



Sermon on 6/7 May 2023

Dead to Sin and Alive to God

Romans 6:1-14

Rev'd Christopher Chan

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

6/7 MAY 2023

COLLECT FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Almighty God, who alone can bring order to the unruly wills and passions of sinful men: give us grace, to love what you command and to desire what you promise, that in all the changes and chances of this world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where lasting joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

LECTIONARY READINGS

Genesis 8:1-19

Acts 7:55-60

John 14:1-14

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

Auxiliary Deaconess Ds June Tan

PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS



THE WORLD

Thailand – Pray that the elections in Thailand on 14th May; will be orderly and peaceful; that the new government will comprise of men and women who will serve the people well, and that Thailand will be a welcoming refuge for people fleeing from war and strife in their neighbourhood.

East Asia – Pray that the leaders of Philippines, Korea, Japan will strive for peace in the region.

Ukraine – Pray that the deceptions that have been propagated throughout the war will be exposed, that the war on the battlefield will stop and a negotiated settlement will bring peace and enable the peoples of Ukraine and Russia to rebuild their lives.

SINGAPORE

As outbreaks of new strains of bacteria / viruses are reported in animals, pray for the Singapore Food Agency that oversees food safety and security in Singapore to handle these events promptly. Pray that organisations that source for and import food to Singapore, will be alert and diligent to implement measures that protect Singapore from such diseases.

DIOCESE

Marine Parade Christian Centre : Vicar, Canon Terry Wong; Chinese Congregation, Revd Wong Kok Yean

My Saviour's Church : Vicar, Revd Charles Tewel; English Congregation, Revd Michael Lim.

Pray for the Vicars and their team; for fruitful faithful service and God's favour as they pastor their members in the love and knowledge of God. Pray that these parishes will be places of hope and joy for their neighbourhoods.

CATHEDRAL

Pray that members who have signed up for courses to help in various aspects of caring for members will be effective in extending that care to those in need. Pray that members will truly be blessed and grateful for all that God has provided for us, to live as His people.


Continue to pray for the restoration works of the Cathedral and the safety of workers, consultants and project leaders. Pray also for the safety, well-being of our admin and operations staff as they serve in the Cathedral and its grounds; Give them joy and fulfilment in their labour.

14th May - Mother's Day

Let us give thanks to God for mothers, grandmothers, god-mothers, and all those who have been a mother to us – providing, caring, loving, teaching and praying for us.

Pray for God's strength, anointing, and special presence to be with our mothers today and always.

SERVICES AT THE CATHEDRAL

| In English | | |
|---|------------------|------------------------|
| TIME | HOLY COMMUNION | VENUE |
| Sat 4.00 pm | 2nd and 4th week | CNS |
| Sat 5.30pm | 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 2.30 pm (Myanmar) | Weekly | CNS |

* There is no Youth service on the 4th Sunday of the month.

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

CONFIRMATION

Please pray for these brothers and sisters who will be confirmed on Sunday, 7 May 2023, at the 11.30am Worship Service.

Aaron Wong Whye Kit
 Andrea Chng Wen Fang
 Ang Yan Qi
 Anne Goh Eng Neo
 Aricia Loo Lay Hiong
 Chng Teng Kiat
 Chnioh Jia Wey
 Choo Kah Seng
 Daniel Lim
 Elijah Aslan Puk Wei En
 Esther Suraya Puk Rui En
 Eunice Yap Ying Xin
 Eve Yap Ying En
 Gabriel Tan Kwang Joo
 Gabriel Tan Wei En

Han Siting, Trisa
 Hayley Yin Jing Mun
 Hsiong En Qiang, Mark
 Jacques Joel Gidityon
 Jay Joel Ong Jun Jie
 Katie Chan Xin Yi
 Kho Chun Ee
 Koh Jun Xing
 Koh Mengxin
 Kue Thau Boong
 Lam Nan Ying
 Lee Jue Xuan
 Lew Yin Hui, Stephanie
 Luke Cheong Yi En
 Naw Blessing



