

5 October 2025

Bishop of Singapore and
Dean The Most Revd Dr Titus Chung
Vicar Revd Christopher Chan
Priest-in-Charge Revd Kelvin Koo
Honorary Priest Revd Lew Kiat Lern
(Assoc Senior Chaplain, SAMH/SACS)
Staff Carol Loke, Francis Toh,
Ps Justin Chua (away for studies)
Missionary Ps Gladys Zhong

WELCOME!

Thank you for taking the time to be with us today! We are so glad you are here.

If you are with us for the first time, we would like to connect with you! Please scan the QR code to fill in the online Newcomer's Form.

SUNDAY SERVICE VENUE & TIMING

11, Bt Batok St 25, Singapore 658712 10am @ The Shelter (inside St Andrew's Mission School)

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.

STAFF CONTACTS

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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

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish in us all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SERMON

Seeds of the Kingdom – Embracing the Childlike Spirit Matthew 18:1-6 Mr Andrew Tay

DUTY SCHEDULE

	This Week: 5 October Baptism & Holy Communion Service	Next Week: 12 October Sunday Service
Chairperson	Pang Kwee Hoon	Revd Lew Kiat Lern
Speaker	Mr Andrew Tay	Revd Lew Kiat Lern
Praise Leader	Low Sze Yen	Carol Wee
Vocalist	Ps Justin Chua	400
Musicians	Ps Justin Chua, Timothy Goh, Nicholas Lau	Cheong Yue Seng, Harry Sin
Audio-Visual	Alan Ang, Sheryl Lim	Jonathan Leow, Clarissa Lim
Holy Communion	Revd Kelvin Koo, Ps Justin Chua, Pang Kwee Hoon, Jason Tan	Vr
Intercessor		Susy Tan
Scripture Reader	Revd Kelvin Koo	Revd Lew Kiat Lern

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



The Starting Point of Becoming One

We have recently embarked on a novel and special initiative: a "Naming Campaign" to select a unified name for WAC and JACM. Seeing fellow brothers and sisters eagerly participating in this process fills my heart with both joy and gratitude. For this is not merely a naming activity, but the very first step towards unity for the two churches. The name itself may seem like a small matter, but what it carries is the church's identity, vision and mission - which concerns our direction and witness. Throughout this process, I have often wondered: what interesting and creative names will people come up with? Perhaps there will be someone who offers the most down-to-earth name that brings a smile to our faces; or another may suggest a grand name that reminds us of the promises in the Bible. Whatever the outcome, what matters most is that through this naming process, all of us are called to reflect anew on the church's mission and engage in it with a prayerful heart.

The Bible often reminds us that names are closely tied to identity and calling. In **Revelation 2:17**, it says, "To the one who conquers... I will give him a white stone, with a new name written on the stone that no one knows except the one who receives it." And in **Isaiah 62:2**, it says, "...and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the Lord will give." These new names are not just arbitrary labels, but new identities bestowed by God, symbolising the new direction He is leading His people into.

In the same way, as our church chooses a new unified name, it represents more than just an outward change. It is also an expression of our willingness to enter a new season under the LORD's leading and live out the mission and vision that He has Remember the prayer of Lord Jesus before His departure: "that they may all be one... so that the world may believe that you have sent me" (John 17:21). His heart's desire is very clear – the unity of His disciples is pivotal to bearing witness to the Gospel before the world. Having a unified church name for WAC and JACM marks the beginning of this unity. It not only strengthens our sense of belonging, but also demonstrates to those around us that we are a people united in Christ. Of course, a unified name is only the first step. Ahead lies the journey towards true unity in the body of Christ through mutual acceptance and patience. As 1 Corinthians 12:12-13 remind us, "For just as the body is one and has many members... so it is with Christ. For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body". Though our languages and cultural backgrounds may differ, in Christ we belong to one body, one family.

Dear brothers and sisters, let us not treat this "Naming Campaign" as a one-off formality. Instead, let us journey on with prayer, faith and love. May we see in the new unified name of our church the new identify given by the Lord, and glorify Him through our testimony of unity. This will be our starting point of becoming one.

Pastor May Yee

*The above is a translated version of the original letter written by Pastor Chan May Yee in Chinese, which was posted on JACM's bulletin on 5 October 2025.



PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

WORLD

Let us lift up our world leaders in prayer during this time of global uncertainty and change. May the Lord guide their hearts toward peace, justice, and a spirit of collaboration as they work together to address pressing issues such as conflict, inequality, and the challenges of climate change. We pray that their combined efforts will bring greater stability, healing, and hope to nations around the world. We also remember the leaders of the United States in our prayers, asking that God would grant them wisdom, compassion, and discernment as they make decisions that have far-reaching impact, both within their nation and across the global community.

SINGAPORE

We pray for our Prime Minister, Mr Lawrence Wong, and his cabinet. As they manage rising costs of living and seek to care for the most vulnerable among us, may the Lord grant them wisdom, discernment, and a heart for the people. We pray for policies that are fair and compassionate, and for leadership that reflects the values of righteousness and mercy. May Singapore remain a nation marked by unity, peace, and mutual respect and may we will shine brightly as a testimony of Christ's light in the region and beyond.



PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

WESTSIDE ANGLICAN CHURCH

- Overseas ambassadors:
 Amaris Lee, Bernice Lee and James Chou
- The elderly and sick among us
- St Andrew's Nursing Home Taman Jurong (TJNH)

Thank God for the successful Mid-Autumn Festival engagement by SAC Mandarin on 4 October. The residents and SACM members were mutually encouraged during the interactions. Give thanks for the different churches and organisations that have come alongside to serve in TJNH, including Queenstown Baptist Church which is conducting a Mid-Autumn event on 6 October. Pray that the event will bring much joy to the residents and staff of TJNH.

