

Be transformed: METAMORPHOUSTHE! Romans 12:2

Vicar Away

Pt Joshua will away in the UK from 5-19 Jan for a speaking engagement at a conference and pastoral visit to missions associates. Do keep him and his family in prayer during this time.

Pre-School Transition 2016

Parents of Pre-school children are requested to bring their child/children to their old class of 2015 on 10 Jan. Please pick them up from their new class after the service:

Playgroup 2015 – pick up at Nursery (Chara)
Nursery 2015 – pick up at Kindy (Charis)
(Kindy 2) 2015 – pick up at Agape Halls

Admission to Playgroup Class 2016

On **17 Jan 2016**, the Junior Church Playgroup class will admit children who turn 3 years old in 2016. Registration is now open and parents can pick up a registration form from the Info Desk.

Church Prayer Gathering (CPG)

Friday 22 January
7:45 pm | Christ Sanctuary

Speaker: Ps Joshua
Theme: Transformational Discipleship

We will be praying for ourselves, for the Family and for the Education arena.

In preparation for CPG, all are encouraged to fast a meal that Friday and seek God on your own before we gather together in the evening.

Confirmation Candidates

On 16 Jan 2016 at SES, we will welcome the following individuals into our SJSM family. Let's keep them in prayer as they take this step of their faith journey.

Youth

Sarah **Chow** Jiaying, Jonathan **Fong** Ter Ern, **Goh** Song Rui, Russell **Kang** Kay Yong, Dylan **Lim** Jun Heng, Jerry **Ong** Tze Yee, Bernice **Phoon** Yuit Mun, Joel **Poh** Zhao Wei, Christiaan **Starke**, Ethan Winston **Sum** En-Tze

Adults

Ang Lek Han, Kerine **Au** Seow Lian, **Chan** Heng Wei, Eden **Cheng** Li Min, **Chia** Hui Min, Joni **Chin** Kim Chee, Gwyneth **Chin** Kim Siu, Jaime **Choo** Jia Ming, **Foo** Pei Xi, Raymond **Kam** Min San, Yvonne **Koh** Hsiao Chung, Subramanian Kolanginathan, Desmond **Lau**, Paul **Lau** Tsz Pan, Cerelia **Lim** Lee Kiang, Cecilia **Lim** Siok Leng, **Liu** Ying, Vernon Vijaysunel **Martin** Matthew, **Marungur Rajavelu** Senthil Kumar, Benjamin **Ng** Jet Hou, Geoffrey **Quek** Hong An, Alexia **Quek** Yi Lin, Rommel Joseph **Sachs**, Scott Thomas **Sedlacek**, Debra Dawn **Sedlacek**, Henri **Seng** Nyen Khong, Philip **Tan** Hung Teck, Julia **Wang** Juan, Jen **Wong** Lay Hong, Adeline **Yang** Fulin

Updates From The Diocese

On Sunday, 10 January 2016, 5.00 pm at St Andrew's Cathedral:

The Revd Canon Terry Wong Yee Choong will be instituted and inducted as the Vicar of the St Andrew's Cathedral.

At the same time, the Revd Mervyn Moore, the Revd Steven Asirvatham and the Revd Yee Ching Wah will be collated as Hon Canons of the Diocese of Singapore.

Do remember them and their families in prayer as they step up to share and provide collegial responsibilities with their fellow Clergy for the total life and witness of the Diocese.

Jan-Feb 2016 Pulpit Series BE TRANSFORMED: Marks of Transformation

Date	Title
9/10 Jan	Be Intentional in Personal Disciple-Making
16/17 Jan	Open Topic (Confirmation Service on 16 Jan)
23/24 Jan	Be Calm When Confronted by Problems; Be Committed to Grace & Truth When Working Through Conflicts
30/31 Jan	Be Gracious Amidst Messiness; Be a Family for All Ages & Abilities
6/7 Feb	Open Topic (Combined Service on 7 Feb)
13/14 Feb	Be Welcoming & Hospitable; Be Confident in Handling the Word and Sharing the Gospel

NLC1A - Baptism Class

The New Life in Christ (NLC1A) class is open for registration. This is for those who are seeking baptism. It is also a pre-requisite for those intending to join NLC1B and to be confirmed as a member of the Anglican Church.

All candidates (adults, children and infants), **please collect a set of green registration forms from the Info Desk. This is to be submitted along with 2 photos and 1 copy of NRIC** to the Info desk. Please sign up early so that the necessary administrative and pastoral procedures can be carried out.

Adult Baptism (NLC1A)

Dates: 17, 24 & 31 Jan; 14, 21 & 28 Feb; 6 & 13 Mar (8 Sun)

Time: 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Venue: C205 (next to the Library)

Date of Retreat : 7 May

Baptism date: 29 May at E2

Do note that lesson one is compulsory.

Registration fee: \$8

Closing date for registration: **10 Jan**

Infant Baptism

Parents will be notified if they need to attend a briefing session.

Closing date for registration: **28 Feb**

Junior Church Class (7 years old & above)

Dates: 23 Apr, 7 & 14 May

Time: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Contact Person: Cindy Lee at 67739433.

Closing date for registration: **31 Mar**

PPL/IDG - Sat, 16 Jan, 2016

- **Pastoral & Prayer Leadership Meeting (PPL):** 7:30 am @ Shalom Hall
- **Intentional Disciplers' Gathering (IDG):** 9:30 am @ Bethel Auditorium

Baby Arrival - Congratulations to...

