



**SAT, 22 FEB
& SUN, 23 FEB 2025**

Saturday services

Heartbeat Youth – 2:30pm

(Shalom Hall & [online](#))

English - 5pm (Christ Sanctuary)

Mandarin – 5pm (Glory Sanctuary)

Sunday services

English – 8.15am (Christ Sanctuary)

& 10.45am* (Christ Sanctuary & [online](#))

Indonesian Fellowship – 10.45am (B402)

Mandarin – 10am (Glory Sanctuary)

Tamil – 10am (Bethel Auditorium)

Filipino – 1.30pm (Bethel Auditorium)

**Junior Church & Teen Encounter
details on next page**

EPIPHANYTIDE

...from the Greek “epiphaneia” means “manifestation” or “appearance”. In this season of the church calendar, we focus on Jesus’ entrance and journey in public ministry and are mindful of the mission of the Church to reach the peoples that Christ may be revealed to them.

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

This Weekend's Sermons

SATURDAY, 22 FEBRUARY 2025

2:30pm (Heartbeat) Becoming God's People Means...Going in His Strength (Ex 17:8-16) by Revd Calvin Tan | **5pm (SES)** Becoming God's People Means...Going in His Strength (Ex 17:8-16) by Prof John Lim

SUNDAY, 23 FEBRUARY 2025

8.15am (E1) & 10.45am (E2) Becoming God's people means... Going in His Strength (Ex 17:8-16) by Prof John Lim

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!



The following are the usual classes for children. Variations will be announced in the bulletin and through the teachers



Teen Encounter

(Ages 11-13)

Sat, 5pm (SES) @ B405

Sun, 8.15am (E1) @ B405

Sun, 10.45am (E2) @ B405

Email richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg for enquiries.

Junior Church

SATURDAY - 5pm (SES)

Primary (7-10 yrs) @ Charis

Preschool (3-6 yrs) @ Chara

SUNDAY - 8.15am (E1) & 10.45am (E2)

Primary (7-10 yrs) @ Agape Hall

Preschool: Kindy (5-6 yrs) @ Charis

Preschool: Nursery (3-4 yrs) @ Chara

Email juniorchurch@sjsm.org.sg for enquiries.

Need Help?

Do connect with us in any of the following ways.

1. Visit/chat with a pastoral staff or request for Holy Communion (for homebound persons):
Email: pastoralcare@sjsm.org.sg
call 67770934, or submit this online form <https://tinyurl.com/SJSMCare3>
2. Clinical counselling (for members or members to refer):
Email counselling@sjsm.org.sg
3. Visit the Healing service
Thursdays, 8pm, Chapel:
Email: sjsmhealingsvc@gmail.com



catch it again



A Study on Becoming God's People (Exodus)

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/11517304>

Advent, Christmas & Covenant 2024

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/11506954>

HEARTBEAT services

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

A Study on Hospitality (Luke)

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/10908415>

A Study on Hospitality (Acts)

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/11070356>

All recordings

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

This Coming Week

Tue, 25 February

11.00am **Tea Terrace** (*Tea Terrace*)

7.45pm **Know the Word (3/10)** (Bethel Auditorium)

Thu, 27 February

11.00am **Tea Terrace** (*Tea Terrace*)

8.00pm **Healing Service** (*Chapel*)

Fri, 28 February

7.45pm **Church Prayer Gathering** (*Christ Sanctuary*)

Sat, 1 March

5.00pm **English & Hi@5 Service** (*Christ Sanctuary*)

Mandarin Service (*Glory Sanctuary*)

Email sjsmc@sjsm.org.sg for info.

Sun, 2 March

8.15am **English Service** (*Christ Sanctuary*)

10.00am **Mandarin Service** (*Glory Sanctuary*)

Tamil Service (*Bethel Auditorium*)

Email Solomon@sjsm.org.sg for info.

10.45am **English Service** (*Christ Sanctuary & online*)

Indonesian Fellowship (*B402*)

Email sallyho@heartfriends.org.sg for info.

1.30pm **Filipino Service** (*Bethel Auditorium*)

Email juanita@sjsm.org.sg for info.

Save These Dates!

- **Mar 28:**
Church Prayer Gathering
- **Apr 13:**
Combined 10am service
- **Apr 13:**
Annual General Meeting
- **Apr 30 – May 1:**
Overnight Church Prayer Gathering
- **Jun 12 - 14:**
Church Conference w/Andrew Gardener
- **Jul 11-13:**
Hearing The Voice Of God Retreat
- **Sep 12-14**
Men's Breakthrough Weekend
- **Oct 31 – Nov 2**
Junior Church & Teen Encounter Camp
- **Dec 12 - 15**
Heartbeat Youth Camp



Sermon series on the book of Exodus

BECOMING GOD'S PEOPLE MEANS...

