

### ST ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL THE DIOCESE OF SINGAPORE

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21/22 AUGUST 2021

### COLLECT

### TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Lord God. whose blessed Son our Saviour gave his back to the smiters and did not hide his face from shame: give us grace to endure the sufferings of this present time with sure confidence in the glory that shall be revealed; through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen

### LECTIONARY READINGS

1 Kings 8:1.6.10-11 Ephesians 6:10-20 John 6:56-69



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Deaconesses Ds Grace Tan, Ds Ti Lian Swan Auxiliary Deaconess Ds June Tan

### PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

#### **THE WORLD**

The resignation of Mr. Muhyiddin Yassin, Malaysia plunged into political uncertainty and there are concerns that it could hinder efforts to manage the raging COVID-19 pandemic. Pray against any political power struggle; for the formation of a stable government and an effective administration that will focus all efforts on containing the pandemic, improving the healthcare system and preserving the lives as well as the livelihoods of the people. Pray for order to be restored in Afghanistan after the Taliban takeover of the capital city Kabul on 15 August, for the safety of all who remain and for access to basic necessities. Pray also for concrete outcomes when the UN Human Rights Council meet next week, to address "serious human rights concerns" Afghanistan.

#### **SINGAPORE**

Pray for our government to have divine wisdom as they take a step-by-step approach to manage the reopening of our borders and the easing of domestic restrictions, without an explosion of COVID-19 infections. Pray that all in Singapore will remain vigilant and disciplined in

complying with the necessary safety measures; for protection over our healthcare personnel, frontline workers, teachers, school children, the elderly and the vulnerable in our society. Pray that we will remain strong and resilient as we stand united in our fight against COVID-19.

#### **DIOCESE**

### Clergy on Overseas Assignment & Others; Retired Clergy; Retired Deaconess

Pray for clergy who are on overseas assignments, that they will be led and empowered by the Holy Spirit for the work of the Kingdom. Pray that clergy on sabbatical will be re-envisioned, renewed and refreshed by the Lord. Pray also for God's protection over all our clergy and their families especially in this global pandemic. Pray that our retired clergy and deaconess will find new purpose as they continue to serve God in a different season of their life.

#### **CATHEDRAL**

Pray that God will build up our community life in the midst of the many challenges in the new normal; that members will be spiritually nourished through the weekly sermon series and remain connected with one another through online and onsite platforms. Pray for the safety of all service personnel and worshippers and for the

Lord's mighty presence to lead us through these troubled times.

### Finding a Worship Service at the Cathedral

We warmly welcome all to join in our services

In English In Mandarin In other languages Wednesday 12.30pm Saturday 4.30pm, 5.30pm 11.30am 2.30pm (Hokkien) 8.30am (Tamil) 7.30am, 9.30am, 9.30am, 11.30am, 2.30pm (Burmese) Sunday 11.30am, 4.30pm 4.30pm 2.30pm (Cantonese)



Each service is kept to under 1h with a max of 50 worshippers



Serving of Holy Communion is temporarily suspended



Entry is by ticket only. Please join only 1 service per weekend.

Tickets are open for booking at 1pm, 7 days before the service day at cathedral.org.sg/ws



Services in English will be live-streamed at 7.30am (Nave) and 9.30am (CNS) via the St Andrew's Cathedral YouTube channel. Join us at cathedral.org.sg/youtube

### Attending a Worship Service at the Cathedral

Please note the various entry points for each venue

# by Bus / MRT

### **NAVE**

- SafeEntry check-in at the linkway
- SafeEntry check-in at lift lobby

Enter via Welcome Centre

**CNS/PAVILION** 



by Car / Taxi

All entry points to the Cathedral will open 30 mins before service and close 15 mins after the start of service. • Enter via SRC gate

Enter via MRT Gate

- Park only at the East Lawn carpark (facing Raffles City)
- Drop-off only at the shelter along linkway
- SafeEntry check-in at the linkway

