



WESTSIDE ANGLICAN CHURCH

Strengthening Families, Impacting Communities

3 October 2021

Bishop of Singapore The Rt Revd Dr Titus Chung
Assistant Bishop and Archdeacon of Singapore Rt Revd Low Jee King

Vicar Revd Canon Lewis Lew

Pastor-in-Charge Ps Kelvin Koo

Honorary Priest Revd Lew Kiat Lern (SAC, Chaplain of TJNH)

Staff Ps Justin Chua, Ps Gladys Zhong, Sharon Tan

WELCOME!

Thank you for taking the time to be with us today! We are so glad you are here with us. If you are watching us for the first time, we would like to connect with you! Please fill in the online Newcomer's Form at:

<https://wac.org.sg/newcomers-form/>

GENTLE REMINDER

If you wish to make your tithe and offering, you may do so either through PayNow, Internet/Mobile Banking or cheque. The details about which you can do so is on page 10.

PRAYER & MINISTRY

If you would like to talk to someone or receive prayer ministry, you may contact our Priest-In-Charge, pastoral staff or any of our church leaders.

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TO PRESENT EVERYONE MATURE IN CHRIST

Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ.

Colossians 1:28



COLLECT 18th Sunday After Trinity

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us your gift of faith; that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to that which is before, we may run the way of your commandments and win the crown of everlasting joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

HARVEST SUNDAY

Eternal God, you crown the year with your goodness and you give us the fruits of the earth in their season: grant that we may use them to your glory, for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being; 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 forever. Amen

LECTIONARY READINGS

Ezekiel 11:16-21

Mark 10:2-12

DUTY SCHEDULE (LIVE STREAMING @ YOUTUBE)

	<u>This Week: 3 October</u>	<u>Next Week: 10 October</u>
	<u>(Holy Communion)</u>	
Chairperson	Pamela Pung	Carol Loke
Speaker	Ps Joann Lin	Ps Kelvin Koo
Praise Leader	Scarlet Leong	Jethro Tay
Music Team	Cheong Yue Seng, Charis Soon, Denny Lin, Wu Hao, Wang Jing	Esther Chan, Jeremy Wong
Audio-Visual	Duncan Lew, Sheryl Lim, Phoebe Loo, Joey Lim	Jonathan Leow, Clarissa Lim, Chang Lyn, Ngoh Zhi Jun
Holy Communion	Revd Lew Kiat Lern, Ps Kelvin Koo	-
Intercessor	Ps Justin Chua	Nicole Leong
Scripture Reader	Sharon Yeo	Dylan Lester Lim



DEVOTION FOR THE WEEK

Zechariah 4:6 – "Then he said to me, "This is the word of the Lord to Zerubbabel: Not by might, nor by power, but by my Spirit, says the Lord of hosts. Who are you, O great mountain? Before Zerubbabel you shall become a plain. And he shall bring forward the top stone amid shouts of 'Grace, grace to it!'"

The Jews had returned from the Babylonian exile and began rebuilding the temple that the Babylonians destroyed. They encountered challenges, which slowed down the construction. However, God was there to encourage the people not to give up. He gave the prophet Zechariah a vision of the Golden Lampstand. Beside the lampstand were two olive trees. In those days, there was no electricity, and the lamps on the lampstand were dependent on the olive oil to keep it burning. The priest's responsibility was to ensure the continual supply of the olive oil to the lamps so that the light would not diminish.

Metaphorically, God told Zechariah that it was not due to humans' effort that kept the lamps burning (not by might, nor by power). So often, we are made to believe that our works are all it counts and inevitably made God so small by reducing his promises to a mere slogan. We have forgotten that our greatest threat, death, had been conquered by what Jesus had done. He did it all by himself without any humans intervention. The olive trees provided the oil needed to light the lamp and not through humans' efforts.

If not for the grace of God, we are still under the condemnation of sin. A great mountain shall become a plain when God is in charge. What seems to be a hurdle that is impossible to overcome becomes easy to cross over. God was the one who made the rebuilding of the temple possible.

Do you believe that He is the same God who will help WAC to accomplish His Will?

Have your decision and plan been made based only on power and might?

We must seek God in prayer and be patient to wait for Him to speak. The Spirit of God acts in ways we cannot see. Like John 3:8 said, **"The wind blows where it wishes, and you hear its sound, but you do not know where it comes from or where it is going...."** The "wind" mentioned here is likened to be the spirit. You can see the effects of wind when grasses are swaying and when wind storms hit a particular location. However, you cannot control it but can only wait to see what happens. By nature, we feel unease to lose control, but this is where the Spirit takes over.

May God helps WAC collectively to yield our control to the Holy Spirit so that we will not be lost in the wilderness. May we respond to God's calling not by our might or power but by the Spirit of God.

