

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.'

24TH OCTOBER 2021 THE LAST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.00am Said Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre

Reader: James Choo

9.00am Sung Eucharist

Celebrant: The Revd Sharon Langbis

Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre Communion Setting: St Martin's Mass (David Bednall)

Hymns: 374, 272, 310, 468

Anthem: The eyes of all wait upon thee (Jean Berger) Voluntary: Toccata, from Organ Sonata No. 1, Op. 40

(René-Louis Becker)

Reader/Intercessor: Julianne Doe/Alexander Kwan

10.30am Sung Eucharist (in Mandarin)

Celebrant: The Revd Amos Poon

Preacher: The Revd Dr Philip Wickeri

11.45am Responsorial Eucharist—Provincial (Rite II)

Celebrant: The Revd Sharon Langbis

Preacher: The Dean

Reader/Intercessor: TY Wong/Saki Tsoi

1.30pm Sung Eucharist (in Filipino)

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre

5.00pm Evening Prayer in Taizé style

Officiant: The Revd Will Newman Meditation: The Revd Robert Martin

Reader: Letty Awingan

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 25th October	8.00am 12.25pm 1.00pm 7.30pm	Said Eucharist Meditation Group One o'clock Prayer Anniversary of the Inauguration of the Province of Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui Sung Eucharist
TUE 26th	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 27th	8.00am 1.00pm 2.30pm 6.00pm 7.00pm	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer Bible Reading Prayer Fellowship (Chinese) (ZOOM/in person) Said Eucharist 'Justice, Peace & Reconciliation'
THU 28th Simon and Jude	8.00am 1.00pm 1.15pm	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer Said Eucharist
FRI 29th	8.00am 1.00pm 3.00pm 8.00pm	Said Eucharist One o'clock Prayer Friday Fellowship Group (ZOOM) 'Among Us' Fellowship
SAT 30th	8.30am 12.00noon 6.00pm	Said Eucharist Said Eucharist (Filipino) Sung Eucharist (Cantonese) (Anticipated Sunday Service)
SUN 31st October	All Saints	'Sunday
Wisdom 3.1-9 Psalm 24.1-6	8.00am	Said Eucharist Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis
Revelation 21.1-6a John 11.32-44	9.00am	Sung Eucharist Celebrant: The Dean
V ,,	10.30am	Preacher: The Revd Amos Poon Sung Eucharist (Mandarin) Celebrant: The Dean
	11.45am	Preacher: The Revd Amos Poon Responsorial Eucharist—Provincial (Rite II) Celebrant: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre
	1.30pm	Preacher: The Dean Sung Eucharist (Filipino)
	5.00pm	Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis Celtic Evening Prayer followed by Walking the Labyrinth Officiant and meditation: The Revd Will Newman

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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

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: help us so to hear them, to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them that, through patience, and the comfort of your holy word, we may embrace and for ever hold fast the hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING Hebrews 7.23-end

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews.

The former priests were many in number, because they were prevented by death from continuing in office; but he holds his priesthood permanently, because he continues for ever. Consequently he is able for all time to save those who approach God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.

For it was fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, blameless, undefiled, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens. Unlike the other high priests, he has no need to offer sacrifices day after day, first for his own sins, and then for those of the people; this he did once for all when he offered himself. For the law appoints as high priests those who are subject to weakness, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect for ever.

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

GOSPEL READING Mark 10.46-end

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

As Jesus and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, 'Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!' Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, 'Son of David, have mercy on me!' Jesus stood still and said, 'Call him here.' And they called the blind man, saying to him, 'Take heart; get up, he is calling you.' So throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. Then Jesus said to him, 'What do you want me to do for you?' The blind man said to him, 'My teacher, let me see again.' Jesus said to him, 'Go; your faith has made you well.' Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **All Praise to you, O Christ.**

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

God of all grace, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of his life and the word of his kingdom: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

In the worldwide Anglican Communion we pray for The Extra-Provincial Churches.

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 Crown of Thorns' **Church**, for its evangelistic and pastoral ministries; that God may guide those who minister in his name; for the people of the Church to that they may be aroused to love the Lord and witness to his name, love his Word and reach out to others. We remember all who are struggling with poor health that God's healing hand may touch them and bring them comfort in their suffering; we remember our parish schools and ask God's blessing on all principals and the teachers, protect and keep them in body and spirit, grant them guidance during these challenging times; we pray for the Pastoral Centre and the community services offered by the Church; may your servants be full of Christ's love and compassion, that we may be enthusiastic to serve the community and be instruments of his grace.

