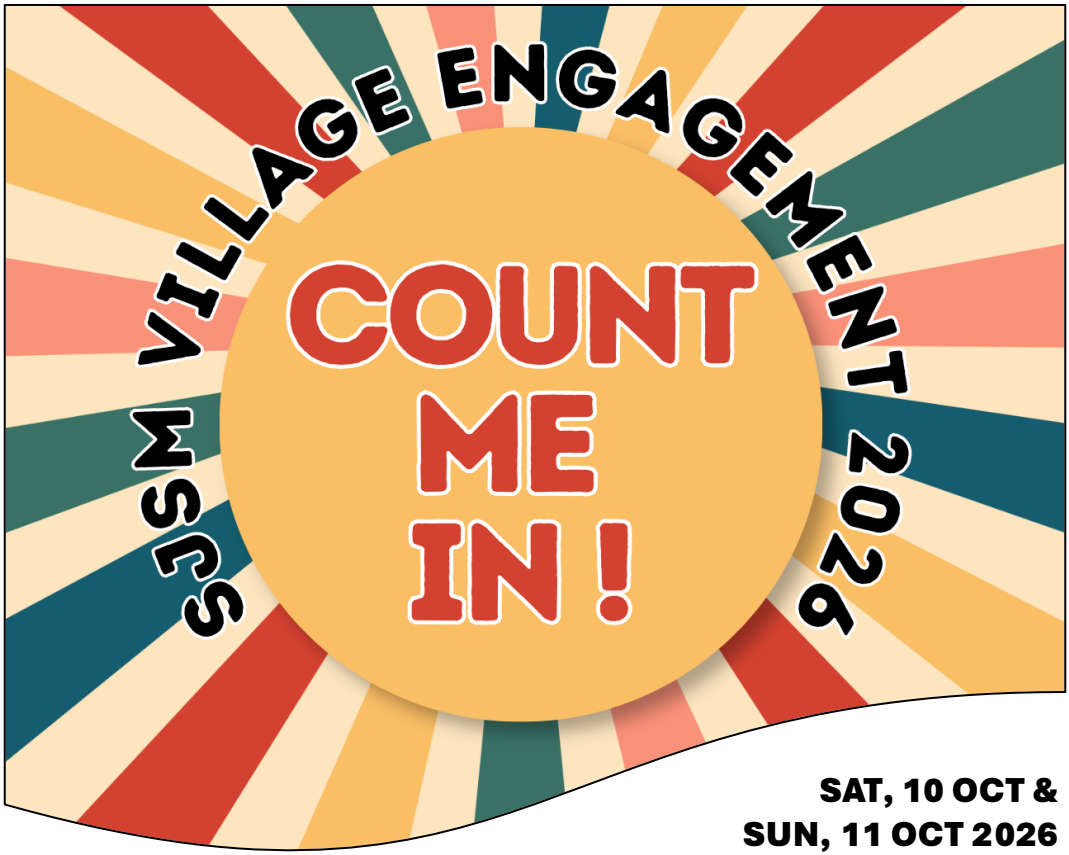
ST. JOHN'S – ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH



SAT, 10 OCT & SUN, 11 OCT 2026

SATURDAY SERVICES

Heartbeat Youth – 2.30pm (Shalom Hall)

English – 5pm (Christ Sanctuary)

Mandarin – 5pm (Glory Sanctuary)

SUNDAY SERVICES

English – 8.15am & 10.45am*
(Christ Sanctuary/*online)

Indonesian Fellowship – 10.45am (B402)

Mandarin – 10am (Glory Sanctuary)

Tamil – 10am (Bethel Auditorium)

Filipino – 1.30pm (Bethel Auditorium)

Regular Junior Church & Teen Encounter meeting details on next page

ORDINARY TIME

At "Ordinary Time" our focus shifts away from the great feasts of sacred history (Advent, Christmas, Epiphany, Easter, Ascension, Pentecost) into our ongoing growth as Christians belonging to the Triune God. We are reminded to focus on maturing in our love and service in our day-to-day living, to grow in embracing God's sovereignty in our hearts and advancing His Kingdom in the world.

This Weekend's Sermons

SATURDAY, 10 Oct
2.30pm (Heartbeat) & 5.00pm (SES) :
SJSM Village - Shepherding the Community
(John 10:14-18, 27-30; 21:15-19) The Ven Wong Tak Meng

SUNDAY, 11 Oct
8.15am (E1) & 10:45am (E2) :
SJSM Village - Shepherding the Community
(John 10:14-18, 27-30; 21:15-19) The Ven Wong Tak Meng

New to SJSM?