Dear Heavenly Father,

We surrender our might and power, which we have been relying on. May you help each one of us to experience the power of the Holy Spirit and a life that is transformed to rely on you alone. Grant us childlike faith to follow you. In your great power, remove the fear and anxiety from us so that we may serve you with the joy and peace of God.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kelvin', written in a cursive style.

Pastor Kelvin



PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

WORLD

Afghanistan

Pray for the people of Afghanistan to remain strong amid the changes and uncertainties under the new regime; for timely humanitarian aid to reach the poor and the needy; for women and girls to have equal opportunities as the men and boys, to work and to study. Pray for God's divine protection and provision for His people. Pray that they will remain steadfast in faith, courageous to bear witness to His Name and to advance His Kingdom.

SINGAPORE

Government Leaders

Pray for our government leaders to have alertness, strength and fortitude in the continuing battle against COVID-19; that they will have divine wisdom to make right decisions and introduce timely measures to slow down the rapid transmission of the virus, care for the sick and safeguard the nation. Pray for continued protection over our healthcare workers and their families; that they will have the tenacity to persevere in the midst of very difficult and challenging circumstances.

Diocese

Pray for our Bishop Titus Chung, Vicars, clergy and deaconesses, that they will be guided by divine wisdom and united in spirit, as they continue to serve God in their different roles and responsibilities, to build up the One Body of Christ in our Diocese. Pray also for clergy who have been given new or added responsibilities that God will anoint and empower them for their new roles and ministries.

WESTSIDE ANGLICAN CHURCH

- **Our Overseas Ambassadors**

We continue to pray for all our overseas ambassadors, **Amaris Lee, Isaac Wong, Jack Chou, Sarah Soo, Hu Yang and Joshua Leong.**

- **Little Seeds Preschool (St. Andrew's)**
- **Boy's Brigade (BB95J)**
- **Anglican Care Centre (ACC) Bukit Batok**
- **Anglican Senior Centre Jurong West**
- **St. Andrew's Nursing Home (Taman Jurong)**

COMING UP @ WAC

OCTOBER 2021

- 7 COUNCIL MEETING
ZOOM
- 8 CORPORATE PRAYER MEETING
ZOOM
- 10 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: PS KELVIN KOO
- 17 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: PS KELVIN KOO
- 24 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: REVD LEW KIAT LERN
- 31 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: PS CHAY JIA XIN

NOVEMBER 2021

- 7 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: PS KELVIN KOO
- 11 COUNCIL MEETING
ZOOM
- 12 CORPORATE PRAYER MEETING
ZOOM

NOVEMBER 2021

- 14 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: PS KELVIN KOO
- 21 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: PS JUSTIN CHUA
- 28 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: REVD LEW KIAT LERN

DECEMBER 2021

- 5 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: PS JOANN LIN
- 12 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: REVD LEW KIAT LERN
- 19 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: REVD CANON LEWIS
- 25 CHRISTMAS SERVICE
- 26 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: PS KELVIN KOO
- 31 WATCHNIGHT SERVICE
SPEAKER: PS KELVIN KOO

ANGLICAN PRESCHOOL SERVICES HIRING NOTICE



Growing children into their God-given identity

We are Hiring!

Teaching

(mainly at Childcare centres at various locations)

- Infant Educarer (English/Chinese)
- Teacher (English/Chinese)
- Centre Leader
- Assistant Teacher



Administrative

(Non-Teaching)

- Administrative Executive
- IT Executive/Manager
- HR Executive

Non-Administrative

(Non-Teaching)

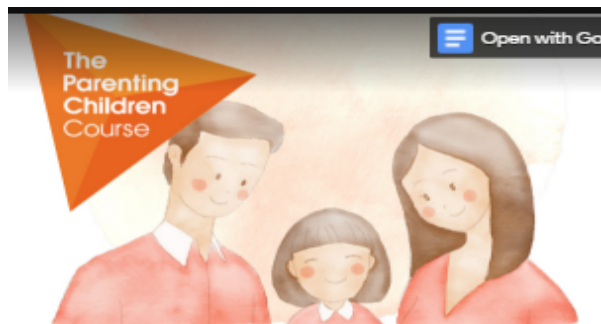
- Facilities Technician
- Cleaner
- Cook
- Night Caretaker



Check out detailed Job Descriptions
and register your interest at
littleseeds.edu.sg/careers



Alternatively, send your resume to
joinus@AnglicanPS.edu.sg



THE PARENTING CHILDREN COURSE

THE PARENTING CHILDREN COURSE

is designed to equip parents and care-givers of young children up to 10 years old with fresh insights and time-tested values on parenting.

