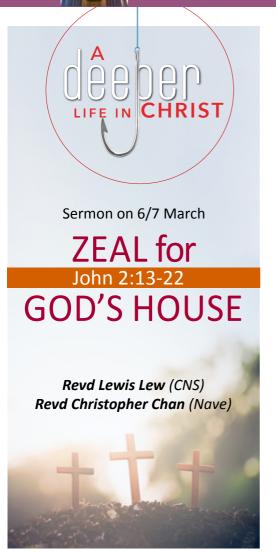


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6/7 MARCH 2021

COLLECT THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified: mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.. Amen

LECTIONARY READINGS

Fxodus 20:1-17

1 Corinthians 1:18-25

John 2:13-22



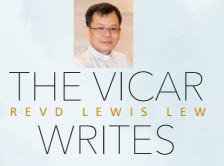
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Bishop of Singapore and Dean Rt Revd Dr Titus Chung Vicar Revd Lewis Lew

Clergy Revd Joshua Raj, Revd Christopher Chan, Revd Bertram Cheong, Revd Moses Israeli, Revd Daniel Lim Auxiliary Clergy Revd Canon Dr Louis Tay, Revd Soon Soo Kee

Deaconesses Ds June Tan, Ds Grace Tan, Ds Ti Lian Swan



Lent is a time for us to reflect on our life with Christ. Just as Jesus went into the wilderness for 40 days, we are encouraged to set aside time daily during this period think and reflect on the sacrifice that Christ made on the cross so that we can have a renewed relationship with Him. Think about it, God our Heavenly Father was so compelled by his Fatherly love for us that He, "made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God" (NIV, 2 Cor 5:21). The Scripture declares that, "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life" (ESV, John 3:16). Imagine for a moment, what if God had not loved mankind? Remove the love of God and everything about our Christian faith falls apart. The Scripture is so full of stories and descriptions about the love of God. But what does that really mean and what does God expect of us? I would like to encourage you to take time to ponder over these questions.

Lent is also a time for us to do deep soul searching and surrendering. King David, cried out, "Search me, O God, and know my heart! Try me and know my thoughts! And see if there be any grievous way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting!"

(ESV, Psalm 139:23-24). In the same way, Scripture often engages us to search deep into crevasses of our lives, for hidden sins. When we find them, we are to surrender them to God. I would like to encourage you to make time during this season for 'spiritual house in order and to surrender them

at the foot of the cross of Christ, sins or areas of our lives that are hindering us from coming to God.

Let us remember the purpose of Lentatime of reflecting on our relationship with Christ. Does our life truly reflect the image of Christ inside and outside the church? What do we need to "give up" to fully experience the power of Christ to the fullest? Let's take the Lent 2021 seriously to experience a Deeper Life in Christ!

PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

THE WORLD

The World Health Organization reported that the number of new coronavirus infections globally rose in the last week of February and cautioned nations against the relaxation of measures to stop the transmission of the disease. Pray that all countries will continue to remain vigilant and disciplined in maintaining and enforcing the necessary measures to keep their populations safe. Pray that government leaders will continue to share vital information and resources as well as collaborate with one another in a collective and concerted effort to deal with this pandemic.

SINGAPORE

Thank God that Singapore is one of the safest places in the world to live and work due largely to the focused efforts by our Ministry of Home Affairs to transform departments under their charge, through the increased use of technology. Pray for continued wisdom and divine wisdom for Mr K. Shanmugam and his team, as they continue to broaden the use of technology to address limits in manpower and resources, speed up accessibility to information, sharpen capabilities, increase operational response and automate routine processes, to achieve their mission.

DIOCESE

Collation of Canons (21 March, 4.30 pm Service)

Thank God for the 5 clergy who will be collated as the Honorary Canons of the Cathedral on 21 March: Revd Chua Siang Guan, Revd Huang Aoyou, Revd Barry Leong Kok Wai, Revd Lewis Lew Boon Chong and Revd Daniel Wee Chun Chian.

Pray that God will prepare them and their families as they step into their new roles and share collegial responsibilities with their fellow clergy, to build up the total life and witness of the Diocese. Pray they will have renewed strength and be daily filled with the Holy Spirit, to fulfil God's purposes in and through their lives.

