

25 – 26 JULY 2020

Bishop

The Rt Revd Rennis Ponniah

Assistant Bishop

The Rt Revd Low Jee King

Vicar

Revd John Lin

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Revd King Chiew Kwang

Deaconess

Ds Lena Lim

Pastoral

Pas Loon Fu-Man

Pas Florence Hou

Pas Yeo Yun Jing

Pas Shirleen Yap

Administration

Susan Ling

Doris Lee

Patrick Lee

**Worship Service on
Saturday**

English Service

4.30 pm at Sanctuary

**Worship Services on
Sunday**

English Service

9.00 am at Sanctuary

Cantonese Service

9.00 am at Patmos Hall

Mandarin Service

11.15 am at Sanctuary

Hokkien Service

11.15 am at Patmos Hall

A Warm Welcome to our Online Service.
We look forward to having you worship God
with us again.

Speaker : Revd John Lin

Sermon Title : **We, the Citizens
of Heaven**

Text : Philippians 3:12 – 4:1

But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we
await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, who will
transform our lowly body to be like his glorious
body, by the power that enables him even to
subject all things to himself.

Philippians 3:20-21

COLLECT

Seventh Sunday After Trinity

Almighty God, who sent your Holy Spirit to be the life
and light of your Church: open our hearts to the riches
of his grace, that we may bring forth the fruit of the
Spirit in love and joy and peace; through Jesus Christ
our Lord. Amen.

Mission and Purpose: As we see the gracious salvation plan in the missional heart of
God, may we be a missional church of Spirit-filled committed disciples of Jesus Christ,
always ready to take the gospel to the nations.

Vicar Writes

Dear family in Christ

In view of the Covid-19 pandemic situation, diocesan bishop Rennis has granted special dispensation for ONLINE Holy Communion to be celebrated for the period 2 August to 31 October 2020.

For those who may have missed bishop's teaching on this important matter, please access this diocese weblink

<https://www.anglican.org.sg/events/single/diocesan-online-communion-service> and watch the following videos:

- a. Teaching video by bishop Rennis - *"Do this in Remembrance of Me: Holy Communion during Covid-19 times"*
- b. Demonstration video on *"Preparing for Online Communion service"*

Online Holy Communion Service will have the following good controls:

1. It will be led by a Priest.
2. A congregation is 'present & connected' by remote means, who will partake of the breaking of bread together.
3. It will be a simultaneous breaking of bread by the Priest, individuals or households, and small groups.
4. There will be a suitably designed liturgy.
5. There will be due preparation for reverent participation.

There will be no St John's Chapel services for the weekend of 1-2 August. The whole diocese will be gathered together for the combined Online Holy Communion service on 2 August, Sunday at 10.30 am, led by bishop Rennis and bishop-designate Titus. Please access this livestreaming link <https://bit.ly/DOS2Aug>

In our preparations for this sacred time on 2 August and also subsequent parish online communion, you will need to prepare the following at home before the service starts: (1) Bread on a clean tray/plate; (2) Wine (or juice) in a clean glass/cup. All consecrated bread and wine (juice) will need to be fully consumed at the end of the service.

Let us draw near to the Lord's table with reverence and fear of the Lord. Let us come with faith and repentant hearts to renew our covenant and experience the Lord's presence.

Maranatha
Pastor John

We welcome you lovingly in the name of the Lord. What a joy we can gather physically again for congregational worship service. Thank you for your help and understanding in following the necessary safe distancing measures.

Diocesan Combined Online Communion Service

There will be a Diocesan combined Online Holy Communion service on **2 August, Sunday at 10.30 am** (via livestreaming), led by bishop Rennis and bishop-designate Titus. There will be no physical and online services for St John's Chapel on 1 & 2 August. We encourage all members to participate together at the livestreaming with this link <https://bit.ly/DOS2Aug>

Safe Management Officers

St John's Chapel has appointed the following staff as Safe Management Officers (SMO) to assist in the implementation and coordination of the system of Safe Management Measures.

Ds Lena Lim, Ps Loon Fu-Man, Ps Roger Fu, Lydia Leong, Patrick Lee & Doris Lee

Appreciation

The following families would like to express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all church leaders and members for their prayers, visits and condolences during their recent bereavement:

- 1) Victor Tay and family on the demise of his grandmother on 16 July 2020.
- 2) Merrilyn & Zong Ren and family on the demise of Merrilyn's grandmother on 21 July 2020.

Intercession

Our Daily Bread

1. Pray that their resources that are now distributed digitally would be received and read by their readers and churches.
2. Pray that their resources in Bengali, Tamil, Chinese, distributed by Outreach Ministry Agencies, will reach migrant workers who are either in isolation or quarantined. That these resources will point them to the saving grace of our Lord Jesus
3. They have just set up a dedicated website with resources for those who need to have their faith strengthened, and for believers who wish to continue to read, discuss and spur each other on and support one another during this Covid-19 situation. Please access this link https://odb-covid.org/?utm_source=odbx&utm_medium=referral&utm_campaign=cv-launch&utm_content=obanner

DUTY ROSTER	Saturday 25 July	Sunday 26 July	Next Sunday 2 August
Worship Officiant	Ps Yun Jing	Florence Ho	Diocesan Combined Online Communion Service, 10.30 am Please access this livestreaming link : https://bit.ly/DOS2Aug
Preacher	Revd John Lin		
Psalm Reading	Psalm 113		
Scripture Text	Philippians 3:12 – 4:1		
Sermon Title	We, the Citizens of Heaven		

St John's Chapel will resume physical congregational worship services with effect from 18 July 2020, with a cap of 50 attendees.

You can book a "ticket" online at

<https://www.eventbrite.sg/e/st-johns-chapel-church-services-tickets-112626528980>

Livestreaming (and recording) of church services will continue to be available online. We will livestream the Saturday 4.30 pm Service. Thereafter, the Service recording will be accessible online.

Please access the online Service using this weblink

<http://www.sjcp.org.sg/service-live-streaming/>

It will be good to prepare our hearts, Bible and media, so as to be ready to commune and worship the Lord together in spirit and in truth.

You may return your tithes to the Lord and give freewill offering through the following ways:

(A) By cash or cheque using the envelopes

(B) Internet Bank Transfer

Account Name:
St John's Chapel

DBS Account Number:
008 002 5860

Remarks:

- (1) TitheXXX, Month or
- (2) MissionXXX, Month or
- (3) NeedyXXX, Month or
- (4) BuildingXXX, Month

(where XXX is your Tithe number)

(C) PayNow using UEN

St John's Chapel's UEN:
T08CC4079E

Remarks: (same as above)

Upcoming Events

Suspension of all events till further notice

Church Ministries : Home Cell, Kids-for-Christ, Tweens, Tekna Youth, Young Adults, Choir, Marriage & Family Life, Pastoral Care and Visitation, Men's Fellowship, Sisters' Fellowship
Outreach: SMSS Chaplaincy, The Boys' Brigade & The Girls' Brigade, Befrienders Club

*If you wish to know more about the ministries and outreach,
 please email to admin@patmos.org.sg*

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