It consists of eight sessions of video talks and small group discussions on the following topics:

- Building Strong Foundations
- Meeting our Children's Needs
- Setting boundaries
- Teaching Healthy Relationships
- Our Long-Term Aim

Session Dates: 21 Oct, 28 Oct, 4 Nov, 11 Nov, 18 Nov, 25 Nov, 2 Dec & 9 Dec (8 Thursdays)

Time: 8:00 - 9:30 PM

Fee: \$15 per person / \$25 per couple (for Course Pack)

Registration Deadline: 10 Oct

Register at: <https://bit.ly/3zNGU62>

Developed by Nicky and Sila Lee from Holy Trinity Brompton, London, this course is part of the series of programmes offered by Alpha Singapore. **It will be conducted virtually via Zoom.**



Christ-centered families growing and journeying together.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

CORPORATE PRAYER MEETING

8 October | 8:00 pm | Zoom

Join us for a time of prayer and seeking God!

BLESSED BIRTHDAY

We will be praying for all October babies!

October: Ang Siew Choo, Chan Wan Ting, Cheong Yue Mun, Annie Kat, Pamela Chew, Darren Chua, Justin Chua, Scarlet Leong, Clarissa Lim, Dylan Lim, Joey Lim, Ng Siew Choo, Shirleen Ong, Tan Peck Chee Alice, Carol Thia, Liow Le Fa.

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

We rejoice with Cheong Yue Seng and Wee Ai Ting Pearl who have filed a notice of marriage with the Registry of Marriages.

Their wedding will be on 23 October 2021, Saturday at St. Andrew's Cathedral.

If anyone should know of any reason why they may not lawfully marry, you are to inform the Vicar (Revd Canon Lewis Lew), WAC's Pastor-in-Charge (Ps Kelvin Koo), or the Registrar of Marriages before the wedding.

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Thank God for your faithfulness in giving to the Lord our God.

In view of the COVID situation, tithings and offerings continue to be done electronically. For details, please refer to the bulletins or check with Admin.



WAC ELECTRONIC TITHING

Internet/Mobile Banking

Login to your bank's Internet Banking website and add Westside Anglican Church as a payee using the details below:

Account Name: Westside Anglican Church

Account Number: DBS Autosave 033-901156-8

Bank Code: 7171 | **Bank Branch:** 033

Your Initials: Tithing Number (if any)

PayNow

Step 1 - Log in to your bank internet banking or mobile banking app.

Step 2 - At the PayNow transfer screen, enter the UEN.

Westside Anglican Church's UEN: T08CC4055LWAC

Cheque Deposit

If you wish to tithe by cheque, please remember to:

1. make the cheque payable to 'Westside Anglican Church'.
2. write WAC's account number on the back of the cheque.
3. indicate the purpose of the payment (tithe, freewill offering, etc.) on the back of the cheque.

You may drop the cheque to any DBS/POSB branch.

WAC's Account Number: 033-901156-8

If you wish to make direct cheque deposit to WAC Building Fund, please remember to:

1. make the cheque payable to 'St Andrew's Cathedral - WAC Building Fund'.
2. write WAC Building Fund's account number on the back of the cheque.
3. indicate "WAC Building Fund" on the back of the cheque.

You may drop the cheque to any DBS/POSB branch.

WAC Building Fund's Account Number: 0039533675

CELL GROUPS

We gather in small groups (known as cell) for encouragement through bible study, prayer & other activities. We welcome you to join us! If you would like to find out more, you can email the cell leaders directly.

<u>CELL NAME</u>	<u>CONTACT</u>	<u>VENUE/DAY/TIME</u>
ACTS	Jason Tan jastan_98@yahoo.com	1 st & 3 rd Fri, 8:00pm Zoom
Blessed LIFE	Henri Ngoh henri.ngoh@yahoo.com	2 nd & 4 th Thurs, 8.00pm Zoom
Evergreen	Margaret Chew margarechew@hotmail.co.uk	1 st & 3 rd Fri, 8.00pm Zoom
The Seekers	Jon Koo seekerscell@gmail.com	1 st & 3 rd Fri, 8:00pm Zoom
Destiny Impact [Youth]	Luk Ching wac.destinyimpact@gmail.com	Jehovah Jireh Sanctuary Sat, 2:00pm
Salvation	Jimmy Ng & Ng Siew Choo schoojim@hotmail.com	Thrice per month, Wed 8.00pm Zoom
CROSSroads [Young Adults]	Thia Jun Hoong junhoong@gmail.com	1 st & 3 rd Fri, 8:00pm Zoom
Pure Heart	Reginald Low & Cindy Low tiong.liping.cindy@gmail.com	1 st & 3 rd Fri, 8:00pm Zoom
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