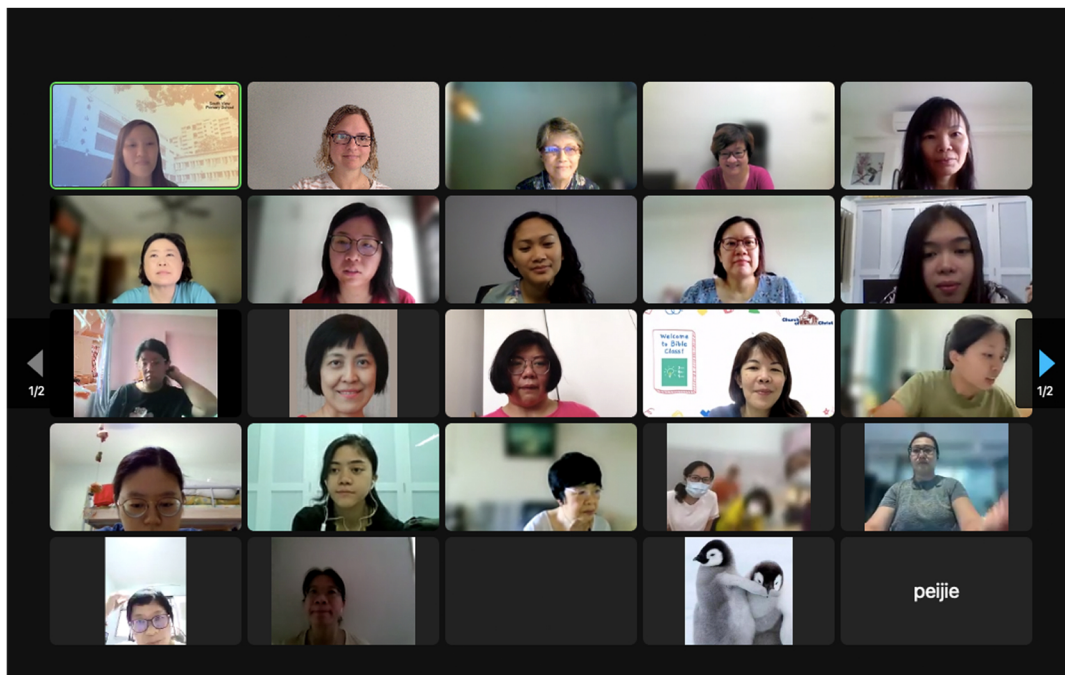
While we were in Texas, I continued my schedule of teaching English for Four Seas. I taught class around midnight on Monday and Wednesday nights in order to catch the students on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons in Singapore. In addition to my regular teaching at FSC, I was able to teach some classes during the Bible class hour for the Jurong congregation. We continued our study of the book of Romans. During our time in Texas we were able to attend the annual Southwest Arise! workshop in Austin, TX. We were very thankful to be able to spend this time of learning and fellowship. We are looking forward to working with this great and godly group of people.

Leaving our kids again was very difficult, but getting back to Singapore was good. Our flight path from Houston to England to Singapore was changed from the last time we flew in January to avoid flying over Russia or Ukraine. This made the flight slightly longer, but in the end it was not too bad. Lisa and I found a short-term rental apartment just two MRT (subway) stops from the Jurong church building. We are very thankful to be able to find and arrange this accommodation. Even though it is much smaller than our other apartment, it is a good size for the two of us.

March was an exciting time in Singapore as mask-wearing outdoors has become optional. In addition to this, those who serve (lead) in religious capacities do not have to wear masks as long as they can maintain an acceptable distance. This means that the preacher and song leader no longer have to wear masks during our times of devotional and worship. This includes the daily chapel sessions in the school. While this is convenient, it is also great help for our students who are still learning to teach and lead in worship.



We have been busy since we have been back. I was able to preach for the Jurong congregation over the Ten Commandments. Our Bible class over the book of Romans has been a challenging and rewarding study. I will be teaching during the end of March and the first few weeks of April. Lisa has been very busy this month as well. When we got back to Singapore, Lisa began to teach the Christian Woman class for the ladies at Four Seas. This is a continuation of the study for the female students which she shares with Pooi Fun Chin. While the ladies are in their class, brother Eddy Ee teaches the Christian Men class in a separate room. In addition to these added teaching duties, Lisa also taught a workshop for the ladies at the Jurong church of Christ over Personal Bible Study including the importance of personal Bible study as well as resources and tips. We are thankful to be busy in the work here.



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