



SERMONS

7am Easter Dawn Svc: Meet the Risen Christ Today (Luke 24:13–35; 1 Corinthians 15:20–22), by Ds Bessie Lee **10am Easter Gospel Svc:** It's Sunday! (Mark 16:1–6), by Ven Daniel Wee

^Refreshments will be served after the service concludes

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

Resurrection Sunday services

English – 7am[^] (Christ Sanctuary), 10am*[^] (Christ Sanctuary & <u>online</u>) Mandarin – 10am (Glory Sanctuary)

Tamil – 10am (Bethel Auditorium & Chapel)

Filipino Service – 1.30pm (Bethel Auditorium)

Junior Church Easter Programme 10am @ Community Hall

Teen EncounterNo classes on Sun, 9 Apr

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!



ABOUT EASTER

For Christians around the world, Easter marks the culmination of the earthly work of Jesus Christ: His resurrection.

The Bible states that the penalty for sin is death. Jesus took the penalty of our sin upon Himself by dying on the cross. Good Friday is the day Christians around the world commemorate Jesus' sacrificial act of selfless love which saved us from our sin.

On the third day after He died and was buried, Jesus rose from the dead. And so, today, we celebrate Resurrection Sunday – popularly known as Easter Sunday. A traditional greeting used in churches on Easter Sunday goes: "Alleluia, Christ is risen!""He is risen indeed, Alleluia!"

Jesus' resurrection was attested to by many witnesses who interacted with Him in the 40 days following the event. In rising from death, Jesus proved that His payment for our sin was more than adequate, and that death had been beaten. It is this triumph over sin and death which Christians celebrate each Easter.

This Easter, SJSM invites you to join us in stepping from death into life. May this season find you experiencing God Himself.

IMMANUEL: GOD WITH US!

are you in need of

Pastoral Care and/or Counselling?

Prayer for healing, and other forms of pastoral care are available.

- 1. Call 6777 0934, or
- 2. Email *pastoralcare@sjsm.org.sg*

If you are **homebound** and require **Holy Communion**, please fill in a form by scanning the QR code below or visiting https://tinyurl.com/SJSMCare3







CATCH IT AGAIN

Combined Bilingual CNY Service

https://vimeo.com/789010573

Combined NYD Service

https://vimeo.com/784190205

Covenant Series

https://vimeo.com/showcase/10148673

All/Other services

https://vimeo.com/channels/sismchurch

HEARTBEAT services

https://tinyurl.com/3dvvbbmr

Welcome to our 2023 Easter Gospel Service. Be blessed as we celebrate our Saviour's resurrection together.

PRE-SERVICE SONG led by Ms Lee Shi Pian & Mr Edmund Yap

WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP by Mr Simon Devaraj / Ms Chung Lai Mei

PRAISE & ADORATION led by Ms Lee Shi Pian & Mr Edmund Yap

PRAISE & ADORATION led by the SJSM Choir

SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 16:1-6 (ESV) by Ms Evangeline Lee

SERMON

It's Sunday! by Ven Daniel Wee

RESPONSE / PRAYER MINISTRY led by Ven Daniel Wee

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS by Mr Simon Devaraj / Ms Chung Lai Mei

BLESSING & THANKSGIVING FOR REFRESHMENTS

led by Revd Dino Thangamany

CLOSING SONG led by Ms Lee Shi Pian & Mr Edmund Yap

MINISTRY THROUGH SONG by the SJSM Choir



SCHEDULE FOR THE COMING WEEK

Tue, 11 Apr

Know The Word: Proverbs (1/6) (Onsite @ Bethel Auditorium) 7.45pm

Thu, 13 Apr

PraySingaporeUNTIL! (Online via Zoom; more details available at 12pm

www.sism.ora.sa/pravsa.html)

Seniors' Fellowship (Onsite @ Bethel Auditorium) 2pm

3pm AGM 2023: Deadline for Nomination of PCC Office

Bearers (Submit your nominations at www.sjsm.org.sq/aqm2023.html)

AGM 2023: Deadline for Lunch Orders/Childminding

Requests (Submit your requests at www.sjsm.org.sg/agm2023.html)

Sat, 15 Apr

10am Alpha Day (Onsite @ Community Hall)

2.30pm **Heartbeat Svc** (Onsite @ Shalom Hall; live-streamed on YouTube.

