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.'

### 3rd November 2019 All Saints' Sunday

#### **8.00am Said Eucharist** (See separate order of service) Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis Reader: Anthony Height

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

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Celebrant:	The Revd Jenny Wong Nam
Preacher:	The Revd Sharon Langbis
Deacon:	The Revd Wu Wai Ho
<b>Communion Setting:</b>	St John's Mass (Ernest Hui)
Hymns:	197 (vv.1-4), 225i, 231, 197 (vv.5-8)
Anthem:	Justorum animae (Charles Villiers Stanford)
Voluntary:	Toccata Op. 1 (Jon Kristian Fjellestad)
Readers/Intercessor:	Doris Lye, Gordon Jones/Tom Bispham

### 10.30am Sung Eucharist (in Mandarin)

Celebrant:The Revd Canon Peter KoonPreacher:The Revd Wu Wai Ho

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

Celebrant: Preacher: Reader/Intercessor: The Revd Jenny Wong Nam The Revd Sharon Langbis Saki Tsoi/Kevin She

### 1.15pm Sung Eucharist (in Filipino)

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre

#### 3.30pm Choral Evensong (See insert)

Officiant: Preacher: Reader: The Revd Wu Wai Ho The Revd Franklin Lee Trevor Fitzsimmons

Welcome to all who worship here today. Visiting communicants, of whatever Christian tradition, are invited to receive communion here. Glutenfree 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 3rd November	12.00noon	Chinese Congregation Fellowship		
MON 4th	8.00am <i>12.30pm</i> 1.00pm	Said Eucharist <i>Meditation Group</i> One o'clock Prayer		
TUE 5th	8.00am 1.00pm <i>1.00pm</i> 7.00pm	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer Christians in Central Tuesday Luncheon Bible Reading Fellowship (English)		
WED 6th	8.00am 1.00pm 1.15pm 2.30pm 6.00pm	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer <i>NO Lunchtime Recital (Artists cancellation)</i> <i>Bible Reading Prayer Fellowship (Chinese)</i> Said Eucharist		
THU 7th	8.30am 1.00pm 1.15pm 2.30pm	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer Said Eucharist <i>Parents and Toddlers</i>		
FRI 8th	8.00am 1.00pm <i>3.00pm</i>	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer <i>Friday Fellowship Group</i>		
SAT 9th	8.30am 12.00noon 6.00pm	Said Eucharist Said Eucharist (Filipino) Sung Eucharist (Cantonese) (Anticipated Sunday Service)		
SUN 10th The Third Sunday before Advent (Remembrance Sunday)				
Job 19.23-27a Psalm 17.1-9 2 Thess. 2.1-5, 13-end Luke 20.27-38	8.00am 9.00am	Said Eucharist Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Franklin Lee Worship for All Celebrant: The Dean Preacher: The Revd Franklin Lee		
	10.30am	Sung Eucharist (Mandarin) Celebrant: The Revd Wu Wai Ho Preacher: The Dean		
	11.45am	Choral Mattins Officiant: The Dean Preacher: The Revd Jenny Wong Nam		
	1.15pm	Sung Eucharist (Filipino) Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis		
	3.30pm	Remembrance Service Officiant: The Revd Robert Martin Preacher: The Revd Mark Rogers		

### ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL CHARITY CHRISTMASCARD & HANDICRAFT FAIR

on 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> November from 10.00am—4.00pm in the Li Hall



### **COLLECT AND READINGS**

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

Daniel 7.1-3, 15-18 Psalm 149 Ephesians 1.11-end Luke 6.20-31

### COLLECT

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that we may come to those inexpressible joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; 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 Church of Bermuda and the Rt Revd Nicholas Dill, Bishop of Bermuda.

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 All Saints' Cathedral; for their development of various nurture ministries; strengthen faith and edify spiritual fellowship among the congregation that they can serve the Lord as faithful and wise stewards; for the development of the Sunday school and youth ministries, leading young people to understand the truth of God and walk in the love of Jesus Christ; for the members of the Catechism Class, filling them with joyful hearts and bear the witness of our Lord Jesus Christ to serve God and love people; for the outreach ministries of the Cathedral, including Celestial Concert, Give and Get Exchange Market and Community Pot Dishes Feast, that they can establish relationship with their neighbours, express love and caring in the name of Christ; for the teachers, staff and students of All Saints' Middle School and Kei Wing Primary School, strengthening them with love and patience in nurturing their students.

