



Sermon on 14/15 Jan 2023

Living in Righteousness

Romans 1:18-32

Rev'd Andrew Yap

Live-streamed services at
7.30am and 9.30am via
cathedral.org.sg/youtube

14/15 JAN 2023

COLLECT

SECOND 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 49:1-7

1 Corinthians 1:1-9

John 1:29-42

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PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

THE WORLD

Pray for continued vigilance by world governments in monitoring the emergence of new COVID-19 variants, that timely action may be taken to protect the world's population. For countries devastated by floods, earthquakes and natural disasters, pray for timely provision of aid to affected people groups and the preservation of lives. Pray for the restoration of righteousness and the alleviation of suffering in countries impacted by war and oppressive regimes.

SINGAPORE

Pray for our government as they balance the need for Singapore to be an open trading economy and regional air hub with the need to ensure the safety of our airport personnel and the general public. Pray for wisdom to restore air connectivity with China in a safe and orderly way. Pray also for Transport Minister, S Iswaran and his ministry as they coordinate with all agencies and stakeholders to gear up Changi Airport to full operational capacity.

DIOCESE

St Andrew's City Church

Pray that the seeds sown at the Christmas Service last year will blossom; that the bonds between the youths will grow stronger and that members will learn the

unforced rhythm of grace from Jesus in their daily life (Matthew 11:28)

St Hilda's Church

Praise God for his faithfulness over the last 88 years; for Revd Calvin Tan and his family in his new posting to St John's-St Margaret's. Pray for the church's community services' Chinese New Year Outreach in Kampong Arang and for the chaplaincy work at St Hilda's kindergarten as a new term begins in 2023.

CATHEDRAL

Open doors for the gospel

Pray that our members will be ready to share the gospel with relatives and friends during the Lunar New Year when there are open doors of opportunity. Pray for many hearts to turn to Christ through the faithful witness of His people.

Alpha@Workplace (15 Mar - 3 May 2023)

Pray for good support from employers for the Cathedral's Alpha@Workplace initiative starting 15 March; for the provision of small group facilitators and for the Holy Spirit to draw many seekers to this event. Pray that church members, especially those in the marketplace, will seize every opportunity to invite their pre-believing colleagues to this event.

SERVICES AT THE CATHEDRAL

In English		
TIME	HOLY COMMUNION	VENUE
Sat 4.00 pm	2nd and 4th week	CNS
Sat 5.30 pm	Last week	Pavilion
Sun 7.30 am 	Weekly	CNS
Sun 9.30 am 	2nd and 4th week	Pavilion
Sun 11.30 am	Weekly	CNS
Sun 1.30 pm (Youth*)		Prayer Halls
Sun 4.30 pm	Weekly	CNS
Wed 12.30 pm	Weekly	Pavilion
In other languages		
Sat 2.30 pm (Hokkien)	1st week	Chapel for All Peoples
Sun 8.30 am (Tamil)	Weekly	Chapel for All Peoples
Sun 2.30 pm (Myanmar)	Weekly	CNS

* There is no Youth service on the last Sunday of the month.



Service will be live-streamed at cathedral.org.sg/youtube

Services on Chinese New Year Weekend

Date	Services in English	Services in other languages
21 Jan (Sat)	4pm	
22 Jan (Sun)	7.30am 9.30am 11.30am	8.30am (Tamil) 9.30am (Chinese) 2.30pm (Myanmar)



2024



2023 SERMON SERIES

Jan 1

An Overview of Romans
Rev'd Canon Lewis Lew

Jan 7 & 8

Be Unashamed of the Gospel
Rev'd Christopher Chan

Jan 14 & 15

Living in Righteousness
Rev'd Andrew Yap

Jan 21 & 22

Do Not Judge Others
Rev'd Joshua Raj/
Rev'd Moses Israeli

Jan 28 & 29

God's Impartial Judgement
Rev'd Canon Lewis Lew

Feb 4 & 5

Privilege Brings Responsibility
- Upholding Righteousness
Rev'd Dr Tan Soo Inn

Feb 11 & 12

Nothing Makes Us Righteous
Except Christ
Rev'd Christopher Chan

Feb 18 & 19

Justified by Faith
Rev'd Daniel Lim

Follow our weekly reflection questions at:

cathedral.org.sg/ss

Wednesday 12.30pm Holy Communion Service

He Must Increase...

In Epiphany, we behold the Christ who has come as man into our midst. How should we respond to him? In our sermon series for Epiphany, we look at how God's people in Luke's Gospel respond to Jesus Christ.

VENUE: PAVILION

**PRAYER
+ PRAISE
27 Jan 2023
7.14PM**

EVERY FOURTH FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

cathedral.org.sg/praise

NextGEN MINISTRY



The NextGen Ministry brings together the Children Ministry, Youth Ministry and Young Adult Ministry with the aim of building up every child towards spiritual maturity as they grow from a toddler into adulthood.

