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SAT, 29 JUL & SUN, 30 JUL 2023

Saturday services

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 – 1.30pm (Bethel Auditorium)

Heartbeat, Junior Church & Teen Encounter

Join main English service this weekend;
details on pages 2–3

➤ ORDINARY TIME.

Running from 29 May through 2 Dec in 2023, this season focuses on the life of the people of God, and is a time to focus on spiritual growth and maturation. No surprise, then, that its liturgical colour, green, speaks of growth. The immature green wheat and tares (see Matthew 13) above remind us to prioritise developing knowledge and discernment in our individual Christian walks.

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

THIS WEEKEND'S SERMONS

SAT, 29 JUL 2023

5pm (SES) – combined intergenerational service

Five Loaves and Two Fish (Mark 6:30–44), by Revd Victor Teo

SUN, 30 JUL 2023

8.15am (E1) & 11.15am (E2) – combined intergenerational services

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Stewardship
Weekend

Click here to download the
Stewardship Booklet

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!



HEARTBEAT

(ages 14–20)

TEEN ENCOUNTER

(ages 11–13)

JUNIOR CHURCH

- (Primary) ages 7–10
- (Preschool) ages 3–6

Combined Intergenerational
Svcs on Sat/Sun, 29/30 Jul:

ONSITE @ Christ Sanctuary

Email richardkwan@sjsm.org.sg or
juniorchurch@sjsm.org.sg
for enquiries.

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

Covenant series

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/10148673>

1 Corinthians: Oneness series

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/10457716>

Nehemiah series

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/10514278>

All/Other services

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

HEARTBEAT services

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

SCHEDULE FOR THE COMING WEEK

Thu, 03 Aug

- 2pm **Seniors' Fellowship** (Onsite @ Bethel Auditorium)
8pm **Healing Svc** (Onsite @ Chapel; email thssjsm@gmail.com for more info)

Fri, 04 Aug

- 7pm **Alpha Introductory Dinner** (Onsite @ Community Hall)

Sat, 05 Aug

- 2.30pm **Heartbeat Svc** (Onsite @ Shalom Hall; live-streamed on [YouTube](#). Email heartbeat@sjsm.org.sg for more info)
5pm **English Svc** (Onsite @ Christ Sanctuary)
Junior Church & Teen Encounter
(Onsite @ Agape Hall & L4 rooms)
Mandarin Svc (Onsite @ Glory Sanctuary; email sjsmc@sjsm.org.sg for more information or to join)

Sun, 06 Aug

- 8.15am **English Svc** (Onsite @ Christ Sanctuary)
Junior Church & Teen Encounter
(Onsite @ Chara Room, Charis Room, Agape Hall & L4 rooms)
10am **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)
11.15am **English Svc** (Onsite @ Christ Sanctuary; live-streamed via [sjsm.online.church](#), [SJSJ Facebook](#), and www.sjsm.org.sg/online.html)
Junior Church & Teen Encounter
(Onsite @ Chara Room, Charis Room, Agape Hall & L4 rooms)
1.30pm **Filipino Svc** (Onsite @ Bethel Auditorium; email juanita@sjsm.org.sg for more information)

Misc. details

Sermons

Sat & Sun

Outside Opposition (Nehemiah 4),
by Revd Victor Teo

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.

Join a Ministry

Volunteer with us in serving the larger church community! Find out more about the opportunities available [here](#), then [click here](#) or scan the QR code to sign up.

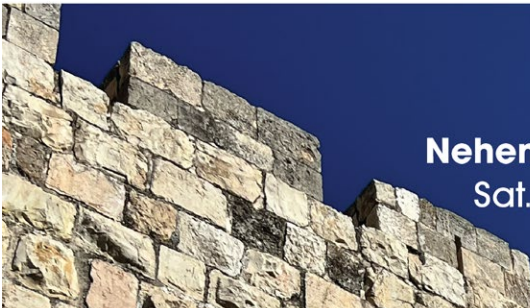


2023 PULPIT SERIES

BOOK STUDY

Nehemiah ~ Rebuilding Together

Sat. July 8 – Sun. September 24



NOTICES

DAY OF HIS POWER 2023

Join us in loving Singapore through prayer! Gather at one of seven venues – whichever is most convenient for you – for a time of corporate prayer for our nation.