Pray for the nursing home cluster-level integration of the psychological, social, spiritual and therapy functions, led by Revd Lew Kiat Lern. May the integration, which involves counsellors, psychologists, occupational therapists, physiotherapists, medical social workers, care coordinators and chaplains, proceed smoothly over the next 2 years.

COMING UP @ WAC

OCTOBER 2025

BAPTISM & HOLY COMMUNION

5 SERVICE

SPEAKER: MR ANDREW TAY

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH

CHURCH COUNCIL & BUDGET

MEETING

SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: REVD IEW KIAT IERN

19 HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE SPEAKER: REVD DR JOSHUA SUDHARMAN

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH

CORPORATE PRAYER MEETING

SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: REVD PETER CHEN





ANNOUNCEMENTS











Banns of Marriage

We rejoice with **Koo Jon Keat** and **Nicole Leong Xiao Xuan** who have filed a notice of marriage with the Registry of Marriages.

Their wedding will take place on **11 October 2025, 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 Christopher Chan), Priest-in-Charge (Revd Kelvin Koo), or the Registrar of Marriages before the wedding.



ASSOCIATE CHAPLAIN

WESTSIDE ANGLICAN CHURCH

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Westside Anglican Church (WAC) is an extension centre of St Andrew's Cathedral. Together with Jurong Anglican Church (Mandarin), the church seeks to reach out to the community in the western part of Singapore and fulfil its mission of "Strengthening Families, Impacting Communities."

The primary role of the Associate Chaplain is to support the Chaplain in carrying out the chaplaincy duties at St Andrew's Mission School (SAMS). A Secondary role is to support the Services and ministry work at Westside Anglican Church.

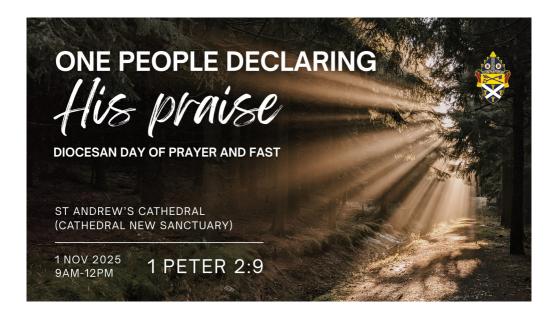
DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES

- To support the Chaplain in carrying out the chaplaincy duties at St Andrew's Mission School (SAMS)
- Interact and build relationship with teachers, students and parents
 - To develop and implement programmes for SAMS's students jointly with the church staff team
 - Provide pastoral care for SAMS's parents
 - Provide support for the running of WAC Sunday Services
 - Involve in WAC ministries and cell groups
 - Assist in WAC events such as church camp, family day, leaders' retreat

REQUIREMENTS

- Preferably completed theological education but not a prerequisite
- A mature Christian (at least 5 years)
- Passion for serving in the youth and children's ministry
- Ability to work as a team member

Interested applicants please write to: hr@cathedral.org.sg



NCCS Statement on Incident at Al-Istiqamah Mosque

We are deeply grieved by the recent incidents affecting our Muslim friends and their places of worship. Such acts have no place in our society.

As Christians, we are called to be peacemakers and to love our neighbours. Let us stand in solidarity with the Muslim community and continue to nurture the trust, respect, and harmony that are precious to Singapore.

The full statement is available here: https://nccs.org.sg/official-statements-new/



Internet Banking

Account Name: Westside Anglican Church
Account Number: DBS Autosave 033-901156-8

PayNow Westside Anglican Church UEN: T08CC4055LWAC



Cheques

Make cheque payable to 'Westside Anglican Church'.

On the back of the cheque, write WAC's account number (033-901156-8) as well as the purpose of payment.

Drop the cheque in the offering bag or at any DBS/POSB branch.

CELL GROUPS

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

CELL NAME ACTS	<u>CONTACT</u> Jason Tan jastan 98@yahoo.com	DAY/TIME/VENUE 1st & 3rd Sun, 12:30pm in Church
Blessed LIFE	Revd Kelvin Koo <u>kelvinkoocy@anglican.org.sg</u>	4th Fri, 7:30pm Cavenagh Road
CROSSroads [Young Adults]	Thia Jun Hoong junhoong@gmail.com	1st & 3rd Fri, 8pm Zoom
Destiny Impact [Youth]	Ps Justin Chua justinchua@cathedral.org.sg	Every Sat, 2:30pm in Church
Evergreen	Margaret Chew harumichew@gmail.com	1st & 3rd Fri, 8pm Zoom
Lighthouse	Jeslyn Chua <u>jeslynchua3@gmail.com</u>	1st & 3rd Thur, 8pm Zoom
Pure Heart	Reginald Low & Cindy Low tiong.liping.cindy@gmail.com	1st & 3rd Fri, 8pm Zoom
Salvation	Jimmy Ng & Ng Siew Choo schoojim@hotmail.com	2nd & 4th Wed 8pm Zoom
The Seekers [Young Adults]	Jon Koo <u>seekerscell@gmail.com</u>	1st & 3rd Fri, 8pm Zoom
Teleios [Young Adults]	Ong Jie Hui teleios.cellgroup@gmail.com	1st & 3rd Fri, 8pm Zoom
Tiqvah (Hope) [Young Adults]	Ps Justin Chua justinchua@cathedral.org.sg	1st & 3rd Fri, 8pm in Church

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