



**SAT, 21 SEP
& SUN, 22 SEP 2024**

Saturday services

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

English – 5pm (Christ Sanctuary)

Mandarin – 5pm (Glory Sanctuary)

Sunday services

English – 8.15am (Christ Sanctuary),

10.45am* (Christ Sanctuary & [online](#))

Mandarin – 10am (Glory Sanctuary)

Indonesian Fellowship – 10.45am (B402)

Tamil – 10am (Bethel Auditorium)

Filipino – 1.30pm (Bethel Auditorium)

Junior Church & Teen Encounter
details on next page

► **ORDINARY TIME.**

Running from 27 May through 30 Nov in 2024, this season focuses on the life of the people of God, and is a time to focus on spiritual growth and maturation. Naturally, its liturgical colour, green, speaks of growth. As a reminder to prioritise developing and growing our inner man, the oak tree graces our cover during this period.

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

THIS WEEKEND'S SERMONS

SAT, 21 SEPTEMBER 2024

2.30pm (Heartbeat) The fellowship of real friends

(Acts 20:17-38) by Revd Calvin Tan

5pm (SES) Idols and the Gospel (Acts 19:23-41) by Revd Victor Teo

SUN, 22 SEPTEMBER 2024

8.15am (E1) & 10.45am (E2) Idols and the Gospel (Acts 19:23-41) by Revd Victor Teo

*A Study of
Hospitality in the
Book of Acts*

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!



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

Sat – 5pm (SES)

Primary (7–10 yrs) @ Charis

Preschool (3–6 yrs) @ Chara

Sun – 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.

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
or counselling@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

Church Camp 2024

<https://www.sjsm.org.sg/camp.html>

A Study on Hospitality in Luke

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/10908415>

A Study on Hospitality in Acts

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/11070356>

All/Other services

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

HEARTBEAT services

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



SCHEDULE FOR THE COMING WEEK

Tue, 24 September

7.45pm Know the Word - Matthew 10/10 (Bethel Auditorium)

Thu, 26 September

8pm Healing Svc (Onsite @ Chapel; email thssjsm@gmail.com for more info)

Fri, 27 September

7.45pm Church Prayer Gathering (Christ Sanctuary)

Sat, 28 September

5pm Heartbeat Service (Joins adult services)

5pm Inter-generational English Svc (Christ Sanctuary)

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

Sun, 29 September

8.15am Inter-generational English Svc (Christ Sanctuary)

10am Mandarin Svc (Onsite @ Glory Sanctuary;
email sjsmc@sjsm.org.sg for more information or to join)

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

10.45am Inter-generational English Svc (Christ Sanctuary;
live-streamed via *SJSM Facebook*, <https://vimeo.com/event/741245>, and
www.sjsm.org.sg/online.html)

Indonesian Fellowship (B402;
email sallyho@heartfriends.org.sg for more information or to join)

1.30pm Filipino Svc (Bethel Auditorium;
email juanita@sjsm.org.sg for more information)

Confirmation Course (5/5) (B405/404)

Misc. details Sermons

SES, E1 & E2

Missions is Possible
(Isaiah 58:5-12;
John 1:35-42)
by Ds Bessie Lee

Cell Groups

Looking for a group
to grow and serve
with? Scan/Tap/Click
the QR code below
to join a cell group!



Questions? Write to
us at cell@sjsm.org.sg



2024 Pulpit Series: *A Study on Hospitality in Acts*

Radical Hospitality in Our Culture • Aug 10/11
Strategic evangelism • Aug 17/18
A Tale of Two Women • Aug 24/25
Song in the night • Sep 07/08
Hospitality and mentoring • Sep 14/15
Idols and the Gospel • Sep 21/22

NOTICES

CE COURSE: STARTING OCT 1 (5 TUES) , 7.45 - 9.45PM

Title: God's Message to the Church (Rev 1-3)

Revd Peter Chen will take us through the letters to the 7 Churches in Revelation (Ch 1-3), where we will look at:

1. God's expectations of His Church, the Body of Christ.
2. What is faith that pleases God and what practices and conduct does God rebuke?
3. Whether we can lose our salvation and what does it take to be faithful?

