

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.'

21st November 2021 Christ the King

8.00am Said Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher:	The Revd Robert Martin
Reader:	Dolores Dayao

9.00am Sung Eucharist

Celebrant:	The Revd Canon Peter Koon
Deacon:	The Revd Sharon Langbis
Preacher:	The Dean
Communion Setting:	St Martin's Mass (David Bednall)
Hymns:	352, 134, Hail, Redeemer, King divine,
•	Christ triumphant, ever reigning
Anthem:	Siderum rector (William Byrd)
Voluntary:	Toccata, Op. 1 (Jon Kristian Fjellestad)
Readers:	Mary Szeto, Tom Bispham
Intercessor:	Andrew Ashley

10.30am Sung Eucharist (in Mandarin)

Celebrant:	The Revd Canon Peter Koon
Preacher:	The Dean

11.45am Responsorial Eucharist-Provincial (Rite II)

Celebrant:	The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre
Preacher:	The Dean
Reader/Intercessor:	Karmen Kar/Simon Fong

1.30pm Sung Eucharist (in Filipino)

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre

6.00pm Choral Evensong with Eucharistic Adoration

Officiant:	The Dean
Preacher:	The Revd Sharon Langbis
Reader:	William Cheng

Welcome to all who worship here today. Please mute your mobile phones during the Services. No unauthorized photography, video filming or sound recording in the Cathedral. Thank you.

THIS WEEK AT ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

MON 22nd November	8.00am <i>12.25pm</i> 1.00pm	Said Eucharist <i>Meditation Group</i> One o'clock Prayer
TUE 23rd	8.00am 1.00pm 7.00pm 7.30pm	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer Bible Reading Fellowship (ZOOM/in person) Education for Ministry (EfM)
WED 24th	8.00am 1.00pm <i>2.30pm</i> 6.00pm	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer <i>Bible Reading Prayer Fellowship (Chinese) (ZOOM/in person)</i> Said Eucharist
THU 25th	9.00am 1.00pm 1.15pm	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer Said Eucharist
FRI 26th	8.00am 1.00pm <i>3.00pm</i> 8.00pm	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer Friday Fellowship Group (ZOOM) 'Among Us' Fellowship
SAT 27th	8.30am 12.00noon 6.00pm	Said Eucharist Said Eucharist (Filipino) Sung Eucharist (Cantonese) (Anticipated Sunday Service)
SUN 28th November	The First S	unday of Advent
Jeremiah 33.14-16	8.00am	Said Eucharist
Psalm 25.1-9 1 Thessalonian 3.9-end Luke 21.25-36	9.00am	Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Amos Poon Sung Eucharist Celebrant: The Dean
	10.30am	Preacher: The Most Revd Dr Paul Kwong Sung Eucharist (Mandarin) Celebrant: The Revd Canon Peter Koon
	11.45am	Preacher: The Revd Amos Poon Responsorial Eucharist—Provincial (Rite II) Celebrant: The Dean
	1.30pm	Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis Sung Eucharist (Filipino)
	5.00pm	Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis Advent Carol Service Officiant: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre

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COLLECT

Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING Daniel 7.9-10, 13-14

A reading from the book of Daniel.

As I watched, thrones were set in place, and an Ancient One took his throne; his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames, and its wheels were burning fire. A stream of fire issued and flowed out from his presence. A thousand thousand served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him. The court sat in judgement, and the books were opened.

As I watched in the night visions, I saw one like a human being coming with the clouds of heaven. And he came to the Ancient One and was presented before him. To him was given dominion and glory and kingship, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him. His dominion is a everlasting dominion that shall not pass away, and his kingship is one that shall never be destroyed.

This is the word of the Lord. All Thanks be to God.

SECOND READING Revelation 1.4b-8

A reading from the Revelation to St John.

Grace to you and peace from God who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen. Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. 'I am the Alpha and the Omega', says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

This is the word of the Lord. All Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL READING John 18.33b-37

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John. All Glory to you, O Lord.

Pilate asked Jesus, 'Are you the King of the Jews?' Jesus answered, 'Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?' Pilate replied, 'I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?' Jesus answered, 'My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here.' Pilate asked him, 'So you are a king?' Jesus answered, 'You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice.'

