

Bishop Rt Revd Dr Titus Chung

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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

26 March 2022 – Evening Prayer 27 March 2022 – Morning Prayer

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

Speaker : Pastor Albert Lee

Sermon Title: The Unmaking of Gideon:

What must we do with

our resentments?

Text : Judges 8:32-35

Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, bearing with one another and, if any one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive.

Colossians 3:12-13

COLLECT

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Almighty Father, whose Son was revealed in majesty before he suffered death upon the cross: give us faith to perceive his glory, that we may be strengthened to suffer with him and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory; who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

Ash Wednesday

Almighty and everlasting God, you hate nothing that you have made and forgive the sins of all those who are penitent. Create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that, lamenting our sins and acknowledging our wretchedness, we may receive from you, the God of all mercy, perfect forgiveness and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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

A few weeks ago, someone texted me this poster message which made me laughed aloud - "If you don't have friends who have Covid, that means you have no friends." It is a sad reality currently that people around our social circles have been infected with Covid or are close contacts ... family members, house neighbours, work colleagues, school classmates, church mates, good friends, etc.

Our Daily Bread (ODB) Ministries has put together some Bible-reading resources and devotionals to help those who may have been infected with Covid or have loved ones and friends who were infected. There is even a practical section to help parents plan some activities for their children under isolation with Covid.

Please access this weblink for the resources. https://odb.sg/covid-recovery-pack/

Below is a message taken from the ODB website:

Quarantined? In Isolation? Whether you're at home or in a quarantine facility, being isolated is tough. Worry, frustration, loneliness, claustrophobia, boredom . . . you may find yourself going through all these emotions over the next few days. And, if you're taking care of a child who needs to be isolated, your challenges will probably multiply. Not only will you have to cope with your own emotions, but you may also be worrying about how to keep a bored, hyperactive child occupied.

How can you turn to God in such a challenging time? How can you find comfort and strength in His Word? In our "Covid Recovery Pack", you'll find specially-chosen resources to help you stay close to God and draw on His strength and patience over the next few days.

May God's abiding Word be your source of strength and comfort, and also to those whom you know, on the road to a full recovery.

Blessings Pastor John

Timeline plan for AGM 2022

Date	Task / Event		
13 to 29 March	Nomination period for PCC (closes on 29 March)		
5 April, Tuesday	Notice of AGM + Annual report + Proxy form (<i>Email/post to Electoral Roll members</i>)		
13 April, Wednesday	Due date for Submission of questions & clarifications and Registration for Townhall meeting		
17 April, Sunday, 3 pm	Townhall meeting Q&A (webinar)		
20 April, Wednesday	Due date to submit proxy form by 12 noon and registration for AGM (webinar)		
24 April, Sunday, 3 pm	AGM (webinar)		

Annual General Meeting (AGM) and Nomination of PCC members 2022/2023

The church AGM will be held on Sunday, 24 April 2022 at 3.00 pm, via zoom webinar. Nomination forms for the election of church members into the Parochial Church Council (PCC) for 2022/2023 are available at the Ushers' table. The nomination form is to be submitted to the church office by 29 March 2022.

Holy Week Devotions and Services 2022

Let us set aside time during Holy Week to focus on the Lord and hear his Word at the Evening Devotions 11-13 April (via livestreaming) and at Church Services 14-15,17 April (onsite). Please see attached flyer for details.

Christian Heritage Trail

Interested to find out more about Singapore's Christian heritage? Come join us as we explore various parts of Singapore to learn more on **16 April 2022**, **4pm to 6pm**. Each adult ticket is \$12 and each child ticket is \$8. Only 20 spaces available so sign up now! For more information, please refer to the attached flyer. Outing organised by KFC Children's ministry.

Gan family back to Singapore from 27 March to 25 April

Our church missionaries Gerry, Yahui and their children will be back in Singapore on 27 March and will return to ChiangMai on 25 April. Because of the Covid-19 pandemic travel restrictions, they have remained at ChiangMai since 10 August 2019. They will spend time with family, settle some admin (vaccinations, passport renewal, etc) and have much needed rest and refreshing. Value all your prayers for the Gan family.

BB WEEK 2022

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

More details can be found in the attached BB WEEK 2022 flyer.

