



**SAT, 20 AUG  
& SUN, 21 AUG 2022**

**Saturday services w/ Holy Communion**

Heartbeat – 2.30pm\* (Shalom Hall & [online](#))

English – 5pm (Christ Sanctuary)

Mandarin – 5.30pm (Glory Sanctuary)

**Sunday services w/ Holy Communion**

English – 8.15am (Christ Sanctuary),

11.15am\* (Christ Sanctuary & [online](#))

Mandarin – 10am (Glory Sanctuary)

Tamil – 10am (Bethel Auditorium & Chapel)

Indonesian Fellowship – 11am (C205)

Filipino Service – 1.30pm (Bethel Auditorium)

**Junior Church & Teen Encounter**

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▷ ORDINARY TIME.

This period between the major festive seasons of the church year focuses on the life of the people of God, and is a time for spiritual maturation (liturgical colour = green). The immature wheat and tares (see Matthew 13; do you know which is which?) above remind us to prioritise growing in knowledge and discernment. Read more on this on our [Facebook page](#).

\*Live-streamed;  
for all other service details, please refer to inside pages

## THIS WEEKEND'S SERMONS

SAT, 20 AUG 2022

**2.30pm (Heartbeat) & 5pm (SES)** Finding Strength in the Lord  
(Isaiah 40:27–31; Matthew 7:7–11), by Mr Allen Lim

SUN, 21 AUG 2022

**8.15am (E1) & 11.15am (E2)** Finding Strength in the Lord  
(Isaiah 40:27–31; Matthew 7:7–11), by Mr Allen Lim

sermon  
series:  
**Isaiah Book 2 –  
Finding HOPE**

## NEW TO SJSM?

Whether you joined our online or onsite service today or found us on the web, we are glad you did! Do let us know if you would like more information or prayer, or just give us some feedback by submitting a simple form by clicking/scanning the QR code on the right. Thank you!



### TEEN ENCOUNTER (ages 11–14)

Sat – 5pm (SES),  
Sun – 8.15am (E1) & 11.15am (E2):  
@ L4 rooms

Email [richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg)  
for enquiries or to join.

### JUNIOR CHURCH (ages 3–10)

Sat – 5pm (SES)  
@ Agape Hall

Sun – 8.15am (E1) & 11.15am (E2)

- (Primary) ages 7–10  
@ Agape Hall
- (Preschool: Kindy) ages 5–6  
@ Charis Room
- (Preschool: Nursery) ages 3–4  
@ Chara Room

Email [juniorchurch@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:juniorchurch@sjsm.org.sg)  
for enquiries or to join.

## HOLY COMMUNION PASTORAL CARE & HELP

Homebound SJSMers desiring Holy Communion, or SJSMers in need of help:

1. Contact your Cell Leader, Cell Pastor or Zone Pastor, **OR**
2. Fill in an e-form via the QR code below or at <https://tinyurl.com/SJSMCare3>
3. Prayer for healing, and other forms of pastoral care such as counselling, are available. Get in touch with us at [pastoralcare@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:pastoralcare@sjsm.org.sg)



## CATCH IT AGAIN

Trusting God in Troubled Times

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/9153281>

Our Discipleship Journey

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/9150874>

Character Study Series

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/9329003>

All/Other services

<https://vimeo.com/channels/sjsmchurch>

HEARTBEAT services

<https://tinyurl.com/3dvvbbmr>

# SCHEDULE FOR THE COMING WEEK

## Thu, 25 Aug

7.30pm **The Parenting Children Course (4/5)** (Onsite @ Agape Hall)

## Sat, 27 Aug

2.30pm **Heartbeat Svc** (Onsite @ Shalom Hall; live-streamed on [YouTube](https://www.youtube.com). Email [heartbeat@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:heartbeat@sjsm.org.sg) for more info)

5pm **English Svc** (Onsite @ Christ Sanctuary)

**Junior Church & Teen Encounter**  
(Onsite @ Agape Hall & L4 rooms. Email [juniorchurch@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:juniorchurch@sjsm.org.sg) or [richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg) for more information or to join)

5.30pm **Mandarin Svc** (Onsite @ Glory Sanctuary. Email [sjsmc@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:sjsmc@sjsm.org.sg) for more information or to join)

## Sun, 28 Aug

8.15am **English Svc** (Onsite @ Christ Sanctuary)

**Junior Church & Teen Encounter** (Onsite @ Chara Room, Charis Room, Agape Hall & L4 rooms. Email [juniorchurch@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:juniorchurch@sjsm.org.sg) or [richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg) for more information or to join)

