August

God, We Thank You

For graciously journeying with our church in July:

- The Sticky Stuff sermon series teaching us to follow God's ways in messy relationships
- Parent Seminar practically equipped attendees on July 17
- Hope of the City youth and interns' enthusiasm as they prepare for Hope is Brewing Coffee and Market Fair on August 19-23
- Dedicated advocates actively launching various Bold Faith fundraising activities
- Blessed East Asia Trips witnessing and sharing God's intentional love
- God's protection over super typhoon and black rainstorm in the city
- Summer rest for students and families

God, We Ask You

To go before us and guide us as we continue to serve You:

- Your holiness aspired by all ministries: Men, Women, Senior Adults, Young Adults, Family (Youth, Kids, Couples), Care Groups, Classes, Outreach (including Filipino and Indonesian), Alpha, Prayer
- Your clarity as we learn about the enemy's schemes in the Clickbait sermon series
- Your presence as the Youth Summer Camp learn about your Spirit on August 4-8
- Your banner made known at the Taiwan Mission Trip on August 9-14
- Your joy experienced by the 12 candidates that will be baptised on August 17
- Your layout in the finalisation of the floor-plan for our future ministries to flourish by maximising our use of space
- Your lead as Hope of the City hires new staff and for a smooth transition
- Your *mighty love* to attract the city to respond to your freeing truth
- Your nearness to all persecuted Christians around the world
- Your mercy experienced over places suffering from war, natural calamities, health and economic challenges

We Pray Proverbs 2:1-5

Dear God.

Thank you for your word that teaches and protects us: "My son, if you receive my words and treasure up my commandments with you, making your ear attentive to wisdom and inclining your heart to understanding; yes, if you call out for insight and raise your voice for understanding, if you seek it like silver and search for it as for hidden treasures, then you will understand the fear of the Lord and find the knowledge of God."

Thank You for your unlimited thoughts toward us our Triune God. Amen.