Ng Jian Sheng Jason
 Ng Weilin, Joy
 Peh Yi Hwei Joel
 Peh Yi Lei Caleb
 Peh Yi Xin Tiffany
 Rayner Ho Hon Kit
 Rishi Kumar Srinivasan
 Tan Jun Heng, Caleb
 Tan Jun Xiang
 Tang Yuloen
 Toh Thien Yam
 Victoria Wah Yi Fen
 Wendy Ong May Lin

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 via [Children Ministry Registration Form](#)



| Ministry | Level | Day/Time | Venue |
|-----------------|---------------------------|--------------------|--|
| Shalom Friends* | 6 to 16 yrs | Saturday 2:00pm | SAC B1 Prayer Halls |
| CityKids | Preschool to Primary 6 | Saturday 4:00pm | SAC B1 Prayer Halls |
| FaithKids 1 | Preschool to Primary 6 | Sunday 9:30am | SAC Welcome Centre (P1-6) Classroom C (Preschool) |
| FaithKids 2 | Preschool to Primary 6 | Sunday 11:15am | SAC B1 Prayer Halls |

*Shalom Friends reaches out to children and youths 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



Click QR code
to register!

The Cathedral Youth Ministry

Metamorphosis

for teens 13 to 15 years

1st & 3rd Sundays of the month

10.45am - 12.15pm

Chapel for All Peoples

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



2023 SERMON SERIES

May 6 & 7

Dead to Sin and Alive to God
Rev'd Christopher Chan

May 13 & 14

**Becoming Slaves of
Righteousness**
Rev'd Moses Israeli

May 20 & 21

What Keeps Us Free From Sin?
Rev'd Alvin Toh

May 27 & 28

Life in the Spirit
Rev'd Canon Dr Lewis Lew

June 3 & 4

Heirs with Christ
Rev'd Christopher Chan

June 10 & 11

**The Holy Spirit Helps Us in
Our Weakness**

June 17 & 18

Guarding Our Faith
Ds Ti Lian Swan

June 24 & 25

That None Should Perish
Rev'd Alvin Toh

Follow our weekly reflection questions at:

cathedral.org.sg/ss

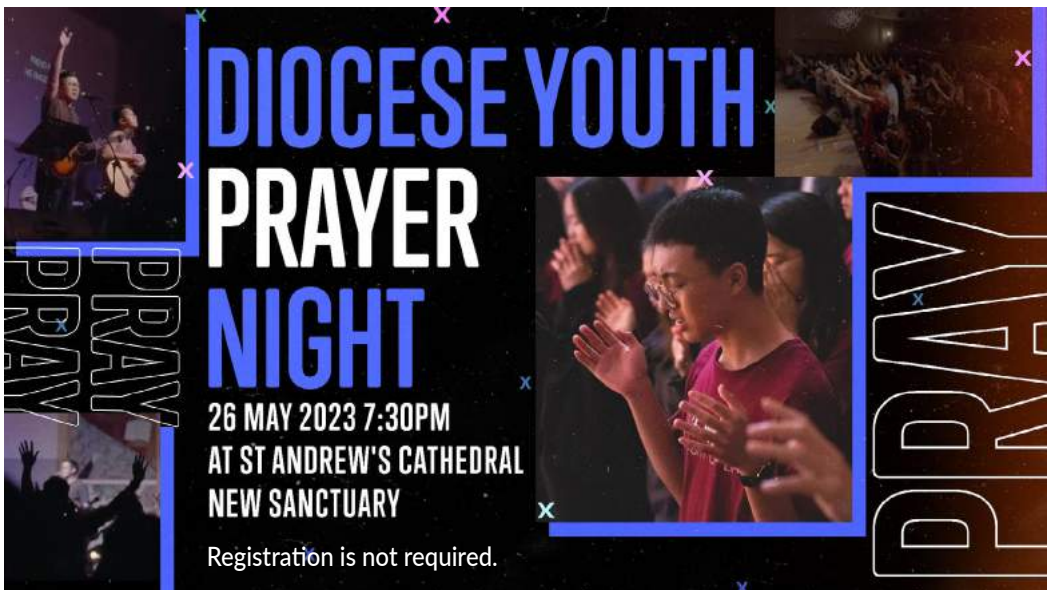
Wednesday 12.30pm Holy Communion Service
Apr 12 - May 31 2023



BEYOND HIS
Resurrection

Unlike the other apostles of Christ, the Apostle Paul was never a disciple of Christ. Paul only met Jesus Christ after His resurrection in his dramatic encounter with Christ on the road to Damascus.

