

Alpha Weekend Away



ST ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL

THE DIOCESE OF SINGAPORE

WELCOME

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.

8 SEPTEMBER 2019

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray and to give more than either we desire or deserve: pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask but through the merits and mediation of 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

Jeremiah 18:1-11;

Philemon 1-21;

Luke 14:25-33

HYMNS

8.00am: CP442; CP467; CP589; CP622

11.15am: CP442; CP467; CP589; CP622

5.00pm: HP11; He Leadeth Me; Lord You Are Always Here With Me; You Are Holy; I Love You Lord ; HP2

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

ON HUMAN SEXUALITY

Sometimes, enquiries are received concerning the Cathedral's position on issues pertaining to human sexuality, including those of same-sex attraction.

When Anglican bishops gathered at the Lambeth Conference in 1998, the resolution below was debated on and accepted. This resolution frames our Diocesan stance on the matter.

Lambeth 1998 Resolution 1.10 on 'Human Sexuality'

This Conference:

- commends to the Church the subsection report on human sexuality;
- in view of the teaching of Scripture, upholds faithfulness in marriage between a man and a woman in lifelong union, and believes that abstinence is right for those who are not called to marriage;
- recognises that there are among us persons who experience themselves as having a homosexual orientation. Many of these are members of the Church and are seeking the pastoral care, moral direction of the Church, and God's transforming power for the living of their lives and the ordering of relationships. We commit ourselves to listen to the experience of homosexual persons and we wish to assure them that they are loved by God and that all baptised, believing and faithful persons, regardless of sexual orientation, are full members of the Body of Christ;
- while rejecting homosexual practice as incompatible with Scripture, calls on all our people to minister pastorally and sensitively to all irrespective

of sexual orientation and to condemn irrational fear of homosexuals, violence within marriage and any trivialisation and commercialisation of sex;

- cannot advise the legitimising or blessing of same sex unions nor ordaining those involved in same gender unions;
- requests the Primates and the ACC (Anglican Consultative Council) to establish a means of monitoring the work done on the subject of human sexuality in the Communion and to share statements and resources among us;
- notes the significance of the Kuala Lumpur Statement on Human Sexuality and the concerns expressed in resolutions IV.26, V.1, V.10, V.23 and V.35 on the authority of Scripture in matters of marriage and sexuality and asks the Primates and the ACC to include them in their monitoring process.

Links to the fuller context for this resolution are found in the online version of this article: (<https://www.anglicancommunion.org/resources/document-library/lambeth-conference/1998/section-i-called-to-full-humanity/section-i10-human-sexuality>)

For the Kuala Lumpur Statement: http://www.globalsouthanglican.org/blog/comments/the_kuala_lumpur_statement_on_human_sexuality_2nd_encounter_in_the_south_10

Conference on Sexuality, organised by the Christian Education Department of the Cathedral

This will be held 9am to 12.30pm, 14 September, to help us navigate the confusion pertaining to matters of human sexuality. All are welcome; details are in today's bulletin.





PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

THE WORLD

Kashmir

On 5 Aug, the President of India revoked Article 370 of India's Constitution which guarantees special rights to Kashmir, including the right to its own constitution and autonomy to make laws on all matters except defense, communications and foreign affairs.

Pray for calm and order to be restored as there have been massive street protests, the imposition of tight security measures, arrests of hundreds of demonstrators and growing tension on the border between India and Pakistan who both claim Kashmir in full but control only parts of it (Kashmir is divided between an "Indian-administered Kashmir" and a "Pakistan-administered Kashmir"). Pray for a speedy and peaceful resolution to the contention for control of Kashmir.

Pray also for the Church in Kashmir to be a channel of God's peace and hope in this time of volatility and uncertainty.

SINGAPORE

As at 31 Aug, a total of 11,167 dengue cases have been reported and there are 140 active dengue clusters in Singapore as at 2 September. Pray for the Ministry of the Environment and Water Resources as well as the National Environment Agency as they continue with strenuous efforts to prevent the spread of the Aedes mosquito, to create public awareness of the dengue threat and to educate the public on the needed action to eliminate potential mosquito breeding grounds. Pray that our communities will be vigilant and determined to stop the dengue transmission cycle in Singapore.

DIOCESE

Chapel Of The Resurrection

Thank God for church members' active participation in the "Generations" Evangelistic

Service and for Sonshine Childcare Centre's achievement of the SPARKS (Singapore Pre-School Accreditation Framework) accreditation with the Early Childhood Development Agency.

