



# ST ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL

THE DIOCESE OF SINGAPORE

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15/16 JANUARY 2022

2022 FOCUS  
A DEEPER LIFE IN CHRIST

RETURNING TO OUR  
**first Love**

Sermon on 15/16 Jan

**All Things New III:  
A Season of Renewal**  
Ezra 3:8-13

*Revd Canon Lewis Lew*

Live-streamed Services at  
7.30am and 9.30am via  
[cathedral.org.sg/youtube](http://cathedral.org.sg/youtube)

## COLLECT

### 2ND SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY

Almighty God, by whose grace alone we are accepted and called to your service: strengthen us by your Holy Spirit and make us worthy of our calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

### LECTIONARY READINGS

Isaiah 62:1-5

1 Corinthians 12:1-11

John 2:1-11



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**Vicar** Revd Canon Lewis Lew

**Clergy** Revd Christopher Chan, Revd William Chee, Revd Moses Israeli, Revd Daniel Lim, Revd Joshua Raj

**Auxiliary Clergy** Revd Canon Dr Louis Tay, Revd Soon Soo Kee

**Deaconesses** Ds Grace Tan, Ds Ti Lian Swan

**Auxiliary Deaconess** Ds June Tan

# PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

## THE WORLD

World Health Organization experts warned that repeated booster shots of the original COVID-19 vaccines is not a sustainable strategy in the fight against COVID-19 and its emerging variants, though such vaccines may reduce the severity of the disease. Pray for breakthroughs in scientific research that will lead to the development of new vaccines that not only protect people against serious illness but also prevents infection and transmission of the variants. Pray that in the wake of this relentless virus, there will be a greater awakening in the hearts of humankind, to the need for God in their lives.

## SINGAPORE

Pray for strength, wisdom and agility as our Multi-Ministerial Taskforce and Health Authorities continue to maintain vigilance and adjust their responses to the evolving COVID-19 situation. Pray for right decisions to be made as they balance the different needs of the vaccinated and the unvaccinated in our population. Pray that our healthcare system will have the capabilities to meet any exigencies and for the protection of our healthcare and

frontline workers. Pray for resilience and for national unity as we stand together to meet the challenges of this pandemic.

## DIOCESE

Pray for Vicar Alvin Toh and his team as they lead the flock in St John's - St Margaret's Church into 2022 with a clear focus on discipleship. Their theme for 2022: "Let's Connect: Life Together in Discipling Relationships". Pray that SJSMers will catch the spirit of discipling that models Jesus' ways with His disciples; for every SJSMer to continue in the lifelong journey of following Christ and becoming like Him. Pray also for the Nursing Home management to serve in unity and for God's covering over the operations of the Senior Care Centre.

## CATHEDRAL

Pray that every Cathedral member, worshipping onsite or online, will cultivate a deeper life in Christ by returning to our first love for the Lord. Pray that we will grow daily in intimacy with Him as we hear and obey His Word and reflect His glory in our lives.

Pray for Tony and his team as they shepherd our Hokkien-speaking brothers and sisters; that members will cultivate intimacy with Christ and draw near to God in 2022. Pray that many will return to our onsite Hokkien Worship Service on Saturdays and that God will bless their meeting together around His word and sacrament.





# Services at the Cathedral

## Open to all persons

Sat 5.30 pm (English)	Pavilion	50 pax
Sun 8.30 am (Tamil)	Chapel for All Peoples	

## Open to persons who are vaccinated

Sat 2.30 pm (Hokkien)	Chapel for All Peoples	50 pax
Sat 4.00 pm	CNS	100 pax
Sun 7.30 am 	CNS	
Sun 9.30 am 	Pavilion	
Sun 11.30 am	CNS	
Sun 1.30 pm (Youth)	Prayer Halls	
Sun 2.30 pm (Myanmar)	CNS	
Sun 4.30 pm	CNS	
Wed 12.30 pm	Pavilion	

On-site Holy Communion services will be held at:

- Sun 7.30am, 11.30am 4.30pm (1st and 3rd Sunday)
- Sat 4.00pm, Sun 8.30am (Tamil), Sun 9.30am (2nd and 4th Sunday)
- Sat 2.30pm (Hokkien – 1st Sat)
- Sat 5.30pm (Last Sat)



Entry to each service is by ticket only. Please exercise care as you select the service to attend. Tickets are open for booking at 1pm, 7 days before the service day at [cathedral.org.sg/ws](https://cathedral.org.sg/ws)



These services will be live-streamed at [cathedral.org.sg/youtube](https://cathedral.org.sg/youtube)

In line with the latest government advisory, seniors aged 60 and above are to refrain from joining religious activities until further notice. We encourage our seniors to worship with us in our services via live-streaming for your safety and well-being.