CHILDREN MINISTRY PROGRAMME(3 – 12 years)

Please register at
[Children Ministry Registration Form](#)



Ministry	Level	Day/Time	Venue
Shalom Friends*	6 to 16 yrs	Saturday 2:30pm	SAC
CityKids	Preschool to Primary 6	Saturday 4:00pm	SAC
FaithKids 1	Preschool to Primary 6	Sunday 9:30am	The Adelphi
FaithKids 2	Preschool to Primary 6	Sunday 11:15am	SAC



*Shalom Friends reaches out to children and youth with Autism. Due to the nature of the ministry, Shalom Friends will cater to youths up to 16 years old.

To find out more about the Children Ministry,
contact nextgen@cathedral.org.sg



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Ministry, contact nextgen@cathedral.org.sg

Or click on the quarterly newsletter to catch
up on the latest updates.

BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION

BAPTISM COURSE

FOR ADULTS

Sun 26 Feb - 19 Mar

(4 lessons)

2pm - 4.30pm

FOR YOUTHS (aged 14 and above)

Sat 25 Feb - 18 Mar

(4 lessons)

1pm - 3.30pm

FOR YOUTHS & ADULTS

BAPTISM SERVICE

Sat 25 Mar, 5.30pm Service

CONFIRMATION COURSE

FOR ADULTS

Sun 26 Mar, 2, 16, 30 Apr

(4 lessons)

2pm - 4.30pm

FOR YOUTHS (aged 14 and above)

Sat 1, 8, 15, 29 Apr

(4 lessons)

1pm - 3.30pm

FOR YOUTHS & ADULTS

CONFIRMATION RETREAT

Sat 6 May, 1- 5pm

CONFIRMATION SERVICE

Sun 7 May, 11.30pm Service

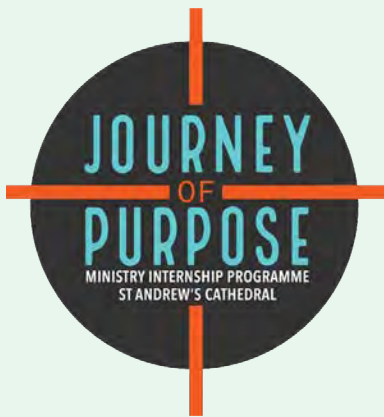
All lessons, Baptism Service, Confirmation Retreat
and Confirmation Service will be conducted onsite.

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

or register at <https://form.jotform.com/230100296303440>

Registration closing date : 22 Feb 2023

For any enquiry, please email sacce@cathedral.org.sg with your contact details



A 40-WEEK PERSONAL AND INTENTIONAL JOURNEY OF INTIMACY WITH JESUS,

starting 28 February 2023.

There are 3 modules, with a different emphasis in each module.

Module 1 – LOVED (Identity in Christ)

Includes topics like identity, self-discovery, relationships and foundational Christian disciplines

Module 2 – SHAPED (Transformation in Christ)

Includes topics like worship, prayer, community life, spiritual leadership and stewardship.

Module 3 – CALLED (Calling by God)

Includes topics like evangelism, missions, media and the arts, understanding worldviews, and integrating faith and work.

A typical week is holistically curated, with personal and community devotions, sermon reflections, lectures, practicum, worshipping and serving at church services, community service, and Sabbath rest. Some evenings will be spent in prayer, studying the Word of God, and cell groups.

More information can be found at

JOURNEY OF PURPOSE

Open to members of St Andrew's Cathedral only.

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



hey friend,
are you chasing
after the wind?

'Study hard, graduate, get a good job, build a career, get married, start a family, and then...' Is this the Singapore dream, or is there more to pursue in life? Are we – in the words of the writer in the book of Ecclesiastes – “chasing after the wind”, or seeking something more meaningful in life?

Join Darius Lee as we engage in an honest and intimate conversation, as we journey together in a world where the interaction between work, faith and life can sometimes be unpleasant, even challenging.

sat, 11 february | 6.30pm - 9.45pm



About the Speaker:

Darius Lee is a lawyer by training. He holds a Masters of International Law and Human Rights from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. He has written about his journey of discipleship in his book, Like a Fire in My Bones: A Journey of Discipleship.

Dinner will be served from 6.30pm to 7.30pm. Registration is required.

Please register @ <https://tinyurl.com/satlife>

To find out more, contact nextgen@cathedral.org.sg



THE PARENTING TEENAGERS COURSE

The Parenting Teenagers Course is for parents and care-givers of teenagers aged 11-18 years, looking for practical support to strengthen their family relationships and to prepare their teenagers for life.

The
Parenting
Teenagers
Course

**Learn practical
parenting skills and
tips with video talks
and small group
conversations.**

Over eight sessions, the course will help you to:

- Keep your long-term aim in mind
- Meet your teenager's needs
- Set clear boundaries
- Develop emotional health
- Help them make good choices

The course will be conducted on-site and online via Zoom. Open to participants residing in Singapore.