As the church celebrates their 40th anniversary, pray that members will be open to the Lord and to one another, as they seek God's vision for the journey ahead; that members will consecrate themselves to live purposefully for the Lord and unite to fulfil His vision for the church.

Pray for good partnership between the church and the Community Centre in their first joint community project - "The Potong Pasir Christmas village" on 21 December. Pray that God will open many more doors for the Church's service arm ("Good News Community Services") to reach out to their community.

CATHEDRAL

Cathedral Welcome Centre and Café

Pray that the Cathedral Welcome Centre and Café will be a warm and friendly space for people to meet and connect with one another, to share stories for prayer, for encouragement and to forge deeper bonds of friendship; a place where strangers can become friends. It will be a place of rest in the presence of the Lord and of finding hope in the midst of despair. Pray that all who come to the Welcome Centre, may encounter the Lord, through the love and witness of His people.

Batam Medical Outreach (21-22 Sept)

Pray for safety for our medical teams and for each member of the team to personally experience God's goodness even as they minister into the lives of others. Pray that the love of God will shine through, in thoughtful words and kind acts, that minister to the real needs of the people in Batam.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

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

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



BEING GOD'S COMMUNITY

SATURDAY 4.30PM SERVICE SERMON SERIES

- 7 Sep **Being God's Community** *Rev'd Calvin Wee*
- 14 Sep **Community of Welcome & Witness** *Rev'd Calvin Wee & Mrs. Rajesvari Somaligam*
- 28 Sep **Community of Growth in Holiness** *Ms Veronica Wong*
- 5 Oct **Community of Belonging - Serving** *Rev'd Calvin Wee*
- 12 Oct **Community of Care - Mental Health (Depression)**
Dr Munidasa Winslow
- 19 Oct **Community of Worship** *Mr Matthew Peter*

SATURDAY SERVICE 7 SEPTEMBER

4.30 pm **Contemporary Service** *CNS*
Rev'd Calvin Wee

SUNDAY SERVICE 8 SEPTEMBER

- 7.00 am** **Holy Communion** *Nave*
Canon Rinji Kwashi
- 8.00 am** **Holy Communion** *Nave*
The Vicar
- 9.00 am** **Contemporary Service** *CNS*
Canon Rinji Kwashi
- 9.00 am** **Tamil Service**
Chapel for All Peoples
- 9.30 am** **Service in Mandarin** *Nave*
- 11.15 am** **Service in Mandarin** *CNS*
- 11.15 am** **Holy Communion** *Nave*
The Vicar
- 11.30 am** **Contemporary Service**
Prayer Halls
Rev'd Hambali Leonardi
- 2.00 pm** **Filipino Service** *NT Hall*
Ps Carolina Alar
- 2.00 pm** **Myanmar Worship Service** *CNS*
Rev'd Moses Israeli
- 2.30 pm** **Bahasa Indonesia Service**
South Transept Hall
Mr Victor Effendie
- 2.30 pm** **Service in Cantonese** *Nave*
- 4.30 pm** **Hokkien Service** *Prayer Halls*
Rev'd Freddy Lim
- 5.00 pm** **Evensong** *Nave*
Canon Rinji Kwashi
- 5.00 pm** **Service in Mandarin** *CNS*

EXTENSION CENTRES

- 10.00 am** **Westside Anglican Church**
Rev'd Bertram Cheong
- 10.00 am** **Jurong Anglican Church**
Mandarin
West Coast Recreation Centre
- 10.00 am** **ACTS Centre**
My Saviour's Church
Rev'd Michael Lim

SATURDAY SERVICE 14 SEPTEMBER

4.30 pm **Contemporary Service** *CNS*
Rev'd Calvin Wee

SUNDAY SERVICE 15 SEPTEMBER

- 7.00 am** **Holy Communion** *Nave*
Ps Ti Lian Swan
- 8.00 am** **Holy Communion** *Nave*
Ps William Wan
- 9.00 am** **Holy Communion** *CNS*
Ds Bessie Lee
- 9.00 am** **Tamil Service**
Chapel for All Peoples
- 9.30 am** **Service in Mandarin** *Nave*
- 11.15 am** **Service in Mandarin** *CNS*
- 11.15 am** **Holy Communion** *Nave*
Ps William Wan
- 11.30 am** **Contemporary Service**
Prayer Halls
Mr Matthew Tjow
- 2.00 pm** **Filipino Service** *NT Hall*
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- 5.00 pm** **Holy Communion** *Nave*
Ps Ti Lian Swan
- 5.00 pm** **Service in Mandarin** *CNS*