Registration closes this weekend. Details and registration form at <https://tinyurl.com/SJSMCEGodsMessage>

MISSIONS ENGAGEMENT WEEKEND: 27-29 SEP

Next weekend's inter-generational services will bring focus on SJSM's work in local and overseas missions. Let's gather with a heart and curiosity to see how God is working and calling us to participate with Him in ministry! The **Church Prayer Gathering (CPG) on Fri, 27 Sep, 7.45pm**, focusing on missions and outreach will kick off the weekend so do come that night as well!

ANTIOCH 21 SUMMIT 2024: 3 - 5 OCT

Registration is still open! God is inviting all people to gather and meet with Him on the mountaintop to learn about His heart for the nations. Full programme details as well as individual registration links can be found at the main event website at <https://antioch21.sg/antioch-summit-24>. Group registrations (discounted) are encouraged - email missions@sjsm.org.sg for instructions or visit <https://www.sjsm.org.sg/antioch-21.html>.

MEN4MEN: FRI, 11 OCT, 8PM (MEETING), BETHEL

SJSM men, 21 yrs and above, join other brothers as we journey together towards deeper unity in our shared faith!

Time: 7pm (dinner; pre-event registration needed);

8pm (main programme)

Register by **Mon, 7 Oct** via <https://tinyurl.com/SJSMm4m>.

Need more information? Contact Paul Lee at 9819 7275.

WOMEN AT THE WELL: SAT, 12 OCT, 9AM-11.30AM

Venue: Community Hall, Level 3

We spend much of our week at our jobs. We all work in some way, to meet the needs in different seasons – whether through home-making, professional roles, caregiving or volunteering.

Does our work matter to God? How do we decide what kind of work to do? What does it mean to be a good worker? How much work is too much? Explore these questions and more at our upcoming Women at the Well meeting!

Register by **Mon, 7 Oct (8pm)** at <https://tinyurl.com/workreg24>

ORDINARY TIME.

This period between the major festive seasons of the church year focuses on the life of God's people, the church, and is a time for spiritual maturation – it's no surprise that its liturgical colour is green, which represents life and growth. Our spotlight on the oak, a tree frequently mentioned in scripture and associated with strength and endurance, reminds us of the importance of growing strong spiritually and developing endurance for the race that we are running.



JOIN OUR TEAM

1. Group Administrator, Operations & HR (FT)
2. Team Lead, Information Technology (FT)
3. Assoc Chaplain, Chaplaincy (PT)
4. Pastoral Staff, Heartfriends Student Care Ctr (FT)

Details at

www.sjsm.org.sg/recruitment

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 into the offering boxes at the exits. Tithing does not require an accompanying member's stewardship number.

SES FELLOWSHIP MEAL: SAT, 12 OCT (after SES)

This will be the last fellowship meal for 2024 so do come and fellowship over a casual and leisurely dinner!

WhatsApp Esther at 9785 5414 to confirm your attendance and arrange payment (\$8/person) **by Mon, 7 Oct**. If you're a newcomer, your meal is on the house if you sign up via <http://tinyurl.com/SJSMsvcfeedback>.

STAFF RECRUITMENT NEEDS

1. Group Administrator, Operations & HR (FT)
 2. Team Lead, Information Technology (FT)
 3. Assoc Chaplain, Chaplaincy (PT)
 4. Pastoral Staff, Heartfriends Student Care Centre (FT)
- To apply, visit www.sjsm.org.sg/recruitment for details.

BE A VILLAGE VOLUNTEER!

Are you looking for ways to serve the SJSM Village? Whether portering a nursing home resident, helping children with their homework, assisting in inter-generational activities or anything else, there is always room for more to get involved! Register your interest by submitting this form: <https://bit.ly/volsjsmv-ci>. To find out more about the Village, visit the SJSM Village website at <https://sjsmvillage.org.sg>.

WEDDING NOTICE

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

ONG JUN HENG & CHIT SU WAI

Date: 10 am, 28 Sep 2024 | **Venue:** Glory Sanctuary

OOI ZHU PEI & SAMANTHA TEO WAN YI

Date: 10 am, 5 Oct 2024 | **Venue:** Glory Sanctuary

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.

WE SAY GOODBYE TO...

