

PASSIONATELY  
COMMITTED TO  
**CHRIST**

Sermon on 27/28 Jan

**Courageous Witness**

Acts 4:1-22

*Revd Christopher Chan*



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[cathedral.org.sg/youtube](https://www.cathedral.org.sg/youtube)

27/28 JAN 2024

**COLLECT**  
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY

Almighty God, whose Son revealed in signs and miracles the wonder of your saving love: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your mighty power; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**LECTIONARY READINGS**

2 Samuel 12:1-7, 10-17

Psalms 51:11-16

Mark 4:35-41

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Revd Alvin Toh, Revd Andrew Yap, Ds Ti Lian Swan  
**Auxiliary Clergy** Revd Canon Dr Louis Tay, Revd Peter Chen  
Revd Soon Soo Kee  
**Auxiliary Deaconess** Ds June Tan



# PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

## THE WORLD

Pray that efforts by Qatar, the U.S. and Egypt to secure a ceasefire and the release of hostages in Gaza, will yield positive results so that Gazans will receive timely humanitarian aid and hostages reunited with their families. Pray for peace in troubled regions of the world affected by civil wars, political tensions and rebel activities. Pray also for people in countries devastated by severe famine, floods and earthquakes to receive help to rebuild their lives and livelihoods. Pray that the light of the gospel will continue to shine in dark places and God's Kingdom will advance in the midst of chaos and turmoil.

## SINGAPORE

Pray for good organisation of Singapore's first island-wide Total Defence exercise in February. Pray that it will achieve its aim of educating and preparing Singaporeans for security threats from various sources. Pray for divine wisdom for our Deputy Prime Minister and Finance Minister Lawrence Wong as he prepares to present our nation's 2024 budget in Parliament on 16 February. Pray for a good, well-considered budget that will enable Singapore to move forward amid a changing global landscape and economic uncertainties.

## DIOCESE

### Deaneries of Thailand & Vietnam

Pray for the Deans, Home Base coordinators, priests and staff who are overseeing and

shepherding the flock in the Deaneries of Thailand and Vietnam; that God will empower them to plant and to grow new churches, disciple believers and raise up local leaders. Pray that every church will be a loving community that is vibrant in witness and that bears fruit in every good work.

## CATHEDRAL

### Welcome Centre

Pray for work on the refurbishment of the Welcome Centre to be done with excellence and in a timely manner for its re-opening in April. Pray that the new Welcome Centre will be a place of rest and a refuge for many, that those who enter in will experience the warmth and welcome of God's people. Pray for those whom God has gifted to serve in this ministry, to respond to the call for Welcome Hosts. Pray that the Welcome Centre will be a channel of God's love and blessing to tourists and Singaporeans.

### Ministry Internship Programme

Pray that this programme will help members discern if they have a full time calling and a blessing to those who would like to give a season of their lives to church work.

# SERVICES AT THE CATHEDRAL

In English		
TIME	HOLY COMMUNION	VENUE
Sat 4.00pm	2nd and 4th week	CNS
Sat 5.30pm	Last week	Prayer Halls
Sun 8.00 am	Weekly	Nave
Sun 9.30 am	2nd and 4th week	CNS
Sun 11.30 am*	1st, 3rd & 5th week	Nave
Sun 2.00 pm (Youth**)		NT Hall
Sun 4.30 pm	Weekly***	Nave
Wed 12.30 pm	Weekly	Nave
In other languages		
Sat 2.30 pm (Hokkien)	2nd week	Chapel for All Peoples
Sun 2.30 pm (Myanmar)	Weekly	CNS

\* The Morning Prayer Service will be in session on the 2nd and 4th Sunday.

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

\*\*\* The Evensong Service will be in session on the last Sunday and there will be no administration of Holy Communion.

## Church Operating Hours and Services during CNY weekend

Dates	Operating hours	Service(s) in Session	Remarks
Fri 9 Feb	9am to 1pm	-	-
Sat 10 Feb	1pm to 5.30pm	Sat 4pm	Hokkien Worship Service and Sat 5.30pm Service are not in session.
Sun 11 Feb	7am to 6pm	Sun 8am, 9.30am, 11.30am, 4.30pm	-
Mon - Tue 12 & 13 Feb		Church is closed	

### CESSATION OF LIVE-STREAMING OF SERVICES

The live-streaming of services has ceased with effect from 1 Jan 2024.

[Please watch the video announcement](#) made by the church leadership for the cessation of the live-streaming.