SUNDAY SCHOOL MINISTRIES

- 4.30 pm** **Saturday CITYKids Ministry**
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, 9 SEPTEMBER

12.30 pm Mid-Day Prayer *Nave*

TUESDAY, 10 SEPTEMBER

7.30 am Clergy and Leaders
Holy Communion *Nave*

12.30 pm Mid-Day Prayer *Nave*

WEDNESDAY, 11 SEPTEMBER

7.30 am The Quiet Garden Meditation
West House

12.30 pm Holy Communion *Nave*

THURSDAY, 12 SEPTEMBER

9.30 am Holy Communion
Chapel for All Peoples

12.30 pm Mid-Day Prayer *Nave*

FRIDAY, 13 SEPTEMBER

7.00 pm Young Adults' Ministry
Chapel for All Peoples
Wheat or Tares? Discernment

SATURDAY, 14 SEPTEMBER

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

SEPTEMBER

- 10 SMF Outing to Flower Dome
- 11 Alpha
- 12 DCBS
- 13 Day DCBS
- 14 EHS
- 14 Confirmation Retreat
- 14 DCBS Exam
- 18 Alpha
- 19 DCBS
- 21 Batam Medical Mission 21-22
- 21 Confirmation @Sat 4.30 Service
- 25 PCC
- 25 Alpha
- 26 DCBS
- 26 SMF Workshop: Fun with crochet
- 27 Prayer & Praise
- 27 Day DCBS
- 28 EHS
- 29 Harvest Sun

OCTOBER

- 3 DCBS
- 4 Children's Day
- 4 Day DCBS



Sermon series for the 7am and 5pm Services

Living in Love

Timeless Truths
from The 10
Commandments

- 8 Sep Loving God *Canon Rinji Kwashi*
- 15 Sep Time to Rest and More *Ps Ti Lian Swan*
- 29 Sep That we may live for long *Vicar Terry Wong*
- 6 Oct When we hate *Revd Joshua Raj*
- 13 Oct Taking what we want *Ds June Tan*
- 20 Oct If only it were mine! *Ds June Tan*

BENEFIT CONCERT

Special Fundraising Performance for St. Andrew's Autism Centre



28 SEPTEMBER 2019
SATURDAY / 7:00PM
By Cantata Domino for St. Andrew's Autism Centre

Featuring
EUDY PALARUAN
GUEST CONDUCTOR

DORA LIM
HARPIST

SELENA LAI
PIANIST

CHAPEL OF CHRIST THE REDEEMER
2 Tampines Ave 3
Singapore 529705

ADMISSION IS FREE
To reserve seats, please visit
www.saac.org.sg

A special donation for the centre will be taken at the concert.
We are hoping to raise \$50,000 to support our service to people with autism.
For enquiries, please email carpcomm@saac.org.sg



St Andrew's Cathedral presents

Sacred Classics

by the Madras Musical Association Choir



SAT 14 SEP // 7.30 PM
st andrew's cathedral

THE MMA CHOIR
CONDUCTOR: AUGUSTINE PAUL
ACCOMPANIST: IMMANUEL THIYAKESWARAN

WEDDING | SAT, 14 SEPTEMBER 2019

Allen Yang Xian Jun and Esther Goh Shu Hui
If you know of any reason why they may not lawfully marry, please inform the Vicar of the Cathedral, or the Registrar of Marriages before the wedding.

28th October
DISCOVER... the heritage
around the Cathedral
Commemorating 200 years of
history of Singapore



JuRun 2019

28 October 2019

Join us in this fun run, uniting our hearts in support of the Jurong Anglican Church project. Discover the heritage around the Cathedral as we commemorate 200 years of history of Singapore.


Registration Fee: \$15 per participant (children age 3 and below will be free of charge).

Form teams of 25-30 participants with your fellowships, cell groups, families to sign up. Registration ends on the 30 September.

Please proceed to the registration booth at the tentage to register for JuRun and to purchase coupons for the Carnival between 9am to 11.30am from today till 29 Sept.

BAKE SALE

In conjunction with JuRun to raise funds for Jurong Anglican Church project on 28 October 2019, there will be a bake sale set up to sell food & drinks in our church. This will be from 9am to about 12noon. Contribution in the form of baked goods, breakfast items, drinks, and manning of the stalls on the actual day is sought. We need a number of volunteers to help out at the stalls. Please contact Pauline Wan at +65 85111810.



THE COURIER
The July issue of the Courier is now available at the Cathedral Welcome Centre and Service Info Desks.

DONATION FOR FLOWERS TODAY

These are received in memory of Kam Siew Boey and Liew Ngik Kee.