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**Caring and sharing inwards and outwards**

Jan 22 & 23

**The Church Cares  
and Shares I**

Rev'd Christopher Chan

Jan 29 & 30

**The Church Cares  
and Shares II**

Rev'd Canon Lewis Lew

**God's design for relationships**

Feb 5 & 6

**The Gift of Marriage**

Rev'd William Chee/  
Rev'd Daniel Lim

Feb 12 & 13

**The Gift of Children**

Rev'd Victor Teo/  
Ms Jennifer Heng

Feb 19 & 20

**The Gift of Singleness**

Rev'd Christopher Chan

Feb 26 & 27

**The Gift of Friendship**

Ds Grace Tan/ Ds June Tan

Follow us online for weekly reflection questions at:

<https://cathedral.org.sg/events/single/returning-to-our-first-love>

E P I P H A N Y

# Jesus Christ

SAVIOUR and LORD

“For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour,  
who is Christ the Lord” (Lk 2:11)

**Wednesday 12.30pm Service  
at the Pavilion.**

To register, visit this link [cathedral.org.sg/ws](http://cathedral.org.sg/ws)

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|--------|----------------------------------|
| Jan 19 | Jesus Debates the Lawyer         |
| Jan 26 | Jesus on Living in the Kingdom   |
| Feb 9  | Jesus One with the Father        |
| Feb 16 | Jesus and the Cup of Servanthood |
| Feb 23 | Jesus the Authority              |

RETURNING TO OUR  
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Meeting ID: 885 3046 4098  
Passcode: 752382

**PRAYER  
+ PRAISE  
28 Jan 2022  
7.14 PM**

EVERY FOURTH FRIDAY OF THE MONTH  
[cathedral.org.sg/praise](https://cathedral.org.sg/praise)



# MEMBER CARE

M I N I S T R Y

In a renewed church-wide effort to care for the Cathedral members, we are pleased to announce the launch of the Member Care ministry from 1 Jan 2022.

## OUR VISION

Every person saved, secure and significant in Christ, living the abundant life, for the glory of God!

## OUR MISSION

To journey with people toward wholeness, by offering the gift of our presence, a listening ear, a compassionate heart; to pray with, give encouragement and practical help for the way ahead, with reliance on God and the help of His Holy Spirit.

Our Care Teams are organised as follow:

- Care for the Elderly
- Care for the Young (the teens to 20s)
- Care for Married Couples and Families
- Care for Divorcees and Separated (Renewing Streams Ministry)
- Care for the Sick
- Care for the Bereaved
- Care for all Others (who do not fall into the above categories)

If you are facing challenges and would like the ministry to reach out to you, do contact us at [membercare@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:membercare@cathedral.org.sg) or call 6337 6104. To find out more about the ministry or volunteer with us, please visit

<https://cathedral.org.sg/care>



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# CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

2022

Christian Education is the Bible-based, Holy Spirit-empowered Teaching-Learning process, through which the church community is guided, at every stage of the member's life journey, to grow in the knowledge and love of God, and be disciplined to obey His commandments and His ways.

The purpose is to present everyone mature in Christ (Col 1:28; Eph 4:13) so that God is glorified in every aspect of the Christian's life. It encompasses more than Bible Knowledge as it is a wholistic education of the individual that includes Christian living, Christian Spirituality and Leadership Growth & Development.

Visit <https://cathedral.org.sg/ce> or email [sacce@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:sacce@cathedral.org.sg) to find out more about our Christian Education programme.

## The St Andrew's Cathedral **Marriage Preparation Course** ("MPC")

is a series of six sessions designed to help couples develop strong foundations for a lasting marriage. The course format is relaxed and engaging with live and video lessons, couple-discussion time, sharing by married couples and small group discussion led by support-couples.

