



WESTSIDE ANGLICAN CHURCH

Strengthening Families, Impacting Communities

01 March 2026

**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)

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.

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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

2nd Sunday of Lent

Lord God Almighty, grant your people grace to withstand the temptations of the world, the flesh, and the devil, and with pure hearts and minds to follow you, the only God; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Ash Wednesday

Almighty and everlasting God, you hate nothing that you have made and forgive the sins of all those who are penitent. Create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that, lamenting our sins and acknowledging our wretchedness, we may receive from you, the God of all mercy, perfect forgiveness and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SERMON

God's Initiative, Our Response

John 3:1-17, Romans 4:1-5, 13-17

Revd Kelvin Koo

DUTY SCHEDULE

| | <u>This Week: 1 March</u> | <u>Next Week: 8 March</u> |
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| | Holy Communion Service | Sunday Service |
| Chairperson | Jeslyn Chua | Pang Kwee Hoon |
| Speaker | Revd Kelvin Koo | Revd Stephen Lim |
| Praise Team | Low Sze Yen, Denny Lin, Timothy Goh | Carol Wee, Lam Kah Mun, Scarlet Leong, Joyce Lee |
| Audio-Visual | Alan Ang, Francis Toh | Jonathan Leow, Zoanne Low |
| Holy Communion | Revd Kelvin Koo, Jeslyn Chua, Pang Kwee Hoon, Carol Loke | - |
| Intercessor | Susy Tan | Pearl Wee |
| Scripture Reader | Francis Toh | Carol Loke |

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



Standing Together In Prayer For Our Ministry Leaders

We give thanks to God for our brothers and sisters in Christ who have stepped forward to serve as ministry leaders in WAC. Together with the pastor, they carry a shared responsibility for prayerful discernment, faithful stewardship, sound governance, and the overall spiritual and communal well-being of the church. While some aspects of their work may appear administrative or practical in nature, at its heart the ministry is deeply spiritual. The decisions they make and the direction they set shape how we live out our calling as the body of Christ in this church.

Scripture reminds us of the centrality of prayer in all that we do. In 1 Timothy 2:1, we are reminded - ***“First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people.”*** Prayer is not an afterthought, nor merely a formality. It is the foundation upon which the life and leadership of the Church rest.

Before plans are drawn up, before meetings are convened, and before decisions are made, the Church is first called to pray. Prayer is our confession that the Church does not belong to us, but to Christ. It is also our acknowledgement that leadership in the Church is never exercised by human wisdom alone, but must always be submitted to the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

Those who have agreed to serve in ministry leadership do so in obedience to God’s call, often while carrying many other responsibilities at home, at work, and in their personal lives. They will need God to strengthen them daily, wisdom to discern His will, humility

to listen attentively to one another, courage to make difficult and sometimes costly decisions, and grace to serve with love even when perspectives differ. Above all, they will need the faithful prayers of the whole church.

I therefore invite you to hold our ministry leaders before God throughout their term of service. Pray that they may remain deeply rooted in Christ and continually guided by the Holy Spirit. Pray that they may serve with unity of heart and clarity of purpose. Pray also that their deliberations may be marked by wisdom, patience and mutual respect, and that they may lead not out of personal preference or human ambition, but in faithful obedience to God's calling for our church.

At the same time, let us also pray for ourselves as a church. May we be a community that supports our leaders with trust, encouragement, and perseverance in prayer. May we learn to speak the truth in love, to bear with one another graciously, and to grow together into maturity as the body of Christ.

The work of the Church is never carried by a few on their own. We are one body with many members, each called to play our part in God's mission. Paul said in 1 Corinthians 12:14 - ***"For the body does not consist of one member but of many."***

As we entrust our ministry leaders to God, may we also renew our shared commitment to seek the Lord, to love one another, and to bear faithful witness to Christ in our community. May the peace of Christ rule in our hearts, may the wisdom of the Spirit guide our life together, and may God's will be done among us, for His glory and for the good of all.

Pastor Kelvin



PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

WORLD

Pray for Indonesia, home to the largest Muslim population in the world. While the Church is growing in some regions, many communities still remain unreached with the good news of Jesus Christ. May the Holy Spirit open doors where they seem closed, soften hearts, and strengthen His Church to bear faithful witness with love and courage. May the Lord surround pastors, missionaries and church workers with His protection, refresh them in their weariness, and grant them fruit from their labour in due season.

Remember also our neighbour Malaysia, which is experiencing a rise in tuberculosis cases. Pray for protection over communities, especially the vulnerable. May the Lord grant healthcare workers endurance, wisdom and the resources needed to contain and reduce the spread of the disease.

SINGAPORE

Strong families are a precious foundation for our nation. Pray that the Lord will guard and preserve the sanctity of marriage and grant parents patience and wisdom as they raise their children. Pray also that children, in turn, will honour their parents and faithfully care for them in their later years.

Remember our children and youths who are at risk. Pray that the Lord will shield them from harmful influences and abuse, and provide timely support, safe homes and caring mentors. May His gracious hand rest upon their lives, bringing healing and restoration in body, mind, and spirit.



PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

WESTSIDE ANGLICAN CHURCH

The Sick and Their Caregivers

Pray for the sick amongst us and their caregivers. Ask for God's special touch to be upon those who are suffering in body, mind and spirit, that they may be covered by His grace and filled with His peace. For the caregivers, pray for patience, protection and strength, especially when they feel overwhelmed or exhausted. May they know that the Lord is close to them and entrust their cares to Him.