The weekly sermons will be made available at [cathedral.org.sg/youtube](http://cathedral.org.sg/youtube)

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SERMON SERIES 2024

JANUARY

**6 & 7**

**On Mission for God**  
Revd Christopher Chan

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**13 & 14**

**All for One and One for All**  
Revd Daniel Lim

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**20 & 21**

**Rise Up and Walk!**  
Revd Andrew Yap

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**27 & 28**

**Courageous Witness**  
Revd Christopher Chan

FEBRUARY

**3 & 4**

**Fear God!**  
Revd Alvin Toh

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**10 & 11**

**Spirit-empowered Service**  
Revd Moses Israeli

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**14 (Ash Wednesday)**

**A Broken and Contrite Heart**  
Archdeacon Daniel Wee

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**17 & 18**

**Tested in the Wilderness**  
Revd Dr Chiang Ming Shun  
Dr Mark Chan

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**24 & 25**

**Losing Our Lives for Christ's Sake**  
Revd Christopher Chan

Follow our weekly reflection questions at:

[cathedral.org.sg/ss](https://cathedral.org.sg/ss)

Building up every child towards spiritual maturity

## CHILDREN MINISTRY

Preschool - Primary 6 (ages 3 - 12)



Ministry	Day/Time	Venue
City Kids	Saturday 4:00pm	Classrooms (B2)
Faith Kids 1	Sunday 9:30am	Prayer Halls (B1) Classrooms (B2)
Faith Kids 2	Sunday 11:15am	NT Hall Prayer Closets 1/2/3 (Nave L2)

[Register here and join us for children ministry!](#)

## SHALOM FRIENDS (ages 13 - 25)

Shalom Friends reaches out to youth with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD). Due to the nature of the ministry, Shalom Friends will cater for youths up to 25 years old.

Shalom Friends

Saturday 2:00pm

SAC B1 Prayer Halls

[Register to join us for Shalom Friends here](#)

## CATHEDRAL YOUTH

*The Cathedral Youth Ministry welcomes all youths from 13 - 25 years old*

### First 3 Sundays of the month

- Youth Service - 2pm @ North Transept Hall
- Metamorphosis - 10.45am @ Chapel For All Peoples & Prayer Hall C



<https://tinyurl.com/SACYM>

Connect with us

 @sa.cathedralyouth

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

WEDNESDAY 12.30PM @ THE NAVE  
Holy Communion Service

# Authentic Faith in Christ

(February to April)

7 Feb 24 Do You Need God's Forgiveness? *Revd Peter Chen*

14 Feb 24 Return to the Lord Your God *Revd Christopher Chan*  
(Ash Wed)

21 Feb 24 Coming into the Presence of Abba, Father *Revd Andrew Yap*

28 Feb 24 Produce Fruit Worthy of Repentance *Revd Peter Chen*



Think God might be calling you  
into full-time ministry?

Keen to give a season of your life  
to church work  
(pastoral, admin, or operations)?

**Join SAC as an intern!**

This programme is open only to SAC members who are Singaporeans or Singapore PR. A small allowance will be given and confirmation of internship is subject to approval.



St Andrew's Cathedral  
**MINISTRY  
INTERNSHIP  
Programme**

Apply or find out more at  
<https://cathedral.org.sg/intern>

# BAPTISM & CONFIRMATION COURSE

## LESSON DATES (Adults)

3, 10, 17, 24 Mar;  
14, 20\*, 28 Apr and 5 May  
7 Sun and 1 Sat\*, 2pm - 4:30pm

## LESSON DATES (Youths)

2, 9, 16, 23 Mar (Baptism)  
13, 20, 27 Apr, 4 May (Confirmation)  
Sat, 1.30pm - 3:30pm

## BAPTISM SERVICE

7 Apr, Sunday  
4:30pm Service

## CONFIRMATION RETREAT

11 May, Saturday, 1pm-5pm

## CONFIRMATION SERVICE

19 May, Sunday  
11:30am Service

### All lessons are compulsory

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/232780963513460>

Registration closing date : 22 Feb 2024

For any enquiry, please email

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

with your contact details

## The St Andrew's Cathedral Marriage Preparation Course (MPC)

is designed to help couples develop  
strong foundations for a healthy and  
lasting marriage.

This two-part course consists of six  
sessions of teaching, couple-discussion  
time and small group discussions and  
at least two mentoring sessions led by  
marriage mentor couples.

Topics covered include:

- A Biblical Perspective on Marriage
  - Communication • Conflict
  - Commitment • Connection
  - Adventure

**6 Thurs, 7-9.30pm,  
7 Mar - 18 Apr**

Venue:

Onsite at SAC: 7 Mar & 18 Apr

Online via Zoom:

14, 21 Mar, 4, 11 Apr

Course fee: \$140 per couple  
(Payable upon registration)

Limited spaces available

Register at

<https://forms.gle/Hf4Pshw7W-pAEaZY28>

For enquiries, please email to  
[mpc@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:mpc@cathedral.org.sg)

# Welcome Hosts

NEEDED FOR

## The Cathedral Welcome Centre

With great anticipation and excitement, we look forward to the long-awaited reopening of the Cathedral Welcome Centre scheduled in April 2024. We envision it to be a place of blessing to both the public and members – an oasis offering rest and respite from the activities, cares and busyness of life and work.

It is our heartfelt prayer that our Lord Jesus will draw many to encounter him – being refreshed, restored and encouraged with hope, and lives transformed through the sharing of the good news.