Dates/Times:

8 Thursday nights

2 Feb (on-site):

7.30 - 9.30pm

9, 16, 23 Feb, 2, 9, 23 Mar (online):

8pm - 9.30pm

30 March (on-site) :

7.30 - 9.30pm

Fee: \$25 per person or
\$45 per couple



Closing date for registration: 22 January 2023
Please register at <https://tinyurl.com/FLMtpc2023>

Developed by Nicky and Sila Lee from Holy Trinity Brompton, London, this course is part of the series of programmes offered by Alpha Singapore. SAC conducts this course regularly.

For more information, please email us at familylife@cathedral.org.sg

cathedral.org.sg/alpha

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EXPLORE

Life • Faith • Meaning

8 Feb - 3 May, Wed • 7pm - 9pm
(No sessions on 22 Feb & 5th Apr)

St Andrew's Cathedral, Prayer Halls

[Sign up here](#)

Alpha



St Andrew's Cathedral

ALPHA

@ Workplace

EXPLORE Life • Faith • Meaning

A series of interactive sessions where marketplace professionals can explore life, faith and meaning in a safe and honest space

15 Mar - 3 May 2023 and 5&6 May
12pm - 1pm

Venue: City Hall Area

Sign up here

www.cathedral.org.sg/alpha

Reach out to us at alpha@cathedral.org.sg

SMF Talk

THE CALEB SECRET

JOSHUA 14:6-14

9 February 2023 | 10.30am to 12pm

SPEAKER **BISHOP ROBERT SOLOMON**
VIA ZOOM

Please register by 8 Feb 2023

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

ISRAEL STUDY TOUR 2023

The Life and Ministry of Jesus

organised by Bishop Kuan Kim Seng

15-27 Nov 2023

A briefing for this tour will be conducted on 4 March (2.00-3.00 pm)
at St. John's Chapel (Agape Room, Level 2).

Contact Susan at suekk@patmos.org.sg to register for the briefing.

MEMBER CARE

MINISTRY

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 follows:

- 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 or call 6337 6104. To find out more about the ministry or volunteer with us, please visit <https://cathedral.org.sg/care>



Care for Married Couples and Families

Families aren't perfect.

We struggle with

- intimacy
- lack of communication
- miscommunication
- parenting
- child discipline
- money issues
- different priorities

We want to walk alongside you.

With us, you'll find

- counselling
- a listening ear
- spiritual and emotional support
- a safe space to speak



If we can be of help to you, scan or click on the QR code above to fill out a form, or reach out to us at membercare@cathedral.org.sg or 6337 6104.



Sharing the Love of Christ with the workers during this Christmas Season.

Progress has been slow in December. The workers need materials that have yet to arrive, such as lime plaster. We are in discussion with the various suppliers and the main contractor, and we hope to resolve the delay in the supply of materials soon. The workers affected by the shortage of materials are presently working at the bell tower.

There are 32 levels to the bell tower. The workers have completed 90% of the paint removal from Levels 12 to 32, and have removed all the hollow sections of plaster found at these levels. Initial investigations carried out by the Cathedral's technical team after the removal of the hollow sections indicated that almost all the cement plasters found at Levels 18 to 24 may need to be removed. A closer study of these areas will be carried out in the first week of January 2023 to confirm the initial findings. If the initial findings are correct, we can expect a delay in the removal of the bell tower scaffolding that was earlier scheduled for end January 2023.

Please continue to pray for the smooth supply of lime plaster materials, the scaffold materials needed for the remaining parts of the Nave, the safety of all workers and the technical team, especially when working at heights and for good weather, so that all works can continue smoothly and safely.

We continue to Praise and Thank God for

the progress we have made thus far in the other areas. The sub-contractor for the reinforced concrete works to the trenches will commence works in January, and we have acquired the services of a painting sub-contractor. Once we have the lime plaster materials to apply onto the "repaired" walls, after the completion of the final skim coat to the external walls, painting to these walls will commence shortly.

We wish to thank our members, from both the English and the Mandarin congregations, who have stepped forward to share the Love of Christ with the workers over the Christmas season. Working together with the SAC Missions team, the workers were given a backpack filled with necessities and goodies, a sumptuous Nasi Briyani Lunch and a Love gift. The joy expressed by the workers, as seen from their faces and appreciation shown were indeed a testimony of God's Love and Hope. We Praise and Thank God.

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.

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NextGEN
MINISTRY

For children, youth and young adults

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

 cathedral.org.sg/nextgen

 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



**NAVE
RESTORATION PROJECT**

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

 cathedral.org.sg/restoration

 nave_restoration@cathedral.org.sg



Member Contact Details

Update your contact details held in the SAC records at:

 cathedral.org.sg/membership

 membership@cathedral.org.sg



JOIN OUR TEAM

The following pastoral positions are open for application:

- Communications Executive
- NextGen Ministry Administrator
- Ministry Administrative Executive
- Verger

Find out more at cathedral.org.sg/jobs



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JAN - DEC 2022

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CYCLE OF PRAYER 2023

Bishop Titus' Synod Address

Hear Bishop Titus' heart for our diocese in this season!
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On the reverse side of the cheque, you may indicate your Tithing number (if any).

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Cheques can be mailed to
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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.

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