PERSONAL DATA PROTECTION ACT FOR NRIC AND OTHER NATIONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS (ID)

In line with the Personal Data Protection Act for NRIC and other National Identification Numbers (ID) that took effect 1 September 2019, St Andrew's Cathedral (SAC) will discontinue the collection of NRIC Numbers/Foreign Identification Numbers ("FIN")/Birth Certificate Numbers/Work Permit Numbers (collectively referred to as "ID" from here on). In its place, authorised staff may request for collection of partial ID #s and visual verification of ID, for proof of identity.

Privacy Policy and Consent

SAC assures you that we will undertake proper safeguarding measures to protect your personal data under our care. The Cathedral privacy policy is available on our website : <https://cathedral.org.sg/page/privacy-policy>. If you wish to withdraw or limit your consent, please email to the SAC Data Protection Officer at dataprotection@cathedral.org.sg

Bicentennial SERMON SERIES

We are dedicating some sermons to commemorate our bicentennial during the months of September to November, at the 8.00 and 11.15 am and other Services as well. Various preachers will reflect from Scriptures and interact with issues that have contributed to nation-building, including challenging us to reflect on how we may live our lives well as Christians and citizens.

Topics will include: **Remember and Tell, Seeking the Welfare of the City, A City built on Families, A Christian and Citizen, Living with Mess in the City, A City built on Kindness, A City built on Mercy, Mission to the City, Shepherding in the City** etc



HARVEST THANKSGIVING 28-29 SEPT 2019

Harvest Thanksgiving reminds us of all the good things the Lord gives to us. It makes us respond by sharing with those who are needy. Unlike the past years where members brought food items, this year we will be collecting your offering for the orphanage in the Deanery of Nepal.

We encourage you to insert your cash or cheque offerings in envelopes which will be collected in our Harvest Thanksgiving Services on 28 & 29 September.

NB: We will not be collecting food items.

POSITION AVAILABLE

The Anglican Diocese of Singapore is responsible for the development and maintenance of Diocesan properties, and is recruiting a Property Officer (Contract). Full details are posted on the notice board. Please apply to hr@anglican.org.sg with your updated resume, expected salary and notice period. Only shortlisted applicants will be notified.

Organised by the Christian Education
Ministry of St Andrew's Cathedral

sexuality

Exploring ways to
navigate the confusion

JOIN US AS WE LOOK AT

The Why: Theological Foundations

The Now: Historical Developments

The How: Heartaches And Hope

14 Sept 2019 // 9 am - 12.30 pm
Cathedral New Sanctuary // \$10

Please register at
cathedral.org.sg/sexuality
or scan the QR Code on the right.



BIBLICAL STUDIES

DCBS
TERM 4

THURS 19 SEP – 30 NOV 2019
CNS* / PRAYER HALLS*
7.30 PM – 9.30 PM

Module 4A: Isaiah*

Instructors: Archdeacon Wong Tak Meng,
Ps Grace Tan, Ms Brenda Goh

Module 11: 1 & 2 Corinthians*

Instructors: Revd Hambali Leonardi,
Ps Stanley Tay, Mrs Michelle Tan

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DAY DCBS
TERM 2

FRI 27 SEP – 22 NOV 2019
PRAYER HALLS
12.30 PM – 2.00 PM

Module 2B The Pentateuch II**Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy**

Instructors: Ps Angeline Leong, Mr Kwan Fook Seng,
Mr James Tan

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COURSE FEES

\$10 per module; \$5 for written examination



TEACHERS' DAY PRAYER

O Lord our God in whom we have all the treasures of wisdom, knowledge and holiness, we ask Your Spirit to anoint all who are engaged in the work of education, all scholars and lecturers, teachers and tutors in our kindergartens, childcare centres, Family Service centres, Neighbourhood Links, schools, colleges, tertiary institutions and our Children Ministries; inspire them in their studies of your world and your Word, to seek to acknowledge and love the truth, and enable them both by word and by example to lead their students to reverence truth, to desire goodness and to delight in beauty: that learning the fear of the Lord as the beginning of wisdom they may come to know and worship You, the giver of all that is good, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

We warmly welcome you to St Andrew's Cathedral

Please complete and return this portion to the ushers or the Info Desk, or simply drop it into an offering bag.

Your Name : _____

Sex : F/M Age: ☐ 12-18 ☐ 19-25 ☐ 26-44 ☐ 45-64 ☐ 65+ Service attended: _____

Telephone: _____ (HP) Email: _____

☐ 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 : _____



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