Date/Time: Tue, 8 Aug 2022 @ 8pm

Venues: Victory Family Centre (55 Sembawang Drive), Living Sanctuary Brethren Church (2 Hougang St 22), Lighthouse Evangelism (1 Tampines St 82), Bethesda (Bedok-Tampines) Church (300 Bedok North Ave 3), Faith Community Baptist Church (3 Marine Parade Central), Church of our Saviour (130 Margaret Drive), Hope Church Singapore (5 Jurong West St 74)

CONFIRMATION COURSE

If you wish to be confirmed in the Anglican Church and become a member of SJSJ, registration for the Confirmation Course is now open.

Class details: 3, 10, 17 & 24 Sep @ 2–4pm

Confirmation Retreat: Sat, 30 Sep @ 12–4pm
(onsite; includes lunch)

Confirmation Service: Sat, 14 Oct (SES)

Register by **Sun, 27 Aug** at <http://chms.sjsm.org.sg/equipping/registration/49/public>, after which information on required documents will be provided; enquiries can be emailed to ce@sjsm.org.sg.

BIBLICAL PARENTING COURSE

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.

Date/Time/Venue: Thu, 14 Sep • 7.30–9.30pm • Agape Hall

Sign up at <https://tinyurl.com/BPCSep2023> by **Tue, 30 Aug**. Enquiries? Please email flm@sjsm.org.sg.

SAVE THE DATE – YOUTH CAMP

Heartbeat's 2023 camp will be happening from 15–18 Dec, at a location to be revealed soon!

SAVE THE DATE – QUIET DAY

Mark your calendars for a day of contemplation with the Lord. Details on registration will be available soon.

Date/Time/Venue: Sat, 28 Oct • 9am–5pm • Agape Hall

Retreat Director: Brenda Goh

WHAT'S ON AT SJSJ

For up to date listings on all that is happening at SJSJ, visit <https://www.sjsm.org.sg/what-s-on.html>.

Join our Telegram Channel!

For our Telegram channel, scan the QR code and tap 'Join'.

<https://t.me/SJSJChurch>



For our Instagram channel, scan the QR code for our profile and click 'Follow'.



FOLLOW US ON Instagram!

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.

STAFF RECRUITMENT NEEDS

1. Technical Resource Officer (Music Ministry)
2. Team Lead, Admin & Events Mgt (Church Ops)
3. Administrator, Admin & Events Mgt (Church Ops)
4. Administrator (Spiritual Formation)
5. Group Administrator, Church Operations

To apply, visit www.sjsm.org.sg/recruitment for details.

MEN'S BREAKTHROUGH WEEKEND

Brothers, seize this opportunity for a time of bonding and experiencing God together!

Dates: 15–17 Sep 2023

Venue: Forest City Marina Hotel, Johor

Get details/Register at www.sjsm.org.sg/men4men.html by Wed, 9 Aug.

WOMEN AT THE WELL RETREAT

W@W has invited Ms Jenni Ho-Huan – pastor, author, and founder of To Really Live – to share on Being An Inside-Out Disciple. Join us for a time of reflection and authentic sharing!

Date/Time: Sat, 26 Aug • 9am–4pm

Venue: OMPF, 2 Cluny Road

Registration costs **\$30/pax**, is limited to 25 pax (aged 18 and up), and closes on **Sun, 20 Aug** or when capacity is reached. Sign up today at <https://tinyurl.com/24aevsre>.

WEDDING NOTICE

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

LIEW VERN SYN KENNETH & KOH SU-YING MYLENE

Date/Time: Sat, 12 Aug @ 10am

Venue: Christ Sanctuary

If anyone knows of any reason why they may not lawfully marry, please inform the Vicar (SJSJ) or the Registrar of Marriages before the wedding date.

OUR HEARTFELT CONDOLENCES TO...

Bertrand (wife: Hewlen), Christina, and Deborah Lee, whose beloved mother Mdm Lang Jen Mee was called home to the Lord on Mon, 24 Jul 2023.

