

ST ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL THE DIOCESE OF SINGAPORE

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13/14 AUGUST 2022

COLLECT NINTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Father of mankind, who gave your onlybegotten Son to take upon himself the form of a servant and to be obedient. even to death on a cross: give us the same mind that was in Christ Jesus that. sharing his humility, we may come to be with him in his glory; who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

LECTIONARY READINGS

Isaiah 5:1-7

Hebrews 11:29-12:2

Luke 12:49-56



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PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

THE WORLD

Pray for the easing of heightened tensions around Taiwan and for the restoration of cooperation between the United States and China on the pressing issue of climate change. Pray for an end to the war in Ukraine and the political crisis in Myanmar, through peaceful means. Pray for good management and control of COVID-19 in countries which are experiencing surges from the rapidly transmissible COVID-19 variants. Pray that the church will arise and shine the light of the gospel in the deepening darkness that is engulfing the world.

SINGAPORE

Our Future

Pray for our 4G leaders as they continue to formulate long term plans for Singapore's continued growth. Pray for fresh and bold ideas for major developments in physical infrastructure, economic and social resilience. Pray that our "collective dreams and aspirations" for Singapore will "transform the way we live, work and play, while strengthening our roots and heritage" (PM Lee).

National Day Thanksgiving Service (18 August, 7.45 pm)

Pray for the Lord's presence to be among us as we gather to remember His goodness and to give Him thanks for watching over Singapore in the past 57 years. Pray for God's anointing upon Bishop Dr Gordon Wong as he brings God's word to us in this season.

DIOCESE

My Saviour's Church

Pray that the church will grow in 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 that the church will be a community of disciples who will be accountable to one another and grow in love for one another.

CATHEDRAL

Saturday Life (20 Aug, 7.30 pm)

Pray for an enriching time of learning from speaker Jeremy Gwee as our Cathedral young adults gather to listen as well as to discuss how they can live out their faith in the arena of their work. Pray that this gathering will also be an opportune time for them to share life together and to forge strong community bonds.

Alpha Weekend (2, 3 Sept 2022)

Pray for God's anointing upon the team as they prepare to deliver God's word during the Alpha Weekend. Pray for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on every participant; that each one will encounter the Holy Spirit in a very personal and special way. Pray for the gifts of the Holy Spirit to be manifest and for all to receive salvation in Christ.

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		

- * There is no Youth service on the last Sunday of the month.
- Service will be live-streamed at 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



Children Ministry (Preschool - Sec 2)

Shalom Friends 3

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 <u>cathedral.org.sg/nextgen</u> or contact <u>nextgen@cathedral.org.sg</u>

Wednesday 12.30pm Holy Communion Service at the Pavilion

Practers from

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?

AUG 3 Prayer of Jonah

AUG 24 Prayer of Nehemiah

10 Prayer of Hezekiah

31 Prayer of Solomon

17 Prayer of Moses

Sep 7 Prayer of Daniel

2022 FOCUS A DEEPER LIFE IN CHRIST

first Love

Unity and Maturity in the Body of Christ

Jul 30 & 31

Paul's Letter to the Ephesians: An Overview

Revd Christopher Chan

Aug 6 & 7

Blessed with Every Spiritual Blessing

Revd Moses Israeli

Aug 13 & 14

Sealed with the Holy Spirit

Revd Canon Lewis Lew

Aug 20 & 21

Hope, Glory, and Power

Revd Christopher Chan

Aug 27 & 28

Saved by Grace for Good Works

Revd Andrew Yap

Sep 3 & 4

The Church: Made One in Christ

Revd 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

Revd Joshua Raj

Sep 24 & 25

The Church: Unity in the Body of

Christ

Revd Christopher Chan

Follow our weekly reflection questions at: cathedral.org.sg/ss



National Day Thanksgiving Service 2022

Let us come together to seek the Lord for Singapore

Thursday 18 August, 7:45pm to 8:45pm St Andrew's Cathedral, New Sanctuary Message by Bishop Dr Gordon Wong "Peaceful Peacemakers"

Registration is not required.



WORK:

A Challenge to Living your Faith?

Many people work for a living. Work is their life, and when life goes through its difficulties it is likely because of work. Work can affect their families, and their health and even be a major arena for the battle of their souls. "We spend many of our waking hours at work. We are besieged daily by hundreds of work-related thoughts and decisions that lead to good or evil." (Steven and Ung)

Is your work making it difficult for you to live your faith?

SATURDAY LIFE

Quarterly gathering for the Cathedral's young adults and their friends where we talk about LIFE and share LIFE together.

Registration: https://forms.gle/DVTEVjeNGPMtuvHC9

20 August 7.30pm - 9.45pm Dinner will be served from 6.30pm

Speaker: Jeremy Gwee

Finance.

