



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'*

12TH AUGUST 2018

THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.00am Said Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Robert Martin
Reader: Anthony Height

9.00am Worship for All *(See insert)*

Celebrant: The Revd Dwight dela Torre
Preacher: The Revd Robert Martin
Deacon: The Revd Wu Wai Ho
Communion Setting: 'Worship for All' Setting
Anthem: Chios Ama mi ay namarsua (Daniel Carino)
sung by the Filipino Fellowship Choir
Readers/Intercessor: Worship team—the newly baptized

10.30am Sung Eucharist (in Mandarin)

Celebrant: The Revd Canon Peter Koon
Preacher: The Revd Wu Wai Ho

11.45am Choral Mattins *(Guest Choir: Die Konzertisten) (See insert)*

Officiant: The Revd Robert Martin
Preacher: The Revd Canon Peter Koon
Reader: Kevin She

2.00pm Sung Eucharist (in Filipino)

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Dwight dela Torre

6.00pm Healing Eucharist

Celebrant: The Revd Dwight dela Torre
Preacher: The Revd Robert Martin
Hymns: **I come with joy, a child of God (Page 4),
Make me a channel of your peace (Page 4),
271, 461**
Reader: Saki Tsoi

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 12th August	12.00noon	<i>Chinese Congregation Fellowship</i>
MON 13th	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	12.30pm	<i>Meditation Group</i>
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
TUE 14th	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	7.00pm	<i>Bible Reading Fellowship (NO meetings in August)</i>
WED 15th Blessed Virgin Mary	8.00am	Said Eucharist (English)
	9.30am	<i>CLARES</i>
	12.00noon	Said Eucharist (Cantonese)
	1.15pm	<i>Lunchtime Recital—Songs and Dances for the Piano</i>
	2.30pm	<i>Bible Reading Prayer Fellowship (Chinese)</i>
	7.30pm	Sung Eucharist (<i>Guest Choir: Die Konzertisten</i>)
THU 16th	8.30am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	1.15pm	Said Eucharist
	2.30pm	<i>Parents and Toddlers meeting</i>
FRI 17th	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	3.00pm	<i>Friday Fellowship Group (NO meetings in August)</i>
SAT 18th	8.30am	Said Eucharist
	12.00pm	Said Eucharist (Filipino)
	6.00pm	Sung Eucharist (Cantonese) (Anticipated Sunday Service)
SUN 19th August <i>Proverbs 9.1-6</i> <i>Psalms 34.9-14</i> <i>Ephesians 5.15-20</i> <i>John 6.51-58</i>	The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity	
	8.00am	Said Eucharist Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Desmond Cox
	9.00am	Sung Eucharist Celebrant: The Revd Canon Peter Koon Preacher: The Revd Desmond Cox
	10.30am	Sung Eucharist Celebrant: The Revd Canon Peter Koon Preacher: The Revd Wu Wai Ho
	11.45am	Responsorial Eucharist—CW Celebrant: The Revd Catherine Graham Preacher: The Revd Desmond Cox
	2.00pm	Sung Eucharist (Filipino) Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Dwight dela Torre
	6.00pm	Choral Evensong Officiant: The Revd Mark Rogers Preacher: The Revd Will Newman



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

O God, you declare your almighty power most chiefly in showing mercy and pity: mercifully grant to us such a measure of your grace, that we, running the way of your commandments, may receive your gracious promises, and be made partakers of your heavenly treasure, 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 forever. **Amen.**

**FIRST READING (8am & 6pm)
Ephesians 4.25-5.2**

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Ephesians.

Putting away falsehood, let all of us speak the truth to our neighbours, for we are members of one another. Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, and do not make room for the devil. Thieves must give up stealing; rather let them labour and work honestly with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day of redemption. Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice, and be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you. Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL READING

John 6.35, 41-51

Hear the Gospel of our Lord
Jesus Christ according to John.

All Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus said to the crowd, 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

Then the Jews began to complain about him because he said, 'I am the bread that came down from heaven.' They were saying, 'Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, "I have come down from heaven"?' Jesus answered them, 'Do not complain among yourselves. No one can come to me unless drawn by the Father who sent me; and I will raise that person up on the last day. It is written in the prophets, "And they shall all be taught by God." Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me. Not that anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. Very truly, I tell you, whoever believes has eternal life. I am the bread of life. Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Lord of all mercy, we your faithful people have celebrated that one true sacrifice which takes away our sins and brings pardon and peace; by our communion keep us firm on the foundation of the gospel and preserve us from all sin; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

INTROIT HYMN (6pm)

1. I come with joy, a child of God,
Forgiven, loved and free,
The life of Jesus to recall,
In love laid down for me.
2. I come with Christians far and near
To find, as all are fed,
The new community of love
In Christ's communion bread.
3. As Christ breaks bread, and bids us
share, each proud divisions ends.
The love that made us, makes us one,
And strangers now are friends.
4. The Spirit of the risen Christ,
Unseen, but ever near,
Is in such friendship better known,
Alive among us here.
5. Together met, together bound
By all that God has done,
We'll go with joy, to give the world
The love that makes us one.

