

St John's Cathedral 聖公會聖約翰座堂

Anglican Diocese of Hong Kong Island Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui

'St John's Cathedral is a place of God's grace, welcoming all, following Christ and changing lives in the heart of Hong Kong'

10TH JUNE 2018 THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.00am Said Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Robert Martin

Reader: James Choo

9.00am Worship for All (See separate order of service)

Celebrant: The Very Revd Matthias Der

Preacher: The Revd Canon David Pickering

Deacon: The Revd Dwight dela Torre

Communion Setting: 'Worship for All' Setting

Anthem: The Call (Ralph Vaughan Williams)

Readers/Intercessor: Worship Team (Poverty Alleviation Group)

10.30am Sung Eucharist (Mandarin)

Celebrant: The Revd Wu Wai Ho

Preacher: The Revd Canon Peter Koon

11.45am Choral Mattins (See insert)

Officiant: The Very Revd Matthias Der Preacher: The Revd John Chynchen Hymns: 436, 407, 415i (omit *)

Reader: Saki Tsoi

2.00pm Sung Eucharist (in Filipino)

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Dwight dela Torre

6.00pm Healing Eucharist (See separate order of service)

Celebrant: The Revd Robert Martin
Preacher: The Revd Catherine Graham

Hymns: 372, 480 (T.161), 477 (T.408i), 359 (T.322)

Reader: Trevor Fitzsimmons

Welcome to all who worship here today. Visiting communicants, of whatever Christian tradition, are invited to receive communion here. Gluten-free communion wafers are available on request at all Eucharists in this Cathedral. Please enquire of the Sidesmen or Servers for directions to the distribution. **No unauthorized photography, video filming or sound recording during the service.**

THIS WEEK AT ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

SUN 10 th June	12.00noon	Chinese Congregation Fellowship
MON 11 th	8.00am <i>12.30pm</i> 1.00pm	Said Eucharist Meditation Group One o'clock Prayer
TUE 12 th	8.00am 1.00pm <i>7.00pm</i>	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer Bible Reading Fellowship
WED 13 th	8.00am 9.30am 12.00noon 1.15pm 2.30pm 6.00pm	Said Eucharist (English) CLARES Said Eucharist (Cantonese) Lunchtime Recital— Madam Lola Young's Bel Canto Singers Recital Bible Reading Prayer Fellowship (Chinese) Said Eucharist
THU 14 th	8.30am 1.00pm 1.15pm 2.30pm	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer Said Eucharist Parents and Toddlers meeting
FRI 15 th	8.00am 1.00pm <i>3.00pm</i>	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer Friday Fellowship Group
SAT 16 th	8.30am 12.00pm 6.00pm	Said Eucharist Said Eucharist (Filipino) Sung Eucharist (Cantonese) (Anticipated Sunday Service)
SUN 17 th June The Third Sunday after Trinity		
Ezekiel 17.22-end	8.00am	Said Eucharist
Psalm 92.1-4, 12-end 2 Corinthians 5.6-10 (11-13) 14-17 Mark 4.26-34	9.00am	Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd John Chynchen Sung Eucharist Celebrant: The Revd Catherine Graham Preacher: The Revd John Chynchen
Murk 4.20-34	10.30am	St John Ambulance Dedication Service Celebrant: The Revd Canon Peter Koon Preacher: The Very Revd Matthias Der
	11.45am	Responsorial Eucharist—CW Celebrant: The Revd Jenny Wong Nam Preacher: The Revd John Chynchen
	2.00pm	Sung Eucharist (Filipino)
	6.00pm	Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Dwight dela Torre Choral Evensong Officiant: The Revd Wu Wai Ho Preacher: The Revd Mark Rogers



THEFT PREVENTION

As with any big city centre, please keep your valuables with you. If you feel unsafe at any time, please let a staff member or sidesman know.

COLLECT

Lord, you have taught us that all our doings without love are nothing worth: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before you. Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING 2 Corinthians 4.13-5.1

A reading from the second letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

Just as we have the same spirit of faith that is in accordance with scripture—'I believed, and so I spoke'—we also believe, and so we speak, because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence. Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

So we do not lose heart. Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure, because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen; for what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal.