- Enter via SRC gate
- Park only at the lots along the driveway towards Padang or Funan
- Drop-off only at the tent beside the West Porch (near Pavilion)
- SafeEntry check-in at lift lobby

### Keeping the Cathedral safe

Please adhere to these safe management measures



Masks are to be worn properly at all times



Strictly no minglling before, during and after the church service



Strictly no crossing of zones and across venues

# ALL THINGS HOLD TOGETHER

Paul reminds us that our Lord "is before all things and in him all things hold together" (Col 1:17). Do we struggle to "hold all things" in our life together with the many challenges we face? In our new sermon series "In Christ all Things hold Together" at our Wednesday Service, we will see how the Lord holds our life together amidst many challenges daily.

### Wednesday Service, 12.30pm

Aug 25 He stands by Us • Sep 1 He is our Great High Priest • Sep 8 He is our Hope of Glory

To register, visit this link: cathedral.org.sg/ws

# DIOCESAN CERTIFICATE OF BIBLICAL STUDIES

TERM 4: 9 SEPT-4 NOV, THURS 7:30PM-9:00PM

**MODULE 3** OLD TESTAMENT

### The Former Prophets

Joshua, Judges, 1 & 2 Samuel, 1 & 2 Kings

#### Instructors

Revd Joshua Sudharman (SPH), Ds Grace Tan (SAC), Ms Veron Wong (SAC) **MODULE 10** NEW TESTAMENT

### **Pauline Epistles**

Romans & Galatians

#### Instructors

Revd Peter Chen (SJC), Revd Daniel Lim (SAC), Ms Vivien Chen (SAC)



### Register at cathedral.org.sg/dcbs

**Course Fee**: \$10 per module (payable via online modes or crossed cheques made payable to St Andrew's Cathedral)

## DOING HIS WILL

### part two: through the counsel of Paul

SERMON SERIES FROM AUG - NOV

AUG 21/22

Bearing Fruit in Every Good Work
Revd William Chee Col 1:3-10

**AUG 29** 

Strengthened for Joyful Endurance

Ds June Tan Col 1:11-14

**SEP 4/5** 

The Pre-eminence of Christ Revd Canon Lewis Lew Col 1:15-20

SEP 11/12

Unwavering Faith
Revd Christopher Chan Col 1:21-23

SEP 18/19

Suffering for the Gospel Ds Ti Lian Swan Col 1:24-27

**SEP 26** 

Labouring to Build Up the Church Revd Daniel Lim Col 1:28-2:3

OCT 2/3

Rooted and Built Up in Christ Revd Canon Lewis Lew Col 2:4-8 OCT 9/10

Alive in Christ

Revd Christopher Chan Col 2:9-15

OCT 16/17

Transformed from the Inside Out Revd Moses Israeli Col 3:1-17

OCT 23/24

Christian Living as Husband and Wife Revd William Chee Col 3:18-19

**OCT 31** 

Christian Living as Children and Parents Revd Canon Lewis Lew Col 3:20-21

**NOV 6/7** 

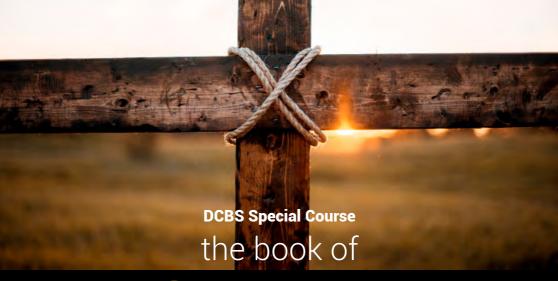
Christian Living in Our Place of Work

Ds Ti Lian Swan Col 3:22-4:1

NOV 13/14

Open Doors for the Gospel
Revd Christopher Chan Col 4:2-4

NOV 20/21 Wisdom in Our Witness Ds June Tan Col 4:5-6



# ISAIAH

The Book of Isaiah is a book about God's people living in their inconsistencies and contradictions in a real and dangerous world dominated by hostile and destructive powers and nations. In the light of these realities and subsequent exile, how would they survive?

