ST ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL THE DIOCESE OF SINGAPORE



PASSIONATELY COMMITTED TO CHRIST

Sermon on 6/7 Apr

A Consecrated Life

Acts 6:8-15, 7:54-60 Revd Christopher Chan 6/7 APRIL 2024

COLLECT SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Almighty Father, who in your great mercy made glad the disciples with the sight of the risen Lord: give us such knowledge of his presence with us, that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life and serve you continually in righteousness and truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

LECTIONARY READINGS

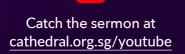
Acts 4:32-35 Psalm 133 John 20:19-31

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Bishop of Singapore and Dean The Most Revd Dr Titus Chung Acting Vicar Revd Christopher Chan Clergy and Deaconess Revd Moses Israeli, Revd Daniel Lim, 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 the upcoming general elections in India, will be carried out in a peaceful and orderly manner and for the right candidate to be elected into power. Pray that the current heatwave in India will not continue; for good weather conditions that would increase agricultural production and bring down food inflation. Pray for families who lost their loved ones in the Baltimore bridge collapse, to receive comfort and strength in this difficult time of loss and grief. Pray for the safety of crew who are working to remove the wreckage from the collapsed bridge. Pray for the U.S. government to take appropriate short and long- term measures to restore trade along this channel.

SINGAPORE

"With the world a more dangerous and violent place than before, Singapore needs to work harder to resist the negative effects of tribalism, which can stoke hostility between groups and divide society,..." (DPM Wong). Some "tribes" include groups that propagate an extremist version of their religions, anti-vaxxers and groups that promote Neo-Nazi ideology. Pray for our government to have divine wisdom to protect the more vulnerable in Singapore, and to do what we can to provide humanitarian aid as a responsible member of the international community

DIOCESE

Chapel of the Holy Spirit, Chapel of Christ The King, Parish of Christ Church & Church of the Epiphany

Pray for the Vicars, clergy and staff teams of the

Chapel of the Holy Spirit, the Chapel of Christ the King, Parish of Christ Church and Church of the Epiphany that they will serve the Lord according to His ways and for His glory. Pray for unity in the church and for members to grow as disciples of Christ, strong in faith, in the Word, in prayer and in evangelism.

CATHEDRAL

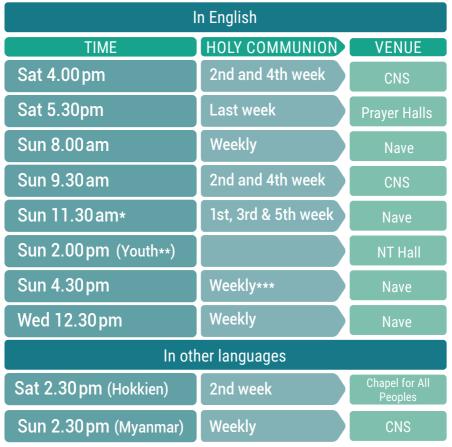
AGM (21 April, 2 pm, CNS)

Pray for our forthcoming AGM on 21 April at 2pm. Pray for fruitful discussions and for the right candidates to be elected to serve on the Parochial Church Council.

Mission Trip to Nepal (25 April - 6 May 2024)

Pray for our mission team as they prepare for their trip to Nepal from 25 April to 6 May. Pray for team leader Lilian, sub-group leaders, host leaders, church leaders, interpreters, travel agents and drivers, that they will be divinely led as they serve God in their different capacities. Pray that the team will have compassion and love for the people, that they will be a pleasing aroma of Christ among those who are being saved and those who are perishing; that the churches and places they will be visiting and serving will be welcoming. Pray for the anointing of the Holy Spirit, for wisdom, courage and creativity as they prepare their lessons, devotionals and testimonies. Pray for smooth and safe travel by air and land; that the team will adjust well to the weather, the food and accommodation.

SERVICES AT THE CATHEDRAL



* 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.

PASSIONATELY COMMITTED TO **CHRIST** SERMON SERIES 2024

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

MAY

4 & 5 A Paradigm Shift Revd Moses Israeli

11 & 12 The Nations Redeemed Ds Ti Lian Swan

18 & 19 The Promised Helper Revd David Lee Ds June Tan

25 & 26 The Mystery of the Trinity Revd Christopher Chan

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



Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Parish of St Andrew's Cathedral will be held on 21 April 2024 (Sunday) at 2pm at the Cathedral New Sanctuary (CNS), St Andrew's Cathedral.

ELECTORAL ROLL

Members who wish to vote at the AGM must be on the Electoral Roll (ER) of St Andrew's Cathedral. 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. Members may check if you are on the Electoral Roll by submitting the <u>ER Enquiry Form</u>, and update your particulars by submitting the <u>Membership Update Form</u>.