Christ Church & Church of the Epiphany

Pray for Canon Steven Asirvatham who has oversight of Christ Church & Church of the Epiphany. Pray that God will grant him strength, wisdom and foresight to lead and pastor these two parishes in these challenging times; for team unity among the staff and lay leaders. Pray for the spiritual growth of members and for the empowering of the Holy Spirit to bear witness for Christ and to advance God's Kingdom.

CATHEDRAL

Institution and Induction of Revd Lewis

Pray for Revd Lewis who will be instituted and inducted as the Vicar of the Cathedral on 21 March, that God pour out His mighty anointing upon him; envision him, endue him with divine wisdom, strength and fortitude to lead and shepherd the Cathedral flock into a deeper life with Christ and to fulfil God's destiny for the Cathedral as Mother Church of the Diocese and a church in the heart of the city.

Befriending Migrant Workers Ministry (BMW)

Thank God for opening the doors for us to reach out to our migrant friends from Myanmar, Bangladesh and India. Pray for our ministry teams to have godly wisdom and passion to serve our migrant communities. Pray for caring employers who will watch over them, provide them with a safe working environment and good living conditions; that they will experience God's love and respond to

Him in faith; that they will trust the Lord to protect them and provide for them as well as their families back home.

Worship Services at the Cathedral

We warmly welcome all to join us in our Services

SERVICE TIMINGS

Services in different languages are conducted across the week at different timings. Holy Communion is served on the last weekend of the month for English services held in the CNS and weekly for English services held in the Nave. We warmly welcome all to join in the Services.

Wed: 12.30pm (in English)

Thur: 12:30pm (in English)

Sat: 11.30am (in Mandarin),

2.30pm (in Hokkien) 1st and 3rd Sat

4.30pm, 5.30pm (in English),

Sun: 7.30am, 9.30am, 11.30am,

4.30pm (in English) **8.30am** (in Tamil)

9.30am, 11.30am, 2.30pm,

4.30pm (in Mandarin)

2.30pm (in Burmese)

Bookings for the services can be made via the Cathedral website or through the Cathedral mainline at 63376104. For Services in Mandarin, please call 63392435. Walk-ins to all services will not be allowed.

Sunday Live-streamed Services

Sunday Services in English will be live-streamed at 7.30am (Nave) and 9.30am (CNS) via the St Andrew's Cathedral YouTube channel. Join us at cathedral.org.sg/youtube

GETTING TO THE CATHEDRAL

Coming by Train or Bus

Enter via the MRT Gate (Pedestrian gate next to the Cathedral Café) for entry and exit.

Driving to Cathedral

Parking space is available and the gates open 30 minutes before the start of the service. Enter by the SRC Gate and exit by the Padang Gate.

KEEPING THE CATHEDRAL SAFE FOR ALL

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Token or App only

All entry to St Andrew's Cathedral compound must be done with the TraceTogether app or token. Please ensure you have downloaded the app or brought along your token before you come for the service.

Observing Safe Distancing Measures

All worshippers and service personnel are required to wear masks and to comply with the authorities' Safe Management measures for religious organisations, including SafeEntry, temperature checks, attendance taking

and safe distancing. Please note that mingling is not allowed before, during, or after Services



PRIVATE WORSHIP

The Chapel for All Peoples will be open for Private Worship from **Tuesdays to Fridays, 10am to 4pm**. Each session is for 30 minutes. Please make a booking via the Cathedral line at 63376104.



Let's attend service together on Sundays via live streaming!

7.30am Service@Nave 9.30am Service@CNS

Subscribe to the St Andrew's Cathedral YouTube channel to worship God together! https://www.youtube.com/c/

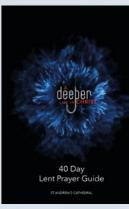
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40 DAY LENT PRAYER GUIDE

Let us as a church go deeper in prayer during this Lent. The 40 Day Lent Prayer Guide available for your download here:



2 steps to take part in this:



- Download the prayer guide from the website
- · Commit to pray as a connect group or small group or as an individual by registering your interest at tinyurl. com/lentprayernfast

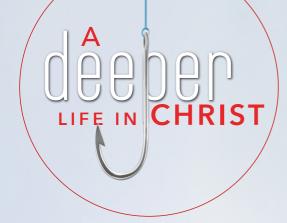


ONE YEAR BIBLE READING PLAN

Let us as a church grow our passion for the Word. A one-year bible reading plan will be made available on the website from 16 Feb for your download, Gather with a few friends to read the Word daily!

