

PASSIONATELY  
COMMITTED TO  
**CHRIST**

Sermon on 13/14 Apr

From Persecution to  
Propagation

Acts 8:1-8

*Revd Alvin Toh*



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13/14 APRIL 2024

COLLECT  
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, that great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant: make us perfect in every good work to do your will, and work in us that which is well-pleasing in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

LECTIONARY READINGS

Acts 3:12-19

Psalm 4

Luke 24:36b-48

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Revd Soon Soo Kee  
**Auxiliary Deaconess** Ds June Tan



# PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

## THE WORLD

Pray for more humanitarian aid to reach civilians in Gaza, for the protection of aid workers and for the release of hostages in the Gaza war. Pray for families to be reunited with loved ones and for months of anxious waiting to come to an end. Pray for the sick, the wounded, the starving and the homeless, to find light at the end of this dark tunnel. Pray for the government of Taiwan as they respond swiftly and decisively, with appropriate measures, in the aftermath of the strongest earthquake to hit the country in 25 years. Pray especially for success in search and rescue operations to find missing persons. Pray that the gospel will continue to shine in places of darkness and restore hope to those living in despair.

## SINGAPORE

Pray for our government leaders to continue to build strong bi-lateral ties with leaders of different nations. Pray that Singapore will remain an attractive venue for foreign investors; for an adaptable workforce that is prepared to re-skill and re-train to stay relevant and for Singapore to maintain its cutting edge in advanced technologies and knowledge based industries. Pray for the protection of our youths against radicalisation, for their mental well-being and for strong family and community networks to support them through the many challenges of living in a constantly changing and uncertain world.

## DIOCESE

**Marine Parade Christian Centre, My Saviour's Church, St Andrew's Community Chapel, St Andrew's City Church**

Pray for the Vicars, the clergy and staff teams of Marine Parade Christian Centre, My Saviour's Church, St Andrew's Community Chapel and St Andrew's City Church, that they will be Spirit-led, filled with divine wisdom and compassion, to shepherd the flocks entrusted to their charge. Pray for the spiritual growth in members, for divine breakthroughs in ministry and for a strong community witness.

## CATHEDRAL

**Welcome Centre**

Thank God for the re-opening of the Welcome Centre. Pray that it will be a warm and inviting place for many seekers and for those who need a place of rest from the hustle and bustle of city life. Pray that many who come through its doors will find peace and rest as well as salvation for their souls. Pray for divine connections with our Welcome Hosts and for the Cathedral to be a blessing to the communities around us.

**AGM (2 pm, 21 April, CNS)**

Pray for good turnout at our forthcoming AGM, for all procedures to be carried out in a smooth and orderly manner and for good discussions on issues raised. Pray for the Lord to preside over the AGM and for the election of the right candidates to form the new Parochial Church Council.

# 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           | 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.

There will be **NO YOUTH SERVICE** on the following dates due to Annual General Meeting (AGM) & Youth Mission Trip respectively:

- 21 April 2024
- 9 June 2024

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SERMON SERIES 2024

APRIL

**6 & 7**

**A Consecrated Life**

Rev'd Christopher Chan

**13 & 14**

**From Persecution to Propagation**

Rev'd Alvin Toh

**20 & 21**

**A Divine Appointment**

Rev'd Andrew Yap

**27 & 28**

**An Unlikely Conversion**

Rev'd Christopher Chan

MAY

**4 & 5**

**A Paradigm Shift**

Rev'd Moses Israeli

**11 & 12**

**The Nations Redeemed**

Ds Ti Lian Swan

**18 & 19**

**The Promised Helper**

Rev'd David Lee

Ds June Tan

**25 & 26**

**The Mystery of the Trinity**

Rev'd Christopher Chan

Follow our weekly reflection questions at:

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

# AGM2024

ST ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The 2024 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).**

## **PRE-REGISTER FOR FASTER ENTRY INTO THE AGM**

QR codes will be issued to eligible Electoral Roll members who pre-register before 1159hr on 18 April 2024 (Thursday), to facilitate faster entry into the AGM on AGM Day.