St Andrew's Nursing Home (TJNH)

Thank God for the live streaming of chapel service to bedbound residents who are unable to attend in person. Pray that all remaining logistical and technical issues will be resolved.

We also thank the Lord for the Chinese New Year lunch sponsored by WAC on 27 February, that it has brought festive joy to the residents. Pray that the love of Christ shared during the interactions will leave a lasting impact on the residents and our WAC/JACM befrienders.

Pray that God will continue to bring more Befrienders to serve in TJNH, both sharing in chapel service and in bedside conversations.

COMING UP @ WAC

MARCH 2026

1 HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE
SPEAKER: REVD KELVIN KOO

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH

COUNCIL MEETING

8 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: REVD STEPHEN LIM

15 HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE
SPEAKER: REVD TIMOTHY CHOW

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH

CORPORATE PRAYER MEETING

22 MISSIONS SUNDAY SERVICE
(COMBINED)
SPEAKER: MR PAUL PERRY

HOLY WEEK SERVICES @10AM

PALM SUNDAY **29 March**

GOOD FRIDAY **3 April**
(Combined)

RESURRECTION **5 April**
SUNDAY & BAPTISM
(Combined)





ANNOUNCEMENTS



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2026

**WESTSIDE ANGLICAN CHURCH
12 APRIL 2026, 12:30PM TO 2:00PM
AT THE SHELTER**



Only Members on the Electoral Roll (ER) of WAC can vote at the WAC AGM, and/or be elected at the AGM onto the WAC Parochial Church Council (PCC).

To be eligible for the Electoral Roll, one must be a baptised and confirmed member in WAC, at least 17 years of age, regularly attends WAC services, and partaking Holy Communion in WAC for at least 3 times in the preceding 12 months.

● ● ● ● ***Please verify your ER status by 15 March 2026 on the published Electoral Roll (inside The Shelter) from 22 February 2026.***



TIMELINE

- 22 FEB - 15 MAR** Publish Electoral Roll & Verify Status
- 1 - 29 MAR** Nomination for 2026/2027 Council
Nomination for 2026-2029 Synod Reps
- 15 MAR** AGM Notice
- END MAR** Distribute AGM Reports
- 5 APR** Last day to submit questions to the Honorary Secretary, Matthew Wong (wong.wm.matthew@gmail.com)
- 12 APR** **AGM**





ANNOUNCEMENTS

March

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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| Alan Ang | Felicia Tan | Jeraldine Yap |
| Cheong Chew Weng | Henri Ngoh | Jimmy Ng |
| Cheryl Lam | Jairus Chan | Leong Lai Kuen |
| Cindy Tiong | | Seah Bee Kheng |

... **Out-of-office**

Revd Kelvin
5 - 8 March
On leave



ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW

Meeting Room (next to mobile awning)



Nursing & Diaper Changing Area

Sundays, 8:30am - 12:30pm
(except for Prayer Meeting ~ 1:45pm)



WAC & JACM FAMILY DAY 2026

Kukup-Bukit Indah

13 JUNE (SAT), 6:30AM - 9PM

Dim Sum Breakfast - Pineapple Farm - Seafood Lunch -
Ming An Confectionary - Aeon Bukit Indah - Dinner

- ✔ \$60 per WAC/JACM regular (& immediate family member)
- ✔ \$55 per child 2-11 years old
- ✔ Free for children below 2 years old

Please refer to registration form for more information.

REGISTER NOW

- <https://forms.gle/jjSpyq4tMyoe65Zu9>
- Registration opens till 5 April or fully booked.
- Forms are also available on the Reception Table.





TITHING & OFFERING

Internet Banking / Cheques

Account Name: Westside Anglican Church

Account Number: DBS Autosave 033-901156-8

(Please indicate the purpose of payment for reference and accurate book-keeping.)

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LEGACY GIVING

*“For all things come from You, and of Your own have we given You.”
1 Chronicles 29:14*

Legacy giving, also known as bequest giving or planned giving, enables you to contribute to the mission and ministry of the church by planning in advance a donation that will be made upon your death. It is a meaningful demonstration of your stewardship of the resources that God has entrusted to you.

If you would like to plan your legacy giving, please approach the Priest-in-charge, Revd Kelvin Koo, for more information.

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.

| <u>CELL NAME</u> | <u>CONTACT</u> | <u>DAY/TIME/VENUE</u> |
|--|---|-------------------------------------|
| ACTS | Jason Tan <u>jastan_98@yahoo.com</u> | 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 <u>junhoong@gmail.com</u> | 1st & 3rd Fri, 8pm Zoom |
| Destiny Impact [Youth] | Ps Justin Chua <u>justinchua@cathedral.org.sg</u> | Every Sat, 2:30pm in Church |
| Lighthouse | Jeslyn Chua <u>jeslynchua3@gmail.com</u> | 1st & 3rd Thur, 8pm Zoom |
| Pure Heart | Reginald Low & Cindy Low <u>tiong.liping.cindy@gmail.com</u> | 1st & 3rd Fri, 8pm Zoom |
| Salvation | Jimmy Ng & Ng Siew Choo <u>schoojim@hotmail.com</u> | 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 <u>teleios.cellgroup@gmail.com</u> | 1st & 3rd Fri, 8pm Zoom |
| Tiqvah (Hope) [Young Adults] | Ps Justin Chua <u>justinchua@cathedral.org.sg</u> | 1st & 3rd Fri, 8pm in Church |

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