



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.'*

4TH APRIL 2021 EASTER DAY

8.00am Said Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Franklin Lee
Reader/Intercessor: Will Clay/Jeannie Chan

9.00am Sung Eucharist

Celebrant: The Revd Mark Rogers
Preacher: The Rt Revd Matthias Der
Deacons: The Revd Dwight dela Torre
The Revd Sharon Langbis
Communion Setting: Messe Solennelle (Louis Vierne)
Hymns: 110, 519, 117, 120
Voluntary: Répons pour le temps de Pâques (Jeanne Demessieux)
Readers/Intercessor: Martin Hills, Gordon Jones/Tom Bispham

10.30am Sung Eucharist (in Mandarin)

Celebrant: The Revd Amos Poon
Preacher: The Revd Canon Peter Koon

11.45am Responsorial Eucharist

Celebrant: The Revd Franklin Lee
Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis
Reader/Intercessor: Andrew Ashley/Saki Tsoi

1.30pm Sung Eucharist (in Filipino)

Celebrant: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre
Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis

5.00pm Festal Evensong

Officiant: The Revd Robert Martin
Preacher: The Revd Will Newman
Reader: Trevor Fitzsimmons

THIS WEEK AT ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

MON 5th April (Public Holiday)	9.00am	Said Eucharist
TUE 6th (Public Holiday)	9.00am	Said Eucharist
WED 7th	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	1.15pm	<i>Lunchtime Recital (suspended)</i>
	2.30pm	<i>Bible Reading Prayer Fellowship (Chinese) (ZOOM)</i>
	6.00pm	Said Eucharist
THU 8th	8.30am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	1.15pm	Said Eucharist
	2.30pm	<i>Parents and Toddlers (suspended)</i>
FRI 9th	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	3.00pm	<i>Friday Fellowship Group (ZOOM)</i>
SAT 10th	8.30am	Said Eucharist
	12.00noon	Said Eucharist (Filipino)
	6.00pm	Sung Eucharist (Cantonese) (Anticipated Sunday Service)
SUN 11th April <i>Acts 4.32-35</i> <i>1 John 1.1-2.2</i> <i>John 20.19-end</i>	The Second Sunday of Easter	
	8.00am	Said Eucharist Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Will Newman
	9.00am	Sung Eucharist Celebrant: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre Preacher: The Revd Will Newman
	10.30am	Sung Eucharist (Mandarin) Celebrant: The Revd Amos Poon Preacher: The Revd Canon Peter Koon
	11.45am	Choral Mattins Officiant: The Revd Will Newman Preacher: The Revd Dr Philip Wickeri
	1.30pm	Sung Eucharist (Filipino) Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre
	5.00pm	Healing Eucharist Celebrant: The Revd Mark Rogers Preacher: The Revd Robert Martin



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, READINGS AND POST COMMUNION PRAYER

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

Acts 10.34-43
Psalms 118.1-2, 14-24
1 Corinthians 15.1-11
John 20.1-18

COLLECT

Lord of all life and power, who through the mighty resurrection of your Son overcame the old order of sin and death to make all things new in him: grant that we, being dead to sin and alive to you in Jesus Christ, may reign with him in glory; to whom with you and the Holy Spirit be praise and honour, glory and might, now and in all eternity. **Amen.**

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

God of Life, who for our redemption gave your only-begotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection have delivered us from the power of our enemy: grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his risen life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

In the worldwide Anglican Communion we pray for the peace of Jerusalem.

Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui (Anglican Province of Hong Kong & Macau); for The Most Revd Andrew Chan, our archbishop and primate; and for all bishops, priests and deacons within our diocese and province.

We pray for The Church of Our Saviour, The Revd Tony Au-Yeung, for the Parish officers and for the volunteers; for their development plan and ministries; for the nurture and training of their Sunday school teachers and

youth fellowship leaders; for the works and ministries of the Anglican Tai Po Network, which liaised with the Anglican parties including the church, schools and social services units, to be the Light of God in the community of Tai Po district.

