



### X ST ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL THE DIOCESE OF SINGAPORE

### **WFLCOMF**

A warm welcome to all members and visitors to our Services today.

#### HOLY COMMUNION

We welcome all confirmed members of the Anglican Church and visitors who are communicant members of other churches to share in the Holy Communion with us. Our practice is to have the Holy Communion by intinction (dipping of the wafer into the wine). If you are not partaking of the Communion, you are welcome to come forward to receive a prayer of blessing. Please keep your hands clasped to indicate that you are not receiving the Communion.

#### **PRAYER & MINISTRY**

If you would like to talk to someone or receive prayer ministry, in most Services this is offered either during or after a Service. Note the following:

Sat 4.30pm In Service

7.00am After Service at Graham White Library.

North Transept, Ground floor

8.00am After Service at prayer table

9.00am In Service

11.15am After Service at communion rails

eleven.30 In Service

5.00pm After Service at communion rails

#### **CAR PARKING**

There are very limited carpark lots available within the Cathedral. Members and visitors are encouraged to park at the surrounding carparks on Sunday.

#### **CHILDREN MINISTRY**

Each Service has special provisions for families with young children. Please see page 4.

#### **4 AUGUST 2019** SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

#### COLLECT

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; 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**

Hosea 11:1-11; Colossians 3:1-11; Luke 12:13-21

#### **HYMNS**

**8.00am:** CP369; In Christ Alone; HP205;

CP530

11.15am: CP369; In Christ Alone;

HP205: CP530

5.00pm: HP17; HP329; HP230; HP157

#### **Bishop of Singapore and Dean**

The Rt Revd Rennis Ponniah

Vicar Revd Canon Terry Wong

Clergy Revd Peter Cook, Revd Michael Lim, Revd Bertram Cheong, Revd Joshua Raj, Revd Hambali Leonardi, Revd Calvin Wee, Revd Moses Israeli

Auxilliary Clergy Revd Canon Dr Louis Tay, Revd Soon Soo Kee, Revd Christopher Tan, Revd Freddy Lim

Deaconesses Ds Bessie Lee, Ds June Tan

# Renewing our Commitment to serve the Jurong Community

Some of you may have read media reports that SAC was considering closing down our Child Development Centre (CDC) at Jurong West St 51. This decision was not undertaken lightly and we were responding to the financial struggles our childcare centre has been facing these past few years.

SAC is not adverse to seeing this as a ministry and supporting the work financially. But we were also asking all the hard questions of due diligence as this is a sector which is known to be self-funding or even profit-making. If the demand from the community has dropped after serving her in this manner for 30 over years, we did wonder if we should shift our attention to another need in the community. After all, this childcare work was driven by the call to serve the community.

I am sharing this so that you are aware of the values and principles which drive the way the Church stewards her resources. Apart from finances, what is sometimes not seen is the high level of human leadership and pastoral resources invested in every community work we do.

Over seventy concerned parents cared enough to give us feedback and offered some support. They are telling us that this work is still valued by the community. Encouraged by that, our management team, led by Soh Kim Seng, worked on a practical plan to strengthen the work. This gave the PCC good enough reasons to make a decision to continue running this centre.

We were also helped by Minister Desmond Lee's visit to the centre last Friday (26th July). Coincidentally, he is the Minister for Social and Family Development (MSF) and also the Jurong GRC MP. MSF and MOE jointly oversee

the pre-school sector through her agency, ECDA (Early Childhood Development Agency). We discussed practical ways which can help the centre to do better, including seeking grants for families which may be struggling with paying the fees. We are also in discussions with our Anglican preschool arm, St James' Pre-school Services (SJPS) to find various ways to strengthen our programmes and training of teachers.

This work started in 1986 and was officially opened by Bishop Moses Tay in 1987. It has a wonderful theme "Let the children come to Me" and paintings on the wall illustrate this. She has been a blessing to many children and their families all these years. Our Westside Anglican Church has been offering active chaplaincy support.

We can say that things are looking up for this centre. Last Saturday morning, many parents turned up to support the teachers, and the joy on their faces can be seen on our bulletin banner.

We cherish your continual support and prayers. If some of you feel led to serve in our Management Committee, do email our chairman at kimseng2@singnet.com.sg

Taken on 26th July, Minister Desmond Lee (4th from right) in a photo with the Supervisor (Miss Ding, 2nd from left)), Soh Kim Seng (3rd from left), clergy, teachers and community leaders. Some of the teachers have been serving since the opening of the centre in 1986.



## PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

As Singapore celebrates her 54th birthday on National Day, in our Bicentennial year, we recall with gratitude God's goodness and mighty hand upon our nation. We acknowledge it is God who has miraculously raised us up from an obscure fishing village to a first world nation, within one generation.

We thank God that Singapore has enjoyed political stability, racial harmony, peace and prosperity. God has put this little red dot on the world map and has blessed us to be a blessing to the nations. Pray that we will be ever mindful of God's grace towards us and will continue to look to Him for divine providence in the face of increasing challenges, amidst the changing political, social, economic and moral landscape of the world.

We repent and ask God's forgiveness for the things we have done that have grieved His heart. Pray that we will fear God and walk in His truth. Pray that Singapore will remain an oak of righteousness and will not succumb to external or internal pressures that threaten to de-rail her from her divine calling.

Bless our government leaders and pray for them by name. Pray that God will grant them wisdom, depth of insight, far sightedness, courage and strength to govern this nation in His ways and to lead Singapore onward in the purposes of God:

Mdm Halimah Yacob

President

Mr Lee Hsien Loong
Prime Minister

Mr Teo Chee Hean Senior Minister and Coordinating Minister for National Security

Mr Tharman Shanmugaratnam Senior Minister and Coordinating Minister for Social Policies

Mr Heng Swee Keat

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Finance

Mr Khaw Boon Wan Coordinating Minister for Infrastructure and Minister for Transport

Dr Ng Eng Hen Minister for Defence

Dr Vivian Balakrishnan Minister for Foreign Affairs

Mr K. Shanmugam Minister for Home Affairs and Minister for Law

Mr Gan Kim Yong Minister for Health

Mr S. Iswaran

Minister for Communications and Information

Ms Grace Fu Hai Yien Minister for Culture, Community, and Youth, Leader of the House

Mr Chan Chun Sing
Minister for Trade and Industry

Mr Lawrence Wong Minister for National Development and 2nd Minister For Finance

Mr Masagos Zulkifli Minister for the Environment and Water Resources

Mr Ng Chee Meng Minister, Prime Minister's Office

Mr Ong Ye Kung

Minister for Education

Mrs Josephine Teo

Minister for Manpower

and 2nd Minister for Home Affairs

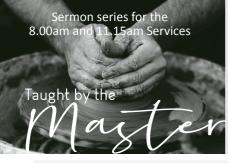
Mr Desmond Lee Minister for Social and Family Development and 2nd Minister for National Development

Ms Indranee Thurai Rajah Minister, Prime Minister's Office, 2nd Minister for Finance and 2nd Minister for Education

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Annie Dang, Marjorie Lau, Nancy Li, Barbara Rayney, Joy Brett, Doris Proctor, Dr. Ruth Jeremiah, Anna Lim, Ana Pelaez, Chew Hock Hua and Lim Soon Chye.

Members who know them are encouraged to visit and pray with them.



Beware of Religion Luke 11:42-54 Aug 4

Aug 11 Stay Faithful and Loyal Luke 12:1-12

**Invest in Kingdom Treasure** *Luke* 12:13-21 Aug 18

Aug 25 Be Secure in the Father's Love Luke 12:22-34

<b>SATURDAY</b>	SERVICE:	3 AUGUST
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**Contemporary Service CNS** 4.30 pm

Revd Joshua Raj

#### **SUNDAY SERVICE 4 AUGUST**

7.00 am **Holy Communion** Nave Revd Joshua Raj

8.00 am **Holy Communion** Nave Revd Peter Cook

9.00 am **Holy Communion CNS** Revd Hambali Leonardi

9.00 am **Tamil Service** 

Chapel for All Peoples

Service in Mandarin Nave 9.30 am 11.15 am Service in Mandarin CNS 11.15 am **Holy Communion** Nave Revd Peter Cook

11.30 am **Contemporary Service Praver Halls** 

Revd Calvin Wee

Filipino Service NT Hall 2.00 pm Ps Carolina Alar

2.00 pm **Myanmar Worship Service CNS** 

Revd Moses Israeli

Bahasa Indonesia Service 2.30 pm South Transept Hall

Mr Victor Effendie

2.30 pm Service in Cantonese Nave **Hokkien Service** Prayer Halls 4.30 pm

Revd Freddy Lim

5.00 pm **Holy Communion** *Nave* Revd Joshua Rai

5.00 pm Service in Mandarin CNS

#### **SATURDAY SERVICE 10 AUGUST**

Contemporary Service CNS 4.30 pm Revd Hambali Leonardi

#### **SUNDAY SERVICE 11 AUGUST**

7.00 am **Holy Communion** *Nave* Revd Christopher Tan 8.00 am **Holy Communion** Nave Revd Soon Soo Kee 9.00 am Contemporary Service CNS