#### 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 Council members, Cathedral Staff, Cathedral Servers, Cathedral Staff, Cathedral Servers, Cathedral Sidesmen, Poverty Alleviation Group, our Prison Ministry, Music Ministry, and Lunchtime Recitals.

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

### PRAYER REQUESTS

*Please pray for those who are sick:* Kong Siu-Ming, Benjamin Ng, Elaine Cogan, Anthony Chan, Geoff Walsh, Nie Shi Fa, Shirley Nie, Margaret Pini, Marianne Felch, John McIntosh, May Cheng, Toung Ming, Catherine Chan, Jennifer D. Ambatcan, Eunice Chan, Annie Kwan, Roger Bebbington, Daisy Tai, Irene Lo Oi Lin, Jesher Yau, Mike Chan, Timothy Moreno, Chen Kuk Tye, Christina Chan, Andrew Wong, John David, Chong Yuk Lau, Kathryn Lewis, Meena Tsui, Raymond Yuen, Ron Fast, Monica Cornelius, Tai Yu Hei, Richard Jones, Carrie McKinnon, Caroline Yu, Donna Gail Willis, Kathryn McCallen, Susan Westlake and Leslie Henderson.

*Please pray for the recently departed:* Warren Poots

The funeral of Warren Poots will be held at St John's Cathedral on Monday 4th November 2019 at 12.00noon.

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**.

### CLERGY

The Revd Franklin Lee is preaching at HKSKH Kei Oi Church today.



#### ELECTION OF BISHOP CO-ADJUTOR

Archbishop Paul Kwong has announced his retirement effective 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2021. The Diocese of Hong Kong Island has called an extraordinary synod which will be held on 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> November, 2019 to elect the Bishop Co-adjutor (Bishop with succession right) for the diocese.

The Nomination Committee has nominated three candidates (listed in alphabetical order):

The Very Revd Matthias Der The Very Revd Samson Fan The Revd Canon Peter Douglas Koon

According to the Constitution and Canons, any parish or 5 synod delegates of the diocese can nominate further candidates before 4<sup>th</sup> November.

Please pray for the church at this time and for the election process.

### 'Seasons of Joy' Charity Concert 2019

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November at St John's Cathedral

Refreshments at 6.00pm Music from 7.00pm-8.30pm

\$380 Adult \$190 Children aged 5-12, Full time students and Elderly aged over 65

Enquiry: Tel 2523 0531 Email elijahfung@stjohnlec.com

Presented by: St John's Cathedral Life Enrichment Centre 聖約翰座堂生命啟進中心

#### **CHRISTIANS IN CENTRAL TUESDAY LUNCHEON** 5<sup>th</sup> November at 1.00pm in the Li Hall

Speaker:

Dr Henry Sze Specialist in Clinical Oncology, MBBS(HK), FRCR(UK), FHKCR, FHKCM, PDip Epidemiology & Biostatistics(CUHK)

Topic:

### 'Prostate Cancer: All you need to know'

Soup and sandwich lunch will be provided from 12.45pm. Tickets at \$60 each can be reserved by Tel.: 2523 4157 or by email to : reception@stjohnscathedral.org.hk

### HKSKH Welfare Council CHARITY RAFFLE CAMPAIGN

HKSKH Welfare Council is the social welfare arm of HKSKH. It offers a wide range of services including children and youth, elderly, family and integrated service, rehabilitation, counselling, medical, training and consultancy services, short-term food assistance and social enterprises. More than 300,000 people in Hong Kong benefit from the services that the Council provides.

Each raffle ticket booklet contains 10 tickets at HK\$20 each. All proceeds from the Charity Raffle Campaign will go to support the Welfare Council's services.

Visit the HKSKH Welfare Council fundraising counter and join them to transform lives!

Please support our church's social ministry!

### **CHANGE OF SERVICE TIMES**

Due to the current situation in Hong Kong, and for the safety of all, the following temporary worship schedule for Sunday at St John's Cathedral has been introduced and will continue in the month of November. Sorry for the inconvenience caused.

8.00am	Said Eucharist
9.00am	Sung Eucharist
10.30am	Eucharist in Mandarin
11.45am	Responsorial Eucharist/ Choral Mattins
1.15pm	Eucharist in Filipino
3.30pm	Afternoon Service (service format according to rota)
5.00pm	Cathedral closes

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### Celebration of the 170<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Cathedral Church of St John the Evangelist

### on The Feast of Christ the King Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2019

A Thanksgiving Eucharist at **4.00pm** at St John's Cathedral

followed by a Tea Reception at **5.30pm** in the Cathedral garden.



