

EKKLESIA TO THE NATIONS

4 - 5 June 2022 Holy Communion

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

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Administration
Susan Ling
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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)

Speaker : Revd Canon Barry Leong

Sermon Title: Trying to run away from God!

Text : Jonah 1

COLLECT

Pentecost (Whitsunday)

Almighty God, who at this time taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit: grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgement in all things, and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour, who is alive and reigns with you in the unity of the Spirit, one God, now and forever. 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.

What is Whitsun?

Whitsun is Old English for "White Sunday" and also known as Whitsunday. It is the forty-ninth day (seventh Sunday) after Easter Sunday. In the Christian calendar, it is also known as Pentecost, commemorating the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the disciples.

Pentecost commemorates and celebrates the coming of the Holy Spirit in the form of flames to the followers of Jesus as recorded in Acts 2:1–31. Jesus had told them to wait until the Spirit came to them. Ten days after Ascension, Fifty days after the Resurrection, the Spirit came.

Pentecost is recognized as the birth of the Church because when the disciples received the Holy Spirit, they began to go out and preach about Jesus. The Apostle Peter preached a sermon which resulted in 3,000 people becoming believers. Traditionally, Whit Sunday is a favourite day for Baptism. It is thought that because people are often baptized dressed in white, Whit Sunday was probably originally known as "White Sunday".

Intercession

Pentecost Sunday

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth." **Acts 1:8**

Pray

- 1) The Holy Spirit will be poured out on the Church afresh to empower & to refresh the Church.
- 2) The Holy Spirit will be poured out to give unity to the Body of Christ.
- 3) The Holy Spirit will be poured out on the Church to give boldness & courage to preach the gospel of Christ crucified.

Whitsunday Free-will Offering

This year's Whitsunday free-will offering will be given to support and strengthen school chaplaincy work in the diocese. Funds collected would be used to subsidise chaplaincy manpower costs and to provide training for the staff.

If you would like to make a free-will offering for this purpose, please direct the funds to the church and indicate 'Whitsunday 2022'.

KFC Vacation Bible School (VBS)

KFC is organising her very first VBS this June holidays for children aged 6 to 12 years old. The theme for this year is Shipwrecked and will be held on 17 and 18 June 2022 (full day).

Through a series of activities, we will be teaching children that Jesus is there whenever they face challenges. We are looking for 1) helpers, 2) beach theme decorations and 3) beach theme clothing for loan for our helpers to wear so that we can be dressed up according to the theme. If you are able to join us or contribute in any way, please contact Shirleen Yap at 91010531.

Registration for Primary One in an Anglican School under Phase 2B (for P1 in 2023

MOE has announced the dates for Phase 2B of the Primary One registration. Parents will need to complete an online registration, open from 19 July 2022 (Tue), 9 am to 20 July 2022 (Wed) 4.30 pm.

Please contact the church office to obtain the Vicar's Endorsement Form (with Cover Letter) which is required for the registration in an Anglican School under Phase 2B.

Results of the registration will be announced on Tuesday, 26 July 2022. Visit https://www.moe.gov.sg/primary/p1-registration for more information.

School Main Gate on Sundays

We request members attending the **Sunday** services who come via private transport, to enter the school main gate latest by 9.00 am to facilitate the gate closure and security. To facilitate members leaving after the service, do take note of the 2 time slots where school Main Gate C will be opened: 10.30 am to 11.15 am and 11.45 am to 12 noon.

Audio Sermons / Worship Service Duration

From the month of June, live streaming of Worship Service will cease. Sermons will be audio recorded and uploaded to the church Youtube channel. The duration of Worship Service for both Saturday and Sunday will revert to pre covid timing of 1hr 45 mins.

Israel Study Tour (16-28 November 2022)

Bishop Kuan Kim Seng is leading a study tour of Israel, on the theme of 'The Life and Ministry of Jesus.' The tour is from **16 to 28 November 2022.** There will be a briefing for this tour on 11 June (3.00-4.00 pm) at St. John's Chapel (Patmos Hall).

Those who wish to attend the briefing are requested to register with Susan Ling on WhatsApp 96565717.

DUTY ROSTER	Saturday 4 June 2022	Sunday 5 June 2022	Next Saturday 11 June 2022	Next Sunday 12 June 2022
Worship Officiant	Kenneth Sng		Pas Richard Ting	Pas Yun Jing
Celebrant	Revd Canon Barry Leong			-
Holy Communion Assistant	Revd Tang, Kenneth Sng & Pas Richard	Revd Tang, Kenneth Sng & Patrick Lee		-
Praise Team	Harmony		IHMS	
Preacher	Revd Canon Barry Leong		Revd Canon Barry Leong	
Scripture Text	Jonah 1		Philippians 1:27-29	
Sermon Title	Trying to run away from God!		In One Spirit	
Ushering Team	DR30	Shema	Claypots	CA338/NON
Scripture Reader	Aileen Tung	Goh Xin Ying	Joshua Tung	Esther Cheng
Treasury Witness	Lijie & Judy	Pei Ching & Cho Ling	Nellie & Bee Kuan	Florence & Aimin
Staff On Duty	Pas Florence & Pas Shirleen	Patrick & Doris	Pas Fu-Man, Doris & Ji Yin	Ji Yin & Susan

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