## ST ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL THE DIOCESE OF SINGAPORE



Sermon on 9/10 Mar

## Come to the Light

John 3:14-21

Ds Ti Lian Swan



Catch the sermon at cathedral.org.sg/youtube

### 9/10 MARCH 2024

# COLLECT

### **FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

Almighty Father, whose Son was revealed in majesty before he suffered death upon the cross: give us faith to perceive his glory, that we may be strengthened to suffer with him and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory; who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

### **COLLECT FOR ASH WEDNESDAY**

Almighty and everlasting God, you hate nothing that you have made and forgive the sins of all those who are penitent. Create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that, lamenting our sins and acknowledging our wretchedness, we may receive from you, the God of all mercy, perfect forgiveness and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### **LECTIONARY READINGS**

Numbers 21:4-9 Ephesians 2:1-10 John 3:14-21

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Revd Soon Soo Kee

Auxiliary Deaconess Ds June Tan

### THE WORLD

Pray for as many land, sea and air channels as possible, to be opened for urgent humanitarian aid to reach the hundreds of thousands of Palestinians in Gaza; for a deal to be reached between Israel and Hamas to secure a temporary ceasefire in Gaza and the release of hostages. Pray for the safety of civilians caught in the crossfire and for the humane treatment of hostages. Pray also against the use of nuclear weapons in the Ukraine war and for an end to the suffering of the people. Pray that many will turn to the Lord who alone gives hope to a troubled world plagued by wars, political tensions and power struggles.

### **SINGAPORE**

Pray for continued good bilateral relations between Singapore and Australia and for strategic ways to deepen cooperation especially in the green and digital economies. Pray that the governments of ASEAN and Australia will continue to work together to establish an open, inclusive and stable region. On the national front, pray that we will safeguard the social cohesion in multi-racial Singapore in the midst of the Israel-Hamas conflict. Pray for our military and police force to be vigilant in dealing with external and internal threats to our national security.

### **DIOCESE**

# Church of the Ascension, Church of the Good Shepherd

Pray for the Vicars, clergy and staff of Church of the Ascension and Church of the Good Shepherd, to have divine wisdom and insight, to shepherd their members in God's ways, that they may grow strong in faith and be committed disciples of Christ. Pray that these two churches will be salt and light to their neighbouring communities, that many will come to know Christ, through their loving acts and vibrant witness.

### **CATHEDRAL**

### **Myanmar Service**

Pray for God's enabling and empowerment upon the priest-in-charge of our Myanmar Service and the leadership team. Pray that members of this congregation will be strong in faith in the midst of the current situation in Myanmar. Pray for godly men and women to rise up to positions of leadership and for members to be zealous in their witness for Christ.

### Wednesday 12.30pm Service

Pray that the Wednesday 12.30pm Service will be a river of life that refreshes and nourishes the spiritually thirsty, especially those who are working around the vicinity of the Cathedral as well as the tourists. Pray that many will encounter our Lord through the warm welcome of His people, the preaching of His word and the celebration of the Holy Eucharist.

## SERVICES AT THE CATHEDRAL

In English			
TIME	HOLY COMMUNION	VENUE	
Sat 4.00 pm	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 11.30am*	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	

<sup>\*</sup> 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.

# Easter Eve Memorial Service

Remembering our dearly departed loved ones

# 30 March 2024, 3pm

Choa Chu Kang Cemetery or All Saints' Memorial Chapel

Please submit names of members who have passed away in the past year or earlier, to be included for prayer of thanksgiving for their lives at these services to info@cathedral.org.sg or call 63376104

Closing date: 24 March 2024

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



**SERMON SERIES 2024** 

### **MARCH**

2&3

**Zeal for God's House**Dr Andrew Loke

Revd Dr Andrew Peh

9&10

Come to the Light Ds Ti Lian Swan

16 & 17

Glorified in Death Revd Christopher Chan

23 & 24

**The Triumphal Entry** Revd Daniel Lim

### **APRIL**

6&7

A Consecrated Life Revd Christopher Chan

13 & 14

From Persecution to Propagation Revd Alvin Toh

20 & 21

A Divine Appointment Revd Andrew Yap

27 & 28

**An Unlikely Conversion** Revd Christopher Chan

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

# HOLY WEEK PROGRAMME

25 - 27 Mar (Mon - Wed) 7.30pm @ Nave Holy Week Meditations Revd Dr Tan Soo-Inn

28 Mar (Maundy Thursday) 🕟 7.30pm @ Nave A New Commandment Ds Bessie Lee

29 Mar (Good Friday) 8.00am @ Nave The Seven Last Words of Jesus The Most Revd Dr Titus Chung SAC Clergy & Deaconess

30 Mar (Holy Saturday) 4.00pm @ CNS The Burial of Jesus Revd Dr Jonathan Wong

31 Mar (Easter Sunday) Easter Dawn Service 6.00am @ Nave Whom Are You Seeking? **Revd Christopher Chan** 

Easter Combined Service 8.00am @ Nave Christ Is Risen! The Most Revd Dr Titus Chung

Catch these services at cathedral.org.sg/youtube



OPEN TO ALL AGES! INVITE YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS!

# MAKING PALM CROSSES

**SAT 23 MARCH 2024** 

9.30AM - 5PM AT THE PAVILION PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN PAIR OF SCISSORS.