### CHANGE

The time of the Thanksgiving Eucharist is changed to 4.00pm. The Gala Dinner is changed to Tea Reception at 5.30pm due to the recent situation in Hong Kong. For those who have bought tickets for the Gala Dinner, please contact the Cathedral office for refunds.

Email: reception@stjohnscathedral.org.hk/Tel. 2523 4157/Whatsapp: 9506 2311

### A PRAYER FOR HONG KONG

O Saviour Christ, in whose love lies the secret of all life and the hope of all people, we pray for quiet courage to match this hour. We did not choose to be born or live in such an age; but let its problems challenge us, its discoveries exhilarate us, its injustices anger us, its possibilities inspire us and its vigour renew us, for your Kingdom's sake. Amen.

## THE BIBLE IN 5 EASY STAGES with the Revd Will Newman.

An exciting journey from Creation to the End of Time!

Wednesday evenings 7.30-9.00pm in the Conference Room.

Register with Elisa <u>deanssec@stjohnscathedral.org.hk</u> or call 2523 4157.

*16<sup>th</sup> Oct* Creation to the Promised Land

*23<sup>rd</sup> Oct* The Kingdom of Israel: Triumph to Disaster!

*30<sup>th</sup> Oct* The Beginning of Wisdom: Exile and the Prophets

6<sup>th</sup> Nov Jesus

*13<sup>th</sup> Nov* The Church and the End of Time

Poverty Alleviation Programme

## **Refugee Lunch**

### Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> November 12.00noon - 2.00pm

In partnership with Christian Action's Refugee Centre, Chung King Mansions, TST

Volunteers are needed to prepare and serve lunch to 20 - 30 refugees at the Centre.

To register or for more information please contact Father Mark <u>rogers@stjohnscathedral.org.hk</u>

### **'FAITH BEGINS'**

'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.

### NARCISSUS WORKSHOP



St John's Cathedral Women's League (Chinese-speaking) invites brothers and sisters of the cathedral community to join us for a Narcissus bulb planting workshop. Participants will learn how to prepare and plant narcissus bulbs ready to bloom for the Chinese New Year. Part of the bulbs will be set aside for charity sales at St John's. All proceeds will go to support the work of the cathedral. Please come and join us! All are welcome.

### Date:

 $\begin{array}{l} 21^{st} \& \ 28^{th} \ December \ 2019 \\ 4^{th} \& \ 11^{th} \ January \ 2020 \end{array}$ 

Time: 2.00pm - 4.00pm

Venue: Harold Smyth Room

Fee: \$200 for one person

**Deadline for enrolment:** 15<sup>th</sup> November 2019

Enquiry: Ms Caren Chan Tel: 9197 8894

#### RADIO MINISTRY ON RTHK4 FM97

The Revd Franklin Lee will be speaking on

- 'Minutes that Matter' at 9.50am every Tuesday morning in November.
- 'Reflections' at 10.56pm every night from Monday to Friday, 11<sup>th</sup>—15<sup>th</sup> November.



THURSDAY NOVEMBER 14, 2019 19:30 - 22:30 THE ANNEX NAN FUNG PLACE 2F-6, 173 DES VOEUX ROAD

You can expect a memorable evening that includes delicious canapes, free flow drinks and insights from Senior Reporter Jennifer Creery and Human Rights Lawyer Patricia Ho. You will also have the opportunity to enjoy the beautiful photography of Leeh Ann Hidalgo along with her own story of life as a Domestic Worker.

All this as well as a lucky dip, silent auction and exciting news from HELP for Domestic Workers. Early Bird tickets are on sale until the end of the month. Buy your tickets now by clicking the QR code.



Meet the First Bishop The Rt Revd George Smith and hear about his Journeys with a Mission!

You are invited to

### AN ILLUSTRATED TALK AND READING WITH BOOK-SIGNING BY GILLIAN BICKLEY

on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> November in the Li Hall

Dr Gillian Bickley will give a personal view of the pioneering first bishop and his wife he "a tall, thin pale-looking man" and she "most amiable," "a perfect lady".

Reception begins at 6.30pm Lecture starts at 7.00pm

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Book sales at the SJC Bookstore before 6pm and at the Li Hall after 6pm

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FOR INFORMATION & BOOKING, PLEASE EMAIL: membership @royalasiaticsociety.org.hk

#### 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:

□ I do not agree to receive any promotional materials from St John's Cathedral.

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