bit.ly/1YrBiblePlan

Access the Lent & Easter Programme at cathedral.org.sg/lent



LENT& EASTER PROGRAMME

Ash Wednesday - 17 Feb

12.30pm

Freedom from Sin Revd Soon Soo Kee

7.00pm

Open Topic
Revd Joshua Raj

Maundy Thursday - 1 Apr

7.00pm

Love One Another Revd Daniel Lim

Good Friday – 2 Apr

8.00am - 9.30am
Open Topic
Revd William Chee,
Revd Christopher Chan,

Revd Lewis Lew

WEEKEND SERVICES

20/21 Feb Repent & Believe

Revd Daniel Lim (CNS)
Ds June Tan (Nave)

27/28 Feb Losing our Lives for Christ's

Sake

Ds Grace Tan (CNS)
Ds Ti Lian Swan (Nave)

6/7 Mar Zeal for God's House

Revd Lewis Lew (CNS)

Revd Christopher Chan (Nave)

13/14 Mar Come to the Light

Ds June Tan (CNS)
Revd Daniel Lim (Nave)

20/21 Mar Bearing Fruit through Death

Revd Christopher Chan (CNS)

Revd Lewis Lew (Nave)

27/28 Mar Hosanna!

Ds Ti Lian Swan (CNS)
Ds Grace Tan (Nave)

3/4 Apr Easter Sunday

Open Topic

Please refer to page 7 for more details about the Wednesday Holy Communion Service.

Our Lord Jesus Christ often walked with his disciples as they travelled from village to village and he even did that after his resurrection! Those were occasions when the disciples could listen, think, reflect and share about what Jesus told them. From February 24, in this season of Lent, let us walk with Jesus in the last days of his life, as he made his way to the cross. What does he want to say to us from his heart?

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"Did not our hearts burn within us while he talked to us on the road, while he opened to us the Scriptures?" (Lk 24:32)

Mar 10 Silenced by a Truth Encounter

Mar 17 Love and Betrayal at Passover

Mar 24 Seeing not the Truth

Mar 31 Facing the Cross of Shame and Hope

Apr 7 Who Moved the Stone?

Join us in the Wednesday Holy Communion Service at 12.30pm in the Nave.

To register, visit this link: cathedral.org.sg/ws

Registration is now open!

ALPHA is back on site

(with safety measures in place and limited to 50 pax)



Alpha @ Cathedral
Join us on
Fridays

26 Feb - 14 May 2021 @ 7.00pm - 8.30pm

St Andrew's Cathedral

For more information cathedral.org.sg/alpha

No walk-ins allowed and due to limited space, please register via email at alpha@cathedral.org.sg



Sunday 21 March 2021 4.30pm St Andrew's Cathedral

Join the service via live-streaming at https://bit.ly/isc213

Collation of Honorary Canons

of St Andrew's Cathedral, Singapore



Rev Chua Siang Guan Rev Huang Ao-you Rev Barry Leong Rev Lewis Lew









and

Institution & Induction of Vicar

of St Andrew's Cathedral, Singapore



Notice for **AGM** 25 April 2021, 1pm

Notice is hereby given that the 2021 Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Parish of St Andrew's Cathedral will be held by way of ZOOM Webinar on Sunday, 25 April 2021 at 1pm (Singapore time).

Nominations

This AGM will elect the People's Warden and 12 members of the Parochial Church Council. Nomination forms are available on the Cathedral website or via this link https://form.jotform.com/SACMembership/ AGM2021NomForm

According to the St Andrew's Cathedral Constitution, candidates for election to membership of the PCC 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. Proposers and Seconders are also required to be members on the Cathedral Flectoral Roll.

Nomination forms are to be submitted not later than 12 noon on 6 April 2021.

Electoral Roll

The Electoral Roll determines those who are eligible to either vote or be elected at the AGM onto the Parochial Church Council. 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, should be on the Flectoral Roll.

The Electoral Roll (ER) determines those who are eligible to either vote or be elected at the AGM onto the Parochial Church Council.

All members are encouraged to check if they are on the ER. They can do so in the following manner:

- 1. Check online at https://form.jotform.com/ SACMembership/ER-enquiry
- 2. Email to membership@cathedral.org.sq with your name as in NRIC, date of birth and mobile number

All new applications for ER must be submitted before 24 March 2021 to be eligible to vote at the coming AGM 2021.

