

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.'*

# 2ND JUNE 2019 Outreach Sunday (The Seventh Sunday of Easter)

8.00am Said Eucharis	<b>t</b> (See separate order of service)
Celebrant:	The Revd Franklin Lee
Preacher:	Sharing by Outreach Ministries
Reader:	Faye Yee

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

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Celebrant:	The Revd Mark Rogers
Preacher:	Sharing by Outreach Ministries
Deacon:	The Dean
Communion Setting:	Festive Eucharist (Noel Rawsthorne)
Anthem:	God is gone up (Gerald Finzi)
Voluntary:	Ricercare on Llanfair (David Briggs)
Readers/Intercessor:	Doris Lye, Simon Fong/Kevin She

### 10.30am Sung Eucharist (in Mandarin)

Celebrant:	The Revd Canon Peter Koon
Preacher:	Sharing by Outreach Ministries

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

Celebrant:	The Revd Mark Rogers
Preacher:	Sharing by Outreach Ministries
Reader/Intercessor:	Saki Tsoi/Kevin She

### 2.00pm Sung Eucharist (in Filipino)

Celebrant: Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre Sharing by Outreach Ministries

### 6.00pm Choral Evensong (See insert)

Officiant: Preacher: Reader: The Revd Will Newman Sharing by Outreach Ministries William Cheng

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 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	12.00noon	Chinese Congregation Fellowship
MON 3 <sup>rd</sup>	8.00am <i>12.30pm</i> 1.00pm	Said Eucharist <i>Meditation Group</i> One o'clock Prayer
TUE 4 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am 12.30pm <i>7.00pm</i>	Said Eucharist Prayers for those who died in the 4 <sup>th</sup> June incident <i>Bible Reading Fellowship (English)</i>
WED 5 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am 1.00pm 1.15pm 2.30pm 6.00pm	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer Lunchtime Recital—Venue Chan's Flute Solo Recital Chinese Flute Songs Bible Reading Prayer Fellowship (Chinese) Said Eucharist
THU 6 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am 1.00pm 1.15pm 2.30pm	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer Said Eucharist <i>Parents and Toddlers meeting</i>
FRI 7 <sup>th</sup> (Public Holiday)	9.00am	Said Eucharist
SAT 8 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am 12.00noon 6.00pm	Said Eucharist Said Eucharist (Filipino) Sung Eucharist (Cantonese)(Anticipated Sunday Service)
SUN 9 <sup>th</sup> June Pe	ntecost	
Acts 2.1-21 Psalm 104.26-end	8.00am	Said Eucharist Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Franklin Lee
Romans 8.14-17 John 14.8-17	9.00am	Worship for All Celebrant: The Revd Catherine Graham Preacher: The Dean
	10.30am	Sung Eucharist (Mandarin) Celebrant: The Dean
	11.45am	Preacher: The Revd Wu Wai Ho Choral Mattins Officiant: The Dean
	2.00pm	Preacher: The Revd Catherine Graham Sung Eucharist (Filipino) Celebrant: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre
	<u>5.00pm</u>	Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis Sung Eucharist with the Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation Celebrant and Preacher: Archbishop Paul Kwong



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 AND READINGS**

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

Acts 16.16-34 Psalm 97 Revelation 22.12, 14, 16-17, 20-end John 17.20-end

### COLLECT

O God the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: we beseech you, leave us not comfortless, but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before, 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 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 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 St Mark's Church, Macau and the Revd Bartholomew Ma; for those attending Sunday's Alpha Parenting Programme and the new comers and servers of 'Alpha Nights'; for the continuing growth of the newly baptized parishioners; for those youth who study abroad.

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

Within the Cathedral Parish we pray for the Cathedral church and its various congregations, for the Dean and chaplains; for our daughter churches: Discovery Bay Church, St Stephen's Chapel, Stanley and Emmanuel Church, Pokfulam; and their Priests in Charge. We also remember Bible Reading Fellowship, Chinese Bible Reading Prayer Fellowship, Andrew Fellowship, Friday Fellowship Group, Filipino Fellowship, and the IFI Fellowship.