“... I was a stranger  
and you welcomed me”

Matthew 25:35



If you aspire to be a channel of God's love and blessing to the community, if you are warm hearted and love offering friendly smiles, come be a Welcome Host!

No prior experience is needed. Training will be provided. Consider pairing up with a friend, family or cell member to serve in this ministry. The preparation for this ministry will begin in first quarter of 2024.

Scan/click the QR code to find out more and sign up as a Welcome Host.

For further enquiries, please email [pataw@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:pataw@cathedral.org.sg)





**When was the last time you and your spouse went on a date?  
Do you miss those long, heart-warming and undistracted times of  
good conversations and deep connections?**

Heart Springs is a special event prepared just for you.  
We would love to host you to a romantic 4-course dinner with opportunities for  
intimate couple conversations and interesting and fun couple activities.

**Saturday 24 February 2024**  
**6pm - 9pm**  
**CHIRZ Restaurant and Bistro**  
35 Rochester Drive #01-03  
The Rochester  
Singapore 138639

Event Fee:  
\$80 per couple  
(payable on registration)

Register your interest at  
<https://forms.gle/Gdf3PiNswXQw19KS8>

# Serve with us

Is God leading you to serve Him in a certain ministry? There's a place for everyone!

## Ministry Opportunities at our Worship Services:

- Usher
- Welcome/Info Desk Befriender
- Fellowship F&B Team Member
- Audio/Visual Crew



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

Scan QR code to access the full listing of ministry opportunities and register your interest!

## MORE CHILDREN MINISTRY WORKERS NEEDED!

Is it your desire and prayer to see the children of St Andrew's Cathedral rooted in the worship of God and in the body of Christ?

Then join our team of dedicated teachers in partnership with the parents to disciple the next generation! You may also serve as teacher-aides to assist the teachers in the administration and management of the class.

You may choose to serve in one or more of the following sessions:

**CityKids Saturday 4pm**

**FaithKids 1 Sunday 9.30am**

**FaithKids 2 Sunday 11.15am**



Fill up the form now and we will get in touch with you very soon!

**I AM A  
CHILD  
OF GOD**

*#Believing*

**I AM A  
CATHEDRAL  
KID**

*#Belonging*

**I AM  
CHRIST'S  
AMBASSADOR**

*#Becoming*



Senior Members' Fellowship

# Chinese New Year SHOPPING

Visit various factory outlets selling CNY goodies  
in Senoko, Woodlands Terrace, etc.

**6 February 2024, 9.30am**

The bus will leave Cathedral punctually at 9.30am  
and be back at approximately 4.30pm

**Cost: \$6**

Pay via PayNow

Name: St Andrew's Cath Parochial Church C

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(Before paying, please WhatsApp David Ng at 98332786  
to confirm a seat.)

For more details,

WhatsApp at 98332786

or email

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

Cathedral Women's Fellowship

## CWF Wednesday Bible Study

Bible Study on the attributes of God  
with discussion and prayer.

**Every Wednesday  
11 am to 12 noon**

For more details,  
WhatsApp Kamala at 90032639  
or email

[christiekamala@gmail.com](mailto:christiekamala@gmail.com)



# STAY CONNECTED

with the Cathedral



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

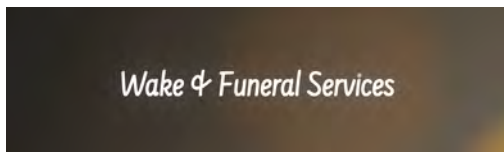
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 [nextgen@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:nextgen@cathedral.org.sg)



## 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](https://cathedral.org.sg/cell-groups)



## Wake & Funeral Services

### Arrangement of Wake & Funeral Services

Visit the webpage for more information:  
 [cathedral.org.sg/wake-funeral](https://cathedral.org.sg/wake-funeral)



## 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 positions are open for application:

- Communications Executive
- SAC Home Care Associate
- Youth & Children Worker (CITY Community Services)

Find out more at [cathedral.org.sg/jobs](https://cathedral.org.sg/jobs)



## CAR PARK

Members who wish to park at the SAC car park with member rates or to update their change of vehicle for member rates must submit their application at: [cathedral.org.sg/carpark](https://cathedral.org.sg/carpark)

For enquiries, please email [carpark@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:carpark@cathedral.org.sg)



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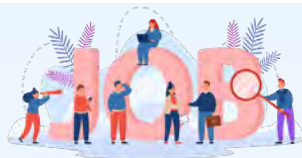
**CYCLE OF PRAYER 2024**



## Synod Presidential Address

Hear Bishop Titus' heart for our diocese  
in this season!

Download a copy from  
the diocesan website at [https://anglican.org.sg/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/Synod-Address-Nov-2003\\_final.pdf](https://anglican.org.sg/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/Synod-Address-Nov-2003_final.pdf)



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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:

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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

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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.