10am **Mandarin Svc** (Onsite @ Glory Sanctuary. Email [sjsmc@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:sjsmc@sjsm.org.sg) for more information or to join)

**Tamil Svc** (Onsite @ Bethel Auditorium & Chapel. Email [solomon@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:solomon@sjsm.org.sg) for more information or to join)

11am **Indonesian Fellowship** (Onsite @ C205. Email [sallyho@heartfriends.org.sg](mailto:sallyho@heartfriends.org.sg) for more information or to join)

11.15am **English Svc** (Onsite @ Christ Sanctuary; live-streamed via [sjsm.online.church](https://www.sjsm.org.sg/online.html), [SJSM Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/SJSM), and [www.sjsm.org.sg/online.html](https://www.sjsm.org.sg/online.html))

**Junior Church & Teen Encounter** (Onsite @ Chara Room, Charis Room, Agape Hall & L4 rooms. Email [juniorchurch@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:juniorchurch@sjsm.org.sg) or [richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg) for more information or to join)

1.30pm **Filipino Svc** (Onsite @ Bethel Auditorium. Email [juanita@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:juanita@sjsm.org.sg) for more information)

2pm **Faith Foundations (I) (4/4)** (Onsite @ B405)

## Misc. details

### Sermon

#### Heartbeat

A Light for the Nations (Isaiah 42:1–9), by Mr Gavin Chew

#### SES, E1 & E2

A Light for the Nations (Isaiah 42:1–9), by Mr Richard Lau

### Cell Groups

Looking for a group to grow and serve with? Join a cell group! For more information, write to [cell@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:cell@sjsm.org.sg)

### Youth Ministry

Comprises Teen Encounter (ages 11–14) and Heartbeat (ages 15–20). To find out more, email [richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg)

### Join a Ministry

Volunteer with us in serving the larger church community! Find out more about the opportunities available [here](#) (or scan the QR code below).



## INTERESTED IN STARTING A GROUND-UP INITIATIVE?

Do you have ideas on how to improve our community here in SJSM Village? Or would you like to do something that's not already being covered by any of our ministries?

We would love to meet you and find out how we can help you get started. Get in touch with Ms Chua Kim Yien ([kimyien@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:kimyien@sjsm.org.sg)) to get the conversation started!

# NOTICES

## DIOCESAN CERTIFICATE OF BIBLICAL STUDIES (online)

2022 Term 4 (starting 15 Sep) open for registration

Course fees: \$10 per module, \$5 per examination

### OLD TESTAMENT

#### The Writings II

*Books covered: Ruth, Esther, Daniel, Ezra–Nehemiah, Song of Solomon, Lamentations, 1 & 2 Chronicles*

15 Sep–10 Nov (9 Thursdays) @ 7.30–9pm

Instructors: Revd Steven Seah, Mr David Ng,  
Ms Patricia Aw, Ms Veronica Wong

### NEW TESTAMENT

#### The Book of Revelation

15 Sep–8 Dec (12 Thursdays; break on 27 Oct) @ 7.30–9pm

Instructor: Mr Stanley Tay

Registration closes on Wed, 21 Sep 2022. Sign up and/or get details at [www.sph.org.sg/school-of-biblical-studies](http://www.sph.org.sg/school-of-biblical-studies).

### HOPE EXPLORED: A COURSE FOR YOUNG ADULTS

Join Andrew Ponniah, Counsellor, for a three-part study of the Gospel of Luke, looking at the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus and how we can find meaningful hope through His life and deeds.

Dates: 3 & 17 Sep, 1 Oct 2022

Time: 11am–12.30pm

Format: Watch a filmlet, discuss a question,  
explore a Bible passage

Platform: Online via Zoom

Google "Hope Explored" for more information, or get in touch with Andrew via 9820 0904. [Click here](#) to register.

### CLEARING THE CONFUSION ABOUT THE ANGLICAN CHURCH'S STRUCTURE

*This lecture is relevant to all Anglicans*

Instructor: Revd Dr Joshua Sudharman

Date: Wed, 31 Aug 2022

Time: 8pm–9.30pm

Venue: Onsite @ Trinity Theological College  
& online via Zoom

Details and the registration link can be found at [www.sph.org.sg](http://www.sph.org.sg).

### SAVE THE DATE! YOUTH CAMP 2022: 16–19 DEC

Mark your calendars and plan your leave dates and holidays around this, as this year's hotly anticipated youth camp will be happening from Fri, 16 Dec to Mon, 19 Dec 2022. More details will be released soon via our usual platforms. Stay tuned!