# Marriage Preparation Course

Course Dates:

10, 17, 24 Feb & 3, 10, 17 Mar  
Thursdays, 7 - 9.30pm  
Venue: Online via Zoom

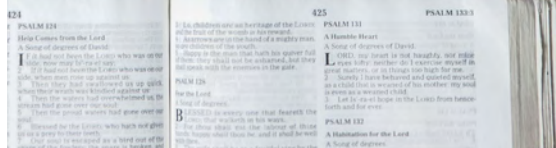
Closing Date: 5 Feb 2022 or when fully booked.

Registration:

<https://forms.gle/ccCx5uJ9pvYrQeFf6>

For enquiries, please email to

[mpc@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:mpc@cathedral.org.sg)





# Baptism & Confirmation Course

## BAPTISM COURSE

(For youths\* & adults)

Sun 27 Feb - Sun 20 Mar (4 lessons)

2.30pm - 4.30pm

## BAPTISM SERVICE

Sat 26 Mar, 4pm service

## CONFIRMATION COURSE

Sun 3 Apr - Sun 24 Apr (4 lessons)

2pm - 4.30pm

Retreat, Sat 7 May, 1pm - 3pm

## CONFIRMATION SERVICE

Sun 8 May, 11.30am service

All lessons are compulsory, registration is based on a first-come-first-serve basis.

\*Open to youths from age 14 and above.

More details, please visit

<https://cathedral.org.sg/events/single/baptism-and-confirmation-courses>

Registration

<http://gfsac.greenfossil.com/equipping/registration/156/public>

Registration closing date :

20 Feb 2022

For any enquiry, please email

[sacce@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:sacce@cathedral.org.sg)

with your contact details

Tuesdays  
8, 15 and 22 Feb  
7.30-9.30pm

via Zoom

Fees: \$10

Instructors:

Ds Grace Tan and Ms Veronica Wong



## understanding THE BIBLE

This course aims to equip believers to become better readers of the Bible. It will explain the various kinds of literary genres, contexts and backgrounds of the different books of the bible, and how they fit in with the broader biblical narrative. The course will also cover the key approaches to reading the Bible, and recommend practical handles including the use of resources and study aids.

Registration opens on 8 Jan 2022

<http://gfsac.greenfossil.com/equipping/registration/157/public>

More details, please visit

<https://cathedral.org.sg/page/christian-education>

# ALPHA

 is a place for

- non-Christians who are exploring the Christian faith, and searching for the meaning of life.
- new Christians who have recently accepted Christ, and are seeking to build an understanding of the Christian faith.

**9 Feb - 27 April 2022**

(Wednesdays)

**7.30pm - 9.30pm**

**St Andrew's Cathedral**



Alpha

[cathedral.org.sg/alpha](http://cathedral.org.sg/alpha)



Am I  
really where  
God wants  
me to be?



# EXPLORE YOUR CALLING

when you embark on the **JOURNEY OF PURPOSE**,  
a 40-week personal and intentional journey of intimacy with Jesus,  
**starting 1 March 2022**, with supporting mentors and guidance  
from our pastors and lay leaders.



**Sign up here.**  
More information can be found  
at **JOURNEY OF PURPOSE.**

Open to members of St Andrew's Cathedral only.

# CONVERSATIONS IN HEALTH

St. Andrew's Cathedral  
Healthcare Fellowship



20 JAN 2022, 7PM

## AGING GRACEFULLY & FINISHING WELL

A CONVERSATION WITH BISHOP EM. DR. ROBERT SOLOMON



Ageing is inevitable. Growing old is not and finishing well certainly is not. There is much that we can do to make our lives count for Christ as we enter our silver or golden years. After all, Abraham only left Ur for Haran and then for Canaan at the ages of 70 and 75 respectively. Moses led the Hebrew slaves out of Egypt at the age of 80. By all estimates, about 20% of the population in Singapore will be above the age of 60 by the year 2030. Furthermore, all of us, at any age, are in full-time Christian service, whether we know it or not. How then are we to age gracefully and finish well?