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GRADUAL HYMN (6pm)

1. Make me a channel of your peace.
Where there is hatred let me bring your love.
Where there is injury, your pardon, Lord
And where there's doubt, true faith in you.

Refrain:

*Oh Master, grant that I may never seek
So much to be consoled as to console
To be understood as to understand
To be loved, as to love with all my soul.*

2. Make me a channel of your peace
Where there's despair in life, let me bring
hope
Where there is darkness, let me bring your
light
And where there's sadness, ever joy. *Refrain*

3. Make me a channel of your peace
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned
In giving to all men that we receive
And in dying that we're born to eternal life.

*Tune: ST FRANCIS Sebastian Temple
Words: from the traditional prayer
by Sebastian Temple
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FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

In the worldwide Anglican Communion we pray for Church of the Province of South East Asia and The Most Revd Ng Moon Hing, Archbishop of South East Asia & Bishop of West Malaysia.

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 Revd Ip Kam Fai, the Revd Edith Sin and the Revd Walter Lau of HKSKH St Stephen's Church; For the evangelical activities in all SKH kindergartens, primary and secondary schools of the parish; For the social caring ministry; For the parent ministry and group leaders training; For Vineyard, the mission and service programmes of the Deanery of Southern and Western Districts in Aberdeen.

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 Staff, our Music Ministry, and SJC Lunchtime Recitals.

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:
Simon Li, Pat Flavin, Kong Siu-Ming, Caroline Yu, Nancy Wong, May Cheng, Toung Ming, Charlotte Qwek, Jessica Assem, Selina Ho, Susan Westlake, Al Carther, Henry Wu Mou Wai, Monica Cornelius, Mike Chan, Chen Kuk Tye, Bp Kenneth Mason, Irene Lo Oi Lin, Nie Shi Fa, Raymond Yuen, Marianne

NOTICES

Felch, Lau Yim Fong, Steven Hui Pei Hang, Donna Gail Willis, Lok Yee Jeli, Teo Kim Puah, Elaine Cogan, Margaret Pini, Feng Xiao, Kathryn McCallen, Rainer S Rommel, Gardy Raymundo, Albert Quimpo, Betty Young, Kathryn Lewis, Robert & Doris Sandie, Baby Colton, Chong Yuk Lau, Victor Chan, Christian Limon Gamen, Anthony Chan, Geoff & Karrie Walsh, Brenda & Gerald Bishop, Tony & Edita Bishop, Carrie McKinnon, Caius Schwartz, Chris & David Hayter, Mark & Helen Bishop.

Please pray for the recently departed:
Cheung King Wai

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**.



RADIO MINISTRY on RTHK3 AM567

The Revd Mark Rogers will be speaking on 'Thought of the Week' at 8.25am on Sunday 12th August 2018.

Wednesday 15th August 2018 THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



*And blessed is the fruit
of your womb*

7.30pm SUNG EUCHARIST with Die Konzertisten

*Celebrant: The Revd Robert Martin
Preacher: The Revd Dwight dela Torre*

CLERGY

This morning, Fr Desmond Cox is leading the worship at Emmanuel Church, Pokfulam.

The Dean is away on his annual leave from August 10th to 26th. Please pray for safe travels and refreshment for him.

RESIDENT GUEST CHOIR IN AUGUST

During the month of August, while St John's Cathedral Choir are in summer recess, all choral services will be sung by our resident guest choir, Die Konzertisten, under the direction of our Director of Music, Felix Yeung.

Mrs Lily Pong Scholarship for Church Organists Annual Concert 2018

Sponsored by St Paul's Church and the family of the late Mrs Lily Pong since 2014, the scholarship aims at providing subsidy to existing and potential church organists in HKSKH to be better equipped with organ playing techniques and church service playing skills. At this end of academic year, the scholarship recipients will be holding the annual concert in the summer. Details are as below:

Date: Saturday, 25th August
Time: 4.30pm
Venue: St Paul's Church,
Glenealy, Central

Free admission and free seating.

For more information, please contact Mr Felix Yeung, Provincial Music Director at (852) 2523 4157. Thank you for your attention.

MICHAELMAS FAIR
Saturday 27th October 2018

BOOKSTALL – DONATIONS

The time has come again to take a good look at your bookshelves. Please pull out those volumes you will not look at again and donate them to the **Michaelmas Fair Second Hand Bookstall**.

