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**SAT, 15 APR
& SUN, 16 APR 2023**

Saturday services

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

English – 5pm (Christ Sanctuary)

Mandarin – 5pm (Glory Sanctuary)

Sunday services

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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► **EASTERTIDE.**

The Easter season spans 50 days from Resurrection Sunday through the remembrance of Christ's ascension 40 days later, to the commemoration of the Holy Spirit's descent at Pentecost. The liturgical colour of the season is white; *Lilium longiflorum*, commonly known as the Easter lily, is pictured above. More on page 3 and [Facebook](#).

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

THIS WEEKEND'S SERMONS

SAT, 15 APR 2023

2.30pm (Heartbeat) & 5pm (SES)

Jesus and the Law (Deuteronomy 4:1–2; Matthew 5:17–20),
by Ven Daniel Wee

SUN, 16 APR 2023

8.15am (E1) & 11.15am (E2)

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The
COVENANT
series

NEW TO SJSJ?

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 11–13)

Sat – 5pm (SES),

Sun – 8.15am (E1) & 11.15am (E2):

@ L4 rooms

Email 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
for enquiries or to join.

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/sjsmchurch>

HEARTBEAT services

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

SCHEDULE FOR THE COMING WEEK

Thu, 20 Apr

2pm **Seniors' Fellowship** (Onsite @ Bethel Auditorium.
Email aiyee@sjsm.org.sg for more information or to join)

8pm **Healing Svc** (Onsite @ Chapel.
Email thssjsm@gmail.com for details or if you have queries)

Fri, 21 Apr

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

Sat, 22 Apr

Church office closed (Hari Raya Puasa public holiday)

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

Mandarin Svc (Onsite @ Glory Sanctuary.
Email sjsmc@sjsm.org.sg for more information or to join)

Sun, 23 Apr

10am **Combined English Svc** (Onsite @ Christ Sanctuary; live-streamed
via [sjsm.online.church](https://www.sjsm.org.sg/online.html), [SJSJ Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/sjsm), and www.sjsm.org.sg/online.html)

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

Mandarin Svc (Onsite @ Glory Sanctuary;
email sjsmc@sjsm.org.sg for more information or to join)

Tamil Svc (Onsite @ Bethel Auditorium.
Email solomon@sjsm.org.sg for more information or to join)

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

11.45am **Lunch** (Onsite @ Community Hall for ER members who have pre-
registered; you may [click here](#) to register by 3pm on Sun, 16 Apr)

12.30pm **Annual General Meeting 2023** (Onsite @ Christ Sanctuary)

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

Misc. details

Sermons

SAT & SUN

Covenant series 8/8,
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.sg

Youth Ministry

Comprises Teen Encounter (ages 11–13) and Heartbeat (ages 14–20). To find out more, email richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg

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 QR code below).



NOTICES

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2023

Sun, 23 Apr • 12.30pm • Christ Sanctuary

In view of the AGM, there will only be **ONE combined English Service** on Sun, 23 Apr at **10am**. Join us onsite at Christ Sanctuary or [online](#) via our [usual platforms](#).

(Heartbeat and SES on Sat, 22 Apr will carry on as usual.)

ER members, if you missed the Thu, 13 Apr deadline to submit your **lunch order(s)** and **childminding requests**, we have made a final extension for you. Please do so by **3pm on Sun, 16 Apr** at tinyurl.com/AGM2023RSVP.

Note that the **quorum for this year's AGM is 508**.

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.

CARPARK USAGE

Blue lots indicate Tandem Parking which is not being implemented at this time. Please **do not park in these lots** as it inconveniences and endangers other carpark users.

Heavy traffic is expected next Sun, 23 Apr due to the Combined English Service and the AGM; you are strongly encouraged to use the public carparks at the neighbouring HDB blocks to avoid contributing to a jam in our basements and at our gates.

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.

INTERGENERATIONAL SERVICES ON 29/30 APR

Church, let's have our families worshipping together on the weekend of 29/30 Apr. Please note that in view of this, Heartbeat, Teen Encounter, and Junior Church will **not** be running that weekend.

INTERESTED IN STARTING A GROUND-UP INITIATIVE?

Do you have ideas on how to improve or bless our community that's not already being covered by any of our ministries? We would love to meet you and help you get started.

Drop Ms Chua Kim Yien (kimyien@sjsm.org.sg) a line to get the conversation going!

EASTERTIDE.

The Great Fifty Days of Easter take us from Resurrection Sunday through Ascension Day to Pentecost/Whit Sunday; the nine-day gap between Ascension Day and Pentecost is meant to be a time of prayer and preparation before the church celebrates the outpouring of the Holy Spirit. Depicting this season's liturgical colour, white – which represents purity, holiness, joy, and triumph – is *Lilium longiflorum*, a trumpet-shaped bloom that is popularly known as the Easter lily. Find out more about this on our Facebook page!