For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

This is the word of the Lord. **All Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL READING Mark 3.20-end

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark. **All Glory to you, O Lord.**

The crowd came together again, so that Jesus and his companions could not even eat. When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, 'He has gone out of his mind.' And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, 'He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons.' And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, 'How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered.

'Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin'— for they had said, 'He has an unclean spirit.'

Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, 'Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.' And he replied, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' And looking at those who sat around him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **All Praise to you, O Christ.**

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Loving Father, we thank you for feeding us at the supper of your Son: sustain us with your Spirit, that we may serve you here on earth until our joy is complete in heaven, and we share in the eternal banquet with Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

In the worldwide Anglican Communion we pray for La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico and The Most Revd Francisco Moreno, Presiding Bishop of La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico & Bishop of Northern Mexico.

We pray for the Province of Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui (Anglican Province of Hong Kong & Macau); for Paul, our archbishop and primate; and for all bishops, priests and deacons within our diocese and province.

We pray for the HKSKH Holy Wisdom Church; for their establishment to be a parish church; Pray for the youth ministry of the church and schools: S.K.H. Chan Young Secondary School, S.K.H. Wing Chun Primary School and S.K.H. Ka Fuk Wing Chun Primary School.

Within the Cathedral Parish we pray for the Cathedral church and its various congregations; for the Dean and the chaplains; for our daughter churches; St Stephen's Chapel, Stanley, Discovery Bay Church and Emmanuel Church, Pokfulam; and for their Priests in Charge. We also remember Cathedral Bookstore, Filipino Fellowship and St John's Counselling Service.

We also pray for our link Diocese of Toungoo, Myanmar; for Bishop John Wilme, his priests and people. We pray for the evangelistic and mission work conducted throughout the Diocese.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for those who are sick: Kong Siu-Ming, Caroline Yu, Nancy Wong, Ivy Looi, Al Carther, Marianne Felch, Richard Teh, Eleanor McAuliffe Gallagher, Teo Kim Puah, May Cheng, Toung Ming, Daisy Chan, Bp Kenneth Mason, Irene Lo Oi Lin, Tang Chi Luen, Donna Gail Willis, Elaine Cogan, Feng Xiao, Steven Hui Pei Hang, Nie Shi Fa, William Ching, Monica Cornelius, Axel Ng, The Revd Anthony Yates, Kathryn Lewis, Henry Wu Mou Wai, Daisy Tai, Elaine Cogan, Baby Colton, Margaret Pini, Gardy Raymundo, Canon David Dang, Lau Yim Fong, Lam Lai Fong, Rainer W Rommel, Chen Kuk Tye, Lok Yee Jeli, Chong Yuk Lau, Isaac Wiens, Yau Sau Chun, Chow Lie Ying, Albert Quimpo, Raymond Yuen, Mike Chan, Geoff and Karrie Walsh, Betty Young, Caius Schwartz, Victor Chan, Kathryn McCallen, Susan Westlake, Christian Limon Gamen, Anthony Chan, Carrie McKinnon, Helen Roberts, Brenda & Gerald Bishop, Tony & Edita Bishop, Mark & Helen Bishop, Chris & David Hayter, Robert & Doris Sandie.

Please pray for the recently departed: Michael Whitehead (CMP priest), Cheryl Owens, Jack Cheung, Liu Gui

Anniversary of Death: David Cooper (12th June 2008)

Prayers will be offered for those named above during the weekday Eucharist. To include someone in this prayer list, please contact Elisa, **Tel.: 2523 4157.**

FLOWERS

The flower pedestal in the nave today is donated by the Cathedral Choir in loving memory of David Cooper, Cathedral Honorary Organist (2001-2006).

CLERGY

This morning, the Revd Catherine Graham is leading the worship at St Stephen's Chapel, Stanley.

AN OLD FRIEND RETURNS

A warm welcome home to the Revd Canon David Pickering and his wife Christine! Canon Pickering was a Cathedral Chaplain for several years and was Acting Dean during the interregnum after Dean Andrew. He will preach at this morning's 9.00am Worship for All. It is good to have him in the pulpit once again.

