



April 20th, 2015

"Friends of MTS"

Dear Pastors, Lay Leaders, LCEC chairpersons, fellowship chairpersons and all church members,

Peace be with you!

MTS has been blessed by many friends like you over 60 years of her history. Because of you, MTS has trained over 400 pastors, missionaries, music directors and church leaders. As MTS is carrying on from strength to strength, we have been pondering, praying and planning to let more like you be directly involved in supporting some of our students and lecturers who need your financial and prayerful commitments.

Over the years, we thank the Lord for the financial supports of many churches and members who have committed to majority of our students' expenses and MTS general fund. However, there are some students from the Iban churches and foreign nations such as China who also need committed churches and members to support them.

It's true that some churches such as the Bupyeong Methodist Church in Korea and some members such as a family in Brunei have committed to support Mainland Chinese students and Iban students respectively. But Bupyeong MC is ceasing to support any more new students after supporting 4-5 students from China for the past few years.

MTS continues to have more applicants from China and also more Iban students, both in STMS and Theology program, who need financial supports. Who are going to support them? This year (2015) on MTS campus, we have a record-breaking 12 foreign students, among whom five are Indonesians and seven are Mainland Chinese. We also have thirteen Iban students (five STMS and eight Theology students). We are inviting you to prayerfully consider to support them.

Besides the needy students, we also have lecturers who need constant upgrading in order to provide better training for our students. Such upgrading also needs funding. Please also prayerfully consider to support.

If the Lord is leading you to support our needy students and lecturers, we will acknowledge you as "Friends of MTS". Please fill up a "Friends of MTS" Pledge form and submit to MTS. You may pledge to undertake one or more students until graduation. You may also choose to donate a sum of money on a regular or irregular basis.

Please announce our needs during your worship services and fellowships so that members may give accordingly. Enclosed please find Appendix 1 for you to refer and to publish in your church bulletins.

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May the good Lord bless you as you give, remembering the words of the Lord Jesus: "It is more blessed to give than to receive." (Acts 20:35b)

Serving Together in Christ,

Rev. Dato Dr. Su Chii Ann
Board Chairman

Mr. John Ting
Board Treasurer

Rev. Dr. Tie King Tai
Principal

Appendix 1:

"Friends of MTS"

We welcome you to be "Friends of MTS", in supporting the students and faculty of MTS financially. Currently, there is no regular donor supporting the Iban students and foreign students from China. If the Lord is leading you to support our needy students or support faculty in upgrading themselves, we will acknowledge you as "Friends of MTS". Please fill up a "Friends of MTS" Pledge form and submit to MTS. You may pledge to undertake one or more students until graduation. You may also choose to donate a sum of money on a regular or irregular basis. Please refer to <Connection> dated 15 Feb 2015 or MTS Website (www.mtssibu.edu.my) for details. May the good Lord bless you as you give.

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Pledge form

Mailing details:

Name: _____ Church: _____

Address: _____ Postal code: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Country: _____

Other details:

Phone: (H) _____ (HP) _____

Email address: _____

Choose from the following: (Kindly tick the appropriate)

Type	Duration of study	Single	Married
<input type="checkbox"/> International Student (From China)	5 years	<input type="checkbox"/> RM64,550.00 (1 year RM12,910)	<input type="checkbox"/> RM89,050.00 (1 year RM17,810)
<input type="checkbox"/> Iban Student	3½ years	<input type="checkbox"/> RM 33,180.00 (1 year RM9,480)	<input type="checkbox"/> RM39,060.00 (1 year RM11,160)
	4½ years	<input type="checkbox"/> RM42,660.00 (1 year RM9,480)	<input type="checkbox"/> RM50,220.00 (1 year RM11,160)
<input type="checkbox"/> STMS Iban	3 months	<input type="checkbox"/> RM 2,100.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Faculty upgrading	<input type="checkbox"/> RM 5,000.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Others RM _____		

Remark: Subject to change

Choose from the following: (Kindly tick the appropriate)

ONE-OFF DONATION
I would like to make a donation of RM _____.

YEARLY DONATION
I would like to sponsor a **student / faculty**.
If more than one student or faculty please specify number: _____

REGULAR DONATION
I would like to make a **monthly** donation of RM _____.

Please contact me when there is a need.

How to donate: (Kindly tick the appropriate)

1. Cash
2. Direct bank in and fax to 084-321409 or
email to accounts@mtssibu.edu.my
3. Cheque

Bank information:

Name: Methodist Theological School
Bank: Public Bank
Account no.: 3-1422081-12

Signature: _____

Please return the completed and signed form to:

Methodist Theological School
51, Jalan Tun Abang Haji Openg,
96000 Sibul, Sarawak, Malaysia

Thank you for your support!