



# ST ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL

THE DIOCESE OF SINGAPORE

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23/24 JULY 2022

## COLLECT

### SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Lord, you have taught us that all our doings without love are nothing worth. Send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before you. Grant this for the sake of your only Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## LECTIONARY READINGS

Hosea 1:2-10

Colossians 2:6-15 [16-19]

Luke 11:1-13

2022 FOCUS  
A DEEPER LIFE IN CHRIST

## RETURNING TO OUR first Love

Sermon on 23/24 July

**The Call to Prayer**

*2 Chronicles 7:11-16*

*Rev'd Canon Lewis Lew*

Live-streamed services at

7.30am and 9.30am via

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



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**Auxiliary Clergy** Rev'd Canon Dr Louis Tay, Rev'd Soon Soo Kee

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

**Auxiliary Deaconess** Ds June Tan

# PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

## THE WORLD

Pray for countries in Europe and the UK which are experiencing record breaking heat waves and wildfires. The global average temperature is around 1.2 degrees Celsius warmer than in pre-industrial times. Pray that global leaders will take swift and necessary steps to cut greenhouse gas emissions to reduce the impact of climate change. Pray also for countries like China and Australia which are experiencing a huge surge in the very transmissible COVID-19 virus sub-variant. Pray for good strategies to help their people prepare for the waves of infection.

## SINGAPORE

Pray for our government as they continue to remain vigilant in monitoring the COVID-19 situation in Singapore, find new strategies to effectively deal with dengue, increase awareness of mental health issues and accessibility to resources as well as maintain national security.

## DIOCESE

### Indian Work Sunday (24 July 2022)

On this Diocesan Indian Work Sunday,

thank God for the work among the Indian community living in Singapore. Pray that the churches of the Singapore Anglican Indian Board will continue to grow in spiritual maturity and in numbers; that discipleship will take place in all aspects of church life. Pray that the younger generation will seek God sincerely and serve God fervently. Pray also for the Lord's blessing on their Combined Bible Study, Pastors' Retreat and Youth Camp in the second half of this year.

## CATHEDRAL

### The Parenting Children Course (Online, 8 Wednesday nights, beginning 3 Aug)

Pray for this course to be impactful in equipping parents with the necessary knowledge and practical skills to prepare their children for life. Pray for the Holy Spirit to anoint the teaching, for open and fruitful discussions in the small groups.

### Opening of Car Park from 1 Aug

Pray for operational readiness and good organization as the Cathedral re-opens our car park from 1 Aug.

### Introduction to Bible Interpretation (6 & 13 Aug)

Pray for the Lord's anointing upon our instructor Dr. Tan Kim Huat and upon all participants, especially cell leaders, that they may acquire the basic principles of bible study and be equipped to effectively impart God's word to others.



# Services at the Cathedral

## In English

Sat 4.00 pm

CNS

Sat 5.30pm

Pavilion

Sun 7.30 am 

CNS

Sun 9.30 am 

Pavilion

Sun 11.30 am

CNS

Sun 1.30 pm (Youth)

Prayer Halls

Sun 4.30 pm

CNS

Wed 12.30 pm

Pavilion

## In other languages

Sat 2.30 pm (Hokkien)

Chapel for All Peoples

Sun 8.30 am (Tamil)

Chapel for All Peoples

Sun 2.30 pm (Myanmar)

CNS



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



**Holy Communion services will be held as follows**

Weekly	Wed 12.30pm Sun 7.30am, 8.30am (Tamil), 11.30am, 2.30pm (Myanmar)		
1st & 3rd Week	Sun 4.30pm	1st Week	Sat 2.30pm (Hokkien)
2nd & 4th Week	Sat 4pm Sun 9.30am	Last Week	Sat 5.30pm

# Next<sup>+</sup>GEN

MINISTRY

Children Ministry (Preschool - Sec 2)

**Shalom Friends \***

Sat - 2.30pm ▶ Prayer Halls

**CITYKids**

Sat - 4.00pm ▶ Prayer Halls

**Faithkids 1**

Sun - 10.30am ▶ Online

**Faithkids 2**

Sun - 11.15am ▶ Prayer Halls

\* Shalom Friends reaches out to children with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD). Due to the nature of the ministry, Shalom Friends will cater for children and youths from 6 to 16 years old.