The Stall is a significant source of income to the Fair and its charities and its success depends on the books you donate. We also invite you to give us CDs and DVDs which you don't want any more. *We regret that we cannot take VCDs or magazines. They don't sell!*

Bring your donations to the Cathedral office (2523 4157) clearly marked for the Michaelmas Fair - Second hand Books. (Mon-Fri) 9.00am – 5.00pm; (Sat) 9.00am – 1.00pm



WANTED a willing volunteer to take over the stamp stall at the Michaelmas Fair

We are grateful to Jeff Dobbing who has run the stall for many years and feels it is time to retire from this ministry. He will conduct a proper handover once a successor has been found. Some philatelic experience would be an advantage.

Please contact Mrs Viola Ip at ip@stjohnscathedral.org.hk if interested.



1lb JAM JARS NEEDED

for the Michaelmas Fair 2018 Home Produce Stall. Please bring your used, washed jam jars to the Cathedral office, which you contact at 2523 4157 for additional information.

PARENTS & TODDLERS GROUP

We are so happy to welcome 30 families each week throughout the summer months to St John's Cathedral. It is terrific to offer a warm welcome to newly arrived families and help them settle into life into this vibrant city. We meet on Thursday 2.30-4.30pm and welcome families with 1 week—2 year olds. A big thank you to all the volunteers that make this possible.

ORGAN RECITAL AT ST STEPHEN'S CHAPEL STANLEY Saturday 18th August 6pm

Visiting Organist James Grimwood will take us on a musical journey through the Church Year from Advent to Ascension, with pieces by JS Bach contrasted with early English organ music.

Free admission, donations for St Stephen's Organ Maintenance Fund.

Come and enjoy good music on a beautiful instrument, with a glass of wine to follow.

Flavours of Myanmar

If you would like to learn more about the vibrancy, colour and colour of Myanmar and our Partnership with The Diocese of Toungoo, come to our fundraising evening at 7.30 – 9.30pm on Saturday 15th September

Tickets are \$300, available now from The Cathedral Office, 2523-4157

POVERTY ALLEVIATION

Refugee Lunch

**Monday 3rd September
12noon—2pm**

*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.

For more details and to register
please contact Fr Mark at
rogers@stjohnscathedral.org.hk

Seniors' Mid-Autumn Moon Festival Party

*In partnership with
HKSKH Welfare Council*

**Saturday 22nd September
3.00—5.00pm
St Luke's Settlement
Neighbourhood Centre,
Kennedy Town**

Volunteers are needed to help with
a mid-autumn festival party
for seniors from the Western District.

Preparation and Planning session:
Saturday 8th September
10.00am—11.00am
Harold Smyth Room.

For more details and to register
please contact Fr Mark at
rogers@stjohnscathedral.org.hk

MIND THE DOORS!

Please ensure that the outer doors to
the Li Hall remain closed at all times.
This is to facilitate the smooth running
of the air-conditioning units and to
prevent excessive condensation drip-
ping on the floor. Thank you for your
co-operation.

St John's Cathedral Counselling Service Director

St John's Cathedral Counselling Service,
a well-established, professional, multi-
disciplinary Christian-based counselling
provider, is seeking a visionary and dy-
namic Director to lead its organisation.

The organisation is part of the social
ministry of the Anglican Cathedral in
Hong Kong and is offered by a large
team of counsellors. St John's Cathedral
Counselling Service provides a wide
range of services in multiple languages.

Applicants should possess the following
qualifications:

- Have a strong sense of mission to
serve individuals and the community
in emotional and mental need.
- Be an experienced counsellor in Hong
Kong with accredited qualifications in
counselling, social work, psychology
or related fields.
- Have strong interpersonal and leader-
ship skills and be able to lead a large
team of some 50 full-time and part-
time counsellors.
- Have experience in managing an
organisation including all business
aspects and also recruiting staff and
supervising interns.
- Be able to devise and articulate a
sense of vision for the organisation.
- An understanding of Christian
ministry is essential.

*Application should be made to
dean@stjohnscathedral.org.hk
by 20th August, 2018.*

ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL MINISTRY TEAM

Dean: The Very Revd Matthias Der

Clergy Ministry Co-ordinators:

Fellowship & Community Building—
The Revd Desmond Cox (*Associate Chaplain*)
Nurturing & Spirituality— 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*)
Pastoral Care—The Revd Catherine Graham
Liturgy and Worship—The Revd Robert Martin
(*Priest-In-Charge of Emmanuel Church, Pokfulam*)
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:

Cathedral Bookstore
CLARES/Castaways
HELP for Domestic Workers
HIV Education Centre
Mission for Migrant Workers
Prison Ministry
SJC Counselling Centre

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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