All **Praise to you, O Christ.**

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

In the worldwide Anglican

Communion we pray for The Church of Bangladesh.

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 Shatin Anglican

Church that they may equip every member to be disciple who make disciples; for their church members that they will grow in their knowledge of the love of God, being filled to the measure of all the fullness of God; for the volunteers who serve each Sunday in various roles so that their services will be a joyful response to the grace of Jesus Christ; and for their staff to persevere throughout the year, not growing weary of doing good; for welcoming all visitors and newcomers with Christ-Iike hospitality so that the Church won't be inward-looking, but one that serves the people and the world around us.

We also pray for St Augustine's Chapel and the Rt Revd Dr Timothy Kwok, Bishop of the Diocese of Eastern Kowloon, the Revd Franklin Lee, the Revd Canon Dr Eric Chong, the Revd Catherine Graham; for all the readers, servers, stewards, choir members and organists of the Chapel; for all the children and youth of the Chapel; for the Sunday School teachers who nurture the children to understand and love God; for all the teachers, staff, students, parents and old boys of Diocesan Boys' School and Diocesan Boys' School Primary Division.

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 our Council members, 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. We pray for all who work for justice and peace especially, those unjustly deprived of their freedom.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for those who are sick:

Peggy Yu, Laurie Rooke, Marin Leong Kum Chee, JoAnne Sharlach, Jane Pang Tong, Richard Yeung and family, Joyce Chan, Roberta Dee Asis Ulberio, Yee (Zoe) Szeto-Law, Priscilla Chen, Ng Wat Choy Ying, Tiew Siew Lee, Tsui Man Fong, Christina Leong, Christina Poon, Daniel Colson, Lo Yuk Wah, Raymond Yuen, John Baumann, Heather Little, Yvonne Fong, Eva Sorrel, Alice Wright, Tommy Hui, Catherine Chan, George Fong, Tia McPhee, Averil Ashley, John Cavid, Lene Bille Hoegh, Toung Ming, Audrey Bullock, Sanson Lau, Kasper Buist, Donna Gail Willis, Helen Chan Sui Lung, Therese Marie Gerarda Chan, Rebecca Crawford, Evelena Mathias, Wong Lai King, Francesca Lorenzi, Wanda Clay, Richard Jones, Meena Tsui, Fr Tommy Murphy, Michael Chang, Leslie Henderson, and Monica Cornelius.

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

Please pray for the recently departed: Michael Joseph Ryan, Augustus Searle Leach, Ronnie Fitzsimmons, Ewan Yee, Violet Whitmore, and Clare Elizabeth Heaton.

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 Amos Poon is preaching at the SKH Kindly Light Church this morning.

DR MICHAEL JOSEPH RYAN

The Cathedral is deeply saddened by the passing of Dr Michael Ryan who conducted the Evensong Choir for many years in the 1990s. A teacher, singer, conductor and academic, Michael brought a wealth of musical knowledge and performance skills to the role and made a significant contribution to the development of the Evensong Choir. Michael's gentle Irish wit and charm were a hallmark. We give thanks for his friendship and dedicated service. He will be greatly missed.



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AMONG US



Youth Ministry (YM), named *Among Us*, aims at creating a specific space for millennials to where they can feel they belong. As depicted in our new logo on the left, we believe that the younger generation is among us and us among them. Though we are many, we are connected and are one body, with love centered among us.

We meet every Friday at the office of the LEC or the Harold Smyth Room between 8.00 to 10.00pm for activities our participants prefer doing, even just to hang out. Coming activities in the next quarter: Sports, Art, Dining out, Dance & Movement, Board games, Laughter yoga, Bible Study, etc.

If you are between 17 to 25, or know someone at that age, please do join or invite the person you know to join us! Our contact details can be obtained easily from the Cathedral Office, or you may speak directly to Father Amos, Vanice Chan or Jason Wong.



Dean

The Very Revd Kwok-keung Chan

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

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The Revd Dr Philip Wickeri

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Mr Thomas Li

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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:

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