

The Calendar for MTS, 2007

Theme: Experiencing God in MTS through Discipleship

FIRST SEMESTER: 03 JAN – 25 MAY

January	Events
01	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● New Year
02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● New students report to school latest by 12:00 noon; Other students back to school by 11.30am.
03	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● MTS First Semester Opening Service, 9:00am at Wesley Church ● Campus Orientation, 2:00pm to 4:30pm ● M. Div students' research paper proposed topic to AAC
06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Student Body Meeting, 9:00am
09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Announcement of fieldwork placement: students-supervisors meeting, 2:30pm
13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Students' fieldwork commences
18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● School Fasting and Prayer Night (7:15-9:30 pm) by Rev Dr Tie Family Group
20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Awal Muharram
20-24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Dr. C. Michael Hawn Seminar on Worship & Music
26-31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Local Missions Trip for STMS English
27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Faculty Meeting, 8:00am; Journal writing: Rev Lu Chen Tiong
February	
02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● STMS English Graduation Day, 3:00pm
12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Pre-Theo (Chinese/Iban) courses open for application/advertisement
15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● M. Div research paper proposal to submit to supervisor
17/02 – 22/02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Chinese New Year (for students); Students to leave on 16/02 afternoon & back to school on 22/02 by 9:00pm
17/02 – 21/02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Chinese New Year (for staff)
24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Faculty meeting, 8:00 am; Journal writing: Rev Bonnie Sedau
26/02 -04/03	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Missions Awareness Week ● 26—School Fasting and Prayer Day (2-4:30pm) by Rev Dr Angela Ting Family Group ● 26-28—Missions Seminar ● 1-4—Missions Fieldwork
March	
01	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Closing date for STMS College course's application ● M. Div research proposal to submit to AAC
05-08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● SCAC Pastors' School.
05-09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Intensive Courses for Chinese students
09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Screening Committee Meeting, 2:15pm for STMS College course's applicants
10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● STMS students to visit MPI, 2:00-4:00pm
16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Faculty meeting, 2-5 pm
17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● MTS Night, 7:00pm (Iban), venue: to be confirmed ● Dedication Camp (SIAC members & STMS Iban students)
23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● MTS Night, 7:00pm (Chinese), venue: Sibu
24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Dedication Camp, 8:00am -11:45am (SCAC members & STMS Chinese students)
29	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Fasting & Prayer Night (7:15-9:30 pm), by Rev Bonnie & Rev Steward Family Groups
30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● STMS Chinese & Iban Graduation Day, 3:00pm
31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Prophet Muhammad's Birthday
April	
02-05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Holy Week Service and Fasting (Lunch), by Chaplain with Student Body
06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Good Friday
07	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Student Body Meeting, 9:00am
09-13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● M. Min Modular course

28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Faculty meeting, 8:00am Journal writing: Rev Hoo Sing Hang
29	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choir Tour to Ming Nguong Methodist Church, Bintangor
30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choir Tour to Mukah Methodist Church, Mukah Closing date for MTS Pre-Theological courses' application (Chinese/Iban)
May	
01	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Labour Day / Wesak Day / MTS Faculty & Staff Educational Tour
04	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> STMS College students report to School latest by 12:00 noon
05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> STMS College Opening Service cum Orientation & Fieldwork Placement, 7:30am -12:00 noon at MTS Chapel
14-18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exam preparation week
15-17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pre-Theological applicants (Chinese/Iban) interview, 2:00pm – 4:30 pm
17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fasting & Prayer Night (7:15-9:30 pm), by Rev Hoo & Miss Irene Lai Family Groups
19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Faculty meeting, 8:00am; Journal writing: Rev Dr Angela Ting
20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fieldwork ends for students
21-25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exam week
25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MTS Family Dinner, (Gawai Celebration, Teachers' Day celebration & Birthday Celebration)
26/05-09/06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> STMS College Students' local indigenous missions trip (5-7 days)
26/05-17/06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> First Semester Holidays