How does Paul see Jesus? What does he tell us in his epistles?
What does knowing Christ beyond his resurrection mean to us?
This will be our focus in the Easter season.



**DIOCESE YOUTH
PRAYER
NIGHT**

26 MAY 2023 7:30PM
AT ST ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL
NEW SANCTUARY

Registration is not required.

REVIVAL happens when young people seek the God of Revivals. Let's not just hope for revival to happen in Singapore (again), but take action by coming together in prayer. Inviting all youths, young adults and all with a heart for the next generation to come and seek the Lord together!

St Andrew's Cathedral



Family Day

Everyone can join!

- Come as a family with your children
- Bring your elderly parents or any family member

53 per pax
28 may 2023
cathedral welcome centre

Learn ways to show love and appreciation towards one another through the 5 love languages!



Register at <https://forms.gle/hQH2jL2LR1VoffAw8>

For enquiries, please email familylife@cathedral.org.sg



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Navigate Life Together

Invest in your relationship and grow closer to each other as you explore important topics such as understanding each other's needs, communicating better, resolving conflict, and addressing past hurts.

Learn to strengthen your marriage with video talks and couple conversations.

The course will be held onsite and online. Open to married couples residing in Singapore.

Dates/Times: 8 Thursdays

June 1 & July 27 (7pm – 9.30pm, St Andrew's Cathedral)

June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 13 & 20 (7.45pm – 10pm, online)

Fee: \$80 per couple (for course packs and onsite meals)

Closing date for registration: 25 May 2023

Please register at <https://tinyurl.com/mr2w9s7d>

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



Cathedral Women's Fellowship

Come and make a fresh flower posy for Mother's Day



13 May 2023 • 2pm-4pm • Cost : \$10

Cathedral Welcome Centre

Closing date for registration: 8 May 2023 • Limited slots

For more details or registration, email cwf@cathedral.org.sg




Love is patient, love is kind...
 It always protects, always trusts,
 always hopes, always perseveres.

Love Never Fails

1 Corinthians 13:4-8

Anchored in God's unfailing love, St. Andrew's Mission Hospital and Singapore Anglican Community Services provide support, care and healing to the nation through our five pillars of services:

Medical, Senior, Psychiatric,
 Autism, as well as Family and Children.

Support our professional work



All donations towards the support of the professional work of SAMH and SACS are eligible for 2.5 times tax deduction.

Donate Now!

SAMH-SACS Sunday 7th May 2023

The Diocese of Singapore has designated 7th May 2023 as the annual SAMH-SACS Sunday. St Andrew's Mission Hospital (SAMH) and Singapore Anglican Community Services (SACS) serve the community with Medical, Senior, Psychiatric, Autism, as well as Family and Children Services.

Please donate to SAMH and SACS Chaplaincy Fund to enable our chaplains to continue caring for the spiritual and emotional needs of our patients/clients and staff with Christ's love. For 2023, SAMH Chaplaincy Funds needs to raise \$650,000, while SACS Chaplaincy Fund needs to raise \$150,000.

Please make cheque donations payable to St. Andrew's Mission Hospital or Singapore Anglican Community Services. Please indicate "For Chaplaincy Fund" on the back of the cheque.

Donations in support of SAMH and SACS Chaplaincy Fund are not eligible for tax deduction.

For prayer pointers for the ministry and other information, please go to <https://anglican.org.sg/samh-sacs-sunday-2023/>

A programme that is Christ-centred and Word-based, offering practical help.

A safe place where others who have had similar experiences come alongside you on your healing and restoration journey.

DIVORCE *Care*

SPECIALLY FOR WOMEN

Dates: alternate Saturdays, 17 June – 2 December

Time: 2:30 – 4:30 pm

Venue: 3 sessions at SAC, 10 sessions via zoom

Cost: \$35 (for workbook)



For more information and registration, scan the QR code, or go to <https://cathedral.org.sg/dc> (limited to 16 participants; closing date 31 May 2023).



