



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.

07/08/2022

SERMON

GST FOR JESUS

Rt Revd Kuan Kim Seng

SCRIPTURE VERSES

Leviticus 27: 30-33

Matthew 6:19-24

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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 st & 3 rd Holy Communion)			11:00AM
Date	14 th August	21 st August	28 th August
Day	9 th Sunday after Trinity	10 th Sunday after Trinity	11 th Sunday after Trinity
Speaker	Revd Christopher Ho	Revd Gary Chng	Revd Peter Chen
Title	Stop Complaining And Start Believing	Not Denying The Faith Under Pressure	What Does Jesus Deserve From You?
Text	Numbers 21:4-9 John 3:14-15 John 8:21-30	Revelation 2:12-17	John 12:1-8

Collect

Eighth Sunday after Trinity

Almighty Lord and everlasting God, we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern both our hearts and bodies in the ways of your laws and the works of your commandments; that through your most mighty protection, both here and ever, we may be preserved in body and soul; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, 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

You who fear the LORD, trust in the Lord! He is their help and their shield.

Psalm 115:11

Praise Song for Personal Devotion

WAY MAKER

<https://youtu.be/HhbtVCI67pw>

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 2nd Friday.

Let's Come Together for a Time of Praise & Intercession

Next Prayer Meeting: 12th August 2022, 8pm (continue 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: LOVE FOR ONE ANOTHER 19

Pursue UNITY; Avoid DISSENSION

Churches have split over matters like how to worship and what version of the bible should be used. Members also quarrel over debatable issues like whether it is okay for Christians to drink wine or to have a vase with a dragon motif. There is nothing wrong with having different opinions & points of view but we must recognize the potential harm our strong positions can bring to the community. When we insist that things be done our way, this will lead to tension & conflict in the church. Our opinions & preferences may cause dissension and become walls that divide.

John Wesley, in his book *Christian Perfection*, said that we should guard against schism and a dividing spirit. He said; "Do not run down anyone. Do not also exalt anyone above the rest lest you hurt both him and the cause of God... Just because someone does not agree with everything you say does not mean that he / she is sinning. Nor is this or that opinion essential to the work of God. Be patient with those who disagree with you. Do not condemn those who do not see things just as you do, or who think it is their duty to contradict you."

Pursue unity. Resist anything that leads to dissension. Stand firm only on God's word & for God's Name.

Read Romans 14: 1-23

The Roman Christians were arguing over issues like eating, whether one should eat anything or to avoid meat (2); drinking of wine (21) and observing certain festive days (5-6). Paul exhorted them not to let these matters divide the Church and they should not judge nor look down on those who differ. They should guard against pride, prejudice and being judgmental of those whose views were different.

The guiding principles for our actions should be that what we do glorify God (6) and done out of love for one another. If our action were to stumble anyone then we should refrain from doing it (15). Paul said God is the Judge and we will have to account to Him for our actions (4, 10-12).

Questions to ponder

1. How should we respond to those who differ from us in opinions & practices (1, 3, 13, 15, 19 & 21)? Which of these exhortations do you struggle with and which would you try to live out?
2. When the bible is not clear about an issue how should we decide whether it is right or wrong? Is there something you will avoid doing because it may stumble fellow believers?

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: 13th, 20th, 27th 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: <http://www.chs.org.sg/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/3rd-Q-CE-Intimacy-with-God.pdf>

Hand-in-Hand Dating Course

Date: 17th, 24th Sept, 1st, 8th 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.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Sermon on the Mount: Kingdom Values for the 21st Century

Dates: 10th, 17th, 24th Sept & 1st Oct. (4 Sat, 10am – 12nn)

The course is on Sat morning instead of Thurs night.

By Revd Peter Chen & Mrs Rosalind Chen

Venue: MPH

Register @ <https://forms.office.com/r/rSnCMMHbcx>

As people belonging to God and citizens of God's Kingdom, we are called to be the light that shines for those who live in the darkness of sin. We are expected to be different from the world, different from the irreligious and also the religious.

There is no salvation without transformation and sanctification. Our speech, thoughts, conduct and actions must reflect who God is; His holiness, righteousness and love. In the Sermon on the Mount (Matt 5-7), Jesus clearly sets out the value-system, the ethical standard expected of all believers.

The course will look at the purpose of Jesus' teachings and the relevance of His moral expectations in this time and age. It will examine the distinction between true and false spirituality, Jesus' warnings against self-righteousness, the need to cultivate persevering trust in God, the secret of Christian joy and how to defeat temptation.

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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.

Diocesan Digest (July 2022)

The latest issue of the Diocesan Digest is out! Find out the latest news and developments within the Diocese. Download your copy at [anglican.org.sg/diocesan-digest/](https://www.anglican.org.sg/diocesan-digest/).

TTC Open House 2022

Considering a theological education? Come join us for lectures, worship at our chapel, dine with our community, tour our campus, and interact with our faculty and students at TTC Open House 2022.

Date: 31 August 2022, Wednesday

Time: 8.30am–2.30pm

Venue: Trinity Theological College, 490

Upper Bukit Timah Rd

Register at

ttc.edu.sg/english/OpenHouse2022

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 3rd August 2022, 7.30pm @CHS

Please click the link to sign up.

<https://forms.gle/9P3hvEHzxNearGvd7>

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

Youth Celebration

Sat, 3rd August 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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Chinese-speaking Work Sunday

We give thanks to God for His faithfulness to the Chinese-speaking work within the Diocese. Each year, one specific ministry will be featured on Chinese-speaking Work Sunday. This year, the focus will be on the new Mandarin congregation plant in Church of the Epiphany. This congregation plant is anchored by Chapel of the Resurrection.

As we commemorate Chinese-speaking Work Sunday this weekend, let us come alongside them in prayer:

1. Pray for the Holy Spirit to lead, guide and unite the congregation planting team from Chapel of The Resurrection as they share the gospel and make disciples of Christ.
2. Pray that the Lord will send labourers from other parishes to participate in the congregation planting work and that He will provide for the work financially.
3. Pray the Tamil, English and Mandarin congregation plants of Church of the Epiphany to be a good witness, to exhibit love and be a light to the community.

National Day Thanksgiving Service 2022

Come, join other Christians to celebrate our nation's 57th National Day at this meaningful Thanksgiving Service occasion of worship, prayer and thanksgiving where we seek the Lord together for Singapore.

Organiser: The National Council of Churches Singapore

On: Thurs 18 Aug 2022, 7:45pm to 8:45pm

At: St Andrew's Cathedral, New Sanctuary

Speaker: Bishop Dr Gordon Wong, Bishop of the Methodist Church in Singapore & Vice-President of the National Council of Churches of Singapore

Message: "Peaceful Peacemakers" based on James 3:13–18

No registration is required. We look forward to seeing you there.

The National Council of Churches Singapore (NCCS) e-newsletter for July 2022 is available [here](#). Download it for the details of news and events.

Job Recruitments

- The Mission to Seafarers Singapore, a ministry supported by The Diocese of Singapore, is recruiting for a Full-time Ship Visitor.
- 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.

For more details, visit anglican.org.sg/work-with-us/