Registration for AGM

All Electoral Roll members who wish to do any of the following are required to submit a registration form via the Cathedral website, or by clicking on the following link

https://form.jotform.com/SACMembership/ AGM2021Rea:

- 1. Attend the AGM via ZOOM Webinar:
- 2. Register for a Proxy Voting Form and
- 3. Request for the Financial Statements for the year 2020 and Budget for the year 2021.

All registration for AGM are to be submitted not later than 12 noon on 31 March 2021.

This Notice is available on the Cathedral website and may be accessed at https:// cathedral.org.sg/AGM2021. Forms and more information about AGM 2021 may be found on this webpage.





Please register with Mrs Connie Tan @ 97424343 by 22 March 2021

27 March 2021 (Saturday), 2pm at the Pavilion



EMPOWERING For the next season



10-Mar-21 7.30-9pm Develop An Antifragile Mindset

Facilitator: Mr Eugene Seah

23-Mar-21 7.30-9pm

Optimising Linkedin for Career Success

Facilitator: Mr Eugene Seah



6-Apr-21 7.30-9pm

How to Prepare an Effective Curriculum Vitae

Facilitator: Mrs Doris De Souza

20-Apr-21 7.30-9pm

How to Prepare for a Job Interview

Facilitator: Mrs Doris De Souza



4-May-21 7.30-9pm Biblical Self-Care

Facilitator: Dr Gilbert Tan

Please register online at

http://tinyurl.com/cswcworkshops

For enquiries, please email karenchuakc@gmail.com

Please visit cathedral org.sg/marketplace for more information.



Online chats with your Service pastors

SATURDAY 4:30pm Service "The Upper Room Devotion" 10.00am

To Join, click **HERE**

SUNDAY

THE EARLY RISERS
ZOOM MEETING
6.30 am Pre-Service Prayer
8.35am Zoom Meeting
To Join, click HERE



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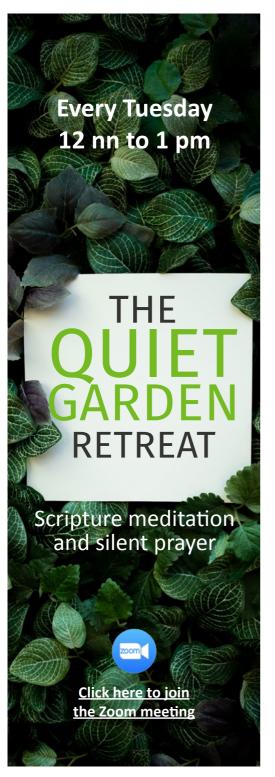
Get the app now at: https://onelink.to/9z88a2 or scan the QR code











SAC RESTORATION WORKS PROJECT, 2020-2022



This Project aims to repair and restore various parts of the Cathedral's historic building have succumbed environmental wear and The Restoration tear. Works will involve re-plastering and painting of interior and exterior walls, timber carpentry, stone works, metal works, electrical

works, plumbing and roof works. The Project is expected to take 3 years. The cost of \$6million will be paid out from the Cathedral Heritage Fund (CHF) set up to fund this Project as well as future heritage and building works.

HOW TO GIVE

Cheques – Pay to "St Andrew's Cathedral". 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

PayNow:

Heritage Fund UEN - T08CC4055LHF1

The CHF, as of 2 February 2021:

From English Congregation: \$1.2m

From Mandarin Congregation: \$1.2m

Grant from Preservation of

Sites & Monuments Board: \$0.98m

Donations pledged/received

from SAC members/friends: \$1.43m

Balance to be raised: \$1.19m

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: St Andrew's Cath Parochial Church C UEN: T08CC4055LT01

For tithes and general offerings

You may indicate the Service you attend and/ or Tithing number (if any) under remarks or reference.

For other specific donations

(eg. Welfare, Missions, etc)

You may indicate the purpose of your donation (eg. Welfare, Missions, etc.) under remarks or reference. For donations with no indication, it will be treated as general offering. Please email finance@cathedral.org.sg if you require clarification.

Receipts will not be issued for on-line givings.

Pay to: "St Andrew's Cathedral"

On the reverse side of the cheque, you may indicate your Tithing number (if any).

For specific donations

On the reverse side of the cheque, please indicate the purpose of your donation eg. Restoration Works, Welfare, Missions, etc. If you would like a receipt, please write your name and mailing address.

Cheques can be mailed to St Andrew's Cathedral, 11 St Andrew's Road, Singapore 178959