- Becoming: His people, His village* • 4 & 5 Jan
- The goodness of God in the time of our trials* • 11 & 12 Jan
- Responding to God's Call* • 18 & 19 Jan
- Persevering in the midst of opposition* • 25 & 26 Jan
- Remembering His Deliverance* • 1 & 2 Feb
- Trusting God in Uncertainty - Go Forward* • 8 & 9 Feb
- Being a people of worship and thanksgiving* • 15 & 16 Feb
- Going in His Strength* • 22 & 23 Feb
- Overcoming Idolatry (The golden calf)* • 1 & 2 Mar

NOTICES

ANNUAL LEADERS' COMMISSIONING: 22/23 Feb

We are grateful for the leaders from the adult congregation God has raised in our midst, who have willingly stepped forward to take on leadership responsibilities in SJSM. Let us support them in prayer as they are commissioned at SES, E1 & E2 this weekend.

ZONE PASTORS: Mok Kim Terng & Doreen, Gerry & Page Ong, Fam Wee Shun | **CELL PASTORS:** Abel & Joni Thio, Kwok Kai Choong, Larry Choi, Ronald & Adeline Ang |

CELL LEADERS: Helen Leung, Leo June Kit, Mary Sai, Lee Siew Hoon, Dave Poh, Roger Mun, Teo Hong Xin, James Cheong | **ASST CELL LEADERS:** Pearl Sim, Deborah Tenggara |

JUNIOR CHURCH: Juvylin Sabido | **MISSIONS COMMITTEE:** Raymond Sim, Sylwanus Devadasan

LEADERSHIP CHANGES

As announced at the 8/9 Feb services, Revd Victor Teo will step down as Vicar of SJSM, and Ven Wong Tak Meng will be appointed Vicar of SJSM, from 1 May 2025.

Ps Victor will take a sabbatical from 1 May to 31 July 2025.

On 1 August 2025, he will be appointed as Honorary Priest of SJSM and Chaplain with the Singapore Anglican Community Services Chaplaincy. Please keep our pastors in prayer as they take on these new responsibilities.

WOMEN AT THE WELL SOCIAL: SAT, 1 MAR, 10am

Come join us for fellowship, games and brunch at this first gathering for 2025! Open to all SJSM ladies aged 18 and above. Please register by **Mon 24 Feb** (8pm) at <https://tinyurl.com/wowsocial25>.

JUNIOR CHURCH MISSION TRIP: 31 MAY – 5 JUN

Location & Cost: Trang, Cambodia | appr \$600-700/pax
Junior Church is organising a 2-day children's camp. This trip is open to families with children 6-10 yrs old. Register by **9 Mar** at <https://tinyurl.com/JC2Cambodia>. Spaces are limited and filled on a first come, first serve basis.

MISSIONS FELLOWSHIP TEA: SAT, 08 MAR, 1 - 4 PM, B405 Equipping For Tentmaking And Bi-vocational Missions

Come and listen to the sharing of a former Singaporean bivocational missions worker on his journey and his reflection about how the whole people of God can be engaged to reach even those in restricted nations! Find out more and register your interest by visiting <https://tinyurl.com/SJSMMFTReg>.

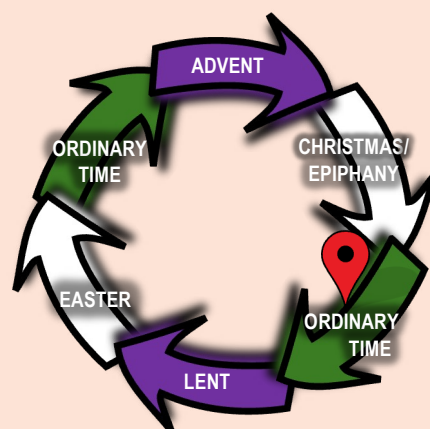
CHURCH PRAYER GATHERING: FRI, 28 FEB, 7:45pm

Theme: Praying for our shepherds

Let's gather together as one body to pray for those who shepherd our SJSM community. See you on Friday!

The Liturgical Year

The Liturgical Year or the Church Calendar, was developed by the early Christians to remind us that while we move through our current timeline, we are still a part of God's missional timeline and purposes. So the liturgical year helps us to remember and relive the story of Jesus' time on earth and what was accomplished. It also reminds us that we the church, must keep our focus to fulfil God's mission in the world.