Email heartbeat@sism.ora.sa for more info)

5pm English Svc (Onsite @ Christ Sanctuary)

Junior Church & Teen Encounter

(Onsite @ Agape Hall & L4 rooms. Email juniorchurch@sjsm.org.sg or

richardkwan@sjsm.org.sq for more information or to join)

Mandarin Svc (Onsite @ Glory Sanctuary. Email sismc@sism.org.sq

for more information or to ioin)

Sun, 16 Apr

8.15am English Svc (Onsite @ Christ Sanctuary)

> Junior Church & Teen Encounter (Onsite @ Chara Room, Charis Room, Agape Hall & L4 rooms. Email juniorchurch@sjsm.org.sq or

richardkwan@sism.org.sq for more information or to join)

Mandarin Svc (Onsite @ Glory Sanctuary. Email sismc@sism.org.sq 10am

for more information or to join)

Tamil Svc (Onsite @ Bethel Auditorium.

Email solomon@sism.org.sq for more information or to join)

Indonesian Fellowship (Onsite @ C205. 11am

Email sallyho@heartfriends.org.sq for more information or to join)

English Svc (Onsite @ Christ Sanctuary; live-streamed via 11.15am

sism.online.church, SJSM Facebook, and www.sism.org.sg/online.html)

Junior Church & Teen Encounter (Onsite @ Chara Room, Charis Room, Agape Hall & L4 rooms. Email juniorchurch@sjsm.org.sq or

richardkwan@sism.ora.sa for more information or to ioin)

Filipino Svc (Onsite @ Bethel Auditorium. 1.30pm

Email juanita@sjsm.org.sq for more information)

2pm Confirmation Course (3/4) (Onsite @ B404/405) Misc. details

Sermons

SATURDAY & **SUNDAY**

Covenant series (7/8). by Ven Daniel Wee

Cell Groups

Looking for a group to grow and serve with? Join a cell group! For more information, write to cell@sjsm.org.sq.

Youth Ministry

Comprises Teen Encounter (ages 11-13) and Heartbeat (ages 14-20). To find out more, email richardkwan@sism. org.sq.

Alpha Course

Where anyone can feel free to ask questions and explore the Christian faith. Find out more at www.sjsm.org.sg/ alphacourse.html.

Join a Ministry

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



CONNECT WITH US BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Write to <u>info@sjsm.org.sg</u> to furnish us with relevant details.

MARRIAGE/WEDDINGS

Planning to get married? Write to the Family Life Ministry at flm@sjsm.org.sq.

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

Account Number: 360-303-092-1 Branch Code: 030

Bank Code: 7375 Bank Name: UOB

Via PayNow



Via cash and cheaues

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

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2023

Sun, 23 Apr • 12.30pm • Christ Sanctuary

Deadline: 3pm on Thu, 13 Apr

- 1. Nominations for PCC Office Bearers; you may do so at https://tinyurl.com/sjsmPCCnomination.
- 2.Lunch order(s) and childminding requirements, if any; you may do so at *tinyurl.com/AGM2023RSVP*.

If you wish to raise matters under **Any Other Business**, please email the details to the Vicar via <u>agm@sjsm.org.sg</u> by **Thu**, **13 Apr**.

Please note that the **quorum for this year's AGM is <u>508</u>**. If the quorum is not met on Sun, 23 Apr, the AGM will be postponed to Sun, 30 Apr.

All AGM-related details, online forms, and updates are available at www.sjsm.org.sg/agm2023. Drop us a note via agm@sjsm.org.sg if you have any related queries.

BIBLICAL PARENTING COURSE

Thu, 25 May • 6.45pm-9.45pm • Agape Hall

Come and learn what the Bible has to say about the purpose, principles, and practice of Biblical Parenting! Whatever age your children or grandchildren are, the gospel can guide and empower your parenting.

Do note that this course is a requirement for all parents who wish for their children to undergo infant baptism.

Sign up at https://tinyurl.com/BPC25May by Tue, 7 May. Enquiries? Please email flm@sjsm.org.sg.

HEALING SERVICE RELAUNCH

If you would like prayer for healing, or wish to pray with others in this vein, please note that the weekly Healing Service is relaunching on **Thu, 20 Apr** at **8pm** in the **Chapel**. All are welcome.