Pierre and Geraldine Leong on the birth of their third child, a girl, on Wednesday, 16 December 2015.

Staff Recruitment

Would you prayerfully consider joining the SJSM staff team? The following ministry opportunities are available:

- **Project Executive Director, Project Spring-Winter**
- **Head of Human Resources**
- **Accounts Assistant**

Details can be found on our website (Ministry Opportunities page) or in the flyer at the Info Desk.

Next Weekend's Services

SES (Confirmation Svc): Bp Rennis Ponniah

E1/E2: Revd Andrew Raman

Topic: Open Topic

This Week's Events

Jan 11 (Mon)

7:15 pm Mothers' Group Intercession (C210)

Jan 12 (Tue)

7:45 am Intercession (Chapel)

11:00 am Intercession (C210)

12:00 pm Intercession (Chapel)

Jan 13 (Wed)

8:30 am Intercession (C210)

10:00 am Mandarin/Cantonese Sr Citizen Svc (Bethel)

8:00 pm CYAN (Shalom)

Jan 14 (Thu)

7:15 am Men's Intercession (Chapel)

8:00 pm Healing Prayer Session (Glory Sanc)

Jan 15 (Fri)

8:30 am Intercession (Chapel)

7:45 pm Intercession (C210)

Jan 16 (Sat)

6:00 am Intercession (Glory Sanc)

7:30 am PPL/IDG (Shalom/Bethel)

3:00 pm Teen Encounter (Bethel) NO MTG

4:00 pm Intercession (A309 Prayer Room)

5:00 pm Youth (Bethel)

Saturday Holy Communion Service - Confirmation Service (Christ Sanc)

7:30 pm CYAN (Shalom)

Jan 17 (Sun)

6:00 am Dawn Prayer (Christ Sanc)

7:30 am Intercession (A309 Prayer Room)

8:15 am English Holy Communion Service (Christ Sanc)

9:00 am Mandarin Service (Glory Sanc)

10:00 am Intercession (C210)

11:15 am English Morning Service (Christ Sanc)

Mandarin Service (Glory Sanc)

Indonesian Fellowship (C205)

1:30 pm Filipino Service (Bethel)

5:00 pm JATF (Chapel)

Average Weekend Attendance for Dec 2015: SES: 395; E1:

491; E2: 497; Youth: 144; Teen Encounter: * NA; Filipino: 75;

JC: 178; Chinese (MS1/MS2/SCS): 104/171/56; Tamil: 83

* Teen Encounter did not meet in December

FOR YOUR 'FAMILY PRAYER TIME'

Readings: Psalm 89:19-29; Isaiah 42:1-9; Acts 19:1-7

Collect: Almighty God, who anointed Jesus at His baptism with the Holy Spirit and revealed Him as Your beloved Son: inspire us, Your children, who are born of water and the Spirit to surrender our lives to Your service, that we may rejoice to be called the sons of God; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER DESK (10 - 16 Jan 2016)

"Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you." Isaiah 60:1

SJSM. Proclaim Is 60:1 over SJSM. May the Lord be pleased to manifest His glory in our midst and may we respond with deep reverential fear which humbles us for His deeper work. Pray anointing over the leadership as they lay the track for SJSMers' spiritual transformation in 2016. May bold preaching and teaching of the Word reveal Christ. May His light expose deceptions within our hearts to purge us of spiritual complacency.

PSW. (a) Pray for the PSW committee members to listen carefully to the Lord's specific instructions for the design of PSW. May man's experience not distract them from seeking the unique will of God.

(b) Pray for the timely approval by MOH for the project funding.
(c) Ask God to send His appointee for the role of Project Executive Director.

Leaders' Gatherings (16 Jan). Commit to God these first gatherings of leaders in 2016 that set the tone for the new season. **(a) PPL.** Pray for strong presence of the Lord to preside over this gathering of leaders to seek His face for His message to the church. Pray for clarity in listening and understanding of His message, and for godly response. **(b) IDG.** Pray for clear direction and guidance to be given to ministry leaders to equip them for the ministries entrusted to them. Pray for leaders to hunger for transformation for themselves and be anointed to mold the flock in their care.

Confirmation Service (16 Jan). Ask God to pour out the promised rain of His Spirit on the confirmation candidates. May they be transformed into the likeness of Christ, and be empowered to fulfil God's calling on their lives, bearing much fruit for His glory.

Staff. Continue to pray for divine protection over the staff and their families (health, emotion, relationships). May they be strengthened by God to overcome the various challenges. Pray for joy and unity to abound in their midst.

Youth. Pray for healing and deliverance amongst youths who are in bondage of emotional pain and compulsive behaviour. Pray that their spiritual growth will not be stunted by school/peer pressure or other distractions. Bless our children and youth ministry with fruitfulness.

Nations. (a) Pray for the Church worldwide to be alert to discern what God is doing and saying through events concerning nations, and to respond with prayer and faith. **(b)** Pray over the escalating tension in the Middle East (involving Saudi Arabia and Iran). May all parties in the conflict desire reconciliation. Pray for protection over Israel. **(c)** May God push back the dark forces behind ISIS and global terrorism.

Do allow the Holy Spirit to lead and guide you in your prayers.

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