



**SAT, 26 JUL &
SUN, 27 JUL 2025**

SATURDAY SERVICES

Heartbeat Youth – 2.30pm (no service; HB joins SES)

English – 5pm (Christ Sanctuary)

Mandarin – 5pm (Glory Sanctuary)

ORDINARY TIME

At “Ordinary Time” our focus shifts away from the great feasts of sacred history (Advent, Christmas, Epiphany, Easter, Ascension, Pentecost) into our ongoing growth as Christians belonging to the Triune God. We are reminded to focus on maturing in our love and service in our day-to-day living, to grow in embracing God’s sovereignty in our hearts and advancing His Kingdom in the world.

SUNDAY SERVICES

English – 8.15am & 10.45am*
(Christ Sanctuary/*[online](#))

Indonesian Fellowship – 10.45am (B402)

Mandarin – 10am (Glory Sanctuary)

Tamil – 10am (Bethel Auditorium)

Filipino – 1.30pm (Bethel Auditorium)

*Regular Junior Church & Teen Encounter
meeting details on next page*

This Weekend's Sermons

SATURDAY, 26 Jul

5pm (SES): Missions Engagement Weekend - Witnesses of Christ, Missions for All
(Acts 1:6-8; Acts 11:19-21; Acts 18:1-5) Mr Kua Wee Seng

SUNDAY, 27 Jul

8.15am (E1) & 10.45am (E2): Missions Engagement Weekend - Witnesses of Christ, Missions for All (Acts 1:6-8; Acts 11:19-21; Acts 18:1-5) Mr Kua Wee Seng

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!



The following are the usual weekly classes for the children. Variations will be announced in the bulletin and through the teachers



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

SATURDAY – 5pm (SES)

Primary (7-10 yrs) @ Charis

Preschool (3-6 yrs) @ Chara

SUNDAY – 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.

Need Help?

Do connect with us in any of the following ways.

1. Visit/chat with a pastoral staff or request for Holy Communion (for homebound persons):
Email: pastoralcare@sjsm.org.sg
call 67770934, or submit this online form <https://tinyurl.com/SJSMCare3>
2. Clinical counselling (for members or members to refer):
Email counselling@sjsm.org.sg
3. Visit the Healing service
Thursdays, 8pm, Chapel:
Email: sjsmhealingsvc@gmail.com



catch it
again



A Study on Becoming God's People
(Exodus)

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/11517304>

Lent 2025 Series

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/11613057>

Holy Week 2025

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/11668099>

A Study on Hospitality (Luke & Acts)

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

HEARTBEAT services

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

All recordings

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

This Coming Week (no registration required)

Tue, 29 Jul

11.00am **Tea Terrace** (*Tea Terrace*)

Thu, 31 Jul

11.00am **Tea Terrace** (*Tea Terrace*)

8.00pm **Healing Service** (*Chapel*)

Sat, 2 Aug

2.00pm **Crochet Fellowship** (*Hospitality Lounge*)

2.30pm **Heartbeat Youth Service** (*Shalom Hall & online*). Email heartbeat@sjsm.org.sg for info

5.00pm **Saturday Evening Service** (*Christ Sanctuary*)
Mandarin Service (*Glory Sanctuary*)

Sun, 3 Aug

8.15am **English Service** (*Christ Sanctuary*)

10.00am **Mandarin Service** (*Glory Sanctuary*)

Tamil Service (*Bethel Auditorium*)
Email Solomon@sjsm.org.sg for info.

10.45am **English Service** (*Christ Sanctuary & online*)

Indonesian Fellowship (*B402*)
Email sallyho@heartfriends.org.sg for info.

1.30pm **Filipino Service** (*Bethel Auditorium*)
Email juanita@sjsm.org.sg for info.

Save These Dates!

- **Aug 23 & 24**
Baptism Services
- **Aug 30 & 31**
Intergenerational service & Stewardship Weekend
- **Sep 12-14:**
Men's Breakthrough Weekend
- **Nov 7:**
Quiet Day
- **Nov 7-9:**
Junior Church & Teen Encounter Camp
- **Dec 12 – 15:**
Heartbeat Youth Camp
- **Jan 29-31 (2026)**
Prayer Training Retreat
- **Jun 8-11 (2026)**
Church Camp

NEXT WEEK'S SERMONS

Sat, 2 Aug (SES)

Becoming God's People
Means: Being Spiritually
Ready
(Josh 5:1-12)
Mr George Tan

Sun, 3 Aug (E1 & E2)

Handling The Question Of
Confidence
(Josh 5:13-15; Jn 18:3-11)
Bp Rennis Ponniah



Sermon series on the book of Joshua

BECOMING GOD'S PEOPLE MEANS...