To find out more, visit [cathedral.org.sg/nextgen](https://cathedral.org.sg/nextgen)  
or contact [nextgen@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:nextgen@cathedral.org.sg)

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**A People of Prayer**

Jul 23 & 24  
**The Call to Prayer**  
Rev'd Canon Lewis Lew

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**Unity and Maturity in the Body of Christ**

**Jul 30 & 31**

**Paul's Letter to the Ephesians:**

**An Overview**

Rev'd Christopher Chan

**Aug 6 & 7**

**Blessed with Every Spiritual**

**Blessing**

Rev'd Moses Israeli

**Aug 13 & 14**

**Sealed with the Holy Spirit**

Rev'd Canon Lewis Lew

**Aug 20 & 21**

**Hope, Glory, and Power**

Rev'd Christopher Chan

**Aug 27 & 28**

**Saved by Grace for Good Works**

Rev'd Andrew Yap

**Sep 3 & 4**

**The Church: Made One in Christ**

Rev'd Canon Lewis Lew

**Sep 10 & 11**

**The Mystery of the Gospel**

**Revealed**

Ds Ti Lian Swan

**Sep 17 & 18**

**Strengthened with Power through  
the Spirit**

Rev'd Joshua Raj

**Sep 24 & 25**

**The Church: Unity in the Body of  
Christ**

Rev'd Christopher Chan

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Wednesday 12.30pm Holy Communion  
Service at the Pavilion

# Prayers from the Heart

Prayer is seeking God in our hearts.  
How do God's people in the Old Testament seek  
him in their hearts in the different circumstances  
of their lives?

JUN 22 Prayer of Abraham

29 Prayer of Job

JUL 6 Prayer of Hannah

13 Prayer of Jacob

20 Prayer of David

27 Prayer of Zechariah  
and Elizabeth

AUG 3 Prayer of Jonah

10 Prayer of Hezekiah

17 Prayer of Moses

24 Prayer of Nehemiah

31 Prayer of Solomon

SEPT 7 Prayer of Daniel





# Opening of SAC CAR PARK

from 1 Aug 2022

**The SAC car park will open from 1 Aug 2022  
and parking fees with revised rates for both members\*  
and non-members will apply.**

Members who wish to park at the SAC car park with member rates must submit their application at:

<https://form.jotform.com/221514611201437>.

We urge all members to submit their application early as processing time may take up to 3 weeks.



All eligible applicants will be notified via email to collect their SAC car decal.

For more information, please go to  
<https://cathedral.org.sg/carpark>

*\*A member is defined as a person who  
(a) was baptised and/or confirmed in SAC,  
or has transferred his/her membership  
to SAC, and (b) is currently in our  
membership records as a member  
of SAC.*

# 40.day 2022

JULY 1 - AUGUST 9

## TO LIVE IS CHRIST

Paul's letter to the Philippians is the subject matter for this year's 40.Day prayer. Paul loves all his churches alike. But he expresses his love and longing for the Church in Philippi more than any other. It is his least troublesome, most generous, and most lovable church. In the midst of their own poverty and pain, they gave beyond their means in support of Paul and the poor and needy in Judea. Philippians is, in fact, a thank you letter. And much more besides.

Not all is well with the Philippi Church. Externally they are facing a low-grade persecution. Internally they are running a low-grade fever. There are bouts of envy and rivalry, discord and disunity, vainglory and selfish ambition, and more (1:15-17, 27; 2:1-4; 4:2). Their condition is not yet critical. But these and other symptoms are alarming.

In this letter, Paul diagnoses the causes of the Philippi Fever: They have shifted

from the centrality of Christ. They have lost their grip on the Gospel. And they have forgotten the Future that God has prepared for them through the Incarnation, Humiliation, and Exaltation of Christ.

Philippians is not only the diagnosis but also the cure for all that ails the Church in Philippi: Rejoice in the Lord in the midst of suffering. Stand firm as one in the face of opposition. Live as citizens of heaven in the city of Philippi. Work out your salvation in fear and trembling. And live every moment of today in the light of God's Perfect Tomorrow. In other words, *to live is Christ*.

What ails the Singapore Church? Covid-19 has taken a toll. But only by exasperating faults that were already there. Philippians is both a timeless and a timely word for the post-pandemic Church in the city-state of Singapore. A cure for all that ails us. If only we will listen, pray, and obey.

## PRAYER GUIDE

2022 marks the 26th year of LoveSingapore's 40.Day prayer. To Live is Christ is our theme and we will embark on this journey through the Book of Philippians.

The prayer guide will be published on the [40.Day 2022](#) website to be launched on 23 June. The prayer entries will be posted one day at a time starting from 1 July. Stay tuned!



# BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION

## BAPTISM COURSE

### FOR ADULTS

Sun 4 Sep - Sun 25 Sep  
(4 lessons)  
2pm - 4.30pm

### FOR YOUTHS (aged 14 and above)

Sat 3 Sep - Sat 24 Sep  
(4 lessons)  
1pm - 3.30pm

### FOR YOUTHS & ADULTS

#### BAPTISM SERVICE

Sat 1 Oct, 4pm Service

## CONFIRMATION COURSE

### FOR ADULTS

Sun 9 Oct - Sun 30 Oct  
(4 lessons)  
2pm - 4.30pm

### FOR YOUTHS (aged 14 and above)

Sat 8 Oct - Sat 29 Oct  
(4 lessons)  
1pm - 3.30pm

### FOR YOUTHS & ADULTS

#### CONFIRMATION RETREAT

Sat 12 Nov, 1- 4pm

#### CONFIRMATION SERVICE

Sun 13 Nov, 4.30pm Service

All lessons, Baptism Service, Confirmation Retreat  
and Confirmation Service will be conducted onsite.

For more details, please visit <https://cathedral.org.sg/baptism>

or register at <https://form.jotform.com/221651158701450>

Registration closing date : 31 Aug 2022

For any enquiry, please email [sacce@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:sacce@cathedral.org.sg) with your contact details



## The Parenting Children Course

# The Parenting Children Course

The Parenting Children Course is a series designed to help parents and carers of 0 to 10-year olds, and parents-to-be, equip their children for life.

Topics covered include: Building strong foundations, Meeting our children's needs, Setting boundaries, Teaching healthy relationships and Our long term aim. Learn practical parenting skills and tips with video talks and small group conversations.

The course will be conducted via Zoom.  
Open to participants residing in Singapore.

**Dates/Times: 8 Wednesday nights**  
**AUG 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31;**  
**SEP 7, 14 & 21**  
**8pm – 9.30pm online**

Fee: \$20 per person or \$35 per couple  
(for course packs)



Closing date for registration: 24 July 2022  
Please register at <https://tinyurl.com/FLMtpcc2022>

Developed by Nicky and Sila Lee from Holy Trinity Brompton, London.  
For more information, please email us at [familylife@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:familylife@cathedral.org.sg)

INTRODUCTION TO

# Bible Interpretation

## Rightly handling the Word of Truth: A Basic Guide for Bible Study Leaders

Scripture is a powerful resource given by our gracious God for nourishing our spiritual lives and directing our paths on earth. However, Bible study leaders often feel inadequate for such a task.

This course is designed to equip Bible study leaders with the basic principles of bible study, to encourage and support them in their role as channels for God's word.

Apart from Bible study leaders, this course is also suitable for anyone who is eager to learn how to handle the word of God rightly.



### **SPEAKER**

Dr Tan Kim Huat is the Chen Su Lan Professor of New Testament at Trinity Theological College, Singapore. He is married to Michelle, and together they have three children. The family worships at a Presbyterian church.

**6 & 13 Aug 2022**

**Saturday, 9am-12pm via Zoom**

Part I: Interpreting Scripture Faithfully

Part II: Applying Scripture Responsibly

**Register at [cathedral.org.sg/word](https://cathedral.org.sg/word)**

Registration Closes: 2 Aug

Course Fee: \$10





Are you in need of a break  
from the hustle and bustle of life?

Join the retreat to learn how to hear from God  
ourselves in silence and solitude!

— CONTEMPLATIVE —  
**Prayer Retreat**

**9-11 Sep 2022 (Fri-Sun)**  
via Zoom



Retreat Fee: \$20

Spiritual Directors:  
Ps Simon and Rinda Tan

**Register Early. Limited to 20 participants only**  
Find out more and/or register at <https://cathedral.org.sg/cpr>



Men in Conversation

# The future of FAITH, WORK and MISSION

“How will technology, automation, hyper-connectivity, demographic changes, globalisation and geopolitical shifts change the way we work in the near future? What would it mean for witnessing to those at the marketplace and discipling Christians to be missional at work? What could it mean for missions and mobilisation?”

**Saturday, 30 July 2022**  
**10am-12nn**

Event will be conducted via ZOOM

**Speaker: Ronald JJ Wong**

Registration :

<https://forms.gle/W9ae3UDT8tJrk8zr6>



FOR ENQUIRIES:

please email to [men2men@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:men2men@cathedral.org.sg)



Ronald JJ Wong is a practising lawyer and Director at Covenant Chambers LLC, and serves as National Coordinator of Micah Singapore, on the board of Operation Mobilisation (OM) Mercy Teams International (MTI). He is also an Elder in his church, Yio Chu Kang Chapel. He and his wife Ethel have a son. More info at [www.ronaldjjwong.com](http://www.ronaldjjwong.com).

SMF COMMUNITY WORKSHOP

# Fun with crafts

The Senior Members' Fellowship will be conducting a workshop to make mask lanyards with rubber bands.