In this study of Isaiah and applying it to our lives today, we will be looking at the God who is present and judges, the God who will come and save and the God who will establish his kingdom forever where "the wolf and the lamb shall graze together."



Revd William Chee is presently the Lay Training Coordinator for the Diocese, coordinating the development of biblical, theological and ministry training courses for the laity of the Diocese. Instructor: Revd William Chee

Dates: 2, 9, 16, 30 October 2021 (4 Saturdays)

Time: 9am - I Iam (via Zoom)

Fee: \$\$10 per participant

Registration details available **HERE** 

Closing date of registration: 30 September 2021

#### TALK ORGANISED BY CATHEDRAL WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

We know that it is good and responsible for us to make our LPA and Will. However, for many of us, we never quite get around doing it for one reason or another.

Settling our affairs in order is a part of our Christian stewardship. Join us in this talk with our speaker Mr Charles Leong, a practicing lawyer to explore more on these topics.



### Making your Will and Lasting Power of Attorney

Date: 28 August 2021 Time: 10.30am to 12pm via Zoom

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Speaker: Mr Charles Leong

Register your interest by 21 August at https://forms.gle/JFwWQsY9oB3ar1QQ9 Spaces are available on a first come, first served basis. The Zoom link will be sent to your email.

### BAPTISM & CONFIRMATION

### For Adults

### **BAPTISM COURSE**

5 Sep - 3 Oct (Sun)

2 - 4.30pm

**Baptism Service:** 

9 Oct (Sat) at 4.30pm Service

### For Children

### **BAPTISM COURSE**

7 - 9 Sep

9.30am - 12pm via Zoom

**Baptism Service:** 

9 Oct (Sat) at 4.30pm Service

### CONFIRMATION-MEMBERSHIP COURSE

24 Oct - 14 Nov (Sun)

2 - 4.30pm

Retreat: 20 Nov (Sat), 1 - 3pm

**Confirmation Service:** 

28 Nov (Sun) at 4.30pm Service

Closing date: 29 Aug 2021 (Sun)

Find out more at https://cathedral.org.sg/ events/single/baptism-and-confirmation-

### **Job Opportunities**

St Andrew's Cathedral is looking for suitable candidates to fill the following positions:

- Youth Ministry Pastoral Staff/Pastor
- Children Ministry Pastoral Staff/Pastor
- Administration & Programme Executive
   St Andrew's Cathedral Home

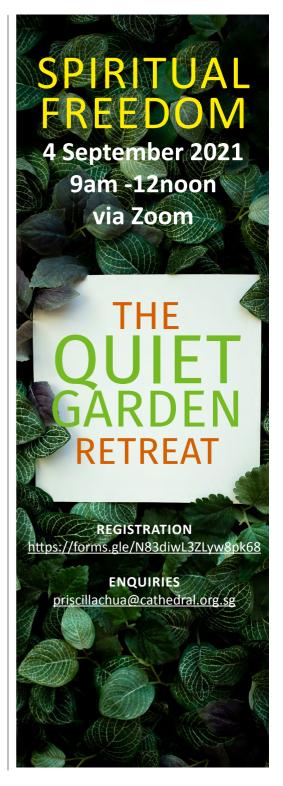
Details of the job roles may be found at <a href="https://cathedral.org.sg/r/jobs">https://cathedral.org.sg/r/jobs</a>

Salary will commensurate with qualifications and work experience. Interested candidates may submit your updated resume, expected salary and notice period to hr@cathedral.org. sg. Only shortlisted applicants will be notified.

Closing date: 5 September 2021

For job opportunities in the Anglican Diocese, please go to <a href="https://www.anglican.org.sg/page/recruitment">https://www.anglican.org.sg/page/recruitment</a>





### STAY CONNECTED

with the Cathedral

Word Study & Discussion with the Pastors



If you are missing church life and wish to stay connected with the community during this period, we welcome you to join ONE of these ZOOM meetings with our pastors to be refreshed as we get into the Bible and discuss the weekly sermons.

