

Bishop Rt Revd Dr Titus Chung

Assistant Bishop and Archdeacon Rt Revd Low Jee King

Vicar Revd John Lin

Clergy 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
Mandarin Service
11.15 am at Sanctuary
Cantonese Service
(temporary suspension)
Hokkien Service
(temporary suspension)

EKKLESIA TO THE NATIONS

27 March 2021 – Evening Prayer 28 March 2021 – Morning Prayer

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

Speaker: Revd John Lin

Sermon Title : Lead me to Calvary

Text : Matthew 26:36-46

And going a little farther he fell on his face and prayed, saying, "My Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from me; nevertheless, not as I will, but as you will."

Matthew 26:39

COLLECT

Palm Sunday

Almighty and everlasting God, who in your tender love towards mankind sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ to take upon him our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross: grant that we may follow the example of his patience and humility, and also be made partakers of his resurrection; 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

We commemorate **Palm Sunday** today. Our Saviour Jesus Christ had set his heart to walk the way of the cross to Calvary. He rode into Jerusalem city on a humble donkey (Matthew 21:1-11). The excited Jewish crowd shouted, "Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!" But five days later, loud voices cried out, "Crucify him! Crucify him!".

As we enter Holy Week, may our hearts focus on Jesus Christ and His sacrificial obedience to the will of God the Father.

- 1. Washing the disciples' feet (John 13:1-17): Servanthood, humility and love for one another must be the hallmark of a committed disciple of Jesus.
- 2. Passover meal (Matthew 26:17-29): Jesus instituted the Lord's Supper (body and blood) as an important remembrance of God's new covenant of His grace and mercy.
- 3. **Garden of Gethsemane** (Matthew 26:36-46): Jesus was in deep agony and sorrow, yet He was fully obedient to the will of His Father.
- 4. **Betrayal**, **arrest and trial** (Luke 22:47 23:25): Jesus was mocked, beaten and humiliated, yet He was meek, "like a lamb that is led to the slaughter".
- 5. Crucifixion and death (Luke 23:33-56): In great suffering and painful shame, Jesus gave His life sacrificially on the cross in atonement for our sins and the sins of the world.
- 6. **Resurrection** (Matthew 28:1-10): Hallelujah. He is Risen. Praise and thanks be to God for the victory over sin and death, and the blessed hope of eternal life in Jesus Christ.

As we reflect on these series of events, may we learn precious lessons from Jesus and press on in walking close to Him in joyful surrender.

Maranatha Pastor John

Intercession

Chaplaincy Ministry

- 1. For the Lord's anointing upon the Holy Week Programme from 29 to 31 March in St Margaret's Sec School (SMSS) and the Chaplaincy Team.
- 2. For the Lord's Presence and Spirit of Adoption to saturate the whole School and His Holy Spirit to stir up the Spiritual hunger upon all in SMSS and thirst after ABBA Father God.
- 3. For the Word of God to be shared by Mr Andy Lim to go forth to accomplish much and not to return void.
- 4. For all to come down to the canteen to pick up the snacks and the special Holy Week items to share Why we celebrate Easter.

Holy Week Services

- Maundy Thursday Service on 1 April 2021 at 7.30 pm. (Preacher: Rev Peter Chen)
- Good Friday Service on 2 April 2021 at 10.00 am. (Preacher: Rev John Lin)
- Resurrection Sunday service on 4 April 2021 at 9.00 am. (Preacher: Bishop Kuan Kim Seng)

May the Holy Spirit guide our hearts in worship and devotion this coming Holy Week.

Note:

- 1) There will be Kids-For-Christ on Good Friday and Resurrection Sunday
- 2) There will be no '1 John' Service on Saturday, 3 April 2021
- 3) The first 100 registrations will be seated at zone A and zone B in the sanctuary. The 101st to 150th registrants will be seated at Patmos hall at zone C

64th BB Enrolment & Dedication Service

This annual service will be held at **Saturday service**, **17 April 2021**, **4.30 pm** in our sanctuary.

As a form of welcome and outreach, we have reserved 90 seats in the sanctuary for the BB boys, alumni and parents of sec 1 boys. We seek the understanding of church members to be mainly seated at Patmos hall (zone C).

Annual General Meeting (AGM) and Nomination of PCC members 2021/2022

The church AGM will be held on **Sunday**, **25 April 2021 at 3.00 pm**, via zoom webinar. Nomination Forms for election into Parochial Church Council 2021/2022 are available at the ushers' table. The nomination form is to be submitted to the church office by 30 March 2021.