WEDDING NOTICE

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

WINSTON THE KAI WEN & LIN XIN YING VALEN

Date: 22 Apr 2023 @ 9am | Venue: External

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-Mar 2023 (S\$)	Mar 2023 (S\$)
General Fund (Budgeted)	To be approved at AGM	To be approved at AGM
General Fund (Actual)	1,997,421	783,483

EASTER DAY

LECTIONARY READINGS: Psalms 114, 117; Exodus 14:10–18, 26–15:2; Revelation 15:2–4 **COLLECT:** Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: we humbly beseech You that, as by Your special grace going before us You put into our minds good desires, so by Your continued help we may bring them to good effect; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

SJSM VILLAGE (SJSMV)

OUR PARISH

- <u>Holy Week.</u> May our lives reflect a daily celebration of Christ's resurrection. May the truths revealed to us through our Lenten meditation and the Holy Week services continue to be alive in our hearts and shape us as children of God. (Phi 3:10–11)
- <u>Alpha.</u> May God bless all our Alpha guests with the assurance of His love and His faithfulness to all His promises (Deut 7:9; Jer 29:13). May they seek a personal relationship with Him, that they may inherit an eternal treasure that can never perish (1 Pe 1:3–5). Pray for the upcoming Alpha Day (15 Apr): for good turnout, smooth logistics, fruitfulness, and protection over all participants and their loved ones.

OUR EXTENDED COMMUNITY

- <u>Visitors</u>. Pray a special blessing over all visitors to SJSM Village. May the guests at our services be greatly encouraged by the worship, message, and our warm welcome and readiness to receive them as part of our extended community.
- St. Andrew's Senior Care (Dover) & Heartfriends Kopi Stop. Give thanks to God for giving us the opportunity to bless many Dover residents through the programmes conducted at Kopi Stop (currently, there are 30–34 seniors participating in the daily active-ageing activities, and 80 in the weekly Saturday morning gatherings). Pray for more volunteers to commit to regularly serving at Kopi Stop. May they be filled with the joy of God as they bring joy to the Dover residents.

OUR NATION

Young People. Pray for transformation of the mindsets of educators and parents to help release our children from the oppression of academic pressure, and give appropriate attention to their emotional wholeness and character building (Pr 22:6). May a strong moral compass direct the application of their creativity and entrepreneurship for the blessings of our society.

THE WORLD

World Peace. Pray for God's merciful intervention in the unrest in Israel, the rising tension between China and the US over Taiwan, and the military conflicts in Ukraine and other parts of the world. May the Lord direct the thoughts of the relevant heads of states towards taking steps that help de-escalate tension (Pr 21:1). May the true message of Good Friday and Easter bring comfort and hope to those living in fear of their safety.

DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER (APR 2023)

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

PRAYER & INTERCESSION MINISTRY

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

Annual General Meeting 2023

Sun, 23 Apr 12.30pm Christ Sanctuary

Updated quorum: 508

Any Other Business (AOB) Items

If you wish to raise matters under AOB, please email the details to the Vicar via agm@sjsm.org.sg by Thu, 13 Apr.

Inquorate AGM

In the event that the quorum is not met, the AGM will be postponed to **Sun, 30 Apr 2023.** Information related to the session will be communicated following the inquorate AGM.

Annual Report

Will be emailed to ER members by Fri, 14 Apr. If you require a hardcopy, please submit a request by Wed, 19 Apr via agm@sjsm.org.sg.

www.sjsm.org.sg/agm2023.html • agm@sjsm.org.sg

PROVISINGAPORE UNTIL | HOUSES OF PRAYER

SJSM's timeslot:

12pm-1pm (admission starts 11.55am), every 2nd Thursday monthly until further notice ► Thursday. 13 April ◀

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.sq/prayer-intercession

FELLOWSHIP MEALS APR 2023

Sat, 15 Apr (dinner)

purchase voucher by Sun, 9 Apr
If you invite a guest,
their voucher is complimentary





Purchase your meal voucher(s) at the counter at the Christ Sanctuary foyer.

Price: \$7/pax (bento + drinks + dessert)



DETAILS/ENQUIRIES: EMAIL AIYEE@SJSM.ORG.SG Bishop of Singapore Rt Revd Dr Titus Chung

Assistant Bishop Rt Revd Low Jee King

Archdeacon of Singapore
Ven Daniel Wee

Vicar

Ven Daniel Wee (Acting Vicar) Revd Victor Teo (Vicar-designate)

Clergy

Ven Wong Tak Meng Revd Dino Thangamany Revd Thong Tang Hiong Revd Solomon Periyanayakam Revd Calvin Tan Revd Vincent Hoon (auxiliary)

Deaconesses

Ds Bessie Lee Ds Laura Chan (auxiliary)



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