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2022 FOCUS  
A DEEPER LIFE IN CHRIST

RETURNING TO OUR  
**first Love**

Sermon on 1/2 October  
**A New Way of Life**  
*Ephesians 4:17-24*

*Revd Daniel Lim*

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

1/2 OCTOBER 2022

## COLLECT SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish in us all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## LECTIONARY READINGS

Lamentations 1:1-6

2 Timothy 1:1-14

Luke 17:5-10



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# THE VICAR WRITES

REVD CANON DR LEWIS LEW

*<sup>46</sup>Then King Nebuchadnezzar fell upon his face and paid homage to Daniel, and commanded that an offering and incense be offered up to him. <sup>47</sup>The king answered and said to Daniel, "Truly, your God is God of gods and Lord of kings, and a revealer of mysteries, for you have been able to reveal this mystery." (Daniel 2:46-47).*

Five times in the Book of Daniel (Daniel 2:46-47; 3:28-30; 4:1-3; 4:34-35 & 4:37), Nebuchadnezzar the greatest king of Babylon, a pagan worshipper, honoured and praised God. Nebuchadnezzar was famously known for his military campaign and construction projects. He was the greatest king of the Chaldean dynasty and he had conquered Syria, the Palestinian countries, and Israel, and turned Babylon into a prosperous city. As part of his military campaign, he had destroyed the Temple of Jerusalem and forced the Jewish people into exile. It was during his reign that Daniel was given high honours and many great gifts, and was made ruler over the whole province of Babylon and chief prefect over all the wise men (Daniel 2:48). Together with his good friends, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego they served in Nebuchadnezzar's court while remaining faithful to the Lord.

He prided himself on his achievements. "Is not this great Babylon, which I have built by my mighty power as a royal residence and for the glory of my majesty?" (Dan 4:30) and it was also obvious that he was not a man who feared men or god. So, what had caused Nebuchadnezzar, a pagan king, known to

be a tyrant and a ruthless conqueror to bow his heart and face to worship God? Nebuchadnezzar had witnessed the power of God through Daniel, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego. Daniel and his friends had refused to defile themselves with the king's food and wine, and emerged stronger (Dan 1:8-21). Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego had refused to bow down and worship the golden image of Nebuchadnezzar (Dan 3:8-15), and God delivered Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego from the fiery furnace (Dan 3:16-18). Moreover, Daniel carried out his duty and responsibility relying solely on the power and wisdom of God (Dan 2:19-23; 31-45 & 4:19-27).

Most of us work in the marketplace and we have colleagues, superiors and bosses who are pre-believers. How do we carry ourselves as witnesses for Jesus Christ? What can we learn from the faith and life of Daniel, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, in drawing our pre-believing colleagues and bosses to experience God, and for them to bow their hearts and face to God? Pray and ask God for His Holy Spirit to empower and enable you to be a faithful witness for Jesus Christ in the marketplace.



# PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

## THE WORLD

Pray against the use of nuclear weapons in the ongoing war in Ukraine; for the de-escalation of rising US-China tensions over Taiwan; for peace and stability in countries undergoing leadership transitions. For Myanmar, pray that in the midst of the darkness, the Gospel of Christ will shine forth; that Christians will remain steadfast in faith and draw strength from Christ's suffering on the cross. Pray that they will continue to put their hope in God for protection and deliverance in the midst of the chaos and crisis in their land.

## SINGAPORE

Pray for Minister for Sustainability and the Environment Grace Fu and her team to be divinely guided as they make concrete plans and take firm actions to build a sustainable future for Singaporeans. Pray that everyone in Singapore across all spectrums of our society, will embrace the Singapore Green Plan 2030 and work together to effectively advance our national agenda on sustainable development.

## DIOCESE

### Diocese of Singapore

Pray for our Bishop the Rt Revd Dr Titus Chung, Assistant Bishop the Rt Revd Low Jee King, Archdeacon of Singapore Ven Daniel Wee, Archdeacon of Social Services Ven Wong Tak Meng, priests, deaconesses, and our Diocesan

leadership who are overseeing various areas of Diocesan work, that God will grant them wisdom and strength to steward well what He has entrusted to our Diocese.

