

CCM YOUTH presents

# THE MALAYSIAN NATIONAL CHRISTIAN YOUTH LEADERS' ASSEMBLY 2009

## The Challenge of Our Generation: A Call to **URGENT** Action – Putting **Justice** at the Heart of **Faith**

**Date:** Friday 11<sup>th</sup> Dec – Monday 14<sup>th</sup> Dec, 2009

**Venue:** OLYMPIC HOTEL, Jalan Hang Jebat,

**Fee:** RM190 per person – non stay-in, RM290 per person – stay-in

Kuala Lumpur

### **Preamble:**

CCM Youth is fully committed to supporting the full and meaningful participation and empowerment of Christian youth, seeking to bring together prominent Christian youth leaders active in church, community and nation building, with youth policy and program makers at the national level. CCM Youth hopes to create a springboard that will allow youth leaders to learn, share experiences, ideas and aspirations, and to implement action plans to bring Christian values to the community and national life of Malaysia in efforts to build the kingdom of God and glorify our Lord Jesus Christ.

### **Objectives:**

CCM Youth envisions Christian youth leaders to take on the role of being the prophetic voice of the youth to the nation, and provide the platform to:

1. Mobilize prominent Christian youth leaders into participation and empowerment at the national level;
2. Provide the space for dialogue between Christian youth leaders and policy makers and practitioners of best practices regarding youth participation and empowerment;
3. Be fully equipped, share experiences, ideas and aspirations on the work of faith and justice and design new initiatives for working together;
4. Discern the signs of the times, and covenant together a commitment to facilitate positive change in the nation;
5. Facilitate stronger youth presence through the formation of a national youth strategy and through the development and implementation of **NexGen Action Goals**.
6. To create a unique ecumenical networking experience and foster unity in the body of Christ.

### **Who should attend:**

CCM invites Christian youth leaders, i.e. students, working professionals and church workers, from ages 18 to 35 years old from around Malaysia who want to make a difference in the community and the nation. We aim to provide you with the platform to grapple with the challenges of the present and actively seek practical ways to contribute to the achievement and development of **NexGen Action Goals**.

This inaugural Assembly intends to become an annual major gathering of Christian young people as well as specialized keynote speakers and workshop leaders from the Malaysian Christian community to (a) learn about and become involved with programs that address global and local issues, (b) network among a large ecumenical group in attendance, and (c) become engaged and empowered to take leadership roles in their churches and communities.

# **MALAYSIA NATIONAL CHRISTIAN YOUTH LEADERS' ASSEMBLY 2009**

COUNCIL OF CHURCHES OF MALAYSIA YOUTH NETWORK

## ***The Challenge of Our Generation: A Call to Urgent Action – Putting Justice at the Heart of Faith***

Challenging Christian Youth Leaders to Action

From Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December to Monday 14<sup>th</sup> December, 2009 at Olympic Hotel & Wesley Methodist Church, Jalan Hang Jebat, Kuala Lumpur  
(Please note VENUE Changes)

<b>Day 1 Friday</b>	
<b>Time</b>	<b>Session</b>
2:00 – 6:00pm	Arrival of Delegates
6:00pm	Dinner @ Wesley Methodist Church
<b>Venue: Olympic Hotel</b>	
7:00pm	Introduction of Delegates and Work Groups
7:10pm	Welcome by Youth Moderator & Opening Prayer <b>Ms. Chrisanne Chin</b>
7:15pm	Praise and Worship
7:30pm	Opening Devotion and Welcome Message <i>The challenge for this generation (1 Chronicles 12:32 – Discerning the Times as Sons of Issachar)</i> <b>Diocesan Bishop Rt Rev Ng Moon Hing</b> , Anglican Church of Malaysia and CFM Chairman
8:30pm	<b>Special Program:</b> Dialogue with Christian Representatives from Pakatan Rakyat <i>Current Issues and Challenges Affecting the Nation</i> Moderator: <b>Rev Sivin Kit</b> , Lutheran Minister, Bangsar Lutheran Church; Founder - The Micah Mandate Speakers: <b>Dato' Chua Jui Meng</b> , PKR <b>YB Hannah Yeoh</b> , DAP
10:00pm	“Boiler Room” Prayer <i>Wrestling for the Soul of a Nation</i> Speaker and Prayer Leader: <b>Yoshua Chua</b> , National Facilitator - Malaysia Youth Prayer Gathering; Global Youth Representative - Council for World Mission; MDiv student – Seminari Theologi Malaysia
11:30pm	Close

<b>Day 2 Saturday</b>	
<b>Time</b>	<b>Session</b>
<b>Venue: Olympic Hotel</b>	
8:45am	Worship
9:00am	Morning Devotion <i>My Utmost for His Highest</i> Speaker: <b>Rev Dr Tan Jin Huat</b> , Anglican Minister, CTEE Director – Seminari Theoloji Malaysia
9:15am	<b>Keynote Address</b> <i>The Call to Urgency: Putting Justice at the Heart of Faith</i> Keynote Speaker: <b>Bishop Dr. Hwa Yung</b> , Bishop, Methodist Church of Malaysia