### PRAYER REQUESTS

#### Please pray for those who are sick:

Fr Jack Sullivan, Daisy Tai, Ron Fast, Nie Xiao Lian, Nie Shi Fa, Shane Teo, Roy Teo, Phyllis Schmitz, Josie Wenko, Toung Ming, May Cheng, Tsang Kwong, Mary Lou Davis, Fung Shing, Eunice Chan, Kam Tong, Margaret Pini, Meena Tsui, Stephanie Burgess, Phillip Nicholl, Monica Cornelius, Irene Lo Oi Lin, Sui Sung, Kathryn Lewis, Mike Chan, Feng Xiao, Jesher Yau, John David, Anthony Chan, Richard Jones, Marianne Felch, Kathryn McCallen, Grace Chan, Susan Westlake, Christina Chan, Chen Kuk Tye, Chong Yuk Lau, Jessica Assem, Caroline Yu, Raymond Yuen, Kong Siu Ming, Elaine Cogan, Donna Gail Willis, Philip Chan, Leslie Henderson, Timothy Moreno, Chris & David Hayter, Carrie McKinnon, Brenda & Gerald Bishop, Geoff & Karrie Walsh.

*Please pray for the recently departed:* 

Adelaide Chan, Chan Chun Tai, Simon Li

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**.

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Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June, 12.30pm



Prayers will be said in the cathedral for China, and for those who died in Beijing on this day 30 years ago. The prayers will be led by the Revd Will Newman.

# CLERGY

This morning, the Revd Sharon Langbis is leading the worship at Discovery Bay Church.

### THE REVD CATHERINE GRAHAM

After serving at St John's Cathedral for the last 8 years, The Revd Catherine Graham has decided to pursue further education and will be taking a pause from fulltime chaplaincy, effective 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2019.

We give thanks to God for her tremendous contribution to the life of the church in her ministry as chaplain to several outreach ministries, the coordinator for pastoral care and her overall priestly functions. She will remain in Hong Kong and will assist in HKSKH and St John's ministry on occasional basis. We wish her many blessings as she embarks on a new beginning. Catherine, you will be sorely missed!

#### EVENING PRAYER IN TAIZÉ STYLE

Please note that the next Evening Prayer in Taizé Style takes place at 6.00pm on Trinity Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2019. Everyone is welcome to come for a time of prayer and reflection with the chanting of psalms.

# **CHORAL EVENSONG**

We celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi with the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 6.00pm on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2019. All are welcome.

# **FLOWERS**

The Cathedral Flower Guild thanks Ms Joanna Chu for her donation towards the cost of flowers in the cathedral. It is not only a support but also encouragement to the Guild.

# Outreach Sunday TODAY

Today we will focus on our cathedral outreach ministries.

At each service representatives from the five professional cathedral outreach organisations will make a brief presentation about their work. At the 9.00am service the outreach leaders will be commissioned for their ministry.

There will be booths in the garden promoting their activities.

The purpose of the days is:

- To give thanks to God for the thousands of people whose lives are changed for the better by our ministry.
- To learn about our outreach,
- To get more involved in our cathedral ministry.

Happy Tuen Ng Festival (Dragon Boat Festival 端午節) on 7<sup>th</sup> June.



Please note that the cathedral opens at 8.30am and closes at 4.00pm on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June. The Eucharist is at 9.00am.

# Poverty alleviation

Home Visit for Seniors in Need

In partnership with the HKSKH Welfare Council

Saturdays 8<sup>th</sup> June and 13<sup>th</sup> July 10.00am-12noon

Caring volunteers are needed to befriend needy seniors living in a elderly care facility on the Ying Tung Estate, Tung Chung.

# St Barnabas Society Centre, Western District

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June 4.00-6.00pm

Volunteers are needed to entertain seniors and the homeless and to assist in serving dinner.

To register and/or to acquire more information at either event please contact Fr Mark at rogers@stjohnscathedral.org.hk

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# Chill Corner – Guide to know your pets

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2019 2.30pm – 4.30pm

Venue: Li Hall

Guest Speaker: Dr. Tony James

(a veterinarian who has worked with all kinds of animals including horses, monkeys, dogs and cats and rats, mice, guinea pigs and rabbits over 40 years.)

> Enquiry: Ms. Elijah Fung Tel: 2523 0531 or email <u>elijahfung@stjohnlec.com</u>

# RADIO MINISTRY ON RTHK4 FM97.6

The Revd Will Newman will speak about the recent pilgrimage to Japan on 'Minutes that Matter' at 9.50am every Tuesday morning in June.