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.

Register at [bit.ly/sac-agm-reg](https://bit.ly/sac-agm-reg)

## **QUESTION & ANSWER (Q&A)**

All Electoral Roll members may submit questions that are substantial and relevant to the agenda of the AGM using the AGM Q&A Form by 1159hr on 14 April 2024.

Submit questions at [bit.ly/sac-agm-qna](https://bit.ly/sac-agm-qna)

## **ENQUIRIES AND REQUESTS**

Members who have questions and/or require help in relation to the AGM 2024

may email [secretariat@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:secretariat@cathedral.org.sg)

or call +65 6337 6104.

For more information visit [cathedral.org.sg/agm24](https://cathedral.org.sg/agm24)

# NOMINATIONS FOR ELECTION TO THE PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL (PCC)

The AGM will elect the People's Warden  
and 12 Lay Representatives

CANDIDATE STANDING FOR  
Election as People's Warden (2024 - 2025)



*Joseph Thambiah*

CANDIDATE(S) STANDING FOR  
Election As Lay Representatives To The Parochial Church Council (2024-2025)



*Andrew Goh  
Kia Teck*



*Chan Cheng Min  
Serene*



*Chan Yik Seng  
Jonathen*



*Doris De Souza*



*Eric Lee  
Siew Pin*



*Felicia Ma*



*Karen Chua*



*Reuben Wong  
Kong Min*



*Robin Tan  
Tiong Bin*



*Samantha Foong  
Chi Yeng*



*Stephanie  
Magnus*



*Tan Hock Soon  
Adrias*

More information about our PCC candidates may be found  
on the Cathedral website: [bit.ly/aggm-pcc](https://bit.ly/aggm-pcc)

## CHILDREN MINISTRY

Preschool - Primary 6 (ages 3 - 12)



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

- 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

# Prayer and P R A I S E

**Fri 26 Apr 2024**

**7.14PM**

**Prayer Halls**

EVERY FOURTH FRIDAY OF THE MONTH



# TALK ON DEATH AND DYING

What happens when someone dies? Amid various ideas about the afterlife, it is necessary to take a look at what the Bible actually teaches about it and how it sheds light on issues such as the intermediate state, resurrection, second coming of Jesus, judgment, and heaven and hell.

**Come and explore these topics with insightful teachings by Bishop Solomon!**

**9th May 2024, 10am to 12.30pm**

**Prayer Halls A-B**

**Speaker: Bishop Emeritus Robert Solomon**

Register at: <https://forms.gle/o7bmFV87jgCP64FU6>

Registration closes on 8 May.

To enquire, WhatsApp David at 98332786 or email to [davidng@cathedral.org.sg](mailto:davidng@cathedral.org.sg).



## 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 transitional programme aimed at Sec 1s and 2s)



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

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

# 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](mailto: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**



## 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.

**To register:**

<http://gfsac.greenfossil.com/equipping/registration/183/public>

**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](mailto: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>





# Art of Marriage

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: <https://forms.gle/THksRFgG7yKij7jH8>

## 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. [Register here](#) by 17 Apr (5pm)

**Volunteers need to attend compulsory Zoom briefing on 21 Apr 2024, 8pm**

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



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

<https://anglican.org.sg/events/>

# STAY CONNECTED

with the Cathedral



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

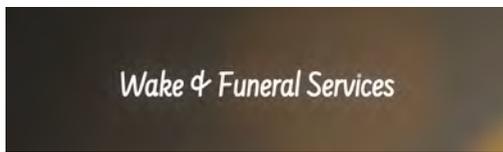
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## Cell Group

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:

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 [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)
- Verger

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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## DIOCESAN DIGEST

Feb 2024 [anglican.org.sg/diocesan-digest](https://anglican.org.sg/diocesan-digest)

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# GIVE

## tithes and offerings



### Online

#### Internet Banking

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

#### PayNow

##### PayNow Name:

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UEN: T08CC4055LT01

Receipts will not be issued for online givings.

### 2 WAYS TO GIVE



### 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.