Revd Calvin Wee 9.00 am

Tamil Service Chapel for All Peoples

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11.30 am **Contemporary Service** 

Praver Halls

Revd Hambali Leonardi Filipino Service NT Hall 2.00 pm

Ps Carolina Alar

2.00 pm Myanmar Worship Service CNS

Revd Peter Cook

2.30 pm Service in Cantonese Nave **Hokkien Service** *Prayer Halls* 4.30 pm Revd Freddy Lim

**Evensong** Nave 5.00 pm

The Vicar

Service in Mandarin CNS 5.00 pm

#### **EXTENSION CENTRES**

10.00 am Westside Anglican Church Revd Bertram Cheong

10.00 am Jurong Anglican Church

Mandarin

West Coast Recreation Centre

10.00 am ACTS Centre

My Saviour's Church Revd Michael Lim

#### **SUNDAY SCHOOL MINISTRIES**

Saturday CITYKids Ministry 4.30 pm Prayer Halls, B1

8.00 am Sunday School

North & South Transept Halls 9.00 am Sunday School Enquire at CNS, B2

9.30 am Sunday School (Mandarin)

11.15 am Sunday School

Enquire at North Transept Hall

5.00 pm **Junior Cell** South Transept Hall

# WEEKDAY SERVICES/MEETINGS

#### **MONDAY. 5 AUGUST**

12.30 pm Mid-Day Prayer Nave

#### **TUESDAY, 6 AUGUST**

7.30 am Clergy and Leaders

**Holy Communion** *Nave* 

12.30 pm Mid-Day Prayer Nave

#### **WEDNESDAY, 7 AUGUST**

7.30 am The Quiet Garden Meditation

West House

12.30 pm Holy Communion *Nave*7.30 pm PETALS Mothers' Ministry

Graham White Library

Pruning branches - speech, behaviour,

discipline

#### **THURSDAY, 8 AUGUST**

9.30 am Holy Communion

Chapel for All Peoples

12.30 pm Mid-Day Prayer Nave

#### **FRIDAY. 9 AUGUST**

**Public Holiday** 

#### **SATURDAY, 10 AUGUST**

3.00 pm LYnC Youth Ministry (Youth Alpha)

Chapel for All Peoples

**2.30 pm** Shalomkids Ministry *Prayer Halls* 

(For children with autism)

## **COMING UP**

#### **AUGUST**

6 Marriage Preparation Course

7 Alpha

9 National Day

9-12 Children's Ministry Teachers Retreat

**10** Emotionally Healthy Relationships

11 Hari Raya Haji

13 Marriage Preparation Course

14 Alpha

15 DCBS

15 National Day Thanksgiving Service

16 Day DCBS

**17** Emotionally Healthy Relationships

17 Emotionally Healthy Spirituality Intro

18 Confirmation Course

21 Alpha

**22** DCBS

23 Day DCBS

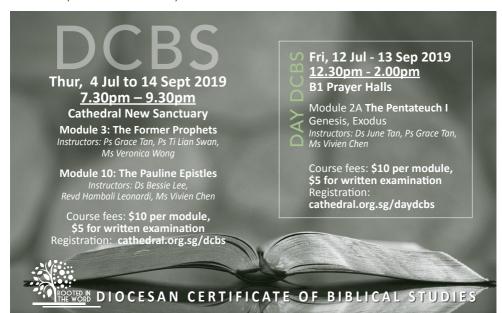
23 Prayer & Praise

24 Baptism Service

**24** Emotionally Healthy Relationships

25 Confirmation Course

29 DCBS



# SAMH and SACS CHARITY GALA DINNER 25 October 2019, 7.30 pm

The Ritz-Carlton, Millenia Singapore Guest-of-Honour: Mr Heng Swee Keat, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Finance

Table price: \$12,000, \$8,000 and \$4,000

per table of 10 persons

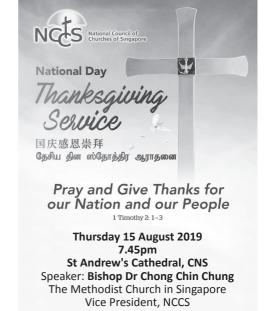
All donations towards the event will be shared equally between SAMH and SACS. For more information, please contact Christine Pang at 6586 1999

or christine\_pang@sacs.org.sg.