**LET'S CONNECT:  
LIFE TOGETHER  
IN DISCIPLING RELATIONSHIPS**

### **NEXTGEN SERVERS WANTED!**

Email us if you're keen to help disciple little ones!

Preschool:

[kerineau@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:kerineau@sjsm.org.sg)

Primary:

[victorcheong@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:victorcheong@sjsm.org.sg)

Teen Encounter:

[richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg)

## CONNECT WITH US

### BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Write to [info@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:info@sjsm.org.sg) to furnish us with relevant details.

### MARRIAGE/WEDDINGS

Planning to get married?  
Write to the Family Life Ministry at [flm@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:flm@sjsm.org.sg).

### BEREAVEMENT

Please get in touch so that we can support you. Contact your cell leader, cell pastor, Zone Pastor, or the Church Office via 6777 0934 or [pastoralcare@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:pastoralcare@sjsm.org.sg).

## GIVING

### TITHES AND OFFERINGS

#### Via Bank Transfer

#### Name of Bank Account:

St John's - St Margaret's Church

#### Account Number:

360-303-092-1

#### Branch Code: 030

#### Bank Code: 7375

#### Bank Name: UOB

#### Via PayNow



#### Via cash and cheques

Cheques and cash may be placed directly in the offering box at the exits. Member's stewardship number accompanying tithes is no longer required.

## STAFF RECRUITMENT NEEDS

1. Administrator
2. Pastoral Staff (Youth)
3. Ministry Staff (Youth)
4. Ministry Staff (Junior Church)
5. Alpha Team Lead – Outreach & Missions
6. Centre Manager, Heartfriends BASC

To apply, visit [www.sjsm.org.sg/recruitment](http://www.sjsm.org.sg/recruitment) for details.

For information on vacancies at **SJSM Nursing Home**, visit [www.sjsm.org.sg/nh-recruitment](http://www.sjsm.org.sg/nh-recruitment). Currently available opportunities include:

1. Senior/Executive, Volunteer Management
2. Operations/Facilities Assistant

## ST. ANDREW'S SENIOR CARE (DOVER) OPEN FOR REGISTRATION

Offering a range of eldercare services to support seniors with multiple care needs and provide respite to caregivers, St. Andrew's Senior Care (Dover) is open for registration. These services include maintenance day care, dementia day care, community rehabilitation, and centre-based nursing.

For enrolment enquiries, please call 6430 7552 or email [sasc\\_dover@sasc.org.sg](mailto:sasc_dover@sasc.org.sg).

## PRIVATE BEDS AVAILABLE AT SJSM NURSING HOME

If you would like to refer and admit your loved ones to SJSM Nursing Home, please contact June Wong at 8440 8422 or [june\\_wong@sanh.org.sg](mailto:june_wong@sanh.org.sg).

## WEDDING NOTICE

We want to rejoice with these members who have filed their notice with the Registry of Marriages, Singapore:

**ANDY CHAN WAI YEE & SOPHIA LOO HUI YI**

**Date/Time:** Sat, 27Aug 2022 @ 9.30am

**Venue:** Glory Sanctuary

If anyone knows of any reason why they may not lawfully marry, please inform the Vicar (SJSM) or the Registrar of Marriages before the wedding date.

## TITHES & OFFERINGS (updated monthly)

	Jan-Jul 2022 (\$)	Jul 2022 (\$)
<b>General Fund (Budgeted collections)</b>	4,826,948	689,564
<b>General Fund (Actual collections)*</b>	4,507,294	558,153
<b>Excess / (Shortfall)</b>	(319,654)	(131,411)

# PRAYER @ SJSM

## 10TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

**LECTIONARY READINGS:** Psalm 119:73–88; Jonah 2; Revelation 1

**COLLECT:** Almighty Father, whose Son Jesus Christ has taught us that what we do for the least of our brethren we do also for Him: give us the will to be the servant of others as He was the Servant of all, who gave up His life and died for us, but is alive and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

## SJSM VILLAGE (SJSMV)

### OUR PARISH

- **Leadership.** Pray for personal and corporate encounters with the Lord as the staff team seeks God for His direction for SJSM in 2023. May they discern the condition of the flock and shepherd SJSM with divine wisdom and knowledge (Pr 27:23; 2 Ch 1:10). Pray for anointing to facilitate His presence at the Leaders Gathering (10 Sept), that all leaders may hear what the Spirit is saying to His church and delight in obeying His commands (Rev 3:22; 1 Sam 15:22).