10:15am	Q&A	
10:30am	Tea Break	
10:45am	<b>Plenary Session I</b>	
	Youth Empowerment and Participation: Beyond Rhetoric and Slogans Moderator: <b>Daniel Chai</b> , CCM Youth Secretary & Anglican Church Youth Coordinator Speakers: <b>Tricia Yeoh</b> , Research Officer, Office of the Chief Minister, Selangor State Government <b>Edward Ling</b> , DAPSY	
11:45am	Q&A	
12:00pm	<b>Plenary session 2</b>	
	<i>Christian Citizenship in an Unjust World</i> Moderator: <b>Andrew Khoo</b> , Chancellor, Diocese of West Malaysia, Co-Deputy Chair Human Rights Committee, Bar Council Speakers: <b>KJ John</b> , Executive Director, OHMSI <b>Tan Sri Dato' Francis Yeoh</b> , CBE, Managing Director, YTL Group	
1:00pm	Q&A	
1:15pm	Lunch Break	
1:50pm	Overview of Teach-In Workshops for Global Action	
2:00pm	<b>Teach-In Workshop for Global Action I</b>	
	Teach-In 1: <i>A Call To Action on Stewardship of Creation: Bringing a Voice to the Copenhagen Climate Change Summit</i> Hosted by: <b>Malaysian Nature Society</b> Speaker: Dr Calvin Loh Chi Leong, Executive Director	Teach-In 2: <i>Understanding Nuclear Energy and its Impact on Environment and Weaponry</i> Hosted by: <b>CETDEM</b> Speaker: Anthony Chong, Executive Director
3:00pm	<b>Teach-In Workshop for Global Action 2</b>	
	Teach-In 3: <i>The Call to Social Engagement and Community Building: Poverty, Education and Indigenous Work</i> Hosted by: <b>Malaysian CARE</b> Speaker: Ooi Kia Hui (Ms), Assistant Director of Rural and Urban Community Development Services	Teach-In 4: <i>Bringing the Gospel to the Community and to the Nations</i> Hosted by: <b>Alpha International</b> Speaker: Jonathan Tse, Youth Coordinator Alpha Malaysia
4:00pm	Tea Break	
4:15pm	<b>Teach-In Workshop for Global Action 3</b>	
	Teach-In 5: <i>Stop the Human Trafficking – Start Freedom</i> Hosted by: <b>Tenaganita</b> Speaker: Aegile Fernandez, Coordinator - Trafficking	Teach-In 6: <i>Islamisation of Society and Inter-faith Engagement</i> Hosted by: <b>The Micah Mandate</b> Speaker: Rev Sivin Kit
5:15pm	<b>NexGen Action Goals! Work Group Session I</b>	
	<i>The Call to Urgency: Putting Justice at the Heart of Faith</i> <i>From Awareness to Action: Strategic Planning and Action Plans</i> First Draft and Presentation Slides Preparation Facilitator: <b>Chrisanne Chin</b> , CCM Youth Moderator	
6:30pm	Break	
7:15pm	Dinner	
8:15pm	Evening Worship	
8:30pm	<b>Special Program:</b>	
	<i>Current Issues and Challenges Affecting the Nation – The Christian Youth and Nation Building</i> Speaker: <b>Dr Ng Kam Weng</b> , Research Director, Kairos Research Centre	
9:30pm	Q&A	
9:45pm	<b>NexGen Action Goals! Work Group Session 2</b>	
	<i>The Call to Urgency: Putting Justice at the Heart of Faith</i> <i>Collaboration and Strategy Formation – Debate and Dialogue</i> Presentations by Work Groups	
10:45pm	Prayer	
11:00pm	Close	

Day 3 (Sunday)	
Time	Session
8:00am	Trip to KL churches for Sunday Worship
11:00am – 4:00pm	Photography Competition – ONEMalaysia ScrapBook Tour of KL/Shopping – Free time
Venue: <b>Wesley Methodist Church, Multi-purpose Hall</b>	

5:00 – 6:00pm	<b>NexGen Action Goals! Work Group Session 3</b> Photography Competition – ONEMalaysia ScrapBook Group Collaboration and Slides Presentation
7:00pm	Dinner
8:00pm	Evening Praise and Thanksgiving
8:15pm	Evening Devotion
	- <i>A Call to Discernment and Leadership: "Here am I, Send Me"</i>
	Speaker: <b>Tan Kong Beng</b> , CFM Executive Secretary
8:40pm	ONEMalaysia ScrapBook Competition
9:30pm	Prize Giving
9:45pm	Praise and Prayer
10:00pm	Close

