



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.'*

29TH SEPTEMBER 2019 ST MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS

8.00am Said Eucharist *(See separate order of service)*

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis
Reader: Jeannie Chan

9.00am Sung Eucharist *(RTHK Broadcast) (See separate order of service)*

Celebrant: The Revd Sharon Langbis
Preacher: The Dean
Deacon: The Revd Jenny Wong Nam
Communion Setting: Festive Eucharist (Noel Rawsthorne)
Hymns: 478, 191, 190ii, 336
Anthem: Faire is the heaven (William Harris)
Voluntary: Postlude in D minor (Charles Villiers Stanford)
Reader/Intercessor: Martin Hills/Aron Yuen

10.30am Sung Eucharist (in Mandarin)

Celebrant and Preacher: The Dean

11.45am Responsorial Eucharist *(See separate order of service)*

Celebrant: The Dean
Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis
Reader/Intercessor: Karmen Kar/Simon Fong

2.00pm Sung Eucharist (in Filipino)

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre

6.00pm Labyrinth Service

Officiant: The Revd Mark Rogers
Preacher: The Revd Will Newman
Reader: Letty Awingan

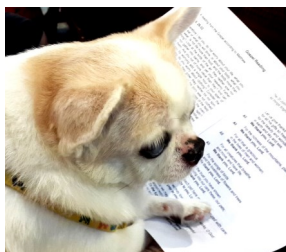
Welcome to all who worship here today. Visiting communicants, of whatever Christian tradition, are invited to receive communion here. Gluten-free communion wafers are available on request at all Eucharists in this Cathedral. Please enquire of the Sidesmen or Servers for directions to the distribution.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



Faith in the City
1849 - 2019

THIS WEEK AT ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

SUN 29th September	12.00noon	Chinese Congregation Fellowship
MON 30th	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	12.30pm	Meditation Group
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
TUE 1st October (Public Holiday)	9.00am	Said Eucharist
WED 2nd	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	1.15pm	NO Lunchtime Recital (Artists cancellation)
	2.30pm	Bible Reading Prayer Fellowship (Chinese)
	6.00pm	Said Eucharist
THU 3rd	8.30am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	1.15pm	Said Eucharist
	2.30pm	Parents and Toddlers
FRI 4th	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	3.00pm	Friday Fellowship Group
SAT 5th	8.30am	Said Eucharist
	12.00noon	Said Eucharist (Filipino)
	6.00pm	Sung Eucharist (Cantonese) (Anticipated Sunday Service)
SUN 6th October	The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity	
<i>Habakkuk 1.1-4, 2.1-4</i>	8.00am	Said Eucharist
<i>Psalms 37.1-9</i>		Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis
<i>2 Timothy 1.1-14</i>	9.00am	Sung Eucharist
<i>Luke 17.5-10</i>		Celebrant: The Dean
		Preacher: The Revd Franklin Lee
	10.30am	Sung Eucharist (Mandarin)
		Celebrant: The Revd Canon Peter Koon
		Preacher: The Revd Franklin Lee
	11.45am	A Service for The Blessing of Animals
		Officiant: The Revd Franklin Lee
		Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre
	2.00pm	Sung Eucharist (Filipino)
		Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre
	6.00pm	Choral Evensong
		Officiant: The Revd Franklin Lee
		Preacher: The Revd Wu Wai Ho



A Service for the Blessing of Animals

Sunday 6th October 11.45am

*Please bring your beloved pets to Church
as we give thanks for the wonders of creation
and ask God's blessing on them.*

COLLECT AND READINGS

The readings can be found in the dedicated booklets for today. For your reference the readings are:

Genesis 28.10-17
Psalms 103.19-end
Revelation 12.7-12
John 1.47-end

COLLECT

Everlasting God, you have ordained and constituted the ministries of angels and mortals in a wonderful order: grant that as your holy angels always serve you in heaven, so, at your command, they may help and defend us on earth; 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. **Amen.**

FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

In the worldwide Anglican Communion we pray for the Episcopal Church and the Most Revd Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop of TEC.

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

We pray for the Diocese of Eastern Kowloon, for the Rt Revd Dr Timothy Kwok the Diocesan Bishop and all clergy of the Diocese; for the spiritual lives of all the faithful; for those faith-seeking people, may the gospel be known to them.

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 their Priests in Charge. We also remember our Welcomers & Cathedral Minders, Sunday School, Discoverers, Parents and Toddlers, Education for Ministry (EfM) Courses, CLARES, Castaways, and SJC Flower Guild.

