

MTS 2018 Calendar

Theme: Servants after God's Own Heart: "Love Truly, Serve Others"

FIRST SEMESTER: 02 JAN – 18 MAY

Date	Events
30 Dec 2017 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Faculty & Staff Meeting, 8:00am; Journal writing/Book Review: Rev. Paul Ting
January	
01 (Mon)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>New Year (Public Holiday) *(Refer to final page)</i>
02 (Tue)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> New students report to school from 8:30-11:30am; Other Students back to school by 11:00am.
03 (Wed)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MTS First Semester Opening Service, 9:00am at Wesley Church Campus Orientation for all students 2:00-4:30pm Campus Orientation for STMS & Year 1 students only, 7:00-9:00pm
11 & 18 (Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Fasting and Prayer Night (Freedom in Christ) 7:15-8:30pm, by all the Family Groups' Leaders.
12 (Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MTS Board Meeting, 7:30pm
13 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student Body Meeting, 9:00am Students' fieldwork commences
25 (Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RCC Meeting, 2:30pm Interaction Forum I (8:30pm-9:30pm): "How orthodox is the theology of Witness Lee" by Rev. Dr. Francis Wong King Sing at Wei Kuok Hall.
February	
03 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 am – Journal writing/Book Review: Ms. Cecilia Ting Ik Huong 9:00 am – Academic Dean's Committee Meeting 10:30am – Dean of Students' Committee Meeting
08(Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Combined Fasting & Prayer Meeting(7:15-8:15pm) by Rev. Dr. Khoo & Rev. Enjut's Family Groups
11 (Sun)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SPAC Theological Education Sunday
12-19 (Mon-Mon)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Chinese New Year Holidays (for students); Students to leave on 11/2 (Sun) after fieldwork and back on 19/2 (Monday) before 9:00pm.</i>
15-19 (Thu-Mon)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Chinese New Year Holidays (for faculty & staff)</i>
20-25/2 (Tue-Sun)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Missions Awareness Week 20-21/2 — Missions Seminar 22-25/2 — Missions Fieldwork
March	
05-08 (Mon-Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SCAC Pastors' School
03 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Faculty & Staff Meeting, 8:00am; Journal writing/Book Review: Rev. Dr. Ling Tung Kiing
12-16 (Mon-Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intensive course for TEE Family and Counseling Ministry Students by Dr. Lee Tai Ying (Subject: Parenting and Children Counseling)
17 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student Body Meeting, 9:00am.
19-21 (Mon-Wed)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SIAC Pastors' School
21 (Wed)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rehearsal for MTS Night, 2:00pm.
22 (Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Combined Fasting & Prayer Meeting(7:15-8:15pm) by Rev. Lee & Rev. Ningkan's Family Groups.
23 (Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MTS Night, 7:15pm (Chinese/Iban)
24 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dedication Camp, at Wesley MC (Chinese/Iban)
27-29 (Tue-Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Holy Week
30 (Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Good Friday (Public Holiday)</i>
31 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> STMS Chinese, Music, Iban, English & BM Graduation Service, 9:00am at Xin Fu Yuan Methodist Church.
April	
02-06 (Mon-Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> M. Min. Modular Course by Dr. Ha Tung Chiew (Subject: New Testament Exegesis: John) Intensive course for Missiology Students Dr. Chen Lip Siong (Subject: Urban Missions)
07 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 am – Journal writing/Book Review: Rev. Lembai ak Banyang 9:00 am – Academic Dean's Committee Meeting 10:30am – Dean of Students' Committee Meeting
27 (Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Combined Fasting & Prayer Meeting (7:15-8:15 pm), by Rev. Thomas Lau's Family Groups.
30 (Mon)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closing date for MTS Pre-Theological (Chinese/Iban) & STMS College courses' application

