

26 February 2022 – Evening Prayer

27 February 2022 – Morning Prayer

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**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)

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

Speaker : Ven Daniel Wee

Sermon Title : Drawing near to God

Text : Exodus 3:1-6



Draw near to God,
and he will draw near to you.

James 4:8



COLLECT

Sunday Next Before Lent

Merciful Lord, grant to your faithful people pardon
and peace: that we may be cleansed from all our
sins and serve you with a quiet mind; 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.

Dear beloved family in Christ

In their September 2021 issue of Excelsis Coaching Newsletter, John Lim and Song Kheng, founders and life coach trainers for Excelsis Coaching Asia, had written on the topic “**Coaching: God’s Guidance in times of Uncertainty**”. I have shared part 1 last week. Please see part 2 below.

I pray that you have found their counsel practically useful and may you also be able to use it to help others in drawing strength and guidance in the Lord during such challenging times.

Blessings
Pas John

Coaching: God’s Guidance in times of Uncertainty (part 2)

How do we enable people to depend on God?

As coaches, we intentionally move away from telling and advising. We create a safe space, prayerfully listen and use the following coaching questions to help people tune in and depend on God:

- How are you going through this pandemic?
- What do you need God’s guidance in?
- What emotions are you feeling in your heart?
- What is your common sense telling you about this matter?
- What are the counsels of your God-fearing mentors/friends?
- What are some open doors or close doors you are noticing?
- What are some experiences with God in the past that may give you guidance regarding who you are (your identity) and what you should do?
- How has the Lord spoken to you through His word regarding your situation?
- What are your calling and spiritual gifts? How will God’s calling and gifting guide you in your decision?
- What is the Lord speaking to you through the Holy Spirit?
- What do you sense during prayer and after praying?
- We have seen many examples of fasting in the Bible to seek God’s guidance in crisis, how might fasting be relevant in this situation?
- From a scale of 1-10, how yielded is your heart to the Lord in this matter? (10 being fully yielded to God)

Romans 12:2, “*Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.*”

May we take the time to seek God, receive His peace, discern His will and live as children of the Light in this uncertain world. May God use you to equip His people for the advancement of His Kingdom!

“Live Lent wisely” by Bishop Titus

As we enter the season of Lent on 2 March, Bishop Titus brings a word of encouragement to all the parishes to live Lent wisely, via this video weblink <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6iju1iioB8U>

Season of Lent at Daily Morning Office

During the Lent season beginning 2 March, St Andrew’s Cathedral will host the **Daily Morning Office** from Mondays to Fridays at 7.30 am. Feel free to participate via zoom or youtube and be spiritually enriched and renewed in your soul.

Zoom: <https://tinyurl.com/y2h3bdky> Meeting ID: 892 0263 0770 Passcode: 737881

YouTube: <http://cathedral.org.sg/r/morning>

Holy Week Services

- **Maundy Thursday** Service on **14 April 2022** at **7.30 pm**.
- **Good Friday** Service on **15 April 2022** at **10.00 am**.
- **Resurrection Sunday** service on **17 April 2022** at **9.00 am**.

There will be no ‘1 John’ Service on Saturday, 16 April 2022.

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

Lenten Devotional Booklet 2022

Lent is a period of 40 days before Resurrection Sunday. The Bible Society of Singapore has published the Lent Devotional with the theme “*Up from the Ashes, Hope will Arise*”. for use during Lent. You may purchase a copy at \$3.00 at the ushers’ table.

Safe Management Officers

With effect from 1 March 2022, Pas Fu-Man will take over as the chair of SMO team. We greatly appreciate and thank Ds Lena for chairing the SMO team for the past 2 years with commitment and dedication and always ensuring that we adhere to safe management measures for the health and safety of all.

Arrangement for “Private worship”

For church members affected by the VDS setting for worship services, the Vicar and pastoral team understand your situation and hope to provide continual pastoral and spiritual care for you. The latest MCCY advisory (dated 25 Jan) allows for private worship in a place of worship for one group of up to 5 persons, regardless of vaccination status. Please feel free to contact the Vicar or any pastor to arrange for a private worship session at our church sanctuary.

Intercession

Youth Ministry - Pointers for Prayer & Thanksgiving

- a) Pray for the Youth Leadership Team as we plan for the resumption of physical corporate youth fellowship.
- b) Pray for wisdom for the leaders in knowing how to disciple the youths.
- c) Pray for the youths that they will find their belonging in this community and ultimately as sons and daughters of God.

DUTY ROSTER	Saturday 26 Feb 2022	Sunday 27 Feb 2022	Next Saturday 5 Mar 2022	Next Sunday 6 Mar 2022
Worship Officiant	Pas Yun Jing	Kenneth Sng	Hide Ie	Ho Boon Sing
Celebrant	-		Revd John Lin	
Holy Communion Assistant	-	-	Hide Ie, Peter Soon & Ds Lena	Boon Sing, Pas Yun Jing & Patrick
Praise Team	Harmony		David's Legacy	
Preacher	Ven Daniel Wee		Revd John Lin	
Psalm Reading	Psalm 84		-	
Scripture Text	Exodus 3:1-6		Psalm 51; Luke 18:9-14	
Sermon Title	Drawing near to God		Lent: Repentance, Restoration, Renewal	
Scripture Reader	Sonia Ie	Kenneth Sng	Joshua Tung	Eileen Chiu
Treasury Witness	Nellie & Bee Kuan	Cho Li & Soo Ching	Merrilyn & Victor	Boon Sing & Eileen Mok
Staff On Duty	Patrick & Susan	Pas Fu-Man & Ji Yin	Pas Florence & Pas Shirleen	Patrick & Doris

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)

According to government restrictions, wef 1 February 2022, "**vaccinated status**" is required for entry at both Saturday 4.30 pm and Sunday 9.00 am services. The seating capacity is 100 attendees. You can book your ticket at gg.gg/sjcpsservices

For affected members, we understand your situation. Please feel free to speak with the Vicar or any pastor to request for a private worship session (*not more than 5 persons*) at St John's Chapel premises.

We will livestream the Saturday 4.30pm English Service. Thereafter, the church service will be available online at this weblink <http://www.sjcp.org.sg/service-live-streaming/>

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,
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