Join the Staff Team

1. Operations & HR Administrator (FT)
2. Assoc Chaplain, Chaplaincy (PT)
3. Facilities Assistant (FT)

Details at

[www.sjsm.org.sg/
recruitment](http://www.sjsm.org.sg/recruitment)

connect With us

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Write to info@sjsm.org.sg to furnish us with details.

MARRIAGE/WEDDINGS

Planning to get married? Write to the Family Life Ministry at 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

giving Tithes and Offerings

Via Bank Transfer

Name of Bank Account:
St John's –
St Margaret's Church
Acct #: 360-303-092-1
Branch Code: 030
Bank Code: 7375
Bank Name: UOB

Via PayNow (scan from your banking app or save to use from your gallery)

UEN: T08CC4080B



Cheques and cash may be placed into the offertory boxes at the exits as you leave the service

ALPHA TRAINING: Newbies (8 Mar) & Refresher (22 Mar)

Time & Venue: 1 – 3.45pm | Agape Hall

This training aims to help anyone to help others encounter Jesus through the Alpha course. If you are intending to run the Alpha course, this is required, but all are welcome, regardless! Do come and be equipped! Register by 2 Mar at <https://tinyurl.com/Alpha-Training>

HEALTHTOUCH (MEDICAL MISSIONS) RECRUITMENT

HealthTouch is a community of SJSMers who are passionate about overseas medical missions and committed to serving the healthcare needs of those who may not have access to them. If you would like to serve with your skillsets as a doctor, dentist, nurse, pharmacist, psychologist, educator, or IT professional, or simply have the heart to serve in this area of ministry, do connect with us at sjsm.healthtouch@gmail.com

BIBLE SOCIETY LENT DEVOTIONAL 2025

Get softcopies of the Bible Society of Singapore's Lenten devotional at S\$3.43 each (inclusive of GST) from this link: <https://payhip.com/TheBibleSocietyofSingapore>

ASH WEDNESDAY/START OF LENT

Ash Wednesday Holy Communion Service: 5 Mar, 8pm

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent – a time to honour and remember Christ's suffering to grant eternal life to all who will receive. Do mark your calendars to attend the service and start this Lent season together

WEDDING NOTICES

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

KAW JUN YAO & LEE WEI RU

Date: 10am, 01 Mar, 2025 | 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

OUR HEARTFELT CONDOLENCES TO...

Ong Gek Kuan & Yap Chuen Kong (Children: Kai Herng & Kai Xing). Gek Kuan's beloved brother was called home to the Lord on Sun, 16 February 2025.

TITHES & OFFERINGS (updated monthly/*budgeted & excess/shortfall amts published after AGM)

General Fund	Jan - Jan 2025(\$)	Jan 2025 (\$)
Budgeted collections*	N/A until after AGM	N/A until after AGM
Actual collections	818,243	818,243
Excess/(Shortfall)*	N/A until after AGM	N/A until after AGM

PRAYER @ SJSM

2ND SUNDAY BEFORE LENT

LECTIONARY READINGS: Psalm 104:1-26; Job 28:1-11; Acts 14:8-17

COLLECT: Eternal God, whose Son Jesus Christ is for all mankind the way, the truth, and the life: grant us to walk in His way, to rejoice in His truth, and to share His risen life; who is alive and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

SJSM VILLAGE (SJSMV)

OUR PARISH

- **Amendment of Constitution.** Regarding the amendment on Definition of Electoral Roll Membership, Quorum Number and AGM Adjournment Period, pray for (a) God to guard and guide the entire constitution amendment process, including consultations with SJSMers via the Cell Network, engagement at the Pre-AGM Forum on 22 Mar, and review by the Bishop and Diocese; (b) SJSMers to be participative and to engage constructively in discussions and any decision-making while maintaining the unity of the Spirit (Eph 4:3), leading to God's will be done at the AGM.
- **Short-Term Mission Trips.** Thank God for the harvest fields around us, including those in restricted access nations. Pray for Holy Spirit to (a) ignite passion for the lost in the SJSM family to co-labour with God in short-term mission trips, like Junior Church Mission Trip to Cambodia (31 May - 5 June); (b) call and convict many, especially first-timers, to attend the Missions Fellowship Tea (8 Mar) to gain insights on how hearts and talents can be meaningfully engaged for missions.
- **Church Prayer Gathering (28 Feb).** Pray that the SJSM family will gather with one heart to behold and beseech the Lord for His abounding grace and anointing for the Shepherds in our Diocese and Parish (Jer 3:15). May the Lord take delight in our unity and communal petitions, and bestow His blessing of anointing oil on all at the CPG. (Ps 133)