We also pray for our link Diocese of Tounghoo, Myanmar; for the Rt Revd Dr Saw Shee Sho, his priests, people and ministry.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for those who are sick:

Benjamin Ng, Geoff Walsh, Nie Shi Fa, Shirley Nie, John McIntosh, Jennifer D. Ambatcan, Catherine Chan, Kung Lin Cheng Leo, Grace Chan, Tounghoo Ming, May Cheng, Roger Bebbington, Phyllis Schmitz, Daisy Tai, Timothy Moreno, Margaret Pini, Elaine Cogan, Irene Lo Oi Lin, Jeshu Yau, Chen Kuk Tye, Ron Fast, Marianne Felch, Anthony Chan, John David, Monica Cornelius, Eunice Chan, Meena Tsui, Mike Chan, Kathryn McCallen, Chong Yuk Lau, Christina Chan, Kong Siu Ming, Richard Jones, Leslie Henderson, Caroline Yu, Donna Gail Willis, Kathryn Lewis, Raymond Yuen, Jessica Assem, Susan Westlake, and Carrie McKinnon.

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.**

A PRAYER FOR HONG KONG

Almighty God, whose will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the Prince of peace: accept the fervent prayers of your people, and preserve our city in your safekeeping. May your holy and life-giving Spirit move every human heart, that barriers which divide us may crumble, suspicions disappear, and hatreds cease; that our divisions being healed, we may live in love and harmony. Enable us to eliminate poverty and prejudice, that peace may prevail with righteousness, and justice with order. Send down upon those who are in authority the spirit of wisdom and charity, that with steadfast purpose they may faithfully serve to promote the well-being of all people; through Jesus Christ our redeemer, friend and companion. **Amen.**

CLERGY

The Revd Wu Wai Ho is preaching at The Crown of Thorns Church this morning.

CHRISTIANS IN CENTRAL Tuesday 8th October 2019 1.00pm Li Hall

Topic:
Trade, Wars and Values:
Understanding the Trade War

Speaker:
Michael Spencer, PhD.

“Hong Kong has been caught in the middle of Donald Trump’s trade war and our economy has been weakened by it. But all will be right when the war is over. Or so we’re told. But this isn’t just Donald Trump’s trade war; it isn’t a dispute about just trade; and it isn’t just about the US and China. The US/China trade dispute is a reflection of a breakdown of trust between those two countries and the erosion of an international order based on shared values that has supported global prosperity – and Hong Kong’s unique role – for more than 70 years.”

Michael Spencer, PhD. - is Chief Economist for a large international bank and has been following Asian economies for nearly thirty years, still trying to learn enough to make proper sense of it all. For 22 years, he has been a member of the St John’s parish family trying to make himself useful along the way. This talk will try to connect those two worlds.

Entry ticket at \$60 each, soup and sandwiches will be supplied from 12.45pm onward. Tickets are available at the Cathedral Bookstore. Booking can also be made by emailing to : reception@stjohnscathedral.org.hk or call the Cathedral office at 2523 4157

HARVEST THANKSGIVING Sunday 13th October



9.00am WORSHIP FOR ALL with Offering of Harvest Gifts

*Please bring non-perishable food items
which will be delivered to
local food banks.*