FOR ENQUIRES, PLEASE CONTACT CONNIE @97424343

## Mon-Wed, 7.30pm @ Nave

Revd Dr Tan Soo-Inn

25 Mar Returning to God's Way (Psalm 1)

26 Mar Returning to God's Care (Psalm 23)

27 Mar Returning to God's Forgiveness (Psalm 51)

## Wed, 12.30pm @ Nave

Revd Peter Chen

27 Mar Do You Need to be Cleansed? (Psalm 51)

HOLY WEEK MEDITATIONS

# **CHILDREN MINISTRY EASTER EVENT**

SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN AGED 3 TO 12; 3 Y/O SHOULD BE ACCOMPANIED BY A PARENT OR GUARDIAN

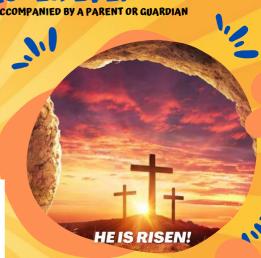
# INVINCIBLE JESUS

EASTER SUNDAY, 31 MAR

**VENUE: PAVILION** 

9:45 AM-12:30 PM





SCAN OR CLICK THE QR CODE TO REGISTER



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





# Prayer and PRAISE

Fri 22 Mar 2024 7.14PM

**Prayer Halls** 



21 APRIL
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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
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You must be on the Electoral Roll (ER) of St Andrew's Cathedral if you wish to vote at the **Cathedral Annual General Meeting (AGM)**, and/or be elected at the AGM onto the Parochial Church Council (PCC).

Baptised members who are at least 17 years of age, confirmed in the Anglican Church, regularly attending Service and partaking Holy Communion in the Cathedral, are eligible to be on the Electoral Roll.

All members are encouraged to check if you are on the Electoral Roll, by completing the **ER Enquiry Form**.

Please call 63376104 if you require any assistance.

Presented by Diocese of Singapore and St Peter's Hall

# The Doctrine of Scripture

on the authority, the formation, the character, and the focus of Scripture.

Teaching Team: Revd Daniel Tong, Revd King Chiew Kwang & Revd William Chee Dates: 2 - 23 April 2024 Time: 7.30 - 9.30 pm via zoom Cost: \$12

To register: <a href="https://bit.ly/3P5NzCn">https://bit.ly/3P5NzCn</a>
Contact person: Lucilla Teoh, <a href="lucillateoh.dts@gmail.com">lucillateoh.dts@gmail.com</a>
Find out more on <a href="https://www.anglican.org.sg">www.anglican.org.sg</a>



## A Pastoral Letter from the Provincial House of Bishops

The Provincial House of Bishops has written a response to the developments at the General Synod of The Church of England. We encourage you to read this Pastoral Letter and pray for the Anglican Communion.

The Pastoral Letter can be found on the Diocesan website at www.anglican.org.sg



# Authentic Faith in Christ

(February to April)

6 Mar 24 On What Foundation Do You Build Your Life?

13 Mar 24 Depth of Your Faith Depends on the Response of Your Heart

20 Mar 24 What Would You Give Up for God?

27 Mar 24 Do You Need to be Cleansed?

**Preacher: Revd Peter Chen** 



# Serve with us

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

Ministry opportunities:

- Befrienders for monthly walk-abouts around Cathedral
- Volunteers for community outreach to Bukit Merah

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



# **English Lessons for Domestic Helpers**

Learn conversational English lessons for free!
Open to all domestic helpers
Every Sunday, 12.30pm to 2pm
B2, Classroom C

For enquiries, email <u>missions@cathedral.org.sg</u> or WhatsApp 8824 2660

# WHAT'S THAT BOILING?

An interactive talk on managing anger

Have you experienced the shift from calm to heated in mere seconds?

Discover how such emotions have on your physical well-being and learn handles for maintaining composure and managing your emotions effectively.

6 April 2024, 10am to 12nn

Venue: ST Hall

Speaker: Mylene Lee

Register at https://forms.gle/ki1Q4AjZbKMgkTMc9
Registration closes on 2 April 2024



# STAY CONNECTED

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

### Wake & Funeral Services

### **Arrangement of** Wake & Funeral Services

Visit the webpage for more information:



cathedral.org.sg/wake-funeral



### **Member Contact Details**

Update your contact details held in the SAC records at:



## cathedral.org.sg/membership





# JOIN OUR T

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



## 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

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



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### The Diocesan Central Administration is hiring!

Have the gift of administration? Want to be part of God's mission for the Church? The Diocesan Central Administration (DCA) is looking for administration professionals with a burden to serve God with their skills. Join us in building the administration infrastructure for all the Anglican parishes in Singapore. Join us to Empower, Enable and Equip our churches for tomorrow!

We are recruiting for Heads of Departments, Senior Executives and Executives for:

- 1) Finance
- 2) HR
- 3) Corporate Communications
- 4) Property & Facilities Management
- 5) Operations & Events Management
- 6) Secretariat & Compliance
- 7) Membership & Licensing

Find out more about DCA and what we do https://anglican.org.sg/wearedca/

Interested applicants may submit their CV via https://form.jotform.com/Diocese Central/careers-at-dca



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Thursdays 7.30pm - 9.00pm MORE DETAILS AT https://sph.org.sg/school-o biblical-studies/

### **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



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



# **DIOCESAN DIGEST**

Feb 2024 anglican.org.sg/diocesan-digest

CONTACT THE DIOCESE AT



# GVE tithes and offerings



## 2 WAYS TO GIVE



# Cheques

### **Internet Banking**

Account Name: St Andrew's Cathedral Account Number: DBS Autosave 033-903411-8

## **PayNow**

PayNow Name:

St Andrew's Cath Parochial Church C UEN: T08CC4055LT01

Receipts will not be issued for online givings.

### 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 <a href="mailto:finance@cathedral.org.sg">finance@cathedral.org.sg</a> for clarification on designated mission partners and causes.