

TODAY
3rd Sunday of Lent

	E1 (8am)	E2 (10am)	E3 (10am)
Celebrant	Ven Wong Tak Meng	Ven Wong Tak Meng	-
Preacher	Ven Wong Tak Meng	Ven Wong Tak Meng	Calvin Tan
Song Worship Leader	Brigette Lim	Danny Koh	Jillyn Chen
Sound	Tong Kian Beng Steven Shinchi	Desmond Yeo	David Mark Lim
Lay Readers / Service Leader / Service Coord. (E3)	*CJK/AS/RJ/PH/ AC/WY	*CMS/KSK/AC/WY/ DK/DS	Calvin Tan (SL) Kyle Koh (SC)
Intercessor	Samuel Ratnam	Danny Koh	-
Scripture Reader	Patricia Chew	Madalina Yee	Janesa Wong
Servers	Peter Sung Leonard Wu	Robert Simon Brendan Say	-
Multi-Media	Vivien Hing Elaine Chua	Yok Gin Yi Edwin Chew	Janelle Ho
Sidesmen / Hosp Team	Michelle Sung Florence Sung Grace Lee Chelliah Peter	FIT 2 HCG Freddy Choo & Team	Kyle Koh Caryn Chong Abigail Wee

Ministry Team (10am): All Teams and Lay Readers on duty

Floral Arrangement Team: -

NEXT SUNDAY 11.3.18
4th Sunday of Lent

	E1 (8am)	E2 (10am)	E3 (10am)
Celebrant	Rev Martin Jungnickel	Ven Wong Tak Meng	Rev Martin Jungnickel
Preacher	Ven Wong Tak Meng	Ven Wong Tak Meng	Wendy Yong
Song Worship Leader	Joy Shinchi	Ian Poulier	Adele Soh
Sound	Joseph Tan William Lian	Adelene Teow	Abigail Wee Zechariah Tan
Lay Readers / Service Leader / Service Coord. (E3)	*RL/FKH/AC/ DC/CT	*JT/DyK/DO/AC/WY/ DS	Calvin Tan (SL) Sheena Seng (SC)
Intercessor	Christina Ratnam	Ian Poulier	-
Scripture Reader	Chan Sam Neo	Angeline Loh	David Mark Lim
Servers	Peter Chelliah Gary Choo	Wilson Yeo Jimmy Ng	-
Multi-Media	Elaine Chua Ian Sim	Vivienne Tam Kennif Lim	Caitlyn Tan
Sidesmen / Hosp Team	Lawrence & May Koh Roger & Shirley Yeo	FIT 3 HCG Thomas Aw & Team	Sheena Seng Ian Koh Zaneta Goh

Ministry Team (10am): All Teams and Lay Readers on duty

Breakfast Ministry: GIM

Bishop: **Rt Rev Rennis Ponniah**
Asst. Bishops: **Rt Rev Low Jee King**
Rt Rev Kuan Kim Seng

Vicar: **Ven Wong Tak Meng**
Associate Vicar: **Rev Martin Jungnickel**
Clergy: **Rev Wong Ngiam Koy**



Our Vision: *In Christ we serve the COMMUNITY as a beacon of FAITH, HOPE & LOVE.*

Our Mission: To be a worshipping community that is grounded in God's Word, empowered by the Holy Spirit for sanctification, ministry and missions and is growing in Christ to reach out as a beacon of **Faith, Hope & Love.**

Worship & Ministry

Services

English

Sunday

E1 8am (Holy Communion)

E2 10am (Holy Communion)

E3 10am (Holy Communion on 1st)

Mandarin

Sunday

10.30am (Holy Communion on 1st & 3rd)

Hokkien

Saturday

3pm (Holy Communion on 1st & 3rd)

Children's Ministries

Sunday, 8am to 9:15am (0-5yrs & Pri.School)

Sunday School

Sunday, 10am to 11.30am

Cradle Club (Toddlers)

Praise Club (Preschool)

Kids' for Christ (Primary school)

Sunday, 1.30pm to 3.30pm

Victory Kids (Preschool)

Youth Ministry

Sunday, 11.30am to 12.30pm

Young Adults Ministry (18 - 25yrs)

Friday, 8pm to 10pm

DATE: Sunday, 4 March 2018
3rd Sunday of Lent

THE COLLECT

Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified: mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Scripture Readings & Sermon Title

E1 & E2:

OT/ NT: Heb.12:1 - 2, (Pg 1877)

Rom 1: 16 - 17 (Pg 1747)

Gospel: John 12: 27 - 33 (Pg 1672)

"Christ Turned Shame into Salvation"

E3:

Phil 2: 1 - 13

"Humility of Christ"

A very warm *Welcome!*
We invite members and visitors to stay back after the worship service for refreshments and fellowship at the Manna House.