RADIO MINISTRY on RTHK4 FM97

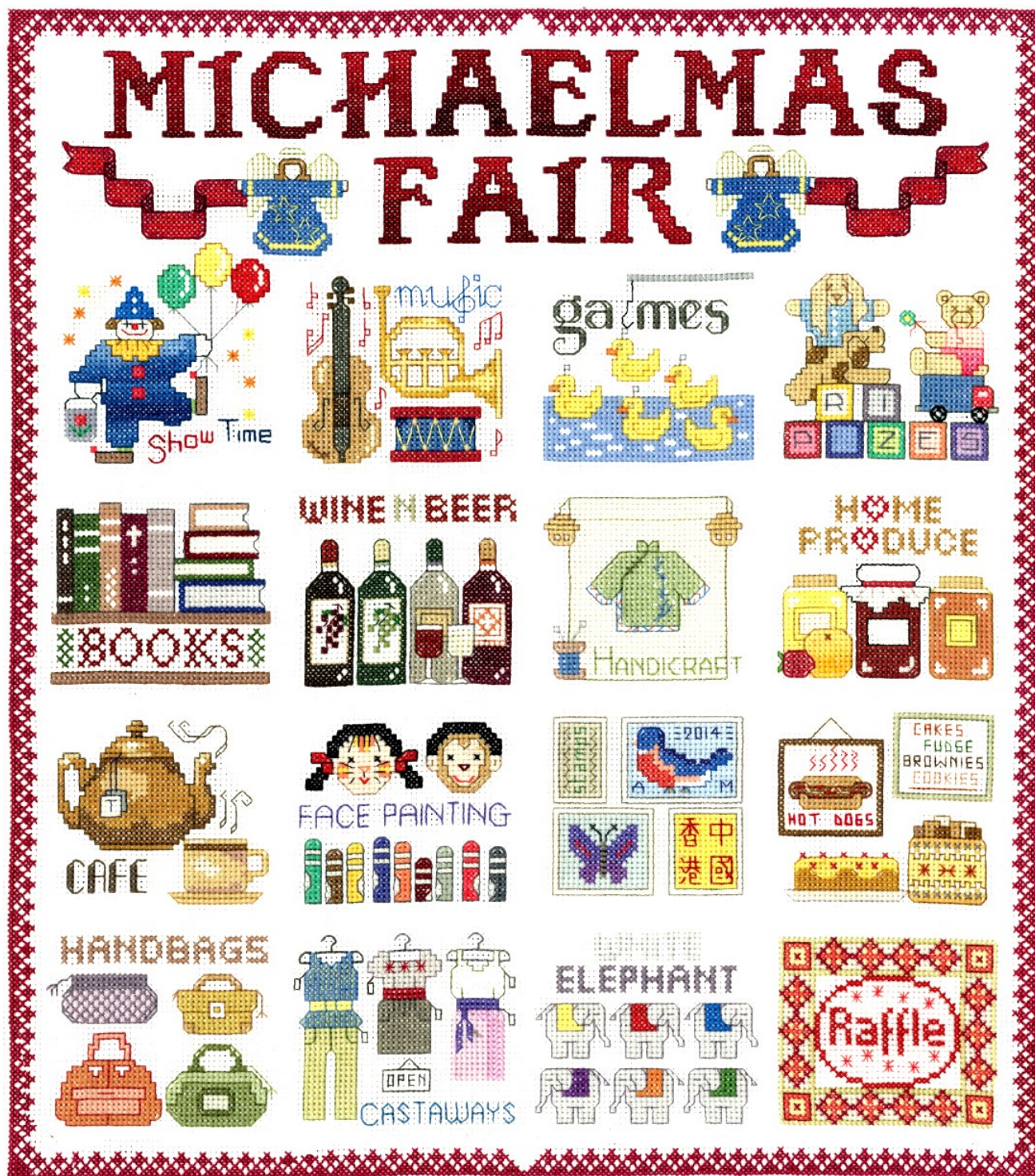
The Revd Franklin Lee will be speaking on ‘Reflections’ at 10.56pm every night from Monday to Friday, 30th September to 4th October.

MICHAELMAS FAIR Pre-Sale of the Year returns!

Sunday 13th October
10.30am to 1.00pm
Li Hall

New and lovingly-used items
at unbelievable prices.
Branded handbags, clothing,
accessories, sports equipment,
household equipment,
etc etc

Be sure to drop in!!



Artwork by A.M.

聖約翰座堂賣物會

Date: 26 October 2019 (Sat)

Time: 10 am - 4 pm

Venue: St John's Cathedral

日期: 2019年10月26日 (六)

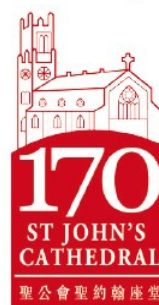
時間: 上午十時 - 下午四時

地點: 聖公會聖約翰座堂

Free Admission 免費入場 All are welcome 歡迎參加

4-8 Garden Road, Central 中環花園道4至8號 Tel / 電話: 2523 4157

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for details:



Faith in the City
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Faith Begins

The Christian Faith explored, discussed and enjoyed!



'Faith Begins' is the course for adult baptism and confirmation at St John's. The next 'Faith Begins' starts in February. If you wish to join the course, you should have been a regular attender at services at St John's Cathedral for at least 3 months before the course begins, so from early November 2019 -February 2020.

THE BIBLE IN 5 EASY STAGES

with Will Newman. An exciting journey from Creation to the End of Time!

