



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

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Home Coming and Thanksgiving

23 Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful. 24 And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, 25 not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near. (Hebrews 10:23-25, ESV)

Our direction for CHS in the second half of 2022 will be toward **“Home Coming and Thanksgiving”**. The idea is to encourage our members to consider how we can encourage those who have not been coming for service and also stirring one another’s hearts to celebrate the goodness of God.

18/09/2022

SERMON

Faithful Till The End

Revd Joseph You

SCRIPTURE VERSES

Joshua 14:6-15

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 Sunday Holy Communion)			11:00AM
Date	25 th September	2 nd October	9 th October
Day	15 th Sunday after Trinity	16 th Sunday after Trinity	17 th Sunday after Trinity
Speaker	Revd Gary Chng	Revd Joseph You	Ps Moses Ng

Collect

Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; 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

You keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on you, because he trusts in you. Trust in the LORD forever, for the LORD GOD is an everlasting rock.

Isaiah 26: 3-4

Praise Song for Personal Devotion

I SPEAK JESUS

https://youtu.be/FpGYImM_VeM

Prayer Pointers

Pray for the work of the Diocese

- Diocesan Education Mission: Pray for the 11 schools (including 2 special needs schools) and 21 pre-school services.

Pray for Church Ministries (children, youths, young adults, adults & seniors)

- Growth in quality and quantity, creativity and collectivity.

Pray for Vicar & family

- Revd Joseph You: First day at CHS on 1 Sep. Vicar Induction Service on 16 Oct.

- Spiritual coverage over Ps Joe & family. Divine favour, wisdom & good health.

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: 14th October 2022

7.45pm at Multi-Purpose Hall (MPH)

Chaplaincy Prayer Meeting

Every Monday 8am during school term.

Zoom Meeting ID: 88954130558

Passcode: 706183

Weekly Devotion: TO LOVE GOD IS TO OBEY HIM 5

Can Your Faith Go the Long Haul?

One of the greatest distractions in 21st century faith is our preoccupation with sensationalism. Many Christians go from one revival meeting to another hoping to have that spectacular and stimulating spiritual experience. Phillip Keller, who wrote on the place of experience and obedience in one's faith journey, emphasized that the sum total of a person's faith must be more than a succession of ecstatic emotional encounters. An obedient heart is the measure of one's spiritual maturity.

The robustness of our faith depends on whether we allow God's truths to take root in our heart and shape the way we think, speak, act and live. For us to grow spiritually and be transformed from glory to glory, we must not neglect God's word. We must also guard against anything that may distract our attention from God and anything that will lure us from His word. Unless God's word takes root in our mind and heart, and unless we are ready to live by His word, our faith will be superficial and cannot persevere to the end.

Read Matt 13: 3-9; 18-23

Jesus warned that not everyone who receives the seed of the gospel will be fruitful and faithful. He emphasized that the seed of the gospel or God's word can only bring spiritual life and bears fruit when the soil is good.

Jesus highlighted four types of soil which represent 4 types of responses to His word. The first are those who are indifferent, who fail to take His word seriously. The second are those whose faith is shallow, who do not allow His word to be deeply rooted in their lives. Third are those who are distracted by the world. Only 1 group gladly welcome the word of God, dig deep into His word and please God by obeying His word. The Sower, God Himself, and the seed, His Word, are unchanging but the result, whether there is spiritual life and the fruit of transformation, depends on our response to God's word.

Questions to ponder

1. Describe the 4 places on which the seed fell and what type of response is represented by each type of soil (4-8, 19-23? Why was the seed unable to grow and bear fruit in three out of the four places? What type of soil would you say you are at this point of time?
2. What are some distractions and "cares of the world and the deceitfulness of riches" (22) that you have encountered in your faith journey? How can you be the 'good soil' where the seed of God's word can take root and bear fruit (23)?

Prepared by Rosalind Chen

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

CHS Christian Education Program 2022

Refer to CHS Web for 2022 CE program and pastoral encouragement from Revd Peter Chen, <http://www.chs.org.sg>

HABAKKUK: A Journey from Confusion to Faith

13th, 20th & 27th 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 for more info.)

DIOCESAN STUDIES

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.

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.

Rediscovering the Anglican Church - The Anglican Daily Office

This lay training course by St Peter's Hall will cover the history and biblical teachings behind The Anglican Daily Office which involves scripture reading and prayer.

Instructors: Revd Canon Terry Wong, Revd Ian Chew and team

Dates: 6 October to 10 November 2022, Thursdays

Time 7.30pm - 9pm, via Zoom

Registration is open! Register via <https://tinyurl.com/rtacoffice>

For more details, visit the Diocesan website at anglican.org.sg

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

HIGHLIGHTS

CHS EVENTS

Revival Night

Together with St Peter's Hall & Awaken Generation, the St Andrew's Village Area Group is co-organising a night of prayer & praise

Date/Time: Wed 28 Sep 2022, 8pm
Venue: COR Sanctuary, 1 Francis Thomas Drive, #02-17 S(359340)
Enter via Jalan Toa Payoh 4

Registration is required. Register via <https://tinyurl.com/CORAGRevivalNight>

If you are unable to attend but wish to be a part of this revival night, you can view the livestream via: <https://www.youtube.com/user/awakengsg>

Vicar's Induction Service

Combined Service (English/Mandarin/Tamil)
Date: Sun 16 Oct 2022

Time: 10am

Place: CHS Level 2 Sanctuary

Speaker: Revd David Lee

Sermon: Together for the Gospel

Scripture:

Luke 6: 17-26; 1 Corinthians 15: 12-20

Learning to Love – On-site @ CHS

Children's Camp, jointly organised by CHS & Sterling Campus. Limited slots available!

Day Camp: 2½ days (Only for P3 to P6)

Thu 24 & Fri 25 Nov : 9am-5pm

Sat 26 Nov : 9am-11.30am

Camp Fee:

Early bird till 30 Sep: \$70 per child

From 1 Oct: \$80 per child

To Register:

Click on the link <https://bit.ly/L2LCamp2022>

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/mGLf25j1g>

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 1st October, 7.30pm @CHS

Please click the link to sign up. <https://forms.gle/hmcNzB4pP13EygGg8>

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

Youth Celebration

Sat, 1st October 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

Diocesan Education Month – September 2022

The Diocese of Singapore commemorates the work of our education mission in 11 schools (including 2 special needs schools) and 21 pre-school services in September 2022. You can support the work by:

1. Praying for the Diocesan education mission. The prayer pointers are available on the Diocesan website at anglican.org.sg/pray-with-us/
2. Contributing to the Education Mission Fund which supports the hiring of school chaplaincy staff. For giving *via bank transfer*, transfer amount to your parish and indicate 'Education Mission Fund'. For giving *via cheques*, it should be payable to 'Diocese of Singapore'. Please indicate 'Education Mission Fund' at the back of the cheque.

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

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

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>

Job Recruitments

1. St Andrew's Cathedral is recruiting for a Ministry Administrative Executive and an AV Coordinator.
2. St John's-St Margaret's Church is recruiting for an Alpha Team lead.

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