

# **CHAPEL OF THE** SPIRIT

# **OUR VISION** & MISSION

We, the Chapel of The Holy Spirit, stand as a Spiritfilled and prayerful community, rooted in the Word of God, with a heart for one another and the world.

# **SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES**

English 11:00am Mandarin 8:45am

# **BISHOP OF SINGAPORE**

The Rt Revd Dr Titus Chung

# **ASSISTANT BISHOP**

The Rt Revd Low Jee King

# ARCHDEACON OF **SINGAPORE**

Venerable Daniel Wee

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# **Becoming a Great Commission Church**

And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age." (Matt 28:18-20, ESV)

Our direction for CHS in 2022 will be toward "Becoming a Great Commission Church" and to enable each believer to be a Great Commission disciple.

# 21/08/2022

## **SERMON**

**Not Denying The Faith Under Pressure** Revd Gary Chng

# **SCRIPTURE VERSES**

Revelation 2:12-17 Matthew 7:15-23

# **NEW HERE? WELCOME!**

A warm welcome to those who are new to the church. Please introduce yourself to the pastors or ushers and leave us your contact. Let us know if you need us to pray for you or you would like more information on the various ministries and community life.

#### **INFORMATION**

# A. Tithes & Offerings (contactless mode preferred)

#### 1. At Service

Place your offering into the offering box at the end of the church service



#### 2. PAYNOW

# PAYNOW to **CHAPEL OF THE HOLY SPIRIT**

Name of Bank : DBS Bank Account Number : 025-009277-5 Account Type : autosave / current UEN Number : T08CC4061K

3. ATM 4. BTM 5. Cheque

**B. WIFI Access** 

SSID : CHS-guest Password : chsguest

# C. Livestreamed Worship & Sermon link for 11.00am English service https://tinyurl.com/2muu74he

### D. CHS Website

http://www.chs.org.sg

#### E. Worship Service Schedule

UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICE SCHEDULE (1st & 3rd Holy Communion)			11:00AM
Date	28 <sup>th</sup> August	4 <sup>th</sup> September	11 <sup>th</sup> September
Day	11 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity	12 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity	Evangelistic Service
Speaker	Revd Peter Chen	Revd Joseph You	Revd Timothy Chow
Title	What Does Jesus Deserve From You?	Make Room For Jesus	Jesus knows and Cares
Text	John 12:1-8	Luke 10:38-42	Matthew 9:35-38

# **PRAYER & MEDITATION**

#### Collect

# **Tenth Sunday after Trinity**

Let your merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of your humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions make them to ask such things as shall please you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

# For Meditation and/or Memory Walking in Trust & Fear of the Lord

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is insight.

Proverbs 9:10

Praise Song for Personal Devotion HERE I AM TO WORSHIP https://youtu.be/6CKCThJB5w0

## **Prayer Pointers**

Pray for COR Chinese-speaking Church Planting Work

- To have other parishioners to come alongside to support the congregation planting team from COR as they share the gospel and make disciples of Christ.

Pray for our Government, our leaders and those in authority (1Tim 2:1-4)

- To have God's protection and help. Be endowed with wisdom, discernment and courage to steer the people towards godliness and holiness in living.

Pray for smooth transition and spiritual cover for Clergy & family

- Outgoing Acting Vicar, Revd Peter & Rosalind Chen (Last day, 31 Aug 2022)
- Incoming Vicar, Revd Joseph You and his family (First day, 1 Sep 2022)

# **Need Prayers?**

If you need prayer, please move forward to the front of the Sanctuary and a member of the pastoral team will be there to pray with you.

# **Prayer Meeting**

Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday.

Let's Come Together for a Time of Praise & Intercession Next Prayer Meeting: 9th September 2022, 8pm (via Zoom)

Zoom Meeting ID: 832 3970 6347

Passcode: pnp

# **Chaplaincy Prayer Meeting**

Every Monday 8am during school term. Zoom Meeting ID: 88954130558

Passcode: 706183

# **WEEKLY DEVOTION**

# Weekly Devotions: T0 LOVE GOD IS TO OBEY HIM 1

# Is Jesus Your Savior but Not Your Lord?

Many 21<sup>st</sup> century believers may actually see the call to obedience as offensive. Phillip Keller in 'The High Cost of Holiness' lamented that in the West; "The individual's private conduct is said to be almost sacrosanct. He or she is permitted to do even the most despicable things without accountability to others. All sorts of legal mechanisms are put in place to protect the so-called civil liberties of the individual, even though his or her conduct is most unethical or even immoral and destructive to others.... The whole idea that Christians are to be a people under divine authority, subject implicitly to Christ's control and obedient to His commandments repels most people both inside the church and outside of it. The cost of giving Christ the sacred sacrifice of our total, whole-hearted obedience is too prohibitive!"