Do join us for this Zoom conversation with Bishop Emeritus Dr. Robert Solomon as we explore how, as senior disciples, we might be as fruitful in our latter days as in our former. Bishop Solomon was Bishop of the Methodist Church in Singapore from 2000 to 2012. He is still a much sought after speaker, has spoken and taught ministry in many countries and in many settings and is also a prolific writer having authored 49 books, with the 50th book due to be released in April 2022. These books include *The Race, Faithful to the End, We are Pilgrims, Finding Rest for the Soul, Growing Old Gracefully*, and *A Grand Calling* (on grandparenting)

This Zoom conversation will be held at **7pm on Thursday, 20 January 2022** and will be moderated by A/Prof. Joseph Thambiah

To register, please click on this link: <https://bit.ly/SACHFJan22>

You will be sent a link with instructions via email. You are encouraged to send any questions that you may have ahead of time to [SACHFhealthtalk@gmail.com](mailto:SACHFhealthtalk@gmail.com)

Organised by Senior Members' Fellowship

# Ang Pow Lantern Making

27 January 2022 | 10.30am to 12pm

Materials needed: Stapler,  
10 Ang Pow packets, hanging frill, ribbon, and scissors

First twenty persons to register will receive  
a hanging frill and ribbon mailed to them!

Registration: email to [davidng@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:davidng@cathedral.org.sg)  
or WhatsApp 98332786

## OTHER UPCOMING SMF EVENTS:

- 10 Feb SMF Talk: Spiritually and Mentally  
Positive in the Lord
- 24 Feb SMF Com: Arts and Crafts 1
- 10 Mar SMF Com: Arts and Crafts 2
- 24 Mar SMF Talk: Theological Legitimacy of  
TCM and TCM exercise

# 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 [HERE](#)

**SOJOURNERS Sun 9.30am**

To Join, click [HERE](#)



For children, youth and young adults

Find out about our Sunday School, Youth and Young Adult ministries:

 [cathedral.org.sg/nextgen](https://cathedral.org.sg/nextgen)

 [nextgen@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:nextgen@cathedral.org.sg)



### Cell Group

Being part of a cell group allows us to grow in our Christian faith as we share our lives with each other. Join one at:

 [cathedral.org.sg/cell-groups](https://cathedral.org.sg/cell-groups)



N A V E

RESTORATION PROJECT

Visit the web page for updates or drop us an email to find out more:

 [cathedral.org.sg/restoration](https://cathedral.org.sg/restoration)

 [nave\\_restoration@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:nave_restoration@cathedral.org.sg)



### Member Contact Details

Update your contact details held in the SAC records at:

 [cathedral.org.sg/membership](https://cathedral.org.sg/membership)

 [membership@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:membership@cathedral.org.sg)



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**Diocese of Singapore**

## ANGLICAN LAY TRAINING

DIOCESAN THEOLOGICAL STUDIES  
JAN - DEC 2022

[Registration details available here](#)

## DIOCESE CERTIFICATE OF BIBLICAL STUDIES

Online

Thursdays 7.30pm - 9.00pm

REGISTER AT  
[cathedral.org.sg/dcbs](https://cathedral.org.sg/dcbs)

## CYCLE OF PRAYER 2022

[Access here](#)

## Morning Office

Mon - Fri, 7.30 am  
via Livestream & Zoom  
[cathedral.org.sg/morning](https://cathedral.org.sg/morning)

### Job Opportunities

For job opportunities in the Anglican Diocese, please go to [anglican.org.sg/page/recruitment](https://anglican.org.sg/page/recruitment)

CONTACT THE DIOCESE AT

 [anglican.org.sg](https://anglican.org.sg)

 [admin@anglican.org.sg](mailto:admin@anglican.org.sg)

# GIVE

## tithes and offerings



### 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

Receipts will not be issued for online givings.

### 2 WAYS TO GIVE



### Cheques

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

On the reverse side of the cheque, you may indicate your Tithing number (if any). If you would like a receipt, please also write your name and mailing address.

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

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### FOR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

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

If you indicate the purpose of your tithe and offering (for example, Welfare, Missions, Nepal, etc.), while St Andrew's Cathedral will endeavour to honour your request, your tithe and offering may be treated as a general offering to be used to support the ministries of our church as well as the wider body of Christ in the world. Your givings enable our church to carry out our mission according to the budget plan, as well as to respond to the needs around us.

Please email [finance@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:finance@cathedral.org.sg) if you require clarification.

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### FOR THE HERITAGE FUND

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#### 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