TITHES & OFFERINGS (updated monthly)

	Jan–Jun 2023 (\$)	Jun 2023 (\$)
General Fund (Budgeted collections)	4,002,964	667,161
General Fund (Actual collections)	3,858,833	496,978
Excess / (Shortfall)	(144,131)	(170,183)

PRAYER @ SJSM

8TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

LECTIONARY READINGS: Psalm 77; Song of Solomon 2; 1 Peter 4:7–14

COLLECT: Almighty God, You see that we have no power of ourselves to help ourselves. Keep us both outwardly in our bodies and inwardly in our souls, that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SJSM VILLAGE (SJSMV)

OUR PARISH

- **Stewardship Month (Aug).** Pray for SJSMers to respond to the call to worship God with our whole being, offering our time, talents, and treasures to serve Him with dependency on His divine enablement (Ro 12:1; 1 Pe 4:10). May we grow in the fruit of the Spirit and flourish as a loving and witnessing community as we humbly yield to the Lord's disciplining in our manner of stewardship and serving. (Ps 40:6–8)
- **Alpha (starting 4 Aug).** Pray for SJSMers to know the urgency of the times as the world grows darker (Jn 9:4). May the passion for the lost energise cells to ride on the coming Alpha course and to prayerfully invite potential guests to Alpha. Pray for anointed Alpha trainings (30 Jul & 6 Aug) to equip many to be 'Alpha ready' in all seasons, and be fruitful as well as edified in the use of this tool. (Mt 9:37–38)

OUR EXTENDED COMMUNITY

- **Love Dover.** Ask God to give us His heart for Dover so that we may indeed be a church without walls, situated amongst the Dover community. Pray for the year-end Dover Celebrates Christmas event to be the warmest of invitations, that welcomes our neighbours into SJSM Village at all times to experience the blessings of God.

OUR NATION

- **Government.** Pray for God's hand to be upon the three branches of our government (the legislature which makes laws, the executive which executes them, and the judiciary which enforces them), that individually and collectively they shall function in a manner pleasing to Him, adhering to principles of righteousness and justice. Pray for all who hold key positions in these branches to serve with wisdom, integrity, and sincerity for the good and betterment of all the people. Pray especially for state leaders who are believers to be alert always, and to stand firm against temptations (1 Pe 5:8).
- **Presidential Election.** Continue to keep praying for God's sovereign hand to be upon the entire process leading to the Election, that the person of God's choice will be elected as our next President.

THE WORLD

Extreme Weather. Earnestly seek God for His merciful restraint of El Nino, which is causing unprecedented destruction across the globe – extreme heat waves and wildfires, high rainfall and flash floods, loss of lives and produce, etc. Pray for relief to come to the afflicted regions, especially the poorer communities. Pray for the nations, especially the superpowers, to muster every political will to tackle climate crisis, making it their top priority to save the planet from her existential crisis (Gen 2:15). Pray for the multitudes to turn to God, and for revival to come to the nations. (Job 28:24–28).

40.DAY 2023 • 1 JUL–9 AUG

Daily devotionals & prayers available at <http://lovesingapore.org.sg/>

DAY OF HIS POWER • TUE, 8 AUG • 8PM

Gather at one of the 7 meeting venues: <https://www.sjsm.org.sg/dohp.html>

PRAYER & INTERCESSION MINISTRY

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

Marriage Enrichment Retreat 2023

Registration closes 30 July

SPEAKER

Rt Rev Dr Chris Chia

- ▶ 3-5 Nov. 2023
- ▶ Grand Paragon Hotel, JB
- ▶ \$638 per couple



♥ <https://tinyurl.com/2023MER>

men4men

UNITE US!

2023

Friday, 11 Aug, 7.30 pm
Venue: Bethel Hall
Contact: Paul Lee (98197275)

Brothers, join us for an enriching time of sharing and fellowship, as we journey together towards deeper fellowship, freedom, and victory.

Please register by scanning the QR code.
Visit www.sjsm.org.sg/men4men for more details.



Seniors' Fellowship

2PM ON THU, 3 AUG
@ BETHEL (LEVEL 3)

AUGUST THEME: THE HOLY SPIRIT

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

Sat, 12 Aug 2023

SES Fellowship Dinner + Semifinals/Finals of IG Table Tennis Tournament

- purchase dinner voucher(s) by Sun, 6 Aug

\$7/pax: dinner + drinks + dessert



- If you invite a guest, their voucher is complimentary
- WhatsApp Esther at 9785 5414 to confirm and arrange payment



7.30pm @ The Square
(outside Community Hall)

Come support your favourite team(s)!



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