



# The Holy Spirit *and* God's *Mission*

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**Date: Saturday, 26 October 2019**

**Time: 10 am – 4 pm**

**Venue: Queenstown Lutheran Church  
709 Commonwealth Drive  
Singapore 149601**

**Speaker: Rev. Dr. Noel Due**

**Please register through your church office**



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