SECOND SEMESTER: 17 JUN – 27 OCT

June	Events
01-02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gawai Holidays Advertising for 2008 new intake of MTS, M. Min & TEE students
02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Birthday of SPB Yang di Pertuan Agong
16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Faculty meeting, 8:00 am; Journal writing: Rev Dr Ling Tung Kiing
17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> New students report to school latest by 12:00 noon; Other students back to school by 9:00pm Theological Education Sunday
18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MTS Second Semester Opening Service (Pre-Theo & TEE), 9:00am Campus Orientation & fieldwork placement, 2:00-5:00pm M. Div students' first draft of research paper to supervisor
21-25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5th WFCMC Missions Convention in Sibul
23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fieldwork commences for students
25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> M. Div research paper: supervisor to return draft to student
28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fasting & Prayer Night (7:15-9:30 pm), by Rev Ivy Lau & Miss Cecilia Ting Family Groups
30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> STMS College Students Graduation Day, 9:30 am
July	
9-13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> M. Min Course
11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School photo-taking session, 4:00 pm (Groups to be arranged before 4 pm)
12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MTS family dinner / parents' day / birthday celebration 2
14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student Body Meeting, 9:00am
16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> M. Div research paper: revised draft to reader
21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Faculty meeting, 8:00 am; Journal writing: Rev Dr Tie King Tai
26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fasting & Prayer night (7:15-9:30 pm), by Rev Lee Family Group
27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MTS Night, 7:30pm (Chinese), venue: Kuching Ching Kwong Methodist Church
August	
01	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> M. Div research paper: final grade to AAC Advertising for STMS programs
06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Junior recital, at MTS chapel
18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Faculty meeting, 8:00 am; Journal writing: Rev Ivy Lau

18-26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mid Semester Break (Students to leave on 18/08 afternoon & back to school on 27/08 by 11:30 am.
27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • M. Div final research paper: to submit to AAC
30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fasting & Prayer Night (7:15-9:30 pm), by Rev Tiong Family Group
31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Day Holiday • Closing date for the submission of application form for Theology program
31/8 – 2/9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GC Methodist Prayer Convention in KL
September	
08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Birthday of Yang di-Pertua Negeri Sarawak
10-14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interviewing new theological applicants, 2:15-4:30 pm (subject to BOMs' decision)
17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hymn Festival at Wei Kuok Hall
27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fasting & Prayer Night (7:15-9:30 pm), by Rev Ling Family Group
29	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faculty meeting, 8:00 am; Journal writing: Miss Cecilia Ting
30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closing date for the submission of application form for Worship & Music program
October	
04-05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interviewing new Worship & Music students, 2:15-4:30 pm
05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MTS Budget for 2008
08-12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exam preparation week
12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faculty cum 2008 planning meeting, 8:00 am – 5:00 pm
13-14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hari Raya Puasa Holidays • Fieldwork for students ends.
16-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exam week
20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student Body Meeting, 9:00am
22-26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mobilization week (for non-graduating students)
25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduation procession rehearsal, 2:00-5:00 pm • Fasting & Prayer Night (7:15-9:30 pm), by Rev Lu Family Group
27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduation Day, 2:00-5:00 pm
31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closing Date for the submission of application form for TEE program, Sibü

- **28 Oct 2007 to 01 Jan 2008: Second Semester (year end) Holidays** (Students back to School by 12 noon on 01 Jan 2008. Orientation would begin on 02 Jan 2008)

November	Events
9/11-11/11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SIAC Annual Conference
13/11-16/11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SCAC Annual Conference
30/11-1/12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SPAC Annual Conference
December	
01/12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closing date for STMS application
04	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • STMS Students' Screening Committee meeting, 8:30 am
20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hari Raya Haji/Qurban
25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Christmas

- Note:**
1. The occasions shown in *italics* are public holidays.
 2. Whenever a public holiday falls on Sunday, the following day will be a holiday.
 3. If non-teaching staff wishes to prolong the festive holiday, apply so from annual leave two weeks in advance.