Having courage and obedience • 5 & 6 Jul
Stepping into God's promises • 19 & 20 Jul

Being spiritually ready • 2 & 3 Aug

Our obedience brings victory • 16 & 17 Aug

Understanding the cost to disobedience • 23 & 24 Aug

Knowing God's mercy in our failure • 6 & 7 Sep

Seeking God's guidance in our decisions • 20 & 21 Sep

Trusting in God's miraculous power • 27 & 28 Sep

NOTICES

BP RENNIS @ SJSM NEXT WEEKEND

Bp Rennis will be with us next weekend! On both Saturday and Sunday, he will host a book table for his newly published book, "All By His Grace"! And on Sunday, he will also bring us the word at our Sunday services!

APPRECIATION & THANKSGIVING FOR REVD VINCENT

Ps Vincent Hoon will be retiring from the staff team on 31 Aug, after serving faithfully as an auxiliary clergy and Zone Pastor. We give thanks to God for the grace, care, and dedication he has poured into the lives of many during his time with us. We warmly invite you to join us in honouring and sending him off with our love and prayers as he enters a new season of life and ministry. On **Sun, 17 Aug, after E1 and E2**, we will have a time to express our heartfelt gratitude and share a meal with him. If you are joining the **lunch after E2**, to assist with our catering arrangements, please register at <https://tinyurl.com/FarewellPsVincent>.

2025 MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE (8 Sats)

Dates & Time: Sep 6, 13, 20, 27, Oct 4, 11, 18 (9am to 2pm) & Oct 25 (9am to 6pm)

Cost per person: \$100 (SJSMers)/\$150 (non-SJSMers)

This course is required for couples intending to marry in SJSM and recommended for couples exploring marriage. For enquiries, email flm@sjsm.org.sg. **Register by 4 Aug** at <https://tinyurl.com/mpcsjsm2>.

NCCS NATIONAL THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Date & Time: Thu, 14 Aug, 7.45pm

Venue: St Andrew's Cathedral, New Sanctuary

The National Council of Churches of Singapore (NCCS) invites all to their annual National Day Thanksgiving Service to worship with fellow believers. Bishop Philip Lim, NCCS President & Bp of the Methodist Church, will deliver the message **Coming to Jesus (Text: Mark 2:1-12)**.

KNOW THE WORD (KTW): THE GOSPEL OF MARK

Sessions: 23, 30 Sep, 7, 14, 21, 28 Oct (6 Tues)

Venue: Bethel Auditorium, 7:45pm.

KTW, SJSM's systematic book study course that is offered twice a year, resumes in September. Dr Tan Kim Huat from Trinity Theological College will be the instructor. Register by **14 Sep** at <https://tinyurl.com/SJSMTKW>. Email ce@sjsm.org.sg for more info.

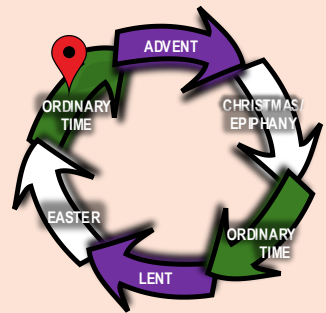
PRAYER TRAINING RETREAT 2026: 29-31 JAN 2026

Venue: Forest City Golf Resort, Johor, Malaysia

Prayer is crucial to the Christian life. The retreat will guide you in conversing with and encountering God! **Register by next week** as we are almost at capacity. For more info, or to register, go to <https://www.sjsm.org.sg/ptr-2026.html>.

The Liturgical Year

The Liturgical Year or the Church Calendar, was developed by the early Christians to remind us that while we move through our current timeline, we are still a part of God's missional timeline and purposes. So the liturgical year helps us to remember and relive the story of Jesus' time on earth and what was accomplished. It also reminds us that we the church, must keep our focus to fulfil God's mission in the world.



Join the Staff Team

1. Administrator, Tamil Congregation (PT)
2. Facilities Assistant (FT)
3. Administrator, Music Ministry (PT)

Details at
www.sjsm.org.sg/recruitment

connect With us

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Write to info@sjsm.org.sg to furnish us with 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

Acct #: 360-303-092-1

Branch Code: 030

Bank Code: 7375

Bank Name: UOB

Via PayNow (scan from your banking app or save to use from your gallery)

UEN: T08CC4080B



Cheques/cash will be collected at the offertory boxes at the exits (after SES & E2) and with the bags during E1.

CAMBODIA MISSIONS EXPOSURE TRIP: 4-7 SEP

Land package cost: \$800 (Single); \$660 (twin-sharing)

Participants will attend the 25th anniversary celebration for "Project Khmer H.O.P.E", gain greater exposure to their work and Cambodia, in general. The cost covers a contribution to their work, land transport, hotels, meals in Cambodia **but not travel to Cambodia. Register by 31 Jul at** <https://bit.ly/PKH25th> and to find out more.