For more details, visit <https://www.divorcecare.org/about>
For queries, please email: membercare@cathedral.org.sg

Organised by the Care for the Divorced and Separated Team (Renewing Streams Ministry), Member Care Ministry



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 Divorced 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>



“I HAVE FOUGHT THE GOOD FIGHT, I HAVE FINISHED THE RACE, I HAVE KEPT THE FAITH.”

(2 Timothy 4:7)

What does it all mean to us as Christians to have an eternal life? How and when does one begin to prepare and when we know that death is inevitable and may be imminent for either ourselves or our loved ones? Is there a right time? Does it matter?

Come and join Dr See Hui Ti, Senior Consultant, Medical Oncology at the Parkway Cancer Centre as she shares experiences and insights about the most important and final transition into Heaven.

Date: 11 May 2023
Time: 10am to 12pm
Venue: Prayer Halls A-B



To register for the talk,
WhatsApp David at 98332786 or email davidng@cathedral.org.sg

THE BIBLICAL DEBATE ON HOMOSEXUALITY

Do we really understand what the Bible says about alternate lifestyles? The recent repeal of Section 377A of the Penal Code brought the issue of homosexuality to the fore again. Join Revd Dr Jeremy-Joe Tan on an in-depth exploration of the main Scriptural passages on the issue and receive handles on how to engage in conversation with friends and family.

Date: 16 May 2023 (Tues)
Time: 7.30pm – 9.30pm (via Zoom)
Speaker:

Revd Dr Jeremy-Joe Tan
Revd Dr Jeremy-Joe Tan is an ordained minister with the Anglican Diocese of Singapore and a faculty member of the Trinity Theological College.



Interested participants may register at
<https://forms.gle/52vaJmoKKwHyFQ5f8> by 12 May.

God is good, all the time. Really!!!



Plastering works outside South side of Nave

Despite the uncertainties over the past few months and notwithstanding the concerns over SCK's recent moratorium application, God continues to see us through, time and again. The Nave restoration works are continuing, and even as SCK works on the prospective scheme of arrangement to be proposed as part of the restructuring of the company, SCK remains committed to seeing through the completion of the restoration of the Cathedral Nave. We raise our hands unto Our Father in Heaven in thanksgiving and praise, as He continues to watch over this project daily. Thank you so much, Lord.

We have seen good progress in April to the following:

1. **Internal works** - Following the erection of the scaffold from the Nave all the way to the redos:
 - Wall plaster - The workers are busy removing sections of hollow wall plaster and carrying out repairs to damaged bricks, cracks and hollow sections.
 - Electrical Works - The trenches are in place, and the laying of cables in the Nave will commence this week.
 - Graham White Library - The workers have completed laying the air-conditioning pipes, and the electricians are now laying the electricity cables for the library and the rooms.

2. **Bell Tower** - The contractor is targeting to complete the works at the top section of the bell tower by the end of May. The lightning protection works to the tower are underway, together with metal repair works around the steeple. This will be followed by the painting works, and after that, the scaffold at the top will be removed after a final inspection to confirm that all the works in this area have been completed.
3. **Plaster Works** - The workers have commenced plastering works at the lower end of the East Windows and along the south side of the Nave, and painting works to these areas will commence once the final lime plaster coat has been applied.

We continue to pray for the Lord's favour over the restoration -

- for smooth work progress and the safety of all workers and the technical team, especially when working at height;
- for good weather, so that the works can continue smoothly and safely;
- 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
- for wisdom and practical abilities for the project teams to give of their best to this work.



Air con installation at Graham White Library



Metal repair works at top of tower

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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



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



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



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 positions are open for application:

- Communications Executive
- NextGen Ministry Administrator
- Ministry Administrative Executive

Find out more at cathedral.org.sg/jobs

- Care Associate (St Andrew's Cathedral Home)

Find out more at <https://anglican.org.sg/work-with-us/>



CAR PARK

Members who wish to park at the SAC car park with member rates must submit their application at: cathedral.org.sg/carpark

For enquiries, please email carpark@cathedral.org.sg



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CYCLE OF PRAYER 2023

**DIOCESAN
DIGEST**



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tithes and offerings



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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

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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

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