Perhaps that is why we hardly hear sermons on obedience these days. There are even preachers who promise their members that they can remain as they are; there is no need for repentance and transformation. Just believe in Jesus and they will be saved and God will bless them abundantly. These preachers are promulgating Christianity without the cross, that we can acknowledge Jesus as our Savior but not our Lord! Is this what the bible teaches?

#### Read Luke 6: 46

Among the many titles given to Jesus, the title 'Lord' or *Kurios* is most common. It occurs over 700 times in the New Testament. In the Greek Old Testament, *Kurios* occurs over 9,000 times to refer to Yahweh, the Creator God of heaven and earth.

The Greek word *Kurios* means 'Master' referring to someone who owns or who has power and authority over another, e.g., a slave. Paul said in Romans 10: 9-10 that we are saved when we confess with our mouth and believe in our heart that Jesus is Lord.

What does it mean then for you and me to see Jesus as our Lord? What does it mean for us to live under His Lordship? What does Jesus expect of those who call Him 'Lord'?

# Questions to ponder

- 1. Why do we have reservations about obeying or submitting to another person? Do you have any reservation about obeying Jesus' teachings? If 'yes' why?
- 2. What does Jesus expect of those who call Him 'Lord'? How is Jesus the Lord of your life?

# Prepared by Rosalind Chen

# CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

# **CHS Christian Education Program 2022**

Refer to CHS Web for 2022 CE program and pastoral encouragement from the Acting Vicar http://www.chs.org.sg

Intimacy with God: Creating Space for God, Communing with Him

Dates: 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> Aug (3 Sat, 10.30am – 12.30pm)

By: Pastor Stanley Tay

Venue: MPH

Register @ https://forms.office.com/r/8SS7LbQFxd

God desires and invites us to a lifelong, intimate relationship with Him. Our response to this invitation to walk in intimacy with Him requires us to learn the habits of creating sacred space for Him and to commune with Him meaningfully.

The course teaches participants to learn and to practice the various spiritual disciplines of listening, scripture meditation, silence, solitude, journaling, etc. Time will be given for personal reflection and contemplation.

We pray each participant will come away from the course desiring more of God, motivated to continually create space for Him and to enjoy communing with Him daily.

Click here for more info: <a href="http://www.chs.org.sg/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/3rd-Q-CE-Intimacy-with-God.pdf">http://www.chs.org.sg/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/3rd-Q-CE-Intimacy-with-God.pdf</a>

Hand-in-Hand Dating Course Date: 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> Sept, 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> Oct (4 Sat, 9.30am – 12.30pm) By: Ps Nelson & Gina Lee Venue: Conference Room

Register @ https://forms.office.com/r/LyAYTBvbnM

Using biblical principles and practical strategies, the Hand-in-Hand Dating course aims to help the dating couple relate to each other in a healthy and godly way as well as to evaluate their relationship, whether to discontinue it or to develop ways to strengthen it before moving on to the next stage.

It hopes to enable each couple to better understand themselves and the other - why they are dating, what attracts them to each other, what expectations they have of each other, how they could better relate to each other, etc. The couple would be given opportunities to explore current and potential issues in their relationship because of personality differences as well as other factors. They will also have a platform to reflect, discuss and resolve these issues.

In a nutshell, the Hand-in-Hand Dating course seeks to provide biblical principles and practical tools for our dating youths & young adults to develop healthy, godly relationships as well as to equip them to share these principles and strategies to help other couples.

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HABAKKUK: A Journey from Confusion to Faith 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> Oct (3 Thurs, 8pm – 9.30pm) Revd Dr Timothy Chong

The sessions will be via Zoom Register @ https://forms.office.com/r/VzZUMjPqkq

The book of Habakkuk is a prophecy about the coming invasion of Babylon and how God will judge the people of Judah for her sins. It captures the prophet's conversations with God and how in these conversations, Habakkuk's confusion was transformed into faith by the end of the book. Habakkuk's journey of faith becomes our journey of faith as the apostle Paul tells us in Romans 1:16-17.

This course will examine the nature of prophethood in Israel, Habakkuk's conversations with God and Paul's understanding of saving faith in Romans 1:16-17.

(Check with Pauline Oi <pauline@chs.org.sg for more info.)

# ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

## **HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **CHS EVENTS**

Bishop Titus Chung had announced that Revd Joseph You will be appointed as Vicar of CHS with effect from 1 September 2022.

Please keep Pastor Joseph and his family in prayer as he begins the process of taking over and assuming the new appointment.

Learning to Love - Children's Camp

Dates: 24-26 Nov 2022 (Thu-Sat)

Day Camp: 2½ days Note: Only for P3 to P6 Look out for more details.

Message of Hope (11 Sep, 11am Service)

Come hear Rev Timothy Ewing-Chow share a message of hope for turbulent times, "Good News: Jesus knows and Cares."

Rev Tim has been sharing the Gospel for over 40 years during which hundreds have come to experience hope, peace and joy as they were touched by the love of Jesus. This message of hope is so much needed today.

Invite your pre-believing friends & loved ones.

# Clearing The Confusion About The Anglican Church's Structure

A lecture by the Warden of Diocesan Training that will be relevant to all Anglicans.

Course Instructor: Revd Dr Joshua

Sudharman

Date: 31 Aug 2022, Wednesday

Time: 8pm to 9:30pm

Venue: Trinity Theological College & Zoom

To Register, go to sph.org.sg

#### **MINISTRY**

## **Agape Kids (Children Ministry)**

AK resumes classes for all levels from 1st to 4th Sunday at 11.00am.

Join CHS Agape Kids Parents Communication Channel @ Telegram for announcements. https://t.me/chsagape

## **Altar Ministry**

Altar Flowers Floral Contribution 2022 To Sponsor: WhatsApp Grace Yap the names & dates for contribution OR click on this link to submit your sponsorship: https://forms.office.com/r/mGLf25jj1q

Per arrangement is \$40/-. Payment by cash to CHS Office or PayNow to CHS DBS account via UEN no. T08CC4061K, Reference: Altar Flowers

# Discipleship Group Meeting Online / In-Person

Yet to join a Discipleship Group?
Click on CHS website link for DG details.
https://www.chs.org.sg/discipleship-groups/

# **The Fireplace (Young Adult Ministry)** Fanning the flames of devotion in a fresh generation.

Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> September, 7.30pm @CHS

Please click the link to sign up. https://forms.gle/kKrDkh3EqSiczaNP7

For more details, follow our Instagram https://www.instagram.com/p/CWAdyqtP8K8/

#### Youth Celebration

Sat, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2022, 2pm, on-site For more details, follow CHS youth Instagram https://www.instagram.com/chsyouths/

#### **Youth Discipleship Group**

Saturday, 2pm, meet in-person/Zoom

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# **Updating of CHS Membership Details**

Please click on the link to submit your updated membership details.

https://forms.office.com/r/QpXN6Hq2bN

## Altar Flowers - Sponsors

There are untaken slots for altar flowers.

# To Sponsor:

Per arrangement is \$40/-. Payment by cash to CHS Office or PayNow to CHS DBS account via UEN no. T08CC4061K, Reference: Altar Flowers

# Online Diocesan Certificate of Biblical Studies (DCBS) - Term 4

Registration for online DCBS Term 4 is open!

# **Old Testament - The Writings II**

Books covered: Ruth, Esther, Daniel, Ezra, Nehemiah, Song of Songs,

Lamentations, 1 & 2 Chronicles

Course Duration: 15 Sep -10 Nov 2022, Thurs, 7:30pm to 9:00pm

#### **New Testament - Revelation**

Course Duration: 15 Sep - 8 Dec 2022 (break on 27 Oct), Thurs, 7:30pm to 9:00pm

All lessons will be conducted via Zoom. A course fee of \$10 applies. Registration is open until 21 Sep 2022. More details can be found on the Diocesan website at <u>anglican.org.sg</u>.

#### Job Recruitments

- Heartfriends BASC, a non-profit student care centre, started by St John's-St Margaret's Church is recruiting for a Centre Manager.
- All Saints' Church (English Congregation) is recruiting for a Pastoral Staff and a Senior Administrative Executive.
- 3. The Mission to Seafarers Singapore, a ministry supported by The Diocese of Singapore, is recruiting for a Full-time Ship Visitor.
- 4. The Diocesan Central Administration (DCA) has two Admin vacancies: The Bishop's Office Executive and Senior Administrative Officer (Finance).
- Church of the Ascension is recruiting for a Pastoral Staff to Seniors and Counselling Ministry.

Visit <u>anglican.org.sg/work-with-us/</u> for more details of these recruitment advertisements.