The Electoral Roll membership for the purposes of AGM 2024 shall be the prevailing enrolled members on the Electoral Roll at the date of the AGM. If you are not on the Electoral Roll but are eligible, please submit your ER Application Form (available by request from membership@cathedral.org.sg) before 11:59am on 14 April 2024 (Sunday) if you wish to be eligible to vote at the AGM 2024.

AGM ATTENDANCE

The quorum for the AGM may be formed only by members on the Electoral Roll who are physically present at the AGM.

Members are encouraged to pre-register their attendance at the AGM by submitting the <u>AGM 2024 Registration</u> Form before 11:59am on 18 April 2024 (Thursday), to allow checks on ER status to be conducted beforehand in order to facilitate faster registration and entry into the AGM.

Members who do not pre-register will be able to attend and vote at the AGM, subject to verification at the door prior to their entry into the AGM that they are on the Electoral Roll. We seek members' patience and understanding for any wait and delay due to the need to conduct the ER checks at the door for members who have not pre-registered their attendance at the AGM.

ANNUAL REPORT, FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND BUDGET

Members may download the Annual Report directly from the Cathedral website.

Members who are on the Electoral Roll and who submit the <u>AGM 2024 Registration Form</u> before 11:59am on 18 April 2024 (Thursday) will receive soft copies of the Annual Report, Financial Statements and Budget before the AGM.

Please note that we are going paperless as much as possible for a better environment, and hard copies of the documents will not be generally available.

NOMINATIONS FOR ELECTION TO THE PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL

The AGM will elect the People's Warden and 12 members of the Parochial Church Council (PCC).

According to the St Andrew's Cathedral Constitution, candidates for election to membership of the Parochial Church Council shall be on the Electoral Roll of the Parish and must be nominated by writing from one member and seconded by another to the Honorary Secretary at least 08 days prior to the AGM subject to prior written consent to nomination by the candidate. The Candidate, Proposer and Seconder must all be members on the Cathedral Electoral Roll.

<u>PCC Nomination Forms</u> are available from the Cathedral website and during office hours from the Cathedral staff office at the South Transept, Level 2. The nomination forms shall be submitted by electronic means, or by hand/ post to Secretariat, St Andrew's Cathedral, 11 St Andrew's Road, Singapore 178959, before 11:59am on 06 April 2024 (Saturday).

23 March 2024 (Saturday)	Issuance of this Notice of AGM 2024
06 April 2024 (Saturday) @ 11:59AM	Deadline for submission of PCC Nomination Form
14 April 2024 (Sunday) @ 11:59AM	Deadline for submission of ER Application Form
14 April 2024 (Sunday) @ 11:59AM	Deadline for submission of questions for Q&A time at AGM 2024
14 April 2024 (Sunday) @ 11:59AM	Deadline for raising AOB for discussion at AGM 2024
18 April 2024 (Thursday) @ 11:59AM	Deadline for submission of AGM 2024 Registration Form
21 April 2024 (Sunday) @ 2PM	AGM 2024 at the Cathedral New Sanctuary (CNS)

IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE

AGENDA FOR AGM 2024

- 1. Opening Prayer
- 2. Dean's Address
- 3. Vicar's Address
- 4. Confirmation of Quorum
- 5. Confirmation of Minutes of the Annual General Meeting held on 23 April 2023
- 6. Matters arising from the Annual General Meeting held on 23 April 2023
- 7. To receive the reports of:-
 - 7.1 The Vicar's Warden
 - 7.2 The People's Warden
- 8. To receive the nomination for the Vicar's Warden (2024/25)
- To elect:
 - 9.1 The People's Warden (2024/25)
 - 9.2 Twelve (12) members of the Parochial Church Council (2024/25)

10. Report by the Honorary Treasurer & Financial Matters

- 10.1 To consider and adopt the audited statement of accounts for the year ended 31 December 2023
- 10.2 To consider and adopt the budget for the year 2024
- 10.3 To appoint the auditor for the year 2024
- 11. Q&A

Members may submit their questions using the <u>AGM 2024 Q&A Form</u>. The Cathedral leadership will answer questions that are substantial and relevant to the AGM agenda, and received from members before 11:59AM on 14 April 2024 (Sunday).

If there is opportunity and time after the questions received from members before 11:59AM on 14 April 2024 (Sunday) have been dealt with, the Chairman may open the floor for questions that are substantial and relevant to the AGM agenda.

12. To announce the results of the elections

13. Any Other Business

According to the St Andrew's Cathedral Constitution, a written notice of any motion for discussion at the AGM shall be submitted to the Honorary Secretary not later than 07 days before the AGM date. All written notices shall be sent to secretariat@cathedral.org.sg or by hand/ post to Secretariat, St Andrew's Cathedral, 11 St Andrew's Road, Singapore 178959, before 11:59am on 14 April 2024 (Sunday).