### Province of South East Asia

Pray for Archbishop of the Province of South East Asia, the Most Revd Datuk Melter Tais who is also the Bishop of the Diocese of Sabah, the Rt Revd Datuk Danald Jute, Bishop of the Diocese of Kuching, the Rt Revd Dr Steven Abbarow, Bishop of the Diocese of West Malaysia, and the Rt Revd Dr Titus Chung, Bishop of the Diocese of Singapore, that they will lead the Province of South East Asia and their Dioceses, in the grace of God and under the mighty anointing of the Holy Spirit, to accomplish God's divine plans for the Province.

## CATHEDRAL

### A spiritual oasis

Pray that the Cathedral will be a spiritual oasis in the heart of the city, where the thirsty will find spiritual refreshment and the weary will find rest for their souls.

### Hokkien Service (Saturday, 2.30 pm)

Pray for good response to the upcoming Hokkien baptism course (8 Saturdays from 8 Oct - 26 Nov). Pray that members will make time to seek the Lord together during their bi-weekly mid-day fast & pray (1st & 3rd Fridays of the month, 12 noon-2pm at Chapel for All Peoples). Pray for the pastoral staff, Tony and Jamie, as well as the volunteer leaders to have divine wisdom and strength to care for the seniors.



# 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](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

# Changes to Services and Vehicular Access from 28 Sept to 3 Oct



## Changes to Services

Due to the F1 Singapore Grand Prix 2022, the following services will be cancelled:

**1 Oct, Sat - 4 pm, 5.30 pm**

**2 Oct, Sun - 4.30 pm**

All other services on 2 Oct will continue at their usual timings.

## Church and Car Park Operating Hours

From 28 Sept - 3 Oct, the church and car park operating hours remain unchanged except on the following days:

**30 Sept, Fri - 9.00 am to 3.00 pm**

**1 Oct, Sat - 9.00 am to 3.00 pm**

**2 Oct, Sun - 6.30 am to 3.00 pm**



With the road closures around the Cathedral from 28 Sep to 3 Oct, delays in public transport and traffic jams are to be expected. Members and visitors are advised to plan their journeys ahead of time and can refer to the Road Access & Public Transport Guide at <https://go.gov.sg/f1> for more information. All drivers and members are reminded to exercise extra patience and care during this busy period.

# Next 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)

## REDISCOVERING THE ANGLICAN CHURCH

Every Thurs 7.30pm, 6 Oct - 10 Nov 2022, via Zoom

This lay training course by St Peter's Hall will cover the history and biblical teachings behind The Anglican Daily Office which involves scripture reading and prayer.

**Instructors: Revd Canon Terry Wong, Revd Ian Chew and team**

**Dates: 6 October to 10 November 2022, Thursdays**

**Time 7.30pm - 9pm, via Zoom**

Register via <https://tinyurl.com/rtacoffice>

For more details, visit the Diocesan website at [anglican.org.sg](https://anglican.org.sg)

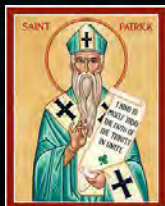
Wednesday 12.30pm Holy Communion Service  
Sermon Series from Sept 14 to Advent 2022

What is our vision of God that  
inspires, encourages, motivates,  
challenges, guides and draws us to God  
and his mission?

This will be our focus in the  
new sermon series ...



# BE THOU MY VISION



This Irish hymn is a favourite and a source of inspiration for many of us. It originated from an ancient Irish folk song with words from a prayer by St Patrick, the pioneer missionary to Ireland for 30 years in the 5th Century. It was translated into English from the Celtic language early in the 1900s and it became the hymn as we know it today. The words in the hymn allude to Jer 9:23-24 and 1 Cor 1:26-31.

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

Oct 1 & 2

**A New Way of Life**

Revd Daniel Lim

Oct 8 & 9

**Love One Another:**

**Members of One Body**

Revd Moses Israeli

Oct 15 & 16

**Walk in Love as Children of Light**

Revd Christopher Chan

Oct 22 & 23

**Love One Another:**

**Wives and Husbands**

Revd Canon Dr Lewis Lew

Oct 29 & 30

**Love One Another:**

**Children and Parents**

Mr Jason Wong

Nov 5 & 6

**Love One Another:**

**Servants and Masters**

Archdeacon Wong Tak Meng

Nov 12 & 13

**Ready for War:**

**The Armour of God**

Revd Christopher Chan

Nov 19 & 20

**Prayer and Partnership**

**for the Gospel**

Revd Andrew Yap

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# BAPTISM

Please pray for these brothers and sisters who will be baptised  
on **8 October 2022 at the Saturday 4.00pm Service.**