### OUR EXTENDED COMMUNITY

- **Official Opening of SJSM NH, SASC (Dover), & LSP (SJSM) on 14 Sep.** Give thanks to the Lord for hand-holding us through the PSW season, blessing us with experiential knowledge of Him in the process. Pray for the Nursing Home, Senior Care, and Childcare Opening Ceremony, and the SJSMV Dedication Service. May the occasion build yet another altar unto God in SJSM's spiritual journey. May the spirit of celebration bind all hearts in SJSMV with thanksgiving. (Ps 9:1–2)

## OUR NATION

**Homosexuality.** May all Singaporeans (regardless of race, language, religion, gender, or generation) be awakened to the grave social consequences of normalising the practice of homosexuality. Pray for all parliamentarians to be united in heart and mind to uphold moral values in our society and to safeguard the traditional norm for marriage as the union of a man and a woman. Pray for our state leaders to be astute in addressing highly controversial issues in a manner that will serve to impart to the public sound judgement and ethical principles that seek the long-term good of the nation.

**Arts & Media Arena.** Pray for the body of Christ in this arena to rise up to their calling as a royal priesthood, that they may intercede for spiritual awakening and exercise godly influence in the arts and media circles (1 Pe 2:9; Jer 15:19). May the culture in this arena be transformed, that it may become God's instrument for shaping values and behaviours.

## THE WORLD

**World Peace.** Pray for peaceful solutions concerning Taiwan and Ukraine, and for de-escalation of propagandas that are polarising the nations. May the heads of the superpowers heed the dangers of a global cold war that can have devastating effects (economically and socially) for many generations. Pray for the installation of leaders who seek to provide altruistic global leadership to pursue world peace and the common good of humanity. Pray for believers to intercede for their nations and governments, that spiritual awakening may come upon their leaders and their lands. (Pr 29:2)

## PRAYER & INTERCESSION MINISTRY

To join an intercession group, write to [prayer@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:prayer@sjsm.org.sg).

# UPCOMING HIGHLIGHTS



## CONFIRMATION COURSE *New Life in Christ 1B*

### Classes

4, 11, 18 & 25 Sep  
2–4pm @ B405

### Retreat

Sat, 15 Oct (onsite)

### Confirmation Service

Sat, 29 Oct (SES)

*Note: This course is essential for baptised Christians who wish to be Confirmed in the Anglican Church.*

**Register by Wed, 31 Aug at**

<https://tinyurl.com/confirmsJSM>.

**For enquiries, please email [ce@sjsm.org.sg](mailto:ce@sjsm.org.sg).**

**PRAY SINGAPORE**  
UNTIL | HOUSES OF PRAYER

### SJSM's timeslot:

12pm–1pm (admission starts 11.55am),  
every 2nd Thursday monthly until further notice  
▶ Thursday, 8 September ◀

### ZOOM DETAILS

Meeting ID: 883 7934 9862

Passcode: 916290

Scan the QR code or  
visit the link below  
for details.



This LoveSingapore initiative sees at least 1 local church praying for our nation for at least 1 hour, every day. SJSM is committed to standing in the gap for our nation at such a time as this. Join us in loving Singapore through persistent, practical prayers!

[www.sjsm.org.sg/prayer-intercession](http://www.sjsm.org.sg/prayer-intercession)

Come find out what the Bible says  
about the purpose, principles,  
and practice of biblical parenting.

## BIBLICAL PARENTING

Sun, 18 Sep @ Agape Hall  
2.30pm–4.30pm



Register by Sun, 21 Aug at  
<https://tinyurl.com/biblicalparentingcourse>

*Note: Parents who wish their children to undergo infant baptism are required to attend.*



## YOUTH CAMP 2022



**16–19 DEC (FRI–MON)**  
**SAVE THE DATE!**

**Bishop of Singapore**  
*Rt Revd Dr Titus Chung*

**Assistant Bishop**  
*Rt Revd Low Jee King*

**Archdeacon of Singapore**  
*Ven Daniel Wee*

**Vicar**  
*Revd Alvin Toh*

**Clergy**  
*Ven Wong Tak Meng*  
*Revd Andrew Raman*  
*Revd Dino Thangamany*  
*Revd Ian Dierden (Indochina)*

**Auxiliary Clergy**  
*Revd Vincent Hoon*

**Deaconesses**  
*Ds Laura Chan*  
*Ds Bessie Lee*

**Chinese Congregation**  
*Revd Thong Tang Hiong*

**Tamil Congregation**  
*Revd Solomon Periyanyakam*



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