TIMOR-LESTE EXPOSURE MISSION TRIP: 11-18 SEP

Team Size: 4-5 pax (approx. Cost: \$1,200 per person)

Participate in cross cultural missions in Timor-Leste! Experience first hand the local village life, and learn about the Timorese people, culture and more! Email emilykoh@sjsm.org.sg **Register by 31 Jul**

HONG KONG MISSION TRIP with YWAM: 9-14 DEC

Team Size: 8 pax (approx. Cost: \$950 per person)

Participants will help out in a food bank, engage in outreach ministries to cardboard collectors and the elderly. Be part of God's plan for the people of Hong Kong. Email emilykoh@sjsm.org.sg . **Register by 24 Aug.**

DAY OF HIS POWER: FRI 8 AUG, 8PM

Venue: 30 Prayer centres across Singapore!

As usual, LoveSingapore's 40.Day prayer event will culminate with this national prayer event. This year, people will gather across 30 prayer centres across Singapore. Locate a venue near you and join in! <https://lovesingapore.org.sg/en/dohp2025/>.

WEDDING NOTICES

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

LEE JIA JIANG SEAN & SAMANTHA TAY EN-QING

Date: 10am, 16 Aug 2025 | Venue: Glory 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 HEARFELT CONDOLENCES TO...

• **Pearl Yeo.** Pearl's beloved brother was called home to the Lord on Fri, 18 July 2025.

TITHES & OFFERINGS (updated monthly)

General Fund	Jan – Jun 2025 (\$)	Jun 2025 (\$)
Budgeted collections	4,164,372	694,062
Actual collections	4,208,029	580,850
Excess/(Shortfall)	43,657	(113,212)

6th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

LECTIONARY READINGS: Psalm 95; Song of Solomon 2; 1 Peter 4.7-14

COLLECT: Lord, You have taught us that all our doings without love are nothing worth. Send Your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before You. Grant this for the sake of Your only Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

SJSM VILLAGE (SJSMV)

OUR PARISH

- **Men's Breakthrough Weekend: Walking in the Light (12-14 Sep).** Praise our faithful God for this annual event that draws men of all ages together for an intimate time with Him and sharing and supporting one another. Pray for robust sign-up and for hearts willing to invest a weekend away from routines to seek God and trust Him to do a new thing in their lives (Isa 43:19).
- **Families: Caregivers.** Thank the Lord for caregivers among us, called to the sacred and demanding task of caring for loved ones who are elderly, unwell or have special needs. As frontliners serving those fully dependent on them, pray that (a) they remain steadfast in the Lord, seeking His refuge and trusting in His faithfulness (Ps 91:4); (b) their souls be refreshed and restored daily to care with love, patience and gentleness; (c) in moments of fatigue or frustration, they know their frailty and rest in Christ's unfailing grace and guidance (Mt 11:28-30).

OUR EXTENDED COMMUNITY

- **Staff & Volunteers in SJSM Village.** Lift up with gratitude for the staff and volunteers who serve faithfully across the SJSM Village, in the Nursing Home, Senior Care Centre, Active Aging Centre, Little Seeds Preschool and Heartfriends Student Care Centre. May God bless their offerings of time, talents and love, sown in faith, to bear fruit in His perfect season (Gal 6:9). Ask God to refresh those who are weary or discouraged (Jer 31:25); and to stir more SJSMers, regardless of life stage, to step forward and serve in this life-giving work that blesses the community and glorifies Him.

OUR NATION

- **Government.** We acknowledge God's sovereign hand over Singapore and the leadership established in this season. Pray for divine wisdom and counsel upon Prime Minister Lawrence Wong and his team as they tackle challenges like ageing population, maturing economy and an ongoing cyberattack on Singapore's critical information infrastructure. May Lord Jesus, on whom rest the government (Isa 9:6), reign through His people to turn Singapore Godward to fulfil her God-given destiny.

THE WORLD

- **Cyber Threats.** As cyberattacks by state-linked and ransomware groups grow in scale, threatening global stability and targeting critical infrastructure in many nations, let's look to God, our Rock, for help. Pray that He will (a) disrupt the schemes of the wicked and expose hidden threats; (b) raise up cybersecurity leaders and experts who walk in integrity and divine purpose, anointed like Bezalel (Ex 31:2-3) to build resilient, future-ready systems; (c) strengthen global collaboration to share intelligence and best practices. May God redeem systems and networks for the spread of the Gospel, turning many to Christ, the true and unshakable security (Ps 27:1).