# Pentecost

9<sup>th</sup> June 2019

**5.00pm Sung Eucharist** with the Sacraments of Baptism & Confirmation



Celebrant and Preacher: The Most Reverend Dr Paul Kwong Primate and Archbishop of HKSKH and Bishop of Hong Kong Island

Please come to the service to support our candidates. Please keep them in your prayers.

# **Corpus Christi**

23<sup>rd</sup> June 2019 11.45am Sunday School Children's Baptism & First Communion

30 children from the Sunday School will be baptized on 23rd June and 12 children will be taking their First Communion.

# WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY



World Environment Day (WED) is celebrated on the 5<sup>th</sup> of June every year since 1974, and is the United Nation's principal vehicle for encouraging awareness and action for the protection of our environment. WED has grown to become a global platform for public outreach, with participation from over 143 countries annually. It also serves as the 'People's Day' for proactive conservation of the environment, galvanizing individual actions into a collective power that generates an exponential positive impact on the planet. Each year, WED has a particular theme and the theme for 2019 is "Air Pollution".

As part of the World, it is our Christian stewardship to reconcile with the earth. The HKSKH Task Force for the Ministry of Environmental Conservation invites all faithful members in parishes and mission churches to pray and take appropriate actions for the world environment. A Prayer for World Environment Day is attached for use.

# Prayer for World Environment Day

Heavenly Father, we thank you for giving us this beautiful land: we have sunshine, rain, and air to nourish the earth, sea and sky. For our greed, our excessive exploitation and consumption of resources, polluting the air you have given to us, we beg for your forgiveness. Give us hearts to cherish your creation, so that we can work together to protect the land. We also pray for all countries in the world that they may work together to formulate better environmental policies to improve our atmosphere so that we can again see the life-force provided to the world through the growth of nature, and in so doing find a closer relationship with you. In the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

#### CHRISTIANS IN CENTRAL on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2019 at 1.00pm in the Li Hall

'My calling to Ordination'

A journey of faith to ordained ministry'

Sharing will be presented by the two newly ordained clergy, The Revd Lorraine Tsoi and The Revd Walter Lau.

Soup and sandwich lunch will be served from 12.45pm. Tickets at \$60 each are available at the Cathedral Bookstore. Reservation can also be made by calling 2523 4157 or emailing to

reception @stjohnscathedral.org.hk

#### 'BLESSING HONG KONG' SERVICE on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June at 5.00pm



The 'Blessing Hong Kong' Service is part of the celebration of St John's Cathedral's 170<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

The service will be presided over by Archbishop Paul Kwong. There will be musical performances, a special tribute giving thanks to God for the achievement of Hong Kong, and prayers offered for the future development of the city. Archbishop Paul will lead us in offering a special blessing for the city of Hong Kong. A tea reception will follow in the Cathedral Garden after the service.

### HONG KONG CURSILLO #2 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> October 2019

Leaders: Evelyn Chan & Alison Harada Spiritual Advisers: Revd Will Newman & Revd Robert Martin

Are you a Christian, and open to an exciting challenge in your Christian life? Would you like to join a supportive Christian community, and find new ways to live out your faith?

Cursillo starts with a 3-day residential weekend on Cheung Chau on 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> October. Experience living in Christian community, with talks, discussion, music, colour, meditation, fun and more. It's a preparation for leading a more active Christian life, encouraged by ongoing regular small group meetings with others in the Cursillo community.

Speak to anyone who was on Hong Kong Cursillo #1 last year: Adam Mok, Alison Harada, Andrea Kan, Aron Yuen, Daniel Kong, Evelyn Chan, John Tanner, Kate Senior, Maddy Foo, Rita Chan, Rosanna Mak, Saki Tsoi, TK Cheung, Father Robert, and Will.

To join Cursillo you need a sponsor who has been on Cursillo, and a recommendation from your parish priest. This Cursillo will be conducted in English.

### Cursillo Introduction evenings

will be held in the Harold Smyth Room at <u>7.30pm on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> and</u> <u>Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June</u>. Welcome anyone who wants to know more. You can also email Will

### 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)

Pastoral Care and Hospitality — The Revd Catherine Graham

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

### **Outreach Ministries:**

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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