HOME

1. "THE LITURGY FOR HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE –SEASON OF LENT"

You would have received this booklet with the church news bulletin today. We will be using this booklet for our services during this season of Lent. Kindly return the booklet after the service:
E1 – on the pew
E2 – into the designated boxes at the entrances
Thank you.

2. REV MARTIN AWAY

Rev Martin Jungnickel is away on annual leave from 26 Feb. to 5 March 2018.

3. HOLY COMMUNION WINE

will be served using the chalice for the season of Lent.

4. LENTEN PRAYER JOURNEY 2018 (Mon. 19 Feb. to Sat 31 March)

in the Tim Centre
The theme this year is *"Come and See: Reflections on the Cross"*. Stations have been set up to guide you in prayer. We encourage every member to join us on this journey.
Opening Hours:
Mon.-Sat. 10am to 5.30pm (last entry @ 4pm)
Sun.: 8.30am to 3.30pm (last entry @ 2pm)
For group usage after the stated hours, please call Church Office (63443463) or email Ms Catherine Teo (catteo@sthildas.org.sg) to make a booking.

5. CHURCH PRAYER MEETING

Come and join the rest of the body of Christ in a time of worship and prayer on Tuesday, 6 March at 8pm in Joshua Hall.

6. F.I.S.H (Faithful Intercessors of St Hilda's)

Tuesdays (except the first Tuesday of every month) in the Care Lounge at 9am. All are welcome.

7. CHRISTIAN EDUCATION & BIBLE STUDIES

+ Fire Place Bible Study
Study on the book of Hebrews
Tuesdays at 10.30am in the Care Lounge at SHC.
All are welcome.

8. HEALING SERVICE

This Friday, 9 March 2018,
8pm to 10pm in Bethel Hall.
Speaker: Ven Wong Tak Meng
Do bring your friends and relatives who need healing.

9. GO DEEPER WITH GOD - QUIET HALF DAY

Saturday, 10th March 2018
Theme: *"Consecration"*
Conducted by Vicar
Please sign up at the Info Desk.

10. NEXT STEPS 1

This module is for anyone who would like to begin to live their Christian life built on a strong foundation in Jesus Christ. There will be 8 useful lessons to help you make sense of living the Christian life.
This module is also compulsory for those who would like to be baptised in St Hilda's Church.
The next baptism service is on Sunday, 20 March 2018.
Course details: Sundays, 18, 25 March; 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 April; 6 May 2018.
Time: 12.45pm - 2.30pm

Venue: room 202
Please register at the info desk.

11. MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

This course is compulsory for couples who wish to get married in St Hilda's Church.
Course Dates: Saturday mornings on 7th, 14th, 21st & 28th April; 5th & 12th May 2018.
Please register with the church office by Sunday, 31 March 2018.

12. CHURCH CAMP 2018

Friday 8th to Monday, 11th June
in Malacca! More details will be given soon.

FAMILY

13. CHAPLAINCY SHARING AT (CCR) CHAPEL OF CHRIST THE REDEEMER

CCR is inviting anybody from SHC who wishes to learn more about chaplaincy work to the students of St Hilda's Secondary School:
Saturday, 17 March 2018
9:30am - 12:00pm (breakfast is provided)
at CCR (level 3)

14. JOB VACANCY AVAILABLE

+ Administrative Assistant
at Church of the Ascension
Please see notice board for details.

PRAYING FOR THE DIOCESE OF SINGAPORE

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

Vicar: Rev Dr Ivan Ee
PW/PA: Mdm Phua Jee Lan,
Ms Zhu Xiao Yun,
Ms Dai Yan Jie,
Ms Corine Tng
Ms Ngu Hung Ee,
Mr Tan Chin Han,
Mr Tan Kim Cheong

English Congregation
Priest-IC: Rev Darren Choo
Kiddy Ark Childcare & Devt Ctr
Supervisor: Mrs Lynn Chan-Koh

Anglican High School

Principal: Mr Khoo Tse Horn

PRAYING FOR THE HARVEST...

- Pray that our prayers and evangelism will never stop or lose momentum.
- Pray that we will be resolute in our desire to serve God in evangelism.
- May we work hard while it is still day.

MEMORY VERSE

March 2018

[Jesus said] "Now my soul is troubled, and what shall I say? 'Father, save me from this hour'? No, it was for this very reason I came to this hour. Father, glorify your name!"

John 12:27-28a (NIV)

THE
Meeting
 PLACE

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ

On Tuesday 20th March 2018 we are kicking off with our first talk session at The Meeting Place. We know you enjoyed our Chinese New Year Shopping Outing in January, and we are hoping you will continue to enjoy the rest of this year's programme that we have planned for you.

*We are privileged in March to have Dr. Eric Teo talk to us on **Steps To Healthy Ageing.***

To age healthily is to be able to achieve and maintain good physical and mental well-being while leading an active social life. It is important to keep ourselves healthy, happy and independent as we mature in age. In this topic, Dr. Teo will discuss the physiological and psychological changes that may occur to our body as we age and how we can take simple steps to have a proper diet, regular physical activity, maintaining active social involvement, and engaging in mind challenging activities in order to achieve good health even while we age.