We are glad you found us! 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 or visit *https://tinyurl.com/SJSMVisitor*. Thank you!

For new enrolments, please use the link *https://tinyurl.com/JCRegistrations*. Returning children need not register again.



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. Request for clinical counselling (for members or members to refer):
   tinyurl.sjsm.org.sg/counselling-req
3. Visit the Healing service
   Thursdays, 8pm, Chapel:
   Email: ***sjsmhealingsvc@gmail.com***



catch it again



Missed a service or want to review a sermon?
Most E2 services and other livestreamed services are recorded.
Do note, however, that not all services are recorded.

Latest services on SJSM Web including sermon notes
https://sjsm.org.sg/sermon-archives/

Service recordings archive on YouTube
https://www.youtube.com/@sjsmchurch-anglican

Heartbeat sermon archives
https://www.youtube.com/@heartbeatsjsm

This Coming Week (no registration required)

Tue, 13 Oct

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

Thu, 15 Oct

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

2.00pm **Seniors' Fellowship 4th Anniversary** *(Bethel Auditorium)*

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

Sat, 17 Oct

5.00pm **Saturday Evening/Hi-5 Confirmation & Holy Communion Service** *(Christ Sanctuary)*

Mandarin Service *(Glory Sanctuary)*
Visit https://sjsmchinese.org/ for more info.

Sun, 18 Oct

8.15am **English Morning Holy Communion Service** *(Christ Sanctuary)*

10.00am **Mandarin Service** *(Glory Sanctuary)*
Visit https://sjsmchinese.org/ for more info.

Tamil Service *(Bethel Auditorium)*
Visit https://tamil.sjsm.org.sg/ for info.

10.45am **English Morning Holy Communion Service** *(Christ Sanctuary & online).*

Indonesian Fellowship *(B402)*
email IndoFS@sjsm.org.sg

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

Save These Dates!

- **Nov 13-15:** Combined BB/GB & TE Camp
- **Dec 18-21:** Heartbeat Camp
- **Dec 24, 5 & 8pm:** Christmas Eve Gospel Svc (5pm w/concurrent children's programme)
- **Dec 25, 10am:** Christmas Day Holy Communion Svc
- **Dec 26:** No HB & Saturday Svcs
- **Dec 27, 10am:** Sunday Combined Svc
- **Dec 31, 8pm:** Covenant Holy Communion Svc

NEXT WEEK'S SERMONS

Sat 17 Oct
(SES with Hi-5):
He Saw, and He had Compassion on Them
(Isa 35.1-10; Mt 14.23-21)
The Rt Revd John Chew

Sun 18 Oct
(E1/E2):
Accept The Timothys
(1 Cor 16:10-14)
Revd Calvin Tan



1 Corinthians: Building Together – Personal Purity of the Believer

The Transformed & Resurrected Body • ***19 & 20 Sep***
Not In Vain • ***26 & 27 Sep***
Engaging In The Work Of The Lord • ***03 & 04 Oct***
Accept The Timothys • ***17 & 18 Oct***
The Love That Stiches The Church Together • ***24 & 25 Oct***

SJSM VILLAGE ENGAGEMENT WEEKEND
This weekend, we take time to focus on our SJSM Village and be reminded of the call to love our neighbours in the Dover community. Do indicate your interest in getting involved with this form: *tinyurl.com/village-engagement* and we will be in touch with you soon!

APPRECIATION & THANKSGIVING FOR DS LAURA
Sunday, after E1 service | Community Hall
Thanks again to all who are contributing food. We look forward to our time to honour our dear Ds Laura this Sunday after E1. Deaconess Laura has lovingly put together her testimony, sharing her journey and God's faithfulness through the years in a booklet as her gift to us as she retires from the staff team. Please be sure to pick up a copy of the booklet to keep as a little reminder of God's goodness and her love and ministry among us.