#### **WEEKDAY PARKING**

Members visiting the Cathedral during the weekdays are advised to park their vehicles at the car park lots provided and not outside of it. We have many heavy vehicles moving around the cathedral grounds due to the ongoing works at the Pavilion and the Bell Tower.

We have encountered vehicles parking along the double yellow lines, obstructing the traffic flow for the heavy vehicles. If there are insufficient parking places in the Cathedral, please park your vehicles at the nearby parking facilities.



#### **ROAD CLOSURE**

Please note road closure for NDP rehearsals. This will take place every Saturday, from 15 June till 9 August.

St. Andrew's Road: 2am to 2am Stamford Road: 9am to 12 midnight North Bridge Road: 1pm to 3pm and 6.30pm to 8pm

# **ALPHA @ CATHEDRAL**

Wednesdays, 10 July 2019 - 25 Sep 2019, 7 pm - 9 pm

If you work near City Hall, there is an Alpha Lunchtime @12 pm

Enquiry: alpha@cathedral.org.sg



**AUGUST 8 • SUNTEC SINGAPORE • 7.30PM** 

To conclude the 40.Day season of fasting & prayer, LoveSingapore will be convening **DAY OF HIS POWER** (the annual concert of prayer).

The theme is **GENERATIONS**. One Father. One Family.

Many Generations

Date: Thursday 8 August

Venue: Suntec Singapore level 6

Doors open at 6pm

Free admission/First come, first served Be early. Bag checks at every entrance.

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## The Cathedral Podcast

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# Interview with the Vicar A broad and instructive conversation with Vicar Terry Wong on Spiritual leadership, the Cathedral as a living monument.



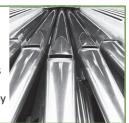
The Cathedral bells are going to ring again!
Andrew Reynolds and Vivien Chen let us in on the history, spiritual significance and little known technical facts about the bells.





# Commissioning Service for the Organ and Bells of St Andrew's Cathedral 5.00 pm, Sunday 11 August 2019

We give thanks for the refurbished Organ and the Bells of the Cathedral. You are welcome to join us for this Thanksgiving and Commissioning Service, which is led by our Dean and Bishop, Rt Revd Rennis Ponniah.



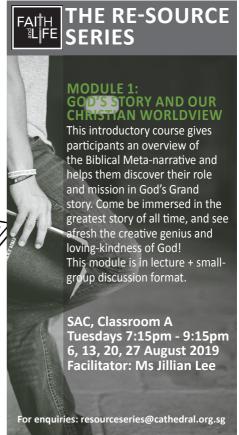
#### **PUBLIC HOLIDAY**

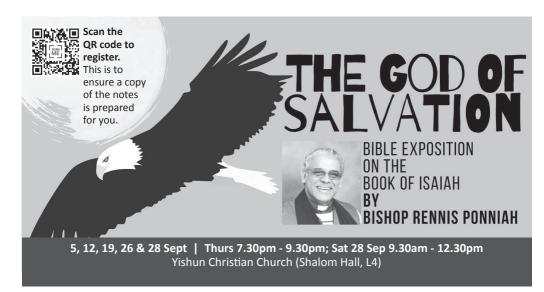
We wish to inform all members that the Cathedral Welcome Centre, Cafe and office will be closed on Friday, 9 August 2019, and Monday, 12 August 2019.

#### **NO SUNDAY SCHOOLS ON 10/11 AUGUST**

Shalomkids, Saturday CITYkids, 8am, 9am, 11.15am Sunday Schools and 5pm Junior Cell will be taking a break as the teachers are away on retreat.









It is always a privilege to worship God through the resources He has blessed us with. Tithing and pledging is a planned and disciplined form of giving which also helps the Cathedral to plan and budget well for her ministries and missions giving.

For those who wish to start tithing or pledging to the work of the Cathedral, please visit **cathedral.org.sg/giving** for instructions on how you can begin to do so.

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Please complete and return this portion to the ushers	or the Info Desk, or simply drop it into an offering bag.		
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Sex : F/M Age: ☐ 12-18 ☐ 19-25 ☐ 26-44 ☐ 45-64 ☐ 65+ Service attended:			
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☐ I am a visitor. I would like to be contacted. ☐ I wish to attend an Alpha Course. ☐ I wish to be a member of St Andrew's Cathedral.	☐ I wish to know more about Christianity. ☐ I wish to join a Connect group. ☐ Others:		



