



WESTSIDE ANGLICAN CHURCH

Strengthening Families, Impacting Communities

2 August 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

Father of mankind,
 who gave your only-begotten Son
 to take upon himself the form of a servant
 and to be obedient even to death on a cross:
 give us the same mind that was in Christ Jesus
 that, sharing his humility, we may come to be with him in his glory;
 who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
 one God, now and for ever. Amen.

SERMON**Took, Blessed, BROKE, Gave***Romans 9:1-5, Matthew 14:13-21*

Ps Joann Lin

SUNDAY DUTY SCHEDULE

	<u>This Week: 2 August</u> Holy Communion Service	<u>Next Week: 9 August</u> Sunday Service
Chairperson	Jeslyn Chua	Rev'd Kelvin Koo
Speaker	Ps Joann Lin	Rev'd Kelvin Koo
Praise Team	Low Sze Yen, James Tan, Chew Jia Ning, Joyce Lee, Harry Sin, Matthew Wong	Timothy Goh, Scarlet Leong, Cheong Yue Seng, Denny Lin
Audio-Visual	Alan Ang, Sheryl Lim, Wan Yee Hwee	Joey Lim, Zoanne Low
Holy Communion	Rev'd Peter Chen, Ps Justin Chua, Jeslyn Chua, Jason Tan	-
Intercession	Pearl Wee	Darryl Ng
Scripture Reading	Jairus Chan	Rev'd Kelvin Koo

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



Jesus Went Throughout All the Cities and Villages...

“And Jesus went throughout all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction.” - Matthew 9:35

Whenever I read this verse, I always pause at a phrase in particular: *“Jesus went throughout all the towns and villages...”* Though just a few short words, it led me to reflect again and again on the kind of Master we follow. Jesus in the gospels never stayed stationary waiting for the world to seek Him. He took the initiative to go to the people. He actively walked into different towns, different villages, and different lives. He drew near to those in pain, those who were lost, those who were overlooked, and those who longed for hope. He did not merely visit places, but moved towards hearts that needed the Saviour.

Over the past two weekends, our church held the Leaders' Silent Retreat, followed by SAMS Family Day Outing. At first, I did not make the connection between these two events. It was only after reading this verse again that I realised, although the two events were entirely different in form, they illustrated the same spiritual direction.

A silent retreat is not about taking a break from ministry. Rather, it is about returning to the Lord's presence and making space to be still before Him, to listen for His voice and to allow Him to renew our hearts once more. For unless we continue to draw near to God, it is easy for our ministry to become a hollow obligation and for busyness to replace our first love for Him.

SAMS Family Day Outing, on the other hand, gave our church an opportunity to reach out to the school and the families, and to build authentic relationships with the children and their parents. We hope to bring them not just an enjoyable event, but also to let them feel the care of the church and experience the tangible love of Christ.

As I placed these two events side by side, I realised that this is precisely the rhythm of Jesus' life on earth. He often withdrew to quiet places to pray, while also continually stepping into the crowd to serve. He drew near to the Heavenly Father, and He also drew near to the people. These are not competing directions, but are two parts of the same life. Those who truly draw near to the Lord will find their hearts growing ever closer to the community He loves; and a life of pouring out into ministry requires us to continually return to Him to be refuelled.

We may not all be called to "go throughout all the cities and villages" globally, but the Lord has placed each one of us in different families, schools, workplaces and communities, and has brought different people into our midst. When we are willing first to draw near to the Lord and then to reach out to those around us with His love, a caring greeting, a moment of sincere companionship, or a willing act of service can all become an outpouring of the Lord's grace.

May we continue to follow the Lord who '*went through every town and village*'. When we are willing to draw near to Him and also to reach out to others, trust that God will continue to use us to bring the gospel and hope into the lives of many more people.

Pastor May Yee

**The above is a translated version of the letter written in Chinese by Pastor Chan May Yee and posted on JACM's bulletin on 2 August 2026.*



PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

WORLD

Pray for Sudan, where a prolonged civil war has created one of the world's worst humanitarian crises. Remember the millions displaced from their homes, those facing hunger, disease and uncertainty. Pray that God, in His mercy, will bring an end to the violence, open the way for humanitarian aid to reach those in need, and restore peace, justice and stability to the nation. Pray also for the leaders and all parties involved, that God would soften their hearts, grant them wisdom, and lead them to pursue reconciliation for the good of the people.

SINGAPORE

Give thanks for God's continued protection over Singapore as recent security threats were detected and thwarted before harm could be done. Pray for God's gracious hand to remain upon our nation, guarding us against violence, hatred and the radicalisation of minds, especially among our youths. Ask the Lord to strengthen families, schools, churches and the wider community, that together we may nurture young people in truth, wisdom and compassion. May Singapore continue to be a nation marked by peace, racial and religious harmony, and mutual respect.

As we journey towards National Day, pray also for the Church in Singapore as believers across denominations unite in the 40-Day Season of Prayer and the Day of His Power meetings, to seek God's heart for our nation. Pray that God's people will come before Him with humility, faith and one accord, seeking His Kingdom and purposes above all else. May the Lord strengthen the unity of His Church and, through our prayers, continue to guide, preserve and bless Singapore for His glory.



PRAYER HIGHLIGHTS

WESTSIDE ANGLICAN CHURCH

The Sick and Those in Need

We lift before God our members who are sick, weak or in pain, asking Him to stretch out His healing hand upon them. Pray that their doctors, nurses and caregivers may have the wisdom and ability to address their needs, and those who suffer may experience the Lord's comforting presence and peace.