Intercession

Chaplaincy Ministry

- 1. Pray for God's anointing upon the School Leaders, Teachers and Staff and strong support between the School and the Church to continue the Outreach work in St Margaret's Secondary School.
- 2. Praise the Lord for a good working relationship with the Teachers and the GB Officers.
- 3. Praise the Lord for 18 Sec 1s who have been allotted to the GB and that GB 31st has been awarded Gold for 2021.
- 4. Pray for a meaningful GB 31st Enrolment and Dedication Service on 5 April 2022.
- 5. Pray for opportunity to sow into the lives of the GB girls and in due time to reap the harvest.
- 6. Praise the Lord for 5 Sec 1s who have been allotted to Agape Club. Pray for a good year of Building and Equipping the girls to be Christlike and to be bold to evangelise.
- 7. Pray for the School Holy Week on 11 to 13 April, to be a fruitful week. Pray for the Holy Spirit to stir the hearts of the Staff and Students and turn many to Christ.

DUTY ROSTER	Saturday 26 Mar 2022	Sunday 27 Mar 2022	Next Saturday 2 Apr 2022	Next Sunday 3 Apr 2022
Worship Officiant	Hide le	Ho Boon Sing	Pas Yun Jing	Florence Ho
Celebrant	-		Revd John Lin	
Holy Communion Assistant	-	-	Pas Yun Jing, Pas Richard & Gabriel Paul	Florence Ho, Boon Sing & Patrick
Praise Team	Ethan		David's Legacy	
Preacher	Pastor Albert Lee		Revd John Lin	
Psalm Reading	Psalm 144		-	
Scripture Text	Judges 8:32-35		Psalm 6; Matthew 11:25-30	
Sermon Title	The Unmaking of Gideon: What must we do with our resentments?		How long, Lord, how long?	
Scripture Reader	Aileen Tung	Esther Cheng	Joshua Tung	Esther Ling
Treasury Witness	Merrilyn & Victor	Cho Li & Soo Ching	Nellie & Bee Kuan	Boon Sing & Eileen Mok
Staff On Duty	Ds Lena & Susan	Pas Florence & Pas Shirleen	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) <u>Internet Bank</u> <u>Transfer</u>

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 200 attendees. You can book your ticket at gg.gg/sjcpservices

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,

please email to <u>admin@patmos.org.sq</u>

Address: St John's Chapel

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



HOLY WEEK DEVOTIONS AND SERVICES 2022

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Monday Devotions , 7.30pm (livestreaming**)

Homecoming: Return of the Prodigal Son

Dr Tan Kim Huat

** Devotions and Livestreaming hosted by St Andrew's Cathedral https://www.youtube.com/standrewcath

12 / 4

Tuesday Devotions , 7.30pm (livestreaming**)

Devotion : Return to True Worship

Bp Rennis Ponniah

13 / 4

Wednesday Devotions , 7.30pm (livestreaming**)

Purpose : Return to the Father's Business

Mr Joseph Chean

14/4

Maundy Thursday Service , 7.30pm (onsite)

The Route to Greatness

Rev George Tay

15 / 4

Good Friday Service , 10.00am (onsite)
Were you there when they crucified my Lord?
Ven Wong Tak Meng

17/4

Resurrection Sunday Service , 9.00am (onsite)

Jesus Christ, my Living Hope

Rev John Lin

COME JOIN US!



Christian Heritage Trail

Interested to learn more about Singapore's Christian heritage and early pioneers who laid the foundation of our faith here?

Register now and let's explore together!



Date: 16 April 2022. Saturday

4.00pm - 6.00pm *Time:* (Meet at LaSalle, near Rochor MRT)

Cost: \$12 (Adults) | \$8 (Child below 12)

Register at http://gg.gg/sjcptrail. More information on payment and trail details will be provided upon successful registration. For more information, please contact Shirleen at 9101 0531.

ONLY 20 SPACES AVAILABLE



Campaign: 6 March - 3 April Giving.Sg: 4 March - 17 April

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

Over the years and through the outreach programs, we have gained trust from the 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.

Giving.sg to dedicated Coy QR Codes for 64th, 52J & 59J Coys



BB Week 2022 64TH SINGAPORE COMPANY



Please scan this QR code to access the Company's giving.sg Campaign page.

Ang Mo Kio Secondary School



BB Week 2022 52J SINGAPORE COMPANY



Please scan this QR code to access the Company's giving.sg Campaign page.

> Pei Tong Primary School



BB Week 2022 59J SINGAPORE COMPANY



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Greenridge Primary School