28 Jul 2022

SAC Prayer Halls A-B

10.30am to 12pm

\$2 per person

(Limited to 40 participants)

Payment to be made on day of event

Registration Deadline:  
27 July 2022

For more details, email to [davidng@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:davidng@cathedral.org.sg)  
or WhatsApp David Ng at 98332786





# MEMBER CARE

M I N I S T R Y

## Care for the Elderly

*Even to your old age I am He,  
and to gray hairs I will carry you.  
I have made, and I will bear;  
I will carry and will save.*  
Isaiah 46:4

The care team for the elderly aims to support and befriend the seniors in our midst through:

- Visits to homes and nursing homes
- Phone calls and chats
- Tech help
- Music therapy
- Dog therapy



If we can be of help to you  
or someone you know,  
fill out the form at  
<https://bit.ly/sac-care>

To register for the course or find out more,  
go to <https://cathedral.org.sg/eldercare>

For all other enquiries, reach us at  
[membercare@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:membercare@cathedral.org.sg)

### Recruiting Cathedral K9s (Therapy Dogs)

If you have a dog whose sweet nature can be shared with others, please join us to be a blessing to them. Temperament tests will be conducted to assess the suitability of your dog.



### Spiritual Care for the Ageing

This course is for caregivers and those ministering to the elderly to gain an understanding of the ageing journey and an insight into the possibilities of hope and meaning for the elderly.

Date: 8 Saturdays,  
17 Sep to 12 Nov 2022  
Time: 9:30 am – 12 pm  
Venue: SAC,  
Chapel for all Peoples  
Course fees: \$50  
(to cover cost of materials)

Registration deadline:  
28 Aug 2022



JUNE 2022

# Update on Nave Restoration Works

We are now into the 6th month of the restoration works. Despite the recent visible work progress, we have not yet reached the 50% mark based on the Master Schedule for the restoration project, and the project is currently behind schedule by at least 3 months. There is an urgent need for more skilled workers to be onsite, failing which the completion of the project may be delayed. We are working closely with the contractor's senior management to minimise the completion delay. We seek your prayers for God's favour and provision for the necessary skilled workers to be made available for this project soonest, as well as for a safe and peaceful working environment.

Works on the external scaffolding are nearing completion, with the workers – connecting the external scaffold from the South side of the building to the East side. Scaffold nettings are in place from the East side to the North side. With this, we expect the removal of the hollow plaster from the external walls to commence soon. Once the scaffold for the bell tower has been erected in July/August 2022, the entire external scaffold around the building will be completed.

Inside the Nave, removal of the areas of hollow plaster are ongoing. Removal of hollow plaster has been completed in the Vestry and at the South West side of the Nave. Paint removal is in progress at areas that do not need plaster removal. Rising dampness treatment at the South side, internal, has been completed. Treatment to the South side, external, is in progress. Salt treatment works at the South side are also in progress. With the finalisation of the mock-up of the trenches for the cables and air-con pipes, we expect works to commence on the trenches soon.

Please continue to pray for God's favour over the restoration – for skilled workers to be available, a safe and peaceful environment for the work to continue, minimal disruptions and distractions from internal and external sources, and wisdom and practical abilities for the project teams to give of their best to this work. *“Unless the LORD builds the house, the builders labour in vain”* applies very much to the restoration of the Cathedral Nave.



# STAY CONNECTED

with the Cathedral



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)



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)



### 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)



### 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)



## JOIN OUR TEAM

The following pastoral positions are open for application:

- Children Ministry Pastoral Staff/Worker
- Worship Ministry Pastoral Staff
- Youth Ministry Pastoral Staff/Pastor

Find out more at  
<https://cathedral.org.sg/page/job-opportunities-cathedral>



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## ANGLICAN LAY TRAINING

DIOCESAN THEOLOGICAL STUDIES

JAN - DEC 2022

[Registration details available here](#)

## DIOCESE CERTIFICATE OF BIBLICAL STUDIES

Online  
Thursdays 7.30pm - 9.00pm

MORE DETAILS AT

<https://sph.org.sg/school-of-biblical-studies/>

## CYCLE OF PRAYER 2022

DIOCESAN  
DIGEST



## DIOCESAN DIGEST

July 2022 <https://anglican.org.sg/diocesan-digest/>



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# 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

Receipts will not be issued for online givings.

## 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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**Tithes & Offerings:** Your tithes and offerings will be used to support the ministries of the Church as well as the wider body of Christ in the world. Your givings enable the Church to carry out our mission according to the Church's budget plan, as well as to respond to the needs around us.

**Designated Givings:** As Cathedral is required to comply with applicable laws and regulations, including those governing charities, the Church can accept designated givings only for such mission partners and/or causes as the Church may determine at its discretion from time to time. Givings to other mission partners or causes will be treated as general offerings to support the ministries of the Church. Please email [finance@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:finance@cathedral.org.sg) for clarification on designated mission partners and causes.

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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