WOMEN AT THE WELL SOCIAL
Sat 17 Oct, 9am – 11.30am, Agape Hall (Lvl 2)
Come join us for a time of fun games, good conversations, and delicious food and build on our friendship ties as we've been learning about this year. NB: This event is open only to SJSM ladies, aged 18 and above. Register at *https://sjsm.org.sg/event/wow/ by Tues!*

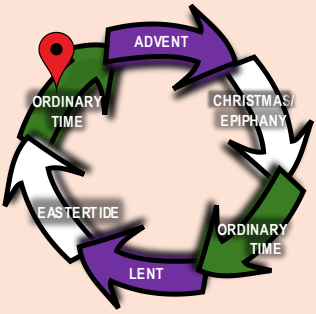
CREATION CARE WALK: SAT 17 OCT, 9am – 11am
Reg by Tue 13 Oct | Meet at Concourse
Go on a 'walk-of-worship' with us at nearby Dover Meadows. Deepen our attentiveness to nature and connect these outdoor observations to our Creator God. Let's wonder at His beautiful design together! More details can be found *https://sjsm.org.sg/event/ccwalk/.*

THEOLOGICAL TRAINING FUND FUNDRAISER: 7 & 8 NOV
Come purchase handicraft items made by a group of SJSMers and support the Theological Training Fund. The sale will take place before and after the weekend services on **7 & 8 Nov**. Crafts include framed paintings, pottery, floral wreaths, handmade jewellery, pouches, gift bags/cards, Christmas ornaments, fridge magnets, keychains, and more! Do lend your support!

HEARTBEAT SERVICE RETURNS TO 5PM FROM 31 OCT
Heartbeat Service was originally held at **5pm on Saturdays**, before temporarily moving to **2.30pm** during COVID-19 due to capacity restrictions. With those restrictions now behind us, we're excited to **return to our original 5pm timing from 31 Oct**, continuing to meet in **Shalom Hall**. Our Youth Cells will continue to meet at **2.30pm**, before gathering together for service at **5pm**.

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. **Technical Resource Officer, Music Ministry (FT)**
2. **Team Lead, Human Resources (FT)**

Details at *sjsm.org.sg/employment opportunities/*

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 with banking app or save to use from your gallery)*
UEN: T08CC4080B
(For DBS: T08CC4080BSJM)

Drop cheques/cash in offertory boxes at the exits (SES) or the bags during E1 & E2.

HEARTBEAT CAMP REGISTRATION CLOSES 18 OCT
For youth (13 yrs and above) & young adults at Majodi Campsite, Johor from 18-21 Dec. Sign up at *sjsm.org.sg/event/hb-camp/*

CONFIRMATION SERVICE: SAT 17 OCT (SES)
Next Saturday, we welcome the following candidates into the Anglican communion. Rt Revd John Chew will confirm them and bring us the Word:
R Periapapa; Hau Jia Xin, Andrea; Lim Hsin Man Amber; Bodino Evangeline Ibo; Caleb Lim Chee Kiat; Lee Cherng Wee Zachary; Isaac Chua; Chua Ci Ning Esther; Khoo Eng Hua; Tan Ling Ling Selene; Abigayle Ru-El Huan; Aletheia Xie-Ning Sudharman; Alexander Humphries; Asher Ang Yu Han; Chen Wei En Abigail; Chen Weijie Luke Chen Weikai James; Chen Zhifa; Cheong Khye-Jie, Zachary; Chong Lecia; David Choo Rai-An; Ethan Ng Zhi Yong; Eythan Duhlian; Javier Chan Qi Le; Joanna Seet Wai Leng; Joanne Tan Hui Li; John Matthew Yuen; Jovan Ong Zheng Jie; Lee Chin Seng; Lee Choon Eng, Irene; Lester Tang Jong Hwee; Ling Leong Jin Grace; Lucas Kuek Zi Jing; Lum Luh Ping Yvonne; Tan Hwee Yng, Claire; Teo En Ci (Zhang Enci), Myra; Tiffany Siah En Xin; Wen Qixiang; Xu Gang; Yau Hon Lam; Yong Siew Chin; Zachary Lim Minh; Asher Mok Zhi Wen; Chin Phaik Sue
Let's pray for them as they take this step of further committing themselves to the SJSM community!

LET'S START GETTING READY FOR CHRISTMAS!
With Christmas just a little over two months away, we need to start getting ready! We are looking for people to help with the gospel service programme as well as for "everything else! More details and sign-up forms for both are at *https://sjsm.org.sg/cmas2026-help*

OUR HEARTFELT CONDOLENCES TO...
The family of the late Mr Lim Jit Ooh (son & daughter-in-law: Andy Lim & Lim Hwee Hua; granddaughter-in-law: Wendy Ngiam; great grandsons: Timothy, Benjamin, Christopher, Jonathan, Zachary). Our dear brother was called home to the Lord on Wed, 7 October 2026.