Adam Teo Chun

Arielle Yang Ai Rui

Chan Eng Chong

Chan Lai Har

Charmaine Liew Jiao Hui

Chloe Lee Shu Wen

Chua Pei Na, Anna Danica

Dai Yaxin

Eloni

Ezra James Ng

Fabian Leong Jun Keng

Gabriel Ngoo Zhen Yu

Gabrielle Ngoo Chen Yu

Gracia Chua Rui En

Gu Xuanhui

Janelle Ngoo Zhuo Ting

Josephine Goh Hin Jong

Joshua Tan Yong Jun

Kng Hwee Hoon

Lau Seng Cheong

Lee Duan Zhe Abdiel

Lee Guo Wei, Jonathan

Lee Soon Chye

Lily Chew

Lim Mui Hoon

Loh Jia Wen

Loh Kheng Fang

Low Aley

Maxime Kai En Coro

Nicole Isabella Boon Xi Lya

Nigel Poon Wei Chun

Philip King Wickham II

Poh Jia Le Caleb

Tan Mey Ling

Thaddeus Tan Loo Kai

Toh Edwin

Vivian Lau Ming Yen

Donations for flowers

*In memory of*

Rosalind Lee Ying Khuan and Joseph See Yeok Seck





# 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>



**W**e call on everyone in the Cathedral Family to daily join us in prayer and deep intercession to God for the ongoing Nave Restoration works. Thanks be to God.

*Heavenly Father, we continue to thank You for Your faithful love for us that never ends and Your mercy which never ceases. They are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness.*

*Lord, You are God. You created the heavens and earth and put everything in place. You made the world to be lived in, not to be a place of empty chaos. You are our Lord and there is no other. Thank You, Father, for being a wall of fire and protection around our congregations, families and those involved in the restoration of our Cathedral Nave building. We seek for God's Kingdom to come and God's will to be done on earth as it is in heaven, for the Cathedral Nave restoration project. We know that You will make our thoughts agreeable to Your will, so that the plans for this project may be established and succeed.*

*We continue to Praise and Thank You, Father in Heaven, for the progress that has been made in the past weeks. We thank You for blessing us with a steady stream of competent general workers and skilled labourers, who through their weathered hands and perspired foreheads, show their dedication to the work involved. We have commenced plastering works at the East Side. Plastering works to the North Side will commence next week. Bricks surface preparations towards the West Porch are in progress and it will be followed shortly by the plastering works. We continue to seek You, Lord, for the availability of all materials needed for the ongoing works.*

*The erection of the scaffold at the bell tower is now at its ¾ mark. It should reach the top within the next 2 weeks. We pray, Lord, for the safety of the scaffolders as they complete the scaffolding to the bell tower. Scaffolding works will commence inside the Nave in October.*

*Trenching works inside the Nave has commenced*



Above left:  
Trenching works



Above right:  
Scaffolding reaching the top



Right: Brick replacement

*and we pray that the trenches will be ready by the end of October, so that the laying of the electrical cables can commence.*

*We lift up the main contractor, Shanghai Chong Kee Furniture & Construction Pte Ltd, and all sub-contractors, vendors and consultants, and all their staff and workers, unto You. Protect them, Lord, from the evils of rushing, complacency, and distraction that may cause unnecessary injuries. Give them the ability to know the dangers before them, and the alertness and skills to avoid them.*

*We continue to pray for Your favour Lord, over the restoration - for skilled workers to be available, for a safe and peaceful environment for the work to continue with 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.*

*In Jesus Name, we pray. Amen.*

# STAY CONNECTED

with the Cathedral



**Next GEN**  
MINISTRY

For children, youth and young adults

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



**N A V E**  
RESTORATION PROJECT

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

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



**Cell Group**

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**Member Contact Details**

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## 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>



## 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](mailto:carpark@cathedral.org.sg)



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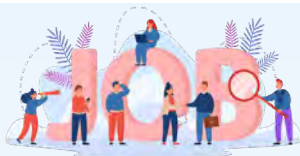
CYCLE OF PRAYER 2022

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# GIVE

## tithes and offerings



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

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## 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](mailto:finance@cathedral.org.sg) for clarification on designated mission partners and causes.

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