Day 4 (Monday)	
Time	Session
<b>Venue: Olympic Hotel</b>	
9:00am	Morning Worship
9:15am	Morning Devotion
	<i>The Call to Serve God's People</i>
	Speaker: <b>Rev Dr Ong Hwai Teik</b> , President, Trinity Annual Conference (TRAC) Methodist Church, Malaysia
9:45am	Tea Break
10:00am	<b>NexGen Action Goals! Work Group Session 4</b>
	<i>Covenant Building and Next Steps</i>
	Youth Statement – Drafting and Agreement
11:00am	<b>NexGen Action Goals! Work Group Session 5</b>
	<i>The Call to Urgency: Putting Justice at the Heart of Faith – Final Action Plans and formation of Action Work Groups</i>
	Anointing the "Sons of Issachar" – Work Group Teams, Leaders and EXCO Appointees
11:15am	Preview of 2010 National Youth Leaders' Assembly Program
11:30am	<b>Special Closing Ceremony</b>
	<i>Christian Youth and Nation Building: Challenging Christian Youth to Action</i>
	Speaker: <b>YB Datuk Liew Vui Keong</b> Deputy Minister in Prime Minister's Department
12.30pm	Launch of "Christian Youth and Nation Building - Voter Registration Campaign" National Road Show
12.45pm	Song of Commitment "HISTORY Makers"
12:55pm	Closing Benediction
1:00pm	Departure of Datuk Liew Vui Keong and Media Conference
2.00pm	Departure of Delegates

NB CCM Youth reserves the right to amend the programme for any changes to the agenda and speakers, and is not responsible for cancellations by speakers due to unforeseen circumstances. Speakers mentioned above are subject to confirmation. Statements made by any of its speakers or moderators made orally or in written material distributed are their own and do not necessarily represent the views of CCM Youth, CCM or their respective member churches and organizations. A final copy of the event agenda will be provided to all delegates on commencement of the Assembly.

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**REGISTRATION FORM**

Please fill in the form and write clearly in block letters

Name			
Address			
Phone Contact		Gender	
Email Address	NRIC/Passport No		
Working/Student		Age	Date Of Birth
If studying, College/University		Major	Year
If working, Job Position	Name of Employer		
Church/Christian Organisation		Is your church/organisation a CCM Member?*	
Position in Church/Christian Organisation	Provide a summary of your experience in community engagement and achievements, if any.		

**Please circle your preferred choice for each Global Action Teach-In Workshop. Workshop choices will be allocated on a first come first served basis. Early registration advised.**

Teach-In Workshop for Global Action 1	Teach-In 1: <i>A Call To Action on Stewardship of Creation: Bringing a Voice to the Copenhagen Climate Change Summit</i>	OR	Teach-In 2: <i>The Call to Peacemaking: Coordinating Action for Nuclear Disarmament and a Weapon Free World</i>	Circle below
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Teach-In Workshop for Global Action 2	Teach-In 3: <i>The Call to Social Engagement and Community Building: Poverty, Education and Indigenous Work</i>	OR	Teach-In 4: <i>Bringing the Gospel to the Community and to the Nations</i>	3
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Teach-In Workshop for Global Action 3	Teach-In 5: <i>Stop the Human Trafficking – Start Freedom</i>	OR	Teach-In 6: <i>Islamisation of Society and Inter-faith Engagement</i>	5
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Fees	<p>RM190 for non stay-in  RM290 for stay-in ( <i>check-in at Hokkien Centre, Chinese Methodist Church, Jalan Hang Jebat, KL</i>)</p> <p>Payable by cheque/banker's cheque in the name of <b>Council of Churches of Malaysia</b>. Please write on the back of the cheque "Malaysian National Christian Youth Leaders' Assembly", together with your name, church and phone number, and attach together with the completed copy of the registration form.</p>
Special meal request	<input type="checkbox"/> No meal preference <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian Only
Things to bring	<p>Possession of a digital camera and a pc notebook are necessary for participating in the photography competition. Please bring sufficient clothing and toiletries for a 4 day 3 night trip.</p>
Closing Date	Nov 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2009
Send to:	<p><b>COUNCIL OF CHURCHES OF MALAYSIA</b>  10, Jalan 11/9 46200 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia  Tel: 03-79567092/79608926 Fax: 03-79560353</p>

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**of the Council of Churches of Malaysia**

1. The Anglican Church
  2. The Basel Christian Church
  3. The Evangelical Lutheran Church of Malaysia
  4. The Lutheran Church in Malaysia and Singapore
  5. The Mar Thoma Syrian Church
  6. The Methodist Church (and all Conferences)
  7. The Orthodox Syrian Church
  8. The Presbyterian Church
  9. The Protestant Church in Sabah
  10. The Salvation Army
  11. Sabah Provisional Annual Conference
- Associates and Affiliates**
12. The Bible Society of Malaysia
  13. The Boys' Brigade
  14. The Girls' Brigade
  15. Malaysian CARE
  16. YMCA
  17. YWCA
  18. Seminari Theoloji Malaysia
  19. Sabah Theological Seminary
  20. Mobilisation Fellowship Malaysia
  21. InterCARE Malaysia
  22. Prison Fellowship Malaysia
  23. Coptic Church Malaysia