NextGen Servers Wanted!

Get in touch with us if you're keen to help disciple little ones!

Junior Church
(Preschool & Primary):
kerineau@sjsm.org.sg

Teen Encounter:
richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg

CONNECT WITH US

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Write to 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.

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 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.

BIBLICAL PARENTING COURSE

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

What is God's purpose for us when He gives us children? What can we do to build a strong foundation of faith in our household? 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.

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.

INVITATION TO CONTRIBUTE SUNDAY REFRESHMENTS

Every Sunday over the past months, around 200 of us have been enjoying fellowship over refreshments at the Community Hall between E1 and E2. So here's a very big THANK YOU to everyone who has been sponsoring us with food and finances! We hope you'll continue to give us your support.

If you haven't yet contributed, come and be a part of this shared hospitality effort! You can sign up as a family, partner with friends, or mobilise your cell. Get in touch with Chwee Ling at 9623 0415 or chweeling@hotmail.com for details and to find out what works for you.

OUR HEARTFELT CONDOLENCES TO...

Teo Siew Kiang and family. Siew Kiang's beloved husband, Mr David Ooi, was called home to the Lord on Tue, 11 Apr 2023.

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

PRAYER @ SJSM

2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER

LECTIONARY READINGS: Psalm 81:1–10; Exodus 12:1–17; 1 Corinthians 5:6b–8

COLLECT: Almighty Father, who in Your great mercy made glad the disciples with the sight of the risen Lord: give us such knowledge of His presence with us, that we may be strengthened and sustained by His risen life and serve You continually in righteousness and truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SJSM VILLAGE (SJSMV)

OUR PARISH

- **Annual General Meeting (23 Apr).** May this gathering of the SJSM family inspire faith and align us with God's heart, that we may move in unity with His purposes. Pray for (a) wisdom and strength for Ven Daniel Wee, Revd Victor Teo, the Parochial Church Council, and the staff team as they prepare for the AGM; (b) enthusiastic participation by SJSMers in good spirit, and the required quorum be met; (c) God's sovereign hand over the election of PCC members; and (d) the AGM outcome to reflect His will. (Eph 4:16; Col 1:18)
- **Healing.** Pray for the **Thursday Healing Service (re-launching 20 Apr)**. May God draw many from Dover to this weekly service to seek Him for healing (spiritual, emotional, physical), and find meaningful friendship with SJSMers. May God's glory manifest through healing miracles that accompany the proclamation of the Gospel (Is 61:1–3). Pray anointing and unity for the service leadership and prayer teams.
- **Alpha.** Pray that the Gospel seed sown in the Alpha guests will take deep root in soft hearts and bear abundant fruits of righteousness (Mt 13:3–8). Pray for infilling of the Spirit that they may grow in knowing God relationally and experientially (Jn 4:14). Pray for fresh anointing upon the Alpha hosts as they continue to journey with the guests, preparing them to settle into the Lord's community in the coming weeks.

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 parents to be present in their children's lives, fostering a healthy family culture that provides the children with good role models. (Mal 4:6a; Pr 22:6). May a strong moral compass direct the application of our young people's creativity and entrepreneurship for the blessings of our society.

THE WORLD

East Asia. Pray for God's merciful intervention in the escalating military tension surrounding Taiwan. Pray for the leaders (Presidents Xi Jin-ping, Joe Biden, and Tsai Ing-wen, and leaders of other nations which may become embroiled in the conflict) that they will exercise restraint and wise judgment to find the pathway to peace (Pr 21:1). Pray for the body of Christ, especially those in mainland China and Taiwan, to seek God for their governments and for the peace of East Asia.

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.

UPCOMING HIGHLIGHTS

Annual General Meeting 2023

Sun, 23 Apr
12.30pm
Christ Sanctuary

Updated quorum: 508

Combined Service @ 10am

Please do not come at the usual E1 & E2 service timings.

Lunch @ 11.45am

ER members who have registered for lunch, please head towards the Community Hall to collect your bento(s).

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.

All details and online forms are available at
www.sjsm.org.sg/agm2023.html.
Queries? Email agm@sjsm.org.sg.

Seniors' Fellowship

2PM ON THU, 20 APR
@ BETHEL (LEVEL 3)

DETAILS/ENQUIRIES:
EMAIL AIYEE@SJSM.ORG.SG

CHURCH PRAYER GATHERING

Fri, 21 Apr • 7.45pm
@ Christ Sanctuary

Theme:
City on a Hill



BIBLICAL PARENTING

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



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

Register by Sun, 7 May at
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Note: Parents who wish their children to
undergo infant baptism are required to attend.

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)

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Revd Thong Tang Hiong
Revd Solomon Periyamayakam
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