



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.'*

8TH AUGUST 2021 THE TENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.00am Said Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Canon Peter Koon
Reader: Will Clay

9.00am Responsorial Eucharist—CW

Celebrant: The Dean
Preacher: The Revd Canon Peter Koon
Communion Setting: Mass of Christ the Saviour (Dan Schutte)
Hymns: 374, Break thou the bread of life (vv. 1, 4)
271, 481 (T. 462)
Voluntary: Fugue: Allegro moderato from Organ Sonata No. 2
in C minor, Op. 65 (Felix Mendelssohn)
Reader/Intercessor: Alexander Kwan/Andrew Ashley

10.30am Sung Eucharist (in Mandarin)

Celebrant: The Revd Amos Poon
Preacher: Mr Andy Ip

11.45am Choral Mattins

Officiant: The Dean
Preacher: The Revd Amos Poon
Reader: Gordon Jones

1.30pm Sung Eucharist (in Filipino)

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis

5.00pm Healing Eucharist

Celebrant: The Revd Robert Martin
Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre
Reader: Saki Tsoi

THIS WEEK AT ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

MON 9th August	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	12.30pm	Meditation Group
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
TUE 10th <i>St Laurence</i>	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	7.00pm	Bible Reading Fellowship (ZOOM/in person)
WED 11th <i>St Clare of Assisi</i>	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	2.30pm	Bible Reading Prayer Fellowship (Chinese) (ZOOM/in person)
	6.00pm	Said Eucharist
THU 12th	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	1.15pm	Said Eucharist
FRI 13th	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
SAT 14th	8.30am	Said Eucharist
	12.00noon	Said Eucharist (Filipino)
	6.00pm	Sung Eucharist (Cantonese)
		(Anticipated Sunday Service)
SUN 15th August <i>Galatians 4.4-7</i> <i>Luke 1.46-55</i>	Feast of The Blessed Virgin Mary	
	8.00am	Said Eucharist Celebrant and Preacher: The Dean
	9.00am	Sung Eucharist (RTHK Broadcast) Celebrant: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre Preacher: The Revd Amos Poon
	10.30am	Sung Eucharist (Mandarin) Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Amos Poon
	11.45am	Responsorial Eucharist—Provincial (Rite II) Celebrant: The Revd Amos Poon Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre
	1.30pm	Sung Eucharist (Filipino) Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre
	5.00pm	Choral Evensong Officiant: The Dean Preacher: The Revd Robert Martin

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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

Let your merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of your humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions make them to ask such things as shall please 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.**

FIRST READING

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

God of our pilgrimage, you have willed that the gate of mercy should stand open for those who trust in you: look upon us with your favour that we who follow the path of your will may never wander from the way of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

In the worldwide Anglican Communion we pray for the Church of South India (United).

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

We pray for the Church of the Good Shepherd, The Revd Augusta Leung, staff team and the vestry members; for receiving the vision and faith from the Lord, and building up the congregation all together; for the church building is getting old, may the Lord lead all engineering works and protect all users of the building; for the health in body, mind and spirit of the teachers, staff, students and parents of SKH Good Shepherd Kindergarten, SKH Good Shepherd Primary School and SKH Tsoi Kung Po Secondary School; for the new developing Chinese physican service for the community of HKSKH Lok Man Alice Kwok Integrated Service Centre.

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 in our prayers Christians in Central, InTouch Magazine, Cathedral Bookstore, Mission For Migrant Workers, HELP For Domestic Workers, SJC Life Enrichment Centre, and St John's Counselling Service.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for those who are sick:
Finlay Giles-Mulcahy, Elizabeth San San Htay, Elizabeth Eai Nin Phyu, Bishop John Wilme, Michael Johnston, Elizabeth Nickless and family, Val Rice,

John Baumann, Catherine Chan, Tiew Siew Lee, James Filmer Wilson, Kathy Nichols, Lo Yuk Wah, Peter Lau, John David, Nie Shi Fa, Shirley Nie, Tommy Hui, Christina Leong, Yee (Zoe) Szeto-Law, Alice Wright, Rebecca Crawford, Sanson Lau, Francesca Lorenzi, George Fong, Wanda Clay, Averil Ashley, Tia McPhee, Emily Moore, Kasper Buist, Raymond Yuen, Audrey Bullock, Lene Bille Hoegh, Michael Chang, Yvonne Fong, Helen Chan Sui Lung, Meena Tsui, Toungh Ming, Donna Gail Willis, Lianne Ng, Doris Hernandez, Wong Lai King, Therese Marie Gerarda Chan, Tsui Man Fong, John Charman, John Banigan, Geoff Walsh, Heather Little, Evelena Mathias, Leslie Henderson, Margaret Pini, Susan Westlake, John Butcher, Elaine Cogan, Christina Poon, Richard Jones and Monica Cornelius.

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

Please pray for the recently departed:

Susan Tendencia
Vivian Man
Wong Yiu Fai Sammy
Stephen Sidebotham, Priest

On Friday 20th August, there will be a live streamed Thanksgiving Service for Stephen Sidebotham at 1.30pm UK time (8.30pm HK time).

Link: <https://bit.ly/2TY5phe>

A memorial service will be held at St John's Cathedral on the following Saturday, 28th August at 3.00pm HK time (8.00am UK time).