TITHES & OFFERINGS (updated monthly)

General Fund	Jan - Sep 2026 ($)	Sep 2026 ($)
Budgeted collections	6,363,320	707,036
Actual collections	5,805,012	572,169
Excess/(Shortfall)	(558,308)	(134,867)

19th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
READINGS: Psalms 138, 141; Isaiah 50.4-10; Luke 13.22-30
COLLECT: Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us Your gift of faith; that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to that which is before, we may run the way of Your commandments and win the crown of everlasting joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SJSM VILLAGE (SJSMV)

OUR PARISH

- **Alpha Celebration Dinner (16 Oct).** Hallelujah! Praise Lord Jesus for souls saved and rededicated this Alpha run. Pray this dinner joyously celebrates forged friendships and God's loving work through the Alpha course. Thank God for strengthening the host teams as fruitful vessels of love (Jn 15:16-17). Pray that the guests' experience deepens their desire to seek God, and together with the new believers, assimilate into cells for follow-up, encouragement and spiritual growth (Jn 15:12).
- **Confirmation Service & Hi5 @SES (17 Oct).** As our youths and adults unite in vibrant worship, exalt God Almighty for our 46 Confirmands across the generations. May He anoint Bishop John Chew as he lays hands on them, imparting the gifts of wisdom, understanding, counsel, inward strength, knowledge, godliness and holy fear (Isa 11:2). As these confirmands renew their baptismal vows to live in faith and obedience to God, may the church family embrace them, encouraging their growth in maturity, ministry and mission.

OUR EXTENDED COMMUNITY

- **Village Engagement Weekend.** Commit all SJSM Village ministries, large or small, to LORD God, as we "do not hold back and lengthen our cords" (Isa 54:2). Pray for grace to wisely steward our resources and reach of the Village, including the Dover community particularly through the Saturday KopiStop. May we offer radical hospitality with love and compassion to those in need (1 Pet 4:10). May the Holy Spirit stir more SJSMers to ask God what He would want them to do in the Village, raising up faithful witnesses of Lord Jesus who serve with boldness and joy (2 Tim 1:7).

OUR NATION

- **Rooted in a Changing Economy.** Singapore's new chip substrate plant in Jurong underscores our growing role in global technology and its supply chain, and our reliance on international talent to sustain economic vitality amidst a super-aged society. Pray that as our nation welcomes skilled foreign workers, we remain firmly rooted in integrity, righteousness, diligence and strong family ties. May believers keep their focus on Jesus, remaining steadfast and immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that our labour in the Lord is never in vain (1 Cor 15:58).

THE WORLD

- **Elections.** Beseech our Sovereign Almighty, who rules over the nations and appoints leaders (Dan 4:17), that the upcoming elections in Israel (27 Oct), the USA (midterm 3 Nov) and Palestine (28 Nov) serve His purposes. May He establish leaders and governments that govern with wisdom, uphold justice, restrain evil, protect human life and dignity, and enable people to live peaceful and godly lives. Pray that He redeems the Middle East for His glory, breaking down hostility, healing wounds and advancing righteousness. May hearts turn towards truth and peace, and His will be done.

PRAYER & INTERCESSION MINISTRY
To join an intercession group, write to *prayer@sjsm.org.sg*.

DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER
Download the latest file at *www.anglican.org.sg*.









Quick Links

COURSES & EVENTS (reg by)

- **Women at the Well (13 Oct)**
  https://sjsm.org.sg/event/wow
- **Creation Care Walk (17 Oct)**
  sjsm.org.sg/event/ccwalk/
- **Heartbeat Youth & YA Camp (18 Oct)**
  https://sjsm.org.sg/event/hb-camp/
- **The Work Beneath (1 Nov)**
  https://sjsm.org.sg/event/twb/
- **Baptism & Confirmation (10 Jan '27)**
  https://sjsm.org.sg/event/bnc
- **Know the Word: Daniel (10 Jan '27)**
  https://sjsm.org.sg/event/ktw/

SERVE/VOLUNTEER

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

- **Guitarist, Drummer, Singer**
  https://tinyurl.com/sjsm-music-min
- **Join the Choir**
  https://tinyurl.com/JoinSJSMChoir
- **Refreshments Contribution**
  Chwee Ling (96230415)
- **Village Engagement**
  https://tinyurl.com/village-engagement

Join/Visit a Cell !

Looking for a group to grow and serve with? Submit a form (https://tinyurl.com/SJSMCellVisit) to request to visit or join a group or email cell@sjsm.org.sg.

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