Jeremy Gwee was a career banker for thirty-eight years. In his semi-retirement, over the past four years,

he consulted, coached, and mentored business executives, business owners, and start-up founders, He is also an adjunct lecturer with several universities teaching banking, finance, sustainability, ethics, and governance and an adjunct coach with the Institute of Banking and

BUSINESS NETWORKING, A CHRISTIAN DILEMMA

"The workplace is a major arena for the battle of their souls. We spend many of our waking hours at work. We are besieged daily by hundreds of work-related thoughts and decisions that lead to good or evil." (Steven and Ung)

Business networking is an area of work that can conflict with Christian values. How can Christians prepare themselves as they network to do business and yet not betray their faith?

Saturday, 27 August 2022, 10am-12nn via 700m

Registration: https://forms.gle/1T2u53NPJQ2Gqrms9 Registration deadline: 25 August 2022

SPEAKER

Francis Chong is the APAC Vice President of Collinson Assistance. He is also your ordinary day to day person who has gone through the rigours of life. Fallen in faith, restored and fully walking in Grace and His sonship, Francis' passion now is to release the Father's love mandate and restore sonship.

BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION

APTISM 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
Sun 2 Oct, 11.30am Service

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 5 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 with your contact details

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!

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



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:

Thursdays, 7pm to 9.30pm

Sep 29 (onsite@SAC)

Oct 6, 13, 20 & 27 (via Zoom@mentors' homes)

Nov 3 (onsite@SAC)

Closing Date: 26 Sep or when fully booked

Registration: https://forms.gle/DdeFMuNGP88Bj7mj8

For enquiries, please email to mpc@cathedral.org.sg

How to overcome the fear of death

The fear of death keeps disturbing us and we try to get rid of it by trying many things, but all in vain. The only good thing that our fear of death does for us is to drive us to Jesus – our only hope. There in His presence, we will find new life. There we will gain a divine Friend who will walk with us through life, through death, and into eternal life. Discover how when we think seriously about death, we are led to think seriously about life.

25 August, 10.30am to 12pm via Zoom

Speaker: Bishop Robert Solomon



Registration deadline: 24 August 2022

For more details, email to davidng@cathedral.org.sg or WhatsApp David Ng at 98332786



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

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



AUGUST 2022

Update on Nave Restoration Works

e praise and thank God for His wonderful provisions. We have recently seen a promising increase of workers on the site which has in turn, brought about an increase in work activities at both the internal and external of the main building. Arrangements are underway for more workers to come on board, which should help us better the percentage of the catch-up programme work. While the contractor is behind schedule, the contractor is making effort to catch-up with the Master Schedule.

Works on the external scaffolding are nearing completion. It has reached the South side of the building and will be making its way to the East Side of the building within 2 weeks.

The removal of paint at the East Side external walls have commenced and the removal of hollow plaster will take place this coming week. Special care was taken to remove the different layers of paint from the emblems at the North Side Balconies of the building. This will help us to ascertain the original colour of wall of bricks the emblems as well as to preserve its artwork.

The sub-contractor that was invited to quote for the erection of the scaffold of the Bell Tower has withdrawn its bid. The contractor will continue to invite others to quote for the works, and we hope and pray that the contractor will be able to keep to the August schedule for the erection of the scaffold at the Bell Tower to start.

Inside the Nave, removal of the areas of hollow plaster at the South and West side are nearing completion. Works on the North Side will commence this coming week. Rising damp treatment, biocide as well as salt treatment will take place at the North Side once the plasters are removed. Paint removal is in progress at areas that do not need plaster removal.

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.



Biocide treatment on exposed wall of bricks



Paint removal external

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with the Cathedral



For children, youth and young adults

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

cathedral.org.sg/nextgen



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



NAVE RESTORATION PROJECT

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



m cathedral.org.sg/restoration





Member Contact Details

Update your contact details held in the SAC records at:



cathedral.org.sg/membership





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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



CAR PARK

Members who wish to park at the SAC car park with member rates must submit their application at: https://cathedral.org.sg/carpark For enquiries, please email carpark@cathedral.org.sg



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Online Thursdays 7.30pm - 9.00pm

MORE DETAILS AT

https://sph.org.sg/school-ofbiblical-studies/

CYCLE OF PRAYER 2022



DIOCESAN DIGEST July 2022 https://anglican.org.sg/diocesan-digest/



For job opportunities in the Anglican Diocese, please visit anglican.org.sg/work-with-us/

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GIVE tithes and offerings



2 WAYS TO GIVE



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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

FOR TITHES AND OFFERINGS.

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 for clarification on designated mission partners and causes.

FOR THE HERITAGE FUND

Cheques – Pay to "St Andrew's Cathedral".

Write "Heritage Fund" on the reverse side and include your name and mailing address.

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Account Number: DBS Autosave 033-019550-8

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