- 14. Date of next AGM
- 15. Closing Prayer

AGM 2024 ON THE CATHEDRAL WEBSITE

Forms and information about AGM 2024 may be found on the Cathedral website.

ENQUIRIES AND REQUESTS

Members who have questions and/or require help in relation to the AGM 2024 may email secretariat@cathedral.org.sg or call +65 6337 6104.

Mr Chan Kheng Tek Honorary Secretary



Scan QR code for AGM 2024 Forms & Information.

Notice issued on 23 March 2024

Building up every child towards spiritual maturity

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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

.com/SACYM

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Register to join us for Shalom Friends here

•	CATHEDRAL YOUTH		•	
	The Cathedral Youth Ministry welcomes all youths from 13 - 25 years old		•	
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	 First 3 Sundays of the month 		•	
	• Youth Service - 2pm @ North Transept Hall			https://tinyurl.com/SAC
	• Metamorphosis - 10.45am @ Chapel For All			Connect with us
	Peoples & Prayer Hall C			() @sa.cathedralyou

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

WEDNESDAY 12.30PM @ THE NAVE Holy Communion Service

Authentic Faith in Christ

3 Apr 24 The Unfinished Task 10 Apr 24 No Wed Service – Public Holiday (Hari Raya Puasa) 17 Apr 24 The Mark of True Faith 24 Apr 24 Let Your Light Shine

Preacher: Revd Peter Chen

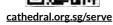


Serve with us

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

Ministry opportunities:

- Teacher aides and teachers in the Children Ministry & Shalom Friends (outreach to youths with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD)
- Facilitators for Metamorphosis (a transitionary programme aimed at Sec 1s and 2s)



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

AGEING WITH CONFIDENCE

Join us to explore different aspects of ageing at home or in the nursing home and discuss areas of concern raised during this talk! 11 April 2024 | 10.30am to 12pm | Prayer Halls A-B Speaker: Samuel Tan

To enquire or register for the talk, WhatsApp David at 98332786 or email to <u>davidng@cathedral.org.sg</u>. Registration closes on 10 April.



Samuel joined All Saints Home as Chief Executive Officer in Nov 2019 after spending 30 years in the insurance industry in various regional leadership positions. An ordained elder of Glory Presbyterian Church, he is also board member of Presbyterian Preschool Services.

DANCE MINISTRY Recruitment

Come worship with us through dance! No experience needed, just enthusiasm for God and a love for spreading joy to others. Be part of something extraordinary. All are welcome! (no age limit).

8 week tambourine/dance training 12 April 2024 to 31 May 2024

6.45pm - 8.45pm Commitment after the training is per-project basis. Training will be conducted in English.

Sign up at: <u>http://cathedral.org.sg/dm</u>

For more information, contact <u>desouza.doris@gmail.com</u>

CATHEDRAL WELCOME CENTRE Our doors are opening soon!





With great excitement, we anticipate the reopening of the **Cathedral Welcome Centre from 16 April 2024** that the purposes of God be fulfilled in it. We envision it to be a place of blessing to both the public and Cathedral members - providing the avenue for evangelistic/ missional outreach, ministry of pastoral care, and fellowship in community. With the offering of warm hospitality and restful environment to all who enter, we hope that many will experience the love of God and encounter Jesus personally in this space.

"Freely, freely you have received; freely, freely give. Go in My name, and because you believe, others will know that I live." "Freely you have received, freely give." Matthew 10:8b THE OPENING HOURS (with effect from 16 April 2024):

TUESDAY TO SATURDAY 10.00am to 4.00pm (open to the public and members) SUNDAY 9.00am to 11.30am (open to service visitors and members) 11.30am to 2.30pm (reserved for Myanmar outreach)* * Starting from May 2024

SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT on AGM Sunday 21 April 2024: Opening 9.00am to 1.30pm The Welcome Centre will be open

as an available space for members' use prior to the AGM which will convene at 2.00pm.

Let us pray that by God's grace and in His work through us as His church, the Welcome Centre will be the doorway to Cathedral where people from all walks of life, all generations, and all nations will come through and encounter Jesus, who proclaimed:

"I am the way, the truth and the life." (John 14:6)

For any enquiries, please email welcomecentre@cathedral.org.sg

Mentoring

Are you ready to help others grow and succeed? Do you feel confident in your ability to build positive mentoring relationships? Whether you're experienced or new to mentoring, this course equips you with the tools to make a difference and foster a supportive environment.