Mr Howe Eng Kwee (wife: the late Betty Howe). Our dear brother was called home to the Lord on Thursday 12 September 2024

TITHES & OFFERINGS (updated monthly)

	Jan–Aug 2024 (\$)	Aug 2024 (\$)
General Fund (Budgeted collections)	5,373,158	671,645
General Fund (Actual collections)	5,349,731	554,988
Excess / (Shortfall)	(23,427)	(116,657)

PRAYER @ SJSM

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

LECTIONARY READINGS: Psalm 119:153-end; Isaiah 45:9-22; Revelation 14:1-5

COLLECT: Almighty God, You have made us for Yourself, and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in You. Teach us to offer ourselves to Your service, that here we may have Your peace, and in the world to come may see You face to face; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SJSM VILLAGE (SJSMV)

OUR PARISH

- **Church Prayer Gathering (27 Sept).** Pray for a corporate and personal encounter with the Lord in the midst of the prayer gathering (Focus: Outreach & Missions), such that we may be so filled with the Spirit to pray His prayers (Ro 8:26-27) and travail for His will to be done on earth as it is in heaven to advance His kingdom.
- **Alpha.** Give glory to God for drawing hearts to His Son at the Alpha Day. Pray for good follow up with the guests by Alpha hosts and their cells. May every guest continue to thirst for an intimate relationship with God and experience the power of His truth that heals, restores, and transforms (Jn 8:31-32)

OUR EXTENDED COMMUNITY

- **SJSM Nursing Home.** Give thanks to God for turning the nursing home into an oasis where relationships with man and with God are nurtured by the hope and consolation brought to them through the befrienders. Pray for the residents' spiritual and emotional needs to be met by the love and peace of God. (Is 55:1-3)

OUR DIOCESE

- **Diocesan Education Month (Sept).** Pray for (a) anointing over the Diocesan Board of Education in the shaping of vision and strategies to move our Anglican schools towards greater fruitfulness in nurturing students, both academically and spiritually; (b) God to raise up more chaplaincy workers who carry God's heart for the next generation; (c) divine provision of all necessary funding and resources for the hiring and training of chaplaincy workers.

OUR NATION

- **Global Mission.** Pray for divine protection and mighty anointing for the leadership of Antioch 21, which was conceived as a catalyst for the global missions movement out of Singapore. Pray for Spirit-fueled strategic initiatives to be undergirded by prayers for this enormous task. Pray for a strong move of the Spirit at the upcoming Antioch 21 Summit (3-5 Oct @ SJSM) to (a) inspire and empower local churches to thrive as a seedbed and sender for world missions, (b) mobilise our next generation into world missions, and (c) equip marketplace Christians to be missional. Pray for a generation of missions goers to respond to God's call to the nations. (Mt 9:37-38).

THE WORLD

- **United States.** Continue to uphold in prayer the November presidential and legislative elections in the U.S., to whom God has given significant role on the world stage. May God move in the hearts of her people and her leaders, that godly values may be exalted over confusion, and healing may come upon this deeply fragmented nation. May this nation return to God and be a blessing to the world. (Pr 29:2; Dan 2:21)

DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER

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

PRAYER & INTERCESSION MINISTRY

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

CALLING ALL 10 TO 13
YEAR-OLD KIDS!!!

TEXBB/GB (COMBINED) CAMP 2024

Dates: 1-3 November 2024
Venue: GB Headquarters
Price: \$80
Registration Opens: 15 September
Registration Closes: 6 October

REGISTER
HERE!!!



SCAN TO
REGISTER!



Children's Camp 2024

Ages: 6-9 years
Date: 1st & 2nd Nov 2024
Venue: Agape Hall SJSM
Price: \$40
Registration closes:
6th Oct 2024



Missions Engagement Weekend 28-29 Sep Services

**Church Prayer Gathering
Fri, 27 Sep, 7.45pm
Christ Sanctuary
Focus: Outreach & Missions**

*Let's gather as one people in Christ
Sanctuary to pray for God's kingdom to
advance from our Village to the nations.*

Heartbeat Youth Camp 2024!

13-16 December 2024

Majodi Camp

SAVE THE DATES!

INFO PACK



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ANTIOCH 21



MANY STREAMS ONE DIRECTION

ANTIOCH SUMMIT

DECADE OF MISSIONS 2023 - 2033

**3-5 OCT 2024
ST. JOHN'S-ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH**

For more details visit

<https://www.sjasm.org.sg/antioch-21.html>

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