Within the Cathedral Parish we pray for the Cathedral church and its various congregations, for the Acting 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.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for those who are sick:

Averil Ashley, Kathy Leung, Lianne Ng, Judy Holding, Rebecca Crawford, Val Rice, Emily Moore, George Fong, Yee (Zoe) Szeto-Law, Audrey Bullock, Liew Kam Lin, Chi Kwong, Fung Chai, Nie Shi Fa, Shirley Nie, Priscilla Wong and her mother, Karen Szeto, Tia McPhee, The Revd Matthew Khu Thay, Michael Chang, Peter Lau, CJ Verdejo, Helen Chan Sui Lung, Luke Inkin, Kit Packet, Tai Yu Hei, Tai Choi Yeng, Lene Bille Hoegh, Therese Marie Gerarda Chan, Kathryn Lewis, Cath Dalton, Francesca Lorenzi, Gerald Chang, Margaret Pini, Yvonne Fong, Tiew Siew Lee, Christina Poon, Jeshu Yau, Irene Lo Oi Lin, John Charman, Toungh Ming, Bruce McPhee, Daisy Tai, Donna Gail Willis, Christina Chan, John Butcher, Anthony Chan, Raymond Yuen, Jake Pitts, Tsui Man Fong, Catherine Chan, Heather Little, John David, Leung Siu Tim, Richard Jones, Monica Cornelius, Chong Yuk Lau, John Banigan, Susan Westlake, Wong Lai King, Geoff Walsh, Evelina Mathias, Jane Cooper, Meena Tsui, Leslie Henderson, David Holme, and Elaine Cogan.

We also pray for those who are suffering from COVID-19.

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.**

LIGHT A CANDLE FOR OUR LINK DIOCESE OF TOUNGOO, MYANMAR

Our friends in the Diocese of Toungoo, Bishop Sheesho and retired Bishop John Wilme, ask for our prayers for the Church and people in Myanmar. As the situation gets worse, please come to the cathedral, pray for Myanmar using the prayer set beside the pulpit, and light a candle in the Michael Chapel to remember before God the people of Myanmar.

A Prayer for Myanmar

Almighty God, our loving Father, look with mercy on your people in Myanmar and especially on the victims of the violence, and our friends in the Diocese of Toungoo.

Comfort the dying and those who mourn, bring healing to those who are wounded and hurt, and courage to those who are in fear. Shed your light in the darkness of men's hearts, that all may see the common humanity in each other.

And may your Holy Spirit, the Spirit of wisdom, peace and justice, guide, inspire and strengthen Christians in Myanmar, and all people of goodwill. Bring good out of evil, and life out of death. Jesus Christ, who suffered and died for us, our Lord and Saviour. Amen.

AN EASTER PRAYER

Good and gracious God,
our most glorious Creator,
as we greet the signs in nature around us:
of Spring once again regaling us in bloom,
in the songs of returning birds and fields soon to be planted,
we give you praise for an even greater sign of new life:
the resurrection of your Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ,
that we especially celebrate at this time.
The sadness and despair of his death
has given way to the bright promise of immortality.
For the Resurrection is our guarantee
that light will overcome darkness,
and love will conquer death.
As we celebrate, we also dare to ask for your grace
that we may live the promise given to us,
by imitating the life of Jesus in reaching out to the poor,
the marginalized, the least among us,
as we strive to be neighbour to all those we meet,
we praise you in this Easter season.
Change our lives, change our hearts
to be messengers of Easter joy and hope.
We make our prayer through Jesus Christ,
our risen Lord forever. **Amen.**

Fr. Larry Snyder



LINKS TO ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL WEBCAST SERVICES

3rd April Easter Eve

8.00pm *Easter Vigil & First Eucharist of Easter*
<https://youtu.be/j62LSDJ4by0>

4th April Easter Day

9.00am *Sung Eucharist (English)*
<https://youtu.be/m3Ijc7E4DtY>

10.30am *Holy Eucharist (Mandarin)*
<https://youtu.be/mPu3XhKaULM>

1.30pm *Holy Eucharist (Filipino)*
https://youtu.be/_NWGliV5Ias



‘FAITH BEGINS’

Wednesday evenings from 5th May to July 2021

‘Faith Begins’ is a course for adult baptism and confirmation at St John's Cathedral. The course is for people who have been worshipping for at least three months in the cathedral parish.

