



# CHAPEL OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

AN ANGLICAN PARISH OF DIOCESE OF SINGAPORE

## OUR VISION & MISSION

We, the Chapel of The Holy Spirit, stand as a Spirit-filled 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  |
| Tamil    | 5:00pm  |

### BISHOP OF SINGAPORE

The Rt Revd Dr Titus Chung

### ASSISTANT BISHOP

The Rt Revd Low Jee King

### ARCHDEACON OF SINGAPORE

Venerable Daniel Wee

### ARCHDEACON FOR COMMUNITY SERVICES

Venerable Wong Tak Meng

### AG VICAR

Revd Peter Chen

### PRIEST

Revd Gary Chng

### 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.

28/08/2022

### SERMON

### To Be Holy or To Be Worldly

Revd Peter Chen

### SCRIPTURE VERSES

1 Peter 1:13-25

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# 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 (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Holy Communion) |                                       |                            | 11:00AM                               |
|--|---------------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Date   | 4 <sup>th</sup> September             | 11 <sup>th</sup> September | 18 <sup>th</sup> September            |
| Day  | 12 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity | Evangelistic Service       | 14 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity |
| Speaker  | Revd Joseph You                       | Revd Timothy Chow          | Revd Joseph You                       |
| Title  | Make Room For Jesus                   | Jesus Knows And Cares      |                                       |
| Text   | Luke 10:38-42                         | Matthew 9:35-38            |                                       |

## Collect

### Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

O God, you declare your almighty power most chiefly in showing mercy and pity: mercifully grant to us such a measure of your grace, that we, running the way of your commandments, may receive your gracious promises, and be made partakers of your heavenly treasure; 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 leads to life, and whoever has it rests satisfied; he will not be visited by harm.

Proverbs 19:23

## Praise Song for Personal Devotion

### 10,000 REASONS (BLESS THE LORD)

<https://youtu.be/XtwIT8JiddM>

## 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: 9<sup>th</sup> 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 Devotions: TO LOVE GOD IS TO OBEY HIM 2

### Obedience is the Measure of our Love for God.

The Church today suffers from 3 crippling and even fatal diseases; bible illiteracy, false teachings and believers not taking the commands of God seriously. Disregard for God's word has led to shallowness of faith that cannot stand the test of temptations, trials and time.

Faith that is not strongly rooted in Scriptures has led to believers embracing all kinds of false teachings. Also, instead of living according to God's word, many believers behave no different from those in the world in order to fit in and be accepted. This has resulted in the Church losing her cutting edge and credibility as God's light and salt in the world.

Karl Rahner, a German theologian, once said, "The number one cause of atheism is Christians. Those who proclaim God with their mouths and deny Him with their lifestyles are what an unbelieving world finds simply unbelievable."

If we truly love God, we want to glorify and honor Him with our lives. If we truly trust Him, we will do what He commands.

### Read John 14: 15-24

Jesus states very clearly in John 14: 15; "If you love me, you will keep my commandments." To God, love and obedience are two sides of the same coin. We cannot say we love God and not take His teachings and commands seriously. A heart that loves God will want to please Him by doing His will and obeying His word.

Matthew Henry, the commentary writer, said; "Love is the root; obedience is the fruit". A readiness to obey God and comply with His commands is proof of our faithfulness and love for Him.

### *Questions to ponder*

1. How has your love for God changed the way you behave, speak and relate to people?
2. What did Jesus emphasize in vs. 15, 21, 23 and 24 and what would happen when we do what Jesus commanded (21-23)? What does it mean for you to take what Jesus said seriously?
3. Which particular commandment of God or teaching of Jesus do you struggle with? What do you need to do so that you may obey God in this area?

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>

### 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.

### 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/VzZUMjPgkq>**

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 Rom 1:16-17.

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

# DIOCESAN STUDIES

## **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](http://sph.org.sg)

## **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 [anglican.org.sg](http://anglican.org.sg).

## **Diocesan Theological Studies by St Peter's Hall**

The Holy Spirit sent to help Christians in their earthly journey blesses us with His fruit and through His gifts enable us to serve. Obtain a richer understanding of the third person of the Trinity in the upcoming course.

Topic: The Doctrine of God the Holy Spirit: The Person and Work of the Holy Spirit

Course Duration: 20 Sep to 8 Nov 2022 (Tuesdays)

Time: 7.30pm - 9.30pm via Zoom

Registration link: <https://tinyurl.com/2p93us4x>

A course fee of \$20 applies. Find out more on the Diocesan website at [www.anglican.org.sg](http://www.anglican.org.sg).

# ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

## HIGHLIGHTS

### CHS EVENTS

As announced by Bishop Titus, Pastor Joseph will assume the new appointment as Vicar of CHS with effect from 1 September 2022. Do continue to keep him & family in prayer.

### Bishop Titus' Pastoral Letter on the Repeal of s377A

In light of the announcement by Prime Minister Lee at the National Day Rally 2022 regarding the Repeal of s377A, Bishop Titus shares his thoughts to all members of The Diocese of Singapore in a Pastoral Letter on the Diocesan website at [www.anglican.org.sg](http://www.anglican.org.sg)

### “The Impact of the Repeal of 377A” by The Diocesan Youth Board

What is the impact of the repeal of s377A to the Church, society and family? How can a disciple of Christ continue to be the salt and light without compromising Truth and being judgmental?

Speakers : Ven Daniel Wee, Ps Ian Toh & Bro Darius Lee

Date/Time : Fri 21 Oct/ 7.30pm-9.30pm

Venue : St Andrew's Cathedral, Pavilion

Youths & Young Adults are welcome to join this dialogue - <https://tinyurl.com/YAOCT2022>

### Learning to Love - Children's Camp

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

Day Camp: 2½ days (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.

## 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/mGLf25jj1g>

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

## **Job Recruitments**

1. Heartfriends BASC, a non-profit student care centre, started by St John's-St Margaret's Church is recruiting for a Centre Manager.
2. 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).
5. Church of the Ascension is recruiting for a Pastoral Staff to Seniors and Counselling Ministry.

Visit [anglican.org.sg/work-with-us/](http://anglican.org.sg/work-with-us/) for more details of these recruitment advertisements.