### Journey with Buddha 与佛同行

Embark on this unique journey of love, friendship, and blessings as we follow the path of our Vesak processional float, which will carry the sacred rupa and relics of Shakyamuni Buddha from downtown to the heartlands of our island city-state! Bring along your family and friends to join us on this meaningful journey aboard a chartered bus!

**Date:** 18/5/2024 (Sat) **Time:** 9.30am – 11.00pm

Boarding/disembarking: Thekchen Choling Singapore, 2 Beatty Lane, Singapore 209945

\*Children 12 and below needs to be accompanied by an adult.

**Dress code:** Thekchen Choling's blue T-shirt or any blue top, if available. Out of respect towards Triple Gems and the temple that we will be visiting, please refrain from wearing sleeveless tops, or shorts/skirts above the knees.

Good to bring: Prayer beads or hand-held prayer wheel for mantra recitation on the bus.

#### Why join us?

- Be part of Buddha's entourage to spread light and love around Singapore.
- Foster bonding and togetherness by accomplishing this mission trip together.
- Enjoy a meaningful and memorable Vesak activity with your family and friends!

#### **Tour Highlights**

On Journey with Buddha, we will be blessing:

#### 1) Iconic Singapore Skyline

Our processional float will gracefully glide through Marina Promenade and its surrounding landmarks, such as Marina Bay Sands, The Esplanade, and Merlion Park, which together form the iconic Singapore skyline. As we traverse these landmarks, let us rejoice in the beauty and vibrancy of Singapore and offer this magnificent sight to Buddha!

#### 2) Central Area (CBD)

The Central Business District and Orchard shopping belt serve as the primary hub for commercial activities in Singapore. Recent years have witnessed rapid and exciting redevelopments, promising to elevate our country to greater heights. Let us pray for the continual prosperity of Singapore, and may all endeavours be auspicious and victorious!

#### 3) Historic Districts

Singapore's heritage and cultural diversity serve as a wellspring of inspiration, learning, and growth. Immerse yourself in the colourful sights of Chinatown, Kampong Glam, and Little India. Generate gratitude towards our forefathers for their resilience and hard work, and cultivate heartfelt appreciation for our nation's racial and religious harmony.

#### 4) Heartland Spots

From north to south, east to west, our processional float will illuminate the vibrant neighbourhoods, touching the hearts and minds of many fellow heartlanders who have the opportunity to witness its magnificent presence. Through this, we aim to spread the joy and spirit of our Vesak celebration by sharing the timeless message of universal love.

## Journey with Buddha Tour Itinerary

# 【与佛同行】行程表

9.30am	Check In 签到点名
9.40am	Motivation Setting & Auspicious Prayers 调整发心、吉祥祈愿
10.00am	Departure from Thekchen Choling Singapore 从新加坡大乘禅寺出发
10.10am	Singapore's Iconic Landmarks, Marina Barrage, Central Business District, Chinatown, Bukit Merah, Queenstown, Holland Village, Clementi, Jurong East, Boon Lay. (Short breaks in-between) 新加坡经典地标、滨海堤坝、中央商业区、牛车水、红山、女皇镇、荷兰村、金文泰、裕廊东、文礼。(间中将设简短休息)
1.00pm	Lunch break @ Jurong Point (Own cost) 午餐 - 裕廊坊 (自费)
2.15pm	Departure from Jurong Point 从裕廊坊出发
2.45pm	Bukit Batok 武吉巴督
3.00pm	Temple Visit @ Tao Bu Keng Temple 参访庙宇 – 蔡厝港斗母宫
3.30pm	Departure from Tao Bu Keng Temple 从蔡厝港斗母宫出发
3.35pm	Chua Chu Kang, Woodlands, Sembawang, Yishun, Ang Mo Kio, Seng Kang, Punggol, Pasir Ris, Changi. (Short breaks in-between) 蔡厝港、兀兰、三巴旺、义顺、宏茂桥、盛港、榜鹅、巴西立、樟宜。 (间中将设简短休息)
6.30pm	Dinner Break @ Changi Village (Own cost) 晚餐 – 樟宜村(自费)
7.45pm	Departure from Changi Village 从樟宜村出发
7.55pm	Tampines, Bedok, Joo Chiat, Geylang, Kallang, Kampong Glam, Bukit Timah, Orchard Road, Dhoby Ghaut, Little India. (Short breaks in-between)
	淡滨尼、勿落、如切、芽笼、加冷、甘榜格南、武吉知马、乌节路、多美歌、小印度。(间中将设简短休息)
10.45pm	Arrival at Thekchen Choling Singapore 抵达新加坡大乘禅寺
11.00pm	Journey Completion & Dedication of Merits 游行圆满,回向功德

<sup>\*</sup> Itinerary subjected to change due to weather conditions or unforeseen circumstances.

<sup>\*</sup> 行程有可能因天气或出现无法预计的情况而有所更动。