The course is by Zoom, and explores the Christian faith in a relaxed atmosphere with a talk and informal discussion. ‘Faith Begins’ is rooted in the Anglican tradition which values the bible, tradition, and reason, and interprets them in the light of a modern understanding about life and the world we live in.

How do I enrol?

Just send your contact details to The Revd Amos Poon at amospoon@stjohnscathedral.org.hk

Registration deadline: 30th April 2021

MICHAELMAS FAIR 2021

Join us and support the Michaelmas Fair! Please mark your diary for:

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| • <i>Sun 16th May 2021</i> | Virtual Walkathon |
| • <i>Sat & Sun 24th -25th April 2021</i> | Home produce sales |
| • <i>Sun 10th Oct 2021</i> | Michaelmas Fair Pre-Sale |
| • <i>Sat 30th October 2021</i> | Michaelmas Fair Carnival |

We need you more than ever! Let's get together for more fun and meaningful



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NOTICE OF REVISION OF THE ELECTORAL ROLL

For over 170 years, St John's Cathedral has been offering the love and hope of Jesus Christ to the people of Hong Kong. Through your prayers, support, attendance and ministry, you are upholding this fine Christian tradition and are making our community a blessing for many. To be part of the Electoral Roll is another way you demonstrate your sense of belonging which allows you to participate actively in the affairs of our common life and ministry.

St John's Cathedral is once again revising its Electoral Roll. All qualified electors who wish their names to appear in the Electoral Roll must complete an 'Electoral Roll Declaration,' which is attached/available at the Cathedral Office. You are a qualified elector if you are (a) 18 years old and above; and (b) are baptized and a member of the Anglican Church or a Church in communion therewith; (c) do not belong to any religious body which is not in communion with the Anglican Church; and (d) are not entered upon the Electoral Roll of any other Church in the Diocese. If you wish to cast a vote at the forthcoming ACM, to be held on Sunday 25th April 2021, and are not yet on the Electoral Roll, you must complete and submit an Electoral Roll Declaration Form.

Completed forms must reach the Cathedral Office, by 7th April 2021 for inclusion in the Electoral Roll for the purpose of the Annual Church Meeting 2021. If you are unsure about your status on the Electoral Roll, please contact the Cathedral Office at 2523 4157.

Michael Spencer

Hon. Secretary

14th March 2021



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NOTICE OF THE ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Church Meeting of St John's Cathedral will be held at the cathedral church on Sunday the 25th April 2021, at 3.30 p.m. for the purposes following, namely -

- (a) receiving from the Church Council and considering-
 - (i) a copy or copies of the electoral roll;
 - (ii) an annual report on its proceedings;
 - (iii) a statement of the financial affairs of the church;
- (b) the election of the trustees of St John's Cathedral for the Church of England Trust;
- (c) the election of the Church Council;
- (d) the election of sidesmen;
- (e) the election of an auditor;
- (f) the transacting of any other business connected with the affairs of the church.

The Revd Mark Rogers

Acting Dean

14th March 2021

ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL MINISTRY TEAM

Acting Dean and Priest-In-Charge of Discovery Bay Church:

The Revd Mark Rogers

Clergy Ministry Co-ordinators:

Chinese Ministry —

The Revd Canon Peter Koon

The Revd Amos Poon

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

Community Building — The Revd Franklin Lee

Filipino Ministry —

The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre

The Revd Sharon Langbis

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

Mission and Ministry — The Revd Amos Poon

Outreach — The Revd Mark Rogers

Honorary Chaplain:

The Revd Dr Philip Wickeri

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/1.30pm/5.00pm 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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