We also remember those who are carrying heavy burdens. May they find their refuge and strength in the Lord, and be reminded that He is near to the broken-hearted and that His grace is sufficient for every need.

May the Lord help us to show compassion by offering practical help and speaking words of hope to those around us.

St Andrew's Nursing Home (Taman Jurong)

Pray for the newly-formed 14-member Integrated Care Services team to work in unity, adapt to change, and serve with one heart. Ask God to grant them wisdom and strength to build a strong team, clarify their roles, and provide care that truly meets the residents' needs and enhances their quality of life.

Pray that the vision of the Chaplaincy that was shared in SAMH-SACS Board Strategy Meeting on 1 August would be both inspiring and well-received.

Pray that God will continue to inspire generous donors towards the \$1M fundraising target for Chaplaincy Fund for 2026.

COMING UP @ WAC

AUGUST 2026

2 HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE
SPEAKER: PS JOANN LIN
FELLOWSHIP LUNCH
COUNCIL MEETING

9 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: REVD KELVIN KOO

16 HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE
SPEAKER: REVD LEW KIAT LERN
FELLOWSHIP LUNCH
CORPORATE PRAYER MEETING

23 SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: REVD PETER CHEN

30 MISSIONS SUNDAY SERVICE
SPEAKER: PS MICHAEL YEONG

SUNDAY SERVICE on *National Day*
9 August, 10am

Come with thanksgiving to celebrate
God's goodness to Singapore, our nation.

You are welcome to wear red and white
to show your national pride.





ANNOUNCEMENTS

August Babies

Janet Yap
Jason Tan & Janet Wu
Linda Choy
Luz Pifano
Mary Lim
Violet Leong



CONFIRMATION

(Combined Worship Service)

1 November 2026 • 10am • The Shelter

Confirmation Classes will be conducted over 5 Saturdays:

August 8, 15, 22, 29

& Sep 5

(9am-10:30am, Church Office)

Please sign up with [Revd Kelvin](#) if you wish to be confirmed into full membership and involvement in the life of the church.



ANNOUNCEMENTS



Staff Movement



Revd Koo Chee Yong (Kelvin)
邱智勇牧师

Retiring
30 November 2026



Revd Ng Lian Wen (Moses)
吴良荣牧师

Incoming
1 October 2026

DESIGN OUR NEW CHURCH LOGO!

By PCC Committee

GUIDELINES

- Logo should best represent both congregations
- Logo should reflect the church's mission statement
- Include a brief explanation for the design
- Multiple entries are welcomed
- Logo should not be a direct copy of other logos

Closing Date: 31 Aug, 23:59

Whatsapp Submission:

- Josephine (9146 7773)
- Hwee Theng (9767 8242)

Google Form:





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St Andrew's Nursing Home (Taman Jurong) CARNIVAL 2026

Who

30 OF YOU!

When

14 OCT (WED)
8:45AM - 2:30PM
• Lunch provided for volunteers

Where

SANH (TJ)
• Levels 2-5 wards
• Multipurpose Hall



30 befrienders needed to help, engage & bring joy to the residents:



Games Facilitator — Guide residents through games, keep the fun going, and help them collect their prizes.



Portering/Escort — Push residents in wheelchairs around carnival venue and ensure their safety & well-being.

Please sign up with Harry Sin before 20 Sept 2026



ST PETER'S HALL
THE HOME OF TRAINING FOR THE DIOCESE OF SINGAPORE

Anglican LEARNING FESTIVAL

17-19 SEPTEMBER 2026

Join us at our inaugural Anglican Learning Festival this September! Centred around the theme "**Transformed from Glory to Glory**" (drawn from 2 Corinthians 3:18), this event is a joyful gathering of all parts of our diocese for training, learning and fellowship.

Alongside four plenary sessions, participants can choose from over 20 practical workshops covering diverse ministry topics ranging from pastoral leadership, mental health, financial stewardship, AI and more.



Sign up now at

www.anglicanlearningfestival.sg

Early bird rates till 17 Jul, closing date 17 Aug.





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LIGHTING LIVES,
ADVANCING CARE



**SAMH-SACS
Charity Gala Dinner 2026**

16 October 2026, Friday
6:00pm - 10:00pm

Hilton Singapore Orchard
Grand Ballroom, Level 6
333 Orchard Rd, Singapore 238867

Guest-of-honour
Mrs Josephine Teo
Minister for Digital Development and Information

Dress code: Formal

For more information, please call 6586 1999
or email samhsacs_comms@samh.org.sg



Each table is priced at
**\$6,000, \$10,000 or
\$15,000.**

All table sales and
donations are eligible
for 2.5x tax deduction.

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find out more.



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use your banking app to
scan the Paynow QR
code.

Input **CGD2026**
<SPACE>FULL
NRIC/UEN in the
comments field for tax
deduction.



TITHING & OFFERING

Internet Banking / Cheques

Account Name: Westside Anglican Church

Account Number: DBS Autosave 033-901156-8

PayNow

Westside Anglican Church

UEN: T08CC4055LWAC



For all payments to WAC, please indicate the purpose of payment for reference and accurate book-keeping.



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 jastan_98@yahoo.com	1st & 3rd Sun, 12:30pm in Church
Blessed LIFE	Rev'd Kelvin Koo kelvinkoocy@anglican.org.sg	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
Lighthouse	Jeslyn Chua jeslynchua3@gmail.com	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 seekerscell@gmail.com	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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