May	
01 (Tue)	• Labour Day (Public Holiday)
05 (Sat)	• Faculty & Staff Meeting, 8:00am; Journal writing/Book Review: Ms. Irene Lai Dhing Dhing
08-10 (Tue-Thu)	• Pre-Theological applicant (Chinese/Iban) interviews, 2:00 – 4:30pm
07-11 (Mon-Fri)	• Exam preparation week
13 (Sun)	• Fieldwork ends for students
14-18 (Mon-Fri)	• Exam week
17 (Thu)	• Combined Fasting & Prayer Meeting (7:15-8:15 pm), by Rev. Dr. Ling Tung Kiing & Ms. Cecilia Ting's Family Groups.
18 (Fri)	• MTS Family Dinner (Gawai Celebration, Teachers' Day celebration & Birthday Celebration)
18-19 (Fri-Sat)	• RCC Public Lectures, 18/5 @ 7:15-9:15pm • RCC Inauguration Service cum Public Lectures, 19/5 @ 8:30am-4:00pm.
19/05-17/06 (Sat-Sun)	• First Semester Holidays, students to leave after Public Lectures on 19/5 @ 4:00pm; back to school on 18/6 before 8:30am.
TBC	• SPAC Pastors' School
29 (Tue)	• Wesak Day (Public holiday)

SECOND SEMESTER: 15 JUN – 27 OCT

June	Events
01-02 (Fri-Sat)	• Gawai Holidays
09 (Sat)	• 8:00 am – Journal writing/Book Review: Rev. Ningkan Suring • 9:00 am – Academic Dean's Committee Meeting • 10:30am – Dean of Students' Committee Meeting
15-16 (Fri-Sat)	• Hari Raya Aidilfitri (Public holiday)
18 (Mon)	• New students (Pre-Theo students) and old students report to school on 18/6 (Monday) @ 8:30am
18-20 (Mon-Wed)	• Silent Retreat for lecturers and students • MTS Second Semester Opening Service
21 (Thu)	• Campus orientation & fieldwork placement for Pre-Theo students, 2:00-4:30pm
23-24 (Sat-Sun)	• MTS Night, Theological Education Sunday & Dedication Camp
30 (Fri)	• Closing date for the submission of Overseas applications
July	
02 (Mon)	• STMS College students report to School from 8:30-10:00am • STMS College Orientation & Fieldwork Placement 2:00-8:00pm
02-06 (Mon-Fri)	• M. Min. Modular Course by Mr. John Ling (Subject: Conflict Management)
07 (Sat)	• Faculty & Staff Meeting, 8:00am; Journal writing/Book Review: Rev. Dr. Lu Chen Tiong • Fieldwork commences for students.
07-08 (Sat-Sun) 28-29 (Sat-Sun)	• Intensive course for TEE Family and Counseling Ministry Students by Rev. Dr. Khoo Ho Peng & Rev. Tiong Huong Ong (Subject: Seminar on Special Counselling for Family Crises)
06 (Fri)	• School photo-taking session. (12:15pm for M. Min. graduates)
09-13/7 (Mon-Fri)	• Intensive course for Missiology Students (Subject: Anthropology and Missions)
14 (Sat)	• Student Body Meeting, 9:00am
20 (Fri)	• MTS family dinner / Parents' Day / birthday celebration 2 • MTS Board Meeting, 7:30pm
22 (Sun)	• Sarawak's Independence Day (Public holiday) *(Refer to final page)
26 (Thu)	• Combined Fasting & Prayer Meeting(7:15-8:15pm), by Rev. Dr. Lu Chen Tiong & Rev. Lembai's Family Groups.
28 (Sat)	• One Day Theology Conference on Wesleyan Theology and the Christian Church in China (8:30am-5:00pm)