Deepening our Faith with Outreach.

Saturday 23rd June at 9.30am Harold Smyth Room

A participative and dynamic workshop on being in solidarity with the poor and marginalized in 21st Century Hong Kong.

Among the issues we will explore are:

- What difference is our Christian living making in people's lives?
- What are the sacrifices we make? How can we avoid burn out?
- How do we keep alive our faith in the face of the suffering & injustices of the world?
- How do we continue to put our beliefs into practice? How can we avoid getting 'stuck' in our Christian living?

To register and for more information please contact Fr Mark: rogers@stjohnscathedral.org.hk

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

The Filipino nation will celebrate its 120th Independence Day on 12th June 2018.

Mabuhay ang Pilipinas!

St John's Cathedral

Faith Enquiry Course

What is the Christian faith all about? Are you new to the Christian faith?

What's unique about St John's Cathedral and the Anglican Church?

Why may this be the right place for you?

Faith Enquiry Course is a 4-week introduction to the Christian faith at St John's Cathedral. If you, or a friend, are new to Christianity, this is the course for you! Conducted in English, with simultaneous interpretation in Cantonese.

<u>Dates/Time</u>:

Wednesday evenings 7.30-9.00pm, starting June 6th

<u>Venue</u>:

Harold Smyth Room, on the G/F of the Cathedral Office.

Faith Enquiry Course

June 6th Is there a God? June 13th Who was Jesus? June 20th What is the Bible? June 27th How can I join the Church?

Free admission, all welcome, no registration required.

HONG KONG SHENG KUNG HUI 20th ANNIVERSARY DINNER

If you have signed up for a place at one of the St John's tables at the 20th Anniversary Dinner on 6th October 2018 now is the time to pay for your ticket. **HK\$350 per person** All payments should be made to the Cathedral Office by 19th June.

CONFIRMATION CERTIFICATES

If you have been confirmed at the Cathedral over the last 10 year but have not picked up your Confirmation certificate, please contact Elisa at the Dean's Office. There are a number of certificates that have not been picked up. Please check that you have yours.

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HKSKH 20THANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION CONCERT

10·7·2018 (二TUE) 晚上8.00pm

香港文化中心音樂廳





Geoff Weaver: Te Deum Ralph Vaughan Williams: Let all the world John Ireland: Greater love hath no man Victor Chan: Peace to you, sisters, brothers G.F. Handel: Hallelujah Chorus

客席指揮 GUEST CONDUCTOR

韋哲夫先生 Mr Geoff Weaver

門票 TICKET

\$1000 | \$150* | \$100*

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ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL MINISTRY TEAM

Dean: The Very Revd Matthias Der

Clergy Ministry Co-ordinators:

Fellowship & Community Building—The Revd Desmond Cox Nurturing & Spirituality—The Revd Will Newman Outreach Ministry—The Revd Mark Rogers Pastoral Care—The Revd Catherine Graham Liturgy and Worship—The Revd Robert Martin Filipino Ministry—The Revd Dwight dela Torre Chinese Ministry—The Revd Canon Peter Koon & The Revd Wu Wai Ho

Honorary Chaplains:

The Revd John Chynchen The Revd Jenny Wong Nam

Executive Administrator:

Viola Ip

Outreach Ministries:

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Welcome to St John's Cathedral! Please complete this form and hand it to one of the Clergy, a Sidesman or the Welcome Table. First Name: Surname: Name of spouse (if applicable) Names and ages of children (if applicable) E-mail: Phone: Please circle as appropriate: *I attend the* 8.00am/9.00am/10.30am/11.45am/2.00pm/6.00pm *service*. I am interested in finding out about: Sunday School / Cathedral Choir / CLARES / Baptism & Confirmation / Flower Guild / Sidesman / Servers Guild / Fellowship Group / Stewardship Scheme / Uniformed Group. Other questions / information: ☐ I do not agree to receive any promotional materials from St John's Cathedral. This information is collected in accordance with the Personal Data Privacy Statement as published on the St John's Cathedral website at "www.stjohnscathedral.org.hk".