8, 15 & 29 May 2024 (three Wednesdays) Time: 7.30pm to 9.30pm Venue: South Transept Hall Speaker: Dr Jeremy Gwee



To register: http://gfsac.greenfossil.com/equipping/ registration/183/public

Profile of Speaker/Coach



Dr Jeremy Gwee is a Director at the Institute of Training and Occupational Learning (ITOL) in Asia. He is also a practising Management Consultant, ACTA certified trainer, and ICF-accredited coach. He is an honorary visiting fellow at the Edward Cadbury Centre

for the Public Understanding of Religion at University of Birmingham, UK and serves as an adjunct lecturer at Bakke Graduate University.



OUR VISION

Every person salved, 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



SENDING GOD'S LOVE THIS LABOUR DAY

The SAC **Befriending Migrant Workers (BMW)** ministry is looking for volunteers to man game booths and distribute gifts at the Labour Day celebration organised by the Crisis Relief Alliance (CRA). Come and send God's love to these workers in appreciation for their hard work and contribution!

- Date : 27 April 2024 (Saturday)
- Time : 3pm to 8pm*
- Venue: Penjuru Recreation Ctr 27 Penjuru Walk, Singapore 608538

*Please note that you will be required to stand for an extended period of time.

More information will be provided upon registration. <u>Register at https://forms.gle/</u> <u>e65DrEpCq9rQLucA8</u> by 21 Apr 2024 (10pm).

For enquiries, email missions@cathedral.org.sg

BAPTISM

Please pray for these brothers and sisters who will be baptised on Sunday, 7 April 2024 at the 4.30pm Service in the Nave

Alessandra Tam Ashton Ong Dekun Bernard Yeo Sung Heng Carol Lim Chye Kim Foo Jie Hao Damian George Rowan Lin Zhirong Hazel Annette John Hosea Chua Qing Yuan Justin Ang Wei Kang Koh Wee Bin Eric Kok Yuan Yik Kor Sian Yao Kelvin Leong Tinn Yann, Isaac Nathaniel Eliah Yap Ng Soh Ngoh @ Ng Ah Kheng Esther Sybil Foo Yen Pin Valerie Khoo Meizhi Yong Fong Yoon Mabel



God created marriage and designed it with a specific purpose and plan. Yet, no marriage is perfect.

Regardless of where you are in your marriage, we invite you to embark on a journey of discovery, reflection and connection with God and your spouse.

The sessions will cover topics such as:

- God's purpose for marriage
- Sin, isolation and conflict
- The gospel's restorative power
- God's role for husbands and wives
- God's design for sex and intimacy
- Leaving a godly legacy

Through dedicated couple time, small group discussions and special projects, we hope to help you strengthen your marriage through God's power and design. 6 consecutive Thursdays 2nd May – 6th June 7-9.30pm St Andrew's Cathedral

\$50 per couple (payable on registration)

Registration deadline: 28 April 2024



Register at: <u>https://forms.gle/THksRFgG7yKij7jH8</u>



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

English Lessons for Domestic Helpers

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



EQUIP is a lay training initiative of Trinity Theological College. EQUIP courses are designed with lay Christians in mind and offer theological education for Christians who desire to be well-equipped to live out their faith in Jesus Christ and for effective and faithful ministry.

The following courses are open for registration:

1. The Drama of the History of Christianity (via Zoom)

Instructor: Dr Leow Theng Huat Dates: 8 Jul - 19 Aug (Mondays) Time: 7.30pm - 9.30pm Fees: \$100 (free for TTC alumni and TTC Matriculated Students)

2. Theology of Mission (via Zoom)

Instructor: Rev Dr Andrew Peh Dates: 9 Jul - 20 Aug (Tuesdays) Time: 7.30pm - 9.30pm Fees: \$100 (free for TTC alumni and TTC Matriculated Students)

3. New Testament Survey (via Zoom) Instructor: Rev Dr Leonard Wee Dates: 10 Jul - 21 Aug (Wednesdays) Time: 7.30pm - 9.30pm Fees: \$100 (free for TTC alumni and TTC Matriculated Students)

4. Moral Character of a Christian Leader (via Zoom)

Instructor: Rev Dr Daniel Koh Dates: 11 Jul - 22 Aug (Thursdays) Time: 7.30pm - 9.30pm Fees: \$100 (free for TTC alumni and TTC Matriculated Students)

5. Mobilising Churches for Mission (in-person at TTC)

Instructor: Rev Manik Corea Dates: 17 - 31 Aug 2024 (Saturdays) Time: 8.30am - 1pm Fees: \$150 (free for TTC alumni and TTC Matriculated Students)

More information and registration details can be found on our website <u>https://anglican.org.sg/events/</u>

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

->> 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

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 ✓ 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)
- Verger

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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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



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St Andrew's Cath Parochial Church C UEN: T08CC4055LT01

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Pay to: "St Andrew's Cathedral"

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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 <u>finance@cathedral.org.sg</u> for clarification on designated mission partners and causes.