August	
04 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8:00 am – Journal writing/Book Review: Rev. Dr. Francis Wong King Sing • 9:00 am – Academic Dean’s Committee Meeting • 10:30am – Dean of Students’ Committee Meeting
11-18 (Sat-Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faculty Educational Tour
11-20 (Sat-Mon)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mid Semester Break. Students to leave on Friday (10/8) & back to school on Monday (20/8) before 5:00pm.
16-20 (Thu-Mon)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • STMS College Students’ local indigenous missions trip
22 (Wed)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Hari Raya Haji (Public Holiday)</i>
23 (Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Combined Fasting & Prayer Meeting (7:15-8:15 pm), by Rev. Dr. Francis Wong King Sing & Rev. Hoo Sing Hang’s Family Groups.
24 (Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • STMS College Students Graduation Service, 3:00pm.
31 (Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>National Day (Public Holiday)</i>
31-2/9 (Fri-Sun)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Methodist Prayer Convention
September	
08 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faculty & Staff meeting, 8:00am; Journal writing/Book Review: Rev. Hoo Sing Hang
09 (Sun)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Birthday of SPB Yang di Pertuan Agong (Public holiday) *(Refer to final page)</i>
09 (Sun)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Birthday of Yang di-Pertua Negeri Sarawak (Public Holiday) *(Refer to final page)</i>
11 (Tue)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Awal Muharam (Public Holiday)</i>
15 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closing date for the submission of application form for Theology and Worship & Music program
16 (Sun)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Malaysia Day (Public Holiday) *(Refer final page)</i>
22 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student Body Meeting, 9:00am
25-27 (Tue-Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interview for Theology, Missiology and Worship & Music programs’ applicants.
27 (Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Combined Fasting & Prayer Meeting (7:15-8:15 pm), by Rev. Paul Ting Huat Ung’s Family Groups.
October	
TBC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduation Recital
04 (Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RCC Meeting, 2:30pm
06 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8:00am – Journal Writing / Book Review: Rev. Elizabeth Enjut • 9:00am – Academic Dean’s Committee Meeting • 10:30am – Dean of Students’ Committee Meeting
8-12 (Mon-Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exam preparation week
11 (Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faculty & Staff Meeting, 8:00am • Interaction Forum II (8:30pm-9:30pm) at Wei Kuok Hall.
12 (Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AAC (Academic Affair Committee) meeting; 2:00pm • MTS Budget for 2019, 3:00pm.
14 (Sun)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fieldwork for student ends
15-19 (Mon-Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exam week
18 (Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MTS 2019 planning meeting, 8:00am
22-26 (Mon-Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mobilization week
25 (Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Combined Fasting & Prayer Meeting (7:15-8:15pm), by Rev. Dr. Angela Ting Siew King & Ms. Irene’s Family Groups.
26 (Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduation procession rehearsal, 9:00am-12:00noon • MTS Board Meeting, 7:30pm
27 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 20th Graduation Service, 9:00am • Graduation Thanksgiving Lunch, 12:00noon.
29/10-02/11 (Mon-Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intensive course for TEE Family and Counseling Ministry Students by Dr. Winnie Chan (Subject: Church Development and Family Ministry)
30 (Tue)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closing Date for the submission of application form for STMS, TEE & WME program, Sib

November	
06 (Tue)	• STMS Students' Screening Committee meeting, 8:30 am
08-10 (Thu-Sat)	• SPAC Annual Conference
11-13 (Sun-Tue)	• SIAC Annual Conference
20 (Tue)	• <i>Prophet Muhammad's Birthday</i>
27-29 (Tue-Thu)	• SCAC Annual Conference

- 27 Oct 2018 to 01 Jan 2019: *Second Semester (year end) Holidays* (students to leave after Graduation Thanksgiving Lunch (27/10) and back to School & register on 31/12/2018 (Monday), Orientation 02/01/2019 afternoon & night.

December	
25 (Mon)	• <i>Christmas (Public Holiday)</i>
29 (Sat)	• 2019 1 st Faculty & Staff Meeting
31 (Mon)	• New students report to school from 8:30-11:30am; Other Students back to school by 11:00am.

- *Note:
1. The occasions shown in *italics* are public holidays.
 2. Whenever a public holiday falls on Sunday, the following day is substituted as a Public Holiday and if such following day is also a Public Holiday, then the next day following it shall be a Public Holiday.
 3. Where a Public Holiday falls on another Public Holiday, then the next day following it shall be a Public Holiday.
 4. If non-teaching staff wishes to prolong the festive holiday, apply so from annual leave two weeks in advance.
 5. MTS office will be closed during School Holidays Saturdays (16 weeks): **Feb 10, Feb 24, May 26, Jun 9, July 21, Aug 18, Sep 1, Sep 15, Nov 3, Nov 10, Nov 17, Nov 24, Dec 1, Dec 8, Dec 15 and Dec 22.**

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