Wednesday evenings 7.30-9.00pm in the Harold Smyth Room.

Register with Elisa
deanssec@stjohnscathedral.org.hk
 or call 2523 4157.

16th Oct
 Creation to the Promised Land

23rd Oct
 The Kingdom of Israel:
 Triumph to Disaster!

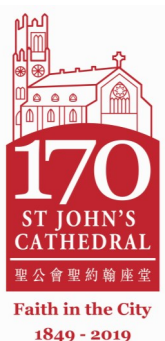
30th Oct
 The Beginning of Wisdom:
 Exile and the Prophets

6th Nov
 Jesus

13th Nov
 The Church and the End of Time

Celebration of the 170th Anniversary of the Cathedral Church of St John the Evangelist

*on The Feast of Christ the King
 Sunday 24th November 2019*



*A Thanksgiving Eucharist at 5.00pm
 at St John's Cathedral*

*followed by
 an Anniversary Gala Dinner at 7.30pm
 at the Metropol Restaurant*

Tickets at \$300 are available at the Cathedral office.
 You can also call 2523 4157.

All are welcome! Bring your family and friends along.

ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Spiritual Dance Course (Phase 1) in the Li Hall

Dates: Total of 4 classes

21st November (Thu), 28th November (Thu), 6th December (Fri) & 13th December (Fri)

Time: 7.30-9.00pm

Hymns:

1. Silent Night 2. Joy to the world 3. O Come, All ye faithful

Coach: Miss Angel Chan

Fee: HK\$400 per person

Application: First come first serve with limited number

After the completion of the course, this Spiritual Dance will be performed during the Christmas Visit to the Elderly Home organised by the Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui Women's League. Please Join in. Those interested in learning but are unavailable for the Elderly Visit are also welcome.

Enquiry: SJC-Women's League (Chinese Speaking) Ms Caren Chan at 9197 8894

Praise Dance Regular Practice in the Harold Smyth Room

Led by Ms Susan Tam is held in the Harold Smyth Room every Saturday (except Public Holidays) at 2.00-4.00pm.

Enquiry: SJC-Women's League (Chinese Speaking) Ms Caren Chan at 9197 8894

MICHAELMAS FAIR APPEAL

Donations for the following stalls would be most welcome:

Games Stalls—Wine Bar—White Elephant Stall—Stamps

Second-hand Bookstall

Donations of books will not only help support the Cathedral but the promotion of reading and book sharing. We aim to pass on the joy of reading by asking you to donate beloved second-hand books so they can continue to enrich and bring wonder to others. New books are also greatly welcomed. All proceeds go towards the maintenance of St John's Cathedral.

Please bring your donations to the Cathedral office during office hours and clearly mark for the Michaelmas Fair. For enquiries, please call 2523 4157.

1 lb Jam Jars and Coffee Jars NEEDED

Please bring your used, washed jars to the Cathedral office and clearly mark for Mrs June Li.

ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL MINISTRY TEAM

Dean: The Very Revd Matthias Der

Clergy Ministry Co-ordinators:

Community Building — The Revd Franklin Lee

Christian Education — The Revd Will Newman
(Priest-In-Charge of St Stephen's Chapel, Stanley)

Outreach Ministry — The Revd Mark Rogers
(Priest-In-Charge of Discovery Bay Church)

Liturgy and Spirituality — The Revd Robert Martin
(Priest-In-Charge of Emmanuel Church, Pokfulam)

Filipino Ministry —
The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre
The Revd Sharon Langbis

Chinese Ministry —
The Revd Canon Peter Koon
The Revd Wu Wai Ho

Honorary Chaplain:

The Revd Jenny Wong Nam

Executive Administrator:

Mrs Viola Ip

Serving the wider community:

SJC Counselling Service
HELP for Domestic Workers
Mission for Migrant Workers
SJC Life Enrichment Centre
Cathedral Bookstore
CLARES/Castaways
Prison Ministry



Information about St John's Cathedral and its ministries can be found on the notice boards and on the website: www.stjohnscathedral.org.hk.

Clergy are here to listen and help. Please feel free to speak to one of them after the services, or make contact during the week: St John's Cathedral, 4-8 Garden Road, Central Tel: 2523 4157

Welcome to St John's Cathedral!

Please complete this form and hand it to one of the Clergy, a Sidesman or the Welcome Table.

Surname:

First Name:

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:

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