### **UPPER ROOM**

**Sat 10am**To Join, click HERE

#### THE EARLY RISERS

**Sun 6.30 am** Pre-Service Prayer **8.35am** Zoom Meeting To Join, click <u>HERE</u>

#### **SOJOURNERS**

**Sun 11.00am** To Join, click <u>HERE</u>

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- Save 8281 5916 in your Contacts List
- Text 'Subscribe' to the number above

Subscribe to our e-mail list
Visit cathedral.org.sg/subscribe





### **UPDATING OF CONTACT DETAILS**

If you are a baptised/confirmed member of St Andrew's Cathedral, we wish to stay connected with you and invite you to update your contact details held in the SAC records at <a href="https://cathedral.org.sg/update-membership.or">https://cathedral.org.sg/update-membership.or</a> by scanning the QR code.

Stay connected with us by using these social media and communication channels.







# Morning ( Office

Be shaped, edified and cleansed by developing a daily pattern and rhythm of life through the Psalms, Prayers and the Word of God. Join the morning office daily (Mon to Fri) 7.30am to 7.50am via:

> Zoom Link to attend the Morning Office: http://bit.ly/mo-zm

YouTube for Morning Office: cathedral.org.sg/r/morning

We encourage members to gather for this daily office and grow in their spiritual formation.

# SAC RESTORATION WORKS PROJECT, 2020-2022

This Project aims to repair and restore various parts of the Cathedral's historic building that have succumbed environmental wear and tear. The Restoration Works will involve plastering and re-painting of interior and exterior walls, timber carpentry, stone works, metal works, electrical works, plumbing and roof works. The Project is expected to take 3 years. The cost of \$6million will be paid out from the Cathedral Heritage Fund (CHF) set up to fund this Project as well as future heritage and building works.

#### **HOW TO GIVE**

**Cheques** – Pay to "St Andrew's Cathedral". Write "Heritage Fund" on the reverse side and include your name and mailing address.

Online transfer

Account Name: St Andrew's Cathedral

**Account Number:** 

DBS Autosave 033-019550-8

PayNow:

Heritage Fund UEN - T08CC4055LHF1

### The CHF, as of 4 August 2021:

From English Congregation: \$1.2m

From Mandarin Congregation: \$1.2m

Grant from Preservation of

Sites & Monuments Board: \$0.98m

Donations pledged/received

from SAC members/friends: \$1.71m

Balance to be raised: \$0.91m

## GIVE tithes and offerings



2 WAYS TO GIVE



### **Online**

### **Internet Banking**

Account Name: St Andrew's Cathedral Account Number: DBS Autosave 033-903411-8

### **PayNow**

PayNow Name: St Andrew's Cath Parochial Church C UEN: T08CC4055LT01

### For tithes and general offerings

You may indicate the Service you attend and/ or Tithing number (if any) under remarks or reference.

### For other specific donations

(eg. Welfare, Missions, etc)

You may indicate the purpose of your donation (eg. Welfare, Missions, etc.) under remarks or reference. For donations with no indication, it will be treated as general offering. Please email <a href="mailto:finance@cathedral.org.sg">finance@cathedral.org.sg</a> if you require clarification.

Receipts will not be issued for on-line givings.

### Pay to: "St Andrew's Cathedral"

On the reverse side of the cheque, you may indicate your Tithing number (if any).

### For specific donations

On the reverse side of the cheque, please indicate the purpose of your donation eg. Restoration Works, Welfare, Missions, etc. If you would like a receipt, please write your name and mailing address.

Cheques can be mailed to St Andrew's Cathedral, 11 St Andrew's Road, Singapore 178959

You may give your time to various outreach opportunities.
Find out more at https://cathedral.org.sg/page/get-involved