PRAYER & INTERCESSION MINISTRY

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

DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER

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

ALPHA IS HERE AT SJSM CHURCH

REGISTRATION EXTENDED TO 29 JULY!

ALPHA COURSE (Decentralised/Online)
From week of 13 July & ends 27 September



Scan the QR code to register or come to the booth after the service to find out more!



Come, try Alpha! Ask anything!



MENTAL HEALTH SERIES 2025 SUICIDE PREVENTION & INTERVENTION

Organised by Family Life Ministry

	SEMINAR (AWARENESS)	WORKSHOP (SKILL BASED TRAINING)	REGISTRATION
DATE	Sat 16 Aug, 2025	Sat 23 Aug, 2025	
TIME	9am - 1pm	9am - 1pm	
VENUE	Bethel Auditorium	Bethel Auditorium	
SPEAKER	Alex Yeo	Caring For Life Team	
FEES	\$5	\$10	
GRP SIZE	Open to all	Min 10, Max 24 pax Open to SJSM'ers only	



Please register individually by Thu, 31 July (8pm) via <https://tinyurl.com/SJSMHMS2025> or by QR code.
For more info on the event and pre-requisites for the workshop, please visit www.sjsm.org.sg/mhs.
To find out more about Caring For Life, please visit <https://caringforlifefsg.org>.

Closing date extended

2025 SHORT TERM MISSION TRIPS

Visit the Missions webpage to find out how you can participate and share in God's heart for the nations!



For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the LORD as the waters cover the sea. – Habbakuk 2:14

www.sjsm.org.sg/missions.html

MEN'S BREAKTHROUGH WEEKEND 2025



bit.ly/MBTW2025

Encounter the *Father heart of God*
experience the
spiritual *friendship as brothers*

12 - 14 SEP 2025

Forest City, Johor, Malaysia

Paul 9819 7275

Quick Links

COURSES & EVENTS (regby)

- Alpha (late reg) (29 Jul)
<https://www.sjsm.org.sg/alphacourse.html>
- Mental Health Series: Suicide Prevention & Intervention (31 Jul)
<https://www.sjsm.org.sg/mhs>
- Cambodia Missions Exposure Trip (31 Jul)
<https://bit.ly/PKH25th>
- Timor Exposure Trip (31 Jul)
emilykoh@sjsm.org.sg
- MBTW (3 Aug)
<https://bit.ly/MBTW2025>
- Men4Men (4 Aug)
<https://tinyurl.com/SJSM4MReg>
- Marriage Preparation (4 Aug)
<https://tinyurl.com/mpcsjsm2>
- 40 Day LoveSingapore (9 Aug)
<https://lovesingapore.org.sg>
- HK Mission Trip (24 Aug)
emilykoh@sjsm.org.sg
- KTW – Mark (14 Sep)
<https://tinyurl.com/SJSMKTW>
- Prayer Trg Retreat 2026 (30 Sep)
<https://tinyurl.com/SJSMPTR26>
- Quiet Day (4 Oct)
<https://tinyurl.com/SJSMOD2025>

SERVE/VOLUNTEER

- 2025 Mission Trips
www.sjsm.org.sg/missions.html
- Village Volunteer
<http://www.sjsm.org.sg/volunteer-sjsm-village.html>
- SJSM Volunteer
www.sjsm.org.sg/volunteer.html
- Refreshments/Tea Terrace
info@sjsm.org.sg

Join/visit a cell!

Looking for a group to grow and serve with? Submit a form (click/scan the QR code) to request to visit or join a group or email cell@sjsm.org.sg.



Bishop of Singapore

The Most Revd Dr Titus Chung

Assistant Bishop

Rt Revd Low Jee King

Archdeacon of Singapore

Ven Daniel Wee

Vicar

Ven Wong Tak Meng

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Revd Solomon Periyamayakam

Revd Tang Wai Lung

Revd Chan Chee Keng

Revd Thong Tang Hiong

Revd Vincent Hoon (auxiliary)

Revd Victor Teo (on sabbatical)

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Ds Bessie Lee

Ds Laura Chan (auxiliary)



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(Tue - Fri: 9.30am – 5.30pm; Sat: 9.30am - 4pm)

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Anglican Diocese of Singapore (www.anglican.org.sg).

Our campus, St. John's - St. Margaret's Village (www.sjsmvillage.org.sg),
comprises of the church, SJSJ Nursing Home (www.sjsmnh.org.sg),

Little Seeds Preschool (SJSJ) (www.littleseeds.edu.sg),

Heartfriends Student Care Centre (<https://heartfriendshsc.org.sg>),

St. Andrew's Senior Care and Active Ageing Centre

(<https://www.samh.org.sg/st-andrews-senior-care>).