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

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

Please pray for the recently departed: Nicklhier Velasco Teligo, Nighel Rose Velasco Teligo, Nickeecha Velasco Teligo, Peter Lau, Vincent Johnston, Julian Clive Bowerman, Ulrike Kean, Tommy Andaya Javier, Daniel Mallo and Desmond Inglis.

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**.



ANNIVERSARY OF THE INAUGURATION OF THE PROVINCE OF HONG KONG SHENG KUNG HUI

Monday 25th October 2021 7.30pm Sung Eucharist

Celebrant: The Most Revd Andrew Chan Archbishop and Primate of Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui

> Preacher: The Dean

ONLINE PARENTS' TALK ON CANNABIS AWARENESS & PREVENTION

Organisers: St John's Cathedral Life Enrichment Centre and Beat Drugs Fund

Speaker: Ms Jacquelyn Tryde

(Youth Counsellor and Drug Prevention Project Officer)

Date: 1st November 2021 (Monday)

Time: 6.30pm-8.00pm

Venue: Zoom (Link will be shared after RSVP)

Target: International School and Ethnic Minority Parents

Topic: Why now is the time to talk to your teen about Cannabis

Medium of instruction: English

Registration with QR code (RSVP before 28th October 2021)



A EUCHARIST FOR THE COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

(All Souls' Day)

Tuesday 2nd November 2021 at 7.30pm

Messe de Requiem by Alfred Desenclos

sung by the Cathedral Choir with Orchestra

JUSTICE, PEACE & RECONCILIATION

A short course led by Mark & Will, 7.00pm-8.00pm every Wed in October.

<u>In person</u>

Conference Room at the Cathedral.

On Zoom

https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/ 86598288135?pwd=cGVxLy9DZzZ WTHNGV1EvaWJ1NGM2dzo9

OCTOBER

27th – Justice, Peace & Reconciliation In Christian Life

Email Elisa to register: deanssec@stjohnscathedral.org.hk

DONATIONS

Donation items needed for the Michaelmas Fair **White Elephant stall and Stamp stall**. Please bring them to the Cathedral office. Thanks.

MICHAELMAS FAIR BOOKSTALL

It is time again to take a good look at your bookshelves and donate any books you no longer need, as well as CDs and DVDs, to the Michaelmas Fair Bookstall. Make room for the new and pass on the old! Just bring them to the Cathedral office.

The bookstall is a significant source of income to the fair and its charities, and its success depends on the books and CDs and DVDs that you donate.

Novels and books on any topic are welcome, and CDs and DVDs of music, movies, etc. Unfortunately we cannot take magazines; they don't sell!

MICHAELMAS FAIR 2021 SERIES OF ACTIVITIES

<u>29th-31st October 2021 (Fri-Sun)</u> 11.00am-2.00pm Harold Smyth Room

Home produce and handicrafts sale

30th October 2021 (Sat) 10.00am

Cathedral Garden

Official Opening Ceremony of Michaelmas Fair

10.00am-3.00pm Li Hall

White Elephant

3.00pm Cathedral Garden

Raffle Draw

30th & 31st October 2021 (Sat & Sun) 10.00am-3.00pm

Fanny Li Hall

Michaelmas Fair second-hand book sale

Please contact the Cathedral office for donations and enquiries.

MRS LILY PONG SCHOLARSHIP FOR CHURCH ORGANISTS OPEN FOR APPLICATION (2022-23)

'The Mrs Lily Pong Scholarship for Church Organists' for admission in September 2022 is now opened for application. Sponsored by St Paul's Church and the family of the late Mrs Lily Pong, 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. The scholarship will provide a scheme for one-on-one tuition with a qualified professional organ instructor in Hong Kong over a period of up to three (3) years, depending on the ability of the participants. The participants must commit to finish the scheme and serve as organist at his/her parish/mission church for at least two (2) years after completing the scheme.

Interested candidates please contact your parish administrators for information pack of the scheme and application form or download them from the Provincial website (www.hkskh.org). Deadline for application is 8th November 2021 (Mon).

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ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL MINISTRY TEAM

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

Honorary Chaplain:

The Revd Dr Philip Wickeri

Executive Administrator:

Mr Thomas Li

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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

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Names and ages of children (if applicable)
E-mail: Phone:
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