Timeline Plan for ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING on 25 April 2021

Date	Task / Event		
14 March, Sunday	PCC nomination opens		
14 to 30 March	Nomination period for PCC (closes on 30 March)		
6 April, Tuesday	Notice of AGM + Annual report + Proxy form (Email/post to Electoral Roll members)		
14 April, Wednesday	Due date to submit questions & clarifications for Townhall meeting and to register for Townhall webinar.		
18 April, Sunday, 3.00 pm	Townhall meeting Q&A (webinar)		
21 April, Wednesday	Due date to submit proxy form by 12 noon and to register for AGM (webinar)		
25 April, Sunday, 3.00 pm	AGM (webinar)		

DUTY ROSTER	Saturday 27 March 2021	Sunday 28 March 2021	Next Saturday 3 April 2021	Next Sunday 4 April 2021
Worship Officiant	Peter Soon	Florence Ho		Florence Ho
Preacher	Revd John Lin		No '1 John' Service Combined Resurrection Sunday Service on 4 April 2021	Bishop Kuan Kim Seng
Psalm Reading	Psalm 24			-
Scripture Text	Matthew 26:36-46			To be advised
Sermon Title	Lead me to Calvary			Open Topic

St John's Chapel has resumed physical congregational worship services since 18 July 2020. With effect from 5 December 2020, the services will be conducted for up to 100 worshippers.

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)

Gentle Reminder

Registration of Eventbrite Online Booking of seat ticket **Cut-off time**Saturday Service - by Saturday 12 noon
Sunday Service - by Saturday 8 pm

Church Ministries : Home Cell, Kids-for-Christ, Tekna Youth, Young Adults, Choir, Marriage & Family Life, Pastoral Care and Visitation, Men's Fellowship, Sisters' Fellowship, Seniors Ministry

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

Address: St John's Chapel

111 Farrer Road, Singapore 259240 **Tel** : 6468 8425



BB WEEK is an annual donation drive by BB HQ to raise fund for BB operations, training, equipping of Boys & Officers and organising competition events for the Boys.

The bulk of the funds come from well-wishers, members' families, old Boys, friends and churches, most of which are donated during the BB Week period. The Boys' Brigade is an institution of public character, donations are tax deductible.

Distribution of funds collected:

70% Leadership Development Programmes

16% Growth and Extension

14% General Administration

SJCp is supporting & involved in 3 BB Coys ministry

- 64th Coy at Ang Mo Kio Secondary School
- 52J Coy at Pei Tong Primary School
- 59J Coy at Greenridge Primary School

Over the years and through the outreach programs, we have gained trust from the Junior Boys' parents and some have shown interest in Bible study lessons. For the Senior Boys, some have moved on to BB Primers and Officers serving back in their former Coy.

This year, BB HQ has introduced various methods of BB Giving:

- BB Week Pledge Cards issued to the BB Boys
- BB Week Leaflets payments by cheque or VISA
- BB Week GIVING.SG with dedicated coy QR Code (tax-deductible)
- BB Week PAYNOW need to enter payment reference (non-tax-deductible)

Attached are the respective coy QR Codes for 64S, 52J & 59J Coys.



BB WEEK

7 March - 4 April 2021



64S Singapore Company

Ang Mo Kio Secondary School

GIVING.SG

tax-deductible

- 1. Scan the QR code on the right
- 2. Enter amount you would like to donate
- 3. Select payment mode
- 4. Enter your details for tax deduction
- 5. Complete the donation!



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BB WEEK

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52J Singapore CompanyPei Tong Primary School

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- 2. Enter amount you would like to donate
- 3. Select payment mode
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- 5. Complete the donation!



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THE BOYS' BRIGADE

59J Singapore Company Greenridge Primary School

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- 2. Enter amount you would like to donate
- 3. Select payment mode
- 4. Enter your details for tax deduction
- Complete the donation!



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PAYNOW

non-tax-deductible



Ang Mo Kio Secondary School

- 1. Launch mobile bank app
- Select 'scan and pay' or similar options
- Enter amount you would like to donate
- Enter payment reference to indicate who asked you for the donation as follows:
 64S<space>Name of BB member
 E.g. 64S Heng Yu
- Complete the donation!

PAYNOW

non-tax-deductible



Pei Tong Primary School

- Launch mobile bank app
- 2. Select 'scan and pay' or similar options
- 3. Enter amount you would like to donate
- Enter payment reference to indicate who asked you for the donation as follows:
 52J<space>Name of BB member
 E.g. 52J Jeff
- 5. Complete the donation!

PAYNOW

non-tax-deductible



Greenridge Primary School

- Launch mobile bank app
- 2. Select 'scan and pay' or similar options
- 3. Enter amount you would like to donate
- Enter payment reference to indicate who asked you for the donation as follows:
 59J<space>Name of BB member
 E.g. 59J Patrick
- 5. Complete the donation!