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**.

REMARKS: Unless Elisa is contacted (deanssec@stjohnscathedral.org.hk) with advice to the contrary, names will be removed from the Prayer Request list after one month.

A PRAYER FOR ZHENGZHOU

Almighty God, Heavenly Father, You are the source of life and creator of all beings. Have mercy upon all the people in Zhengzhou and Henan Province, who are suffering from the severe flooding. Save the victims from all their danger, and heal all those who were injured from the sudden influx of water. We pray for those who died from the floods and the family members of the deceased. Lord, have mercy upon them. And Father, we also pray for all the team members who are diligently rescuing the victims. Give them strength and wisdom in doing the life-saving work. In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

A PRAYER FOR MYANMAR

Give peace in our time, O Lord.

Send your Spirit, O Lord, to the people of Myanmar, that no matter what their ethnic background, their religion, their job or their status, calm heads may prevail.

Grant wisdom and insight to all leaders that they may seek the common bond, that makes us all your children and sisters and brothers to one another.

We pray especially for Archbishop Stephen and the bishops and priests of the Church of the Province of Myanmar, as they guide the people you have given them. May your Church be a blessing to the people of Myanmar.

All this we ask in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ, the Prince of Peace, who bids us not to be afraid, and who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. Amen.

Anglican Board of Mission - Australia

A PRAYER FOR THE OLYMPICS

Eternal God,
Giver of joy and source of all strength,
we ask your blessing on all the athletes competing
in the Olympic Games in Japan
and the many millions across the globe who will support them.
We give you special thanks for our athletes from Hong Kong,
for the medals they have won,
and for the spirit of true sportsmanship that they have shown.
Help them to be magnanimous in victory and gracious in defeat.
In a divided and fractured world may these games be a symbol
of the spirit of tolerance and acceptance among the nations
and may there be humility and respect
for the health and safety of all.
May we all run the race set before us
and at the last be led towards the love of Christ
who is more than gold, today and forever. Amen.

MRS LILY PONG SCHOLARSHIP FOR CHURCH ORGANISTS THANKSGIVING SERVICE 2021

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 church organists in HKSKH to be better equipped with organ playing techniques and church service playing skills. At this end of academic year, the Standing Commission for Liturgical Matters is organising the annual Thanksgiving Service. Details are as below:

Date: Saturday, 21st August 2021
Time: 4.00pm
Venue: St Paul's Church (Glenealy, Central)
Officiant: The Revd Canon Ian Lam
Blessing: The Most Revd Andrew Chan

All are welcome to join us to celebrate God's grace on the Scholarship in the past years. For any further enquiries, please contact the Provincial Music Director, Mr Felix Yeung at (852) 2523 4157.



Has the idea of drawing beautiful picture on porcelain plates for your beloved family, friends and even for yourselves ever crossed your mind?

St John's Cathedral Michaelmas Fair 2021 Fundraising Series: Porcelain Painting Workshop

Time: 2.30pm - 5.00pm
Date: 29th August 2021, Sunday
Venue: Private clubhouse in Happy Valley
No. of participants: 20 (first come, first served)
Fee: HK\$500



The workshop will be conducted mainly in Cantonese supplemented with English. Please call Mrs Natalie Law on 9656 5504 to register.

HKSKH MING HUA THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE

**Recruitment for Degree Programmes in Semester 1, 2021/22
(6th September – 17th December 2021)**

Programmes in partnership with Charles Sturt University, Australia

Bachelor of Theology Subject Fee: HK\$5,875		Master of Theology Subject Fee: HK\$14,500	
Subject	Lecturer	Subject	Lecturer
THL100 Introduction to Biblical Languages [#]	Revd Dr Jim West	THL514 Theological Hermeneutics [#]	Prof Gareth Jones
THL106 Introduction to New Testament Studies [#]	Dr Stephen Lim	THL517 Advanced Biblical Exegesis [#]	Dr Stephen Lim
THL113 Being the Church [#]	Dr Matthew Jones		
THL115 Liturgical Theology	Revd Dr Chun-wai Lam	THL540 Public Theology [#]	Revd Prof Philip Wickeri
THL120 Practical Theology [#]	Rt Revd Dr Patrick Yu		

[#] Conducted in English

The above courses are registered courses under the Non-local Higher and Professional Education (Regulation) Ordinance (Chapter 493). It is a matter of discretion for individual employers to recognize any qualification to which this course may lead. Registration Numbers: 212741 (Master of Theology); 212740 (Bachelor of Theology)

Biblical Languages Course

MHL102 Biblical Hebrew (Level 1)

Lecturer: Dr Stephen Lim

Time: 7.00pm on Thursdays

Venue: HKSKH Ming Hua Theological College (Glenealy, Central, Hong Kong)

Subject Fee: HK\$5,875

Application Deadline: 30th August 2021

Enquiry and Application: admission@minghua.org.hk / WhatsApp: 9530 7241

ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL MINISTRY TEAM

Dean

The Very Revd Kwok-keung Chan

Executive Administrator:

Mr Thomas Li

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)

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

(Priest-In-Charge of Discovery Bay Church)

Youth Ministry — The Revd Amos Poon

Honorary Chaplain:

The Revd Dr Philip Wickeri

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



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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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