

14 February 2021  
Morning Prayer

**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)

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

Speaker : Ds Lena Lim

Sermon Title : **The New Creation In Christ**

Text : 2 Corinthians 5:14-17

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a  
new creation. The old has passed away;  
behold, the new has come.

2 Corinthians 5:17

**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.

## Vicar Writes

Dear church family

In all the national and ethnic groups celebrating their respective “*new years*” around the world, there is one common thread that runs across all the different cultures and traditions. This is the sense of having something new. For example, wearing new clothing, giving new money notes, cleaning the house to look new, a new haircut, welcoming a new addition to the family, etc.

In the spiritual realm, there is great joy in experiencing something new. The apostle Paul encouraged the Corinthian Christians: “*Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.*” (2 Cor 5:17). At our Confession time during worship service, we pray to Abba Father to “*forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may serve you in newness of life; to the glory of your name*”.

I came across this song many years ago that speaks of God’s love and mercy being wonderfully new.

*New! every morning it's new! The love of God to me is wonderfully new!  
New! every morning it's new! The mercy of the Lord is wonderfully new!  
Great is His faithfulness, Constant is His love,  
Great is His saving power, Coming from above!  
New! every morning it's new! The mercy of the Lord is wonderfully new!*

Whatever struggles and difficulties that you may be going through in your life right now, may you find peace, rest and strength in the Lord, remembering and singing deep in your heart that the unfailing love, bountiful mercy and saving power of God is wonderfully new every morning. Yes, every morning.

*“The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. “The Lord is my portion,” says my soul, “therefore I will hope in him.” Lamentations 3:22-24*

Blessings  
John

### Sunday Service on 14 February 2021 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Day of Chinese New Year (CNY)

The Patmos Hall, designated as Zone C, will be opened up for an additional 50 seats on top of the current 100 seats in the Sanctuary (Service view on projected screen). There will be no intermingling with Zone A and B in the Sanctuary before, during and after the Service. No refreshment after Service due to Covid-19 pandemic.

### SJCp Seniors Ministry

SJCp is starting a Seniors Ministry for those 60 and above. If you are below 60; you are welcome too. We have started a WhatsApp group to keep Seniors informed. We hope to have our first Zoom meeting on **3 March**. Details will be out later. In case we miss out any of you, please contact Florence Ho at 96421639.

### Church Prayer Meeting

A church prayer meeting will be held on **Friday, 26 February 2021, 7.45 pm** via Zoom. Join us in fellowship to pray for families, unity of the church, and the Covid-19 pandemic. Due to the Zoom capacity limit, the prayer meeting will be limited to 100 persons, on a first attendance basis. The meeting ID and password will be sent via WhatsApp to the cell leaders prior to the prayer meeting date.

### Teaching on “Life of Christ” by Dr David Miller

Dr David Miller will be teaching a course on “*Life of Christ in context: Revealed in his world, Relevant to ours*” to be hosted by St James Church. It will be on zoom over eight Thursdays (8pm to 9pm), beginning 18 Feb and ending 15 April. This teaching will be helpful to guide our thoughts and our heart during the church season of Lent. Please **see attached flyer** for the detailed synopsis and registration details.

### Lenten Devotional Booklet 2021

Lent is a period of 40 days before Resurrection Sunday. The Bible Society of Singapore has published the Lent Devotional with the theme “From Fear to Faith”, for use during Lent. You may purchase a copy at \$3.00 at the ushers’ table.

### Chinese Online Alpha Course

Chinese Congregation is organizing an online Alpha Course from February 27 to April 24 held every Saturday, 7.30pm to 9pm. This is a great opportunity for a friendly evangelism, please invite your Chinese speaking friends and relatives as well as bilingual youth or young adults unbelievers to join us. Please register at <https://forms.gle/hATjuo6DwJitAMz48>. You may contact Pastor King (94358204 ) or Pastor Roger( 92223417) for any queries. For more information, please **see the attached flyer**.

## Intercession

### Chinese and Dialects Congregation

**Mission:** To be a Christ-centered disciple making church that impacts lives with one's lives.

**Pastoral Staffs Team:** Rev King Chiew Kwang, Ps Alan Yong, Ps Roger Fu & Ps Lyu Yang

**Areas of Concern:** Leading the three congregations in United worship and pastoral care. Strengthening the staffs and Cell Groups in United mission in spiritual growth, prayer as well as evangelism.

1. Mutual understanding and encouragement across three languages groups- Hokkien, Mandarin and Cantonese congregations -in matters of Sunday Service arrangement as well as pastoral care.
2. Cell groups are united in our mission in discipleship and evangelism.
3. Building up a sustainable spiritual growth in our youth ministry and children ministry.
4. Raising up more lay leaders in worship service as well as other ministries such as women, men ministry and counseling ministry.

DUTY ROSTER	Sunday 14 February 2021	Next Saturday 20 February 2021	Next Sunday 21 February 2021
Worship Officiant	Kenneth Sng	Peter Soon	Ho Boon Sing
Preacher	Ds Lena Lim	Revd King Chiew Kwang	
Psalm Reading	Psalm 51:1-13	-	
Scripture Text	2 Corinthians 5:14-17	Isaiah 58:1-14; Mark 1:9-15	
Sermon Title	The New Creation In Christ	Worship That Is Pleasing to God	

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, Tweens, 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](mailto:admin@patmos.org.sg)*

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# LIFE OF CHRIST IN CONTEXT: REVEALED IN HIS WORLD, RELEVANT TO OURS



18, 25 February 4, 11, 18, 25 March, 8, 15 April 2021

8.00 – 9.00pm (Via Zoom)

<https://tinyurl.com/SJC-CE-LifeofChrist>

The Lenten season is the forty-day period of the Church Calendar which starts on Ash Wednesday and ends on the Saturday of Holy Week. It calls the faithful community to reflect on Jesus' Suffering, Crucifixion, and Death; a time when we internalize Christ's life and death by practicing self-denial and self-reflection. Following our Lord in His preparation for His Passion, we prepare ourselves on the way of the Cross for full obedience to God. The season of Lent is, therefore, a season of "**Preparation, Accompaniment, and Journey**". As followers of Jesus, the Church finds her life in Jesus' sacrifice on the Cross, His victory over evil, chaos, sin, and death, and His restoration of all things through His resurrection, His ascension, and soon return.

To guide us in our preparation for this Lenten season, we have invited Dr David Miller to spend 8 one-hour sessions on Zoom sharing with us on "**The Life and Teaching of Christ**". This will start on Thursday 18 February 2021 (a day after Ash Wednesday) and run end on 15 April 2021.

This eight-session seminar on "*The Life and Teaching of Christ*" will be taught in light of the context in which Jesus lived, giving special emphasis to the religious world and teaching styles of the First Century Jewish world. Throughout the seminar, connections will be made between Jesus' teachings as understood in His day and its relevance to us today; from "then and there" to "here and now". Participants will be equipped with tools to help you gain more meaning and insight when you read the Gospel accounts.

The 8 sessions will cover:

1. Reading in Context:  
The Sermon on the Mount
2. The Birth: To whom is the  
"arm of the Lord" revealed
3. Daily life in Galilee
4. Religion in Daily life:  
the Pharisees and sabbath events
5. Miracles, Parables and Teachings
6. Miracles, Parables and Teachings, continued
7. Jerusalem: Who are Jesus' enemies?
8. Crucifixion and resurrection



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