

EKKLESIA TO THE NATION

5 - 6 June 2021

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

Speaker : Revd John Lin

Sermon Title **Finding Rest for our**

pandemic fatique

Psalm 62; Matthew 11:25-30 **Text**

from him comes my salvation. He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be greatly shaken.

For God alone my soul waits in silence;

Psalm 62:1-2

Holy Communion

Archdeacon Rt Revd Low Jee King

Rt Revd Dr Titus Chung

Assistant Bishop and

Vicar **Revd John Lin**

Bishop

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)

COLLECT

First Sunday after Trinity

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified: hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people; that each in his vocation and ministry may serve you in holiness and truth to the glory of your name; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, 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 church family

St John's Chapel is one of 27 parishes in Singapore. Together with the 6 deaneries, 9 schools, 22 preschools and a wide range of community services, we form the Diocese of Singapore. I would like to share three matters from the diocese with us.

1. From the Bishop's Heart

At the recent 25th session of Synod (3rd meeting) on 15 May 2021, Bishop Titus gave his Presidential address on the theme "Spurring one another on towards love and good deeds". May I encourage you to hear our diocesan bishop's heart for the diocese by accessing this weblink

https://www.anglican.org.sg/uploads/bulletin_files/May_2021_Synod_Presidential_Address_-1.pdf

2. Diocesan Digest

The Diocesan Digest is produced twice a year as a means of communications to the whole diocese for information, encouragement and prayer. The May 2021 issue is now available on this weblink

https://www.anglican.org.sg/uploads/bulletin_files/DD_may_2021.pdf

Amongst many encouraging articles, you can read our missionaries Gerry and Yahui's Chiangmai ministry update on pages 18-19. You can also read my farewell words as the outgoing Dean of Vietnam on page 20. Please use the informative articles to pray for the deaneries, parishes, schools and community services.

3. Morning Prayer

The Daily Office is our ancient Anglican heritage which allows the Psalms, Prayers and the Word to shape and edify our spiritual life. It creates a daily pattern and a rhythm of life, which is spiritually useful during the current Covid-19 restrictions. For 1-30 June 2021, the Diocese will host a daily Morning Prayer from Monday to Friday, 7.30 am to 7.50 am, over Zoom and on Youtube. Let us keep a good rhythm of life and grow in our spiritual formation.

Zoom link https://tinyurl.com/y2h3bdky

Youtube link https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCSgvawV4Cr3dsn6hWge5XQ/videos

The Lord watch over you and your family with his grace and peace.

Blessings Pastor John

Congregational Church Services

The current plan is to have Online church services until 13 June. Meanwhile, we await the government's Covid-19 strategy for the nation and consequently, the MCCY advisory to the churches, before we decide on the next step. We will keep you posted on congregational church services via your Cell leaders.

Confirmation Class – July 2021

Confirmation Service is scheduled on **Sunday**, **15 August 2021**. We are conducting a Confirmation course for those who were baptised as infants and are now age 14 years old and above, and for adults who have been baptised and yet to be Confirmed. You are much encouraged to attend the course. Details for the course will be announced later. Do approach Ps Fu-Man for any enquiries.

Phase 2B Primary One 2022 registration at Anglican schools

Baptised and Confirmed parents who wish to register their child (*who is a Singapore citizen or PR*) in an Anglican school under **phase 2B** Primary One 2022 registration (26-27 July), please email Doris at admin@patmos.org.sg to request for the necessary diocese forms. For any enquiry, please contact the Vicar or Pas Shirleen.

Diocesan Digest Issue 275 (May 2021)

Digest The Diocesan be latest issue of can accessed on this https://www.anglican.org.sg/uploads/bulletin_files/DD_may_2021.pdf weblink You can read Gerry and Yahui's Chiangmai ministry update on pages 18-19. Please use the informative Digest articles to pray for the parishes, deaneries and community services.

Intercession

Prayer pointers for Deanery of Cambodia:

- 1. Pray against another Covid-19 surge now that the lockdown and travel restrictions have been lifted.
- 2. Pray for protection for the staff as they continue with visitations and food relief distribution.
- 3. Pray for Revd Chan Peng Wah 's surgery to remove the metal plate from his collarbone on 4 June, to be successful and to heal well and against any post surgery complications.

DUTY ROSTER	5-6 JUNE 2021	NEXT WEEK 12-13 JUNE 2021
Worship Officiant	Pas Yun Jing	Revd John Lin
Celebrant	Revd John Lin	-
Praise Team	Harmony	Ethan
Preacher	Revd John Lin	Ds Lena Lim
Psalm Reading	-	Psalm 103:1-5
Scripture Text	Psalm 62; Matthew 11:25-30	Ecclesiastes 7:13-14; 12:13-14
Sermon Title	Finding Rest for our pandemic fatigue	Meaning for the Meaningless Life

In view of Government COVID-19 tightening measures, there will be No on-site physical church services until Sunday, 13 June 2021.

With effect from 15 May 2021, we will only have Online church services. We will livestream the Saturday 4.30pm English Service. Thereafter, the church service will be available online. Please access the online Service using this weblink http://www.sjcp.org.sg/service-live-streaming/

Let us gather Online for church services on Saturdays at 4.30pm or Sundays at 9.00am. 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, 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

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