Dr. Eric Teo holds a Doctorate in Public Health from the renowned Loma Linda University, California, USA. He is a registered dietitian accredited by the American Dietetic Association and certified in Public Health by the National Board of Public Health Examiners (USA). He is presently the director of Youngberg Wellness Centre, a recognized workplace health care provider.

*See you on **20th March 2018 @ 2pm in Daniel Room***

Bishop's Lenten Message
14 February 2018
Diocese of Singapore

2018 Year of Prayer: SEEK HIS FACE (Ps 27:8)

In the grace of God, we have begun the Church's season of Prayer & Fasting, the 40-day period that commences on Ash Wednesday and leads into the climactic victory of the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ that we celebrate on Easter Sunday. What will the season mean for you, your family and your small group?

It is amazing that there is resonance across the body of Christ in Singapore that 2018 is to be the Year of Prayer. The Lord goes ahead of us and by His Spirit prepares the way. Many of you will be aware that this Year of Prayer leads to the Year of Proclamation in 2019 (the 'Celebration of Hope' National evangelistic rally); which in turn leads to 2020 as the year of Personal Discipleship. We are entering a **season of god's amazing visitation upon the church and upon the land**. It's all because of God's merciful heart and unstoppable purpose. I believe it will be a visitation of the Lord that leads to radiant holiness, a bumper harvest of souls, righteousness in the land and a marvelous raising of Kingdom workers for the mission fields of the world (in keeping with the Antioch calling of the Church in Singapore).

And I know that such a Visitation of the Lord is undergirded by a Church that gives itself to prayer and fasting.

How can you and I meaningfully participate in this Lenten season?

- (a) Use the *Diocesan Lenten Prayer Guide 2018* in your daily devotions. You can download it from the Diocesan website (www.anglican.org.sg) or ask for a hard copy from your church office. The foreword of the Prayer Guide carries this exhortation: "let's not be caught off guard about what God is doing in our midst. Otherwise, we will miss out on the blessings that accompany His work."
- (b) Set aside at least one day weekly for fasting from food (for a set time) in order to focus on prayer and increase reliance on God. Make that time a special time of praise, adoration & intercession – and a time of attentive listening to God to hear what He may choose to reveal.
- (c) Join a larger group (which can range from a band of just 2-3 persons to a church prayer meeting) at least monthly so that you can join others in lifting up prayers & supplications to Almighty God (Mt 18:19-20; 2 Tim 2:1-6). Please know that there are opportunities for this at our Cathedral Church at St Andrew's during Lent: daily noontime prayer at the Nave from 12:30pm to 1pm Mondays to Fridays; weekly Tuesday Communion and Intercession service from 7:30am to 8:30am. You are welcome to bring friends along. Please also refer to

LoveSingapore's list of 2018 Year of Prayer Gatherings on our Diocesan website (<http://www.anglican.org.sg/page/2018-year-of-prayer>)

What are some common prayer themes that we can all pray for this Lent?

- (a) *Brokenness of spirit*: the defilement of sin in all of us, our repentance from pride, waywardness and self-reliance; acknowledgement of our failures; and our utter dependence upon the Lord apart from whom we can do nothing (Jn 15: 4-5)
- (b) *Oneness of the body*: the true unity of heart and mind among pastors and leaders at the national level as well as at denominational and local church levels: that we will find a new freedom in the Spirit to forgive one another, to stand with one another and to be content to be nameless.
- (c) *Fruitfulness of the harvest*: that the Lord will wonderfully open the eyes of multitudes of people to behold Jesus as God's appointed King over all the earth and to embrace Him truly as their Lord and Savior so they are ready from conversion to serve Him with their lives.
- (d) *Righteousness in our land*: that the moral gate of our nation will be guarded against the tide of liberalism and licentiousness that is sweeping across the nations, philosophies that promise freedom but entrap humankind in fetters and spread the dust of death over society.

Where can you & I begin?

Let us begin by restoring the practice of secret morning devotion with the Lord (Ps 57:8-11) Let us, with the Holy Spirit's help, enter daily the Tent of Meeting (Ex 33:7-11) through adoring prayer and Bible meditation. When we do so, we will begin to experience the promise of the new covenant that beholding the full glory of God in the image of Jesus Christ, we are "being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another" (2 Cor 3:18). What a realm to enter more deeply and explore more fully!

As I start Lent this year with you, I find that God has given me a special anchor text from 1 Tim 6:11-14:

" But as for you, O man of God, flee these things. Pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love steadfastness, gentleness. Fight the good fight of the faith. Take hold of the eternal life... keep the commandment unstained and free from reproach until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ..."

Do keep me in your prayers too so that we might journey into all that God in His boundless goodness has prepared for us. May we become a channel of REVIVAL to His great praise and glory!

Warmly in Christ,

+Rennis