OUR NATION

- **Substance Abuse.** (ST: More drug abusers under 20 years old nabbed in 2024; youngest was 13, meth most commonly abused: CNB) Pray for (a) protection of our young from the scourge of drug addiction and better outreach to youths-at-risk to engage them productively; (b) more help for affected families to cope with living with addicted loved ones; (c) incarcerated addicts to hear the gospel and to experience Christ's love and hope for a drug-free life. (Luke 4:18)

THE WORLD

- **Peace for Ukraine.** Pray for God's merciful intervention in the war in Ukraine and the protection of European continent's security. Amid the uproar at the US declarations delivered at the recently held Munich Security Conference, the subsequent European leaders' emergency strategy huddle, and the potential US-Russia deal to end the war in Ukraine, may the Lord direct and turn the hearts of relevant leaders like streams of water to accomplish His higher purposes, bringing about an end to the conflict in Ukraine and protecting the peace of Europe (Pr 21:1). Pray for the outpouring of the Spirit to bring a harvest of souls, and comfort and healing to those suffering and caught in the conflicts.

DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER

Download the latest file at www.anglican.org.sg.

PRAYER & INTERCESSION MINISTRY

To join an intercession group, write to prayer@sjsm.org.sg.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT RETREAT

DATE Fri 9 May - Sun 11 May, 2025
VENUE Grand Paragon Hotel, Johor Bahru
COST \$330 per pax
 \$40 for 2 way transportation (optional)
SPEAKER Rt Rev Dr Chris Chia
CLOSING DATE Mon 3 Mar, 2359hrs

Registration ends 3 Mar!



<https://tinyurl.com/SJSM-MER2025>

3 PRAY...
 for 3 people to know the Lord Jesus.

2 REACH...
 out to at least 2 people.

1 SHARE...
 the gospel and your testimony with at least one person.

Prayerfully consider 3 people whose salvation you are trusting God for this year.

I'm praying for...


NAME (3 2 1)

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"I am the voice of one calling in the wilderness. Make straight the way for the Lord." John 1:23 

Visit the booth after the service to pick up your card or get your personalized E-card!



For the e-card, scan the QR code or visit <https://tinyurl.com/SJSMJn123Card>

Registration ends next weekend!

SATURDAY FELLOWSHIP DINNER

\$8/person

Whatsapp Esther by 2 Mar at 9785 5414

8 MAR 6.30PM

Peranakan Theme!

Befrienders Training

Learn to provide pastoral care to the elderly & sick

Saturday 8 March 9am – 12.30pm with Ps Dino

Register by 1 Mar, 12pm



Registration ends next Saturday

To register, scan the QR code or visit <https://tinyurl.com/SJSMBefriendTrg>

Useful Links

COURSES & EVENTS (reg by)


- **Women at the Well Social (24 Feb)**
tinyurl.com/wowsocial25
- **Befrienders' Training (1 Mar)**
tinyurl.com/SJSMBefriendTrg
- **Saturday Fellowship Dinner (2 Mar)**
 Whatsapp Esther - 9785 5414
- **Marriage Enrichment Retreat (3 Mar)**
tinyurl.com/SJSM2025MER
- **Missions Fellowship Tea (6 Mar)**
tinyurl.com/SJSMMFTReg
- **JC Mission Trip (9 Mar)**
tinyurl.com/JC2Cambodia
- **Chinese Camp (16 Mar)**
tinyurl.com/CFDCCamp2025
- **Lenten devotional (16 Mar)**
<https://payhip.com/TheBibleSocietyofSingapore>

SERVE/VOLUNTEER

- **HealthTouch volunteer**
sjsm.healthtouch@gmail.com
- **Mentor NextGen Leaders**
tinyurl.com/SJSMNexGenMentoring
- **2025 Mission Trips**
www.sjsm.org.sg/missions.html
- **Village volunteer**
www.sjsm.org.sg/volunteer-sjsm-village.html
- **SJSM volunteer**
www.sjsm.org.sg/volunteer.html
- **Refreshment/Tea Terrace**
info@sjsm.org.sg

Join/Visit a cell!

Looking for a group to grow and serve with? Submit a form (click/scan the QR code) to request to visit or join a group or email cell@sjsm.org.sg.



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