## Dialect Outing 6<sup>th</sup> December 2017

Whenever we organize an outing for the Dialect Group, our senior folk can always be trusted to be eager and punctual. Well before the appointed meeting time, they would be already in JCC waiting. This is very encouraging.

On Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> December, The Church of the Good Shepherd (Queenstown) held its Mandarin Christmas Outreach service from 10.30 a.m. to 12.00



p.m. Our Dialect Group was invited, and more than 40 of us (with several in wheelchairs), including 10 pre-believers, were bubbling with energy as we set off from JCC at about 9.40 a.m.



It was a great blessing for our Dialect Group to participate in the service and listen to the Christmas message titled 特别的礼物 , 给特别的你 ("A SPECIAL GIFT, FOR A SPECIAL PERSON LIKE YOU").

Apart from the great Christmas message

about God's gift of His Son, we also heard the life testimony by Desmond Shen (沈金兴), former MediaCorp actor – about how he rose from the valley of death to be born again in Christ.

The sanctuary of The Church of the Good Shepherd was fully packed. After the heart-warming testimony and a spiritually edifying sermon, we were each given a gift (a jewellery carrier) and all were treated to a buffet lunch. It was indeed great hospitality from our host.

After partaking our food for the soul and food for the tummy, we then adjourned for a trip to the spanking new T4 of Changi Airport for a relaxing time of strolling around and having our fellowship time chit-chatting with one another as we took in the sights.



We reached home around 5 p.m., well pleased with the great outing we had.



The JCC Dialect Ministry has been growing strong. However, we still pray for more servants, especially younger ones with great energy, ideas and talents, to provide a fresh breath and lift the ministry to higher grounds into the next season.

God is good, all the time. We give Him our praises and thanks!

John Lee



9<sup>th</sup> Dec – Dialect Fellowship at Esther and Cassidy's condo.





Dialect Leadership Team having a fellowship dinner at Ding Tai Fung on  $17^{\rm th}$  December – reinvigorating bonds and encouraging one another to continue their faithful service as they march on into 2018.

Congratulations to the DLT, and thanks to God, for a blessed year of service in 2017. May more blessings flow as the Dialect Ministry grows!

