

Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> February 2019

# SAINT GEORGE'S CHURCH TANGLIN

Bishop of Singapore: The Rt Rev Rennis Ponniah  
The Diocese of Singapore

*Every person complete in Christ - Colossians 1:28*



**WELCOME** to St. George's today! Please stay for refreshments after church. You can also visit the Welcome Corner to find out more about our ministries and activities. An air-conditioned nursery is available for infants in the Vestry.

## **THE COLLECT FOR HARVEST THANKSGIVING**

Almighty and everlasting God, we offer you our hearty thanks for your fatherly goodness and care in giving us the fruits of the earth in their seasons. Give us grace to use them rightly, to your glory, for our own well-being, and for the relief of those in need; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**AMEN.**

*If you would like to pray with someone in confidence after the service, our Prayer Team will be available in the seats in front of the organ.*

**8.00AM HOLY COMMUNION**

**Order of Service- Refer to the 8.00am red service book**

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN 449**

God Of Mercy, God Of Grace

**WELCOME**

Margaret Chew

**THE PREPARATION (pg 1)**

**THE COLLECT**

**PSALM**

Psalm 138: 1 - 8 (pg 444)

Margaret Chew

**2<sup>ND</sup> READING**

Hebrews 8: 1 – 13 (pg 849)

Jayanthi Pathmarajah

**PRAYER FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH**

**SONG 385**

Be Thou My Guardian And My Guide

**GOSPEL READING**

Luke 5: 1 - 11 (pg 728)

Margaret Chew

**SERMON**

Living By God's Grace

Rev Mark Dickens

**THE NICENE CREED (pg 2)**

**INTERCESSIONS (pg 4)**

Karen Tan

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**THE PEACE (pg 5)**

**OFFERTORY HYMN 598(i)** There's A Wideness In God's Mercy

**THE SUMMARY OF THE LAW (pg 5)**

**HOLY COMMUNION / AFTER COMMUNION (pg 11)**

Please use the communal chalice for dipping the wafer only (intinction); individual cups of wine are available in the aisles for those who wish to drink.

**BEFORE LORD'S PRAYER**

**CHRIST HAS DIED, CHRIST IS RISEN, CHRIST WILL COME AGAIN.**

**BENEDICTION (pg 12)**

**CLOSING HYMN 609**

To God Be The Glory

**ORGANIST**

March by Alex Guilmant

Joanna Paul

## **10.00AM MORNING PRAYER**

**WELCOME**

Rev Dr Soh Guan Chin

**THE COLLECT**

**SONGS**

Tell Out My Soul  
No Other Name

**CHILDREN'S SONG**

The Wise Man Built

**PRAYER FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH**

**THE PEACE**

(Children leave for Sunday School)

**WELCOME TO NEWCOMERS**

**REVELATION 1 CREED**

**CONFESSING OUR SINS**

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned against you and against our fellow men, in thought and word and deed, through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We are truly sorry, and repent of all our sins. For the sake of your son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may serve you in newness of life to the glory of your name. AMEN.

"If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness - 1 John 1: 8 - 9

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and forever. AMEN

**PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH AND THE WORLD** Larry Bradley

**PRAYER BEFORE THE READINGS**

**HEARING GOD'S WORD**

Psalm 138: 1 - 8 (pg 444)

Hebrews 8: 1 – 13 (pg 849)

David Wignall

Carolyn Wignall

**SERMON**

Living By God's Grace

Rev Mark Dickens

**SONG**

There Is A Hope

**OFFERTORY SONG**

Knowing You

(During these songs, our freewill offerings will be received)

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**BLESSINGS**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord  
In the name of Christ. **Amen.**

**CLOSING SONG**

The Lord Is Our Salvation

## **5.30PM EVENING SERVICE**

### **OPENING SONGS**

To God Be The Glory  
Before The Throne Of God Above

### **WELCOME**

Philippa Lucas

### **CONFESSING OUR SINS**

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### **APOSTLES CREED**

### **WELCOME TIME**

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **SONG**

Speak O Lord

### **HEARING GOD'S WORD**

Psalm 138: 1 - 8 (pg 444)  
Hebrews 8: 1 - 13 (pg 849)

Mark Borland

### **SERMON**

Living By God's Grace

Rev Mark Dickens

### **OFFERTORY SONG**

My Hope Is Built

### **PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH AND THE WORLD**

Andrew Thomas

### **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

### **CLOSING SONG**

What Grace Is Mine

**SERMON NOTES**

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## **PRAYERS**

### **THE WORLD**

**PAKISTAN** Praise God that Pakistan's Supreme Court has dismissed the petition against the acquittal of Asia Bibi, the Christian woman who spent nearly 8 years on death row after being falsely accused of blasphemy. Asia had been acquitted and released in October and now needs protection along with her family. Pray that they will be able to leave the country safely and may this case herald a new era of justice and fair treatment for religious minorities in Pakistan, including Christians.

### **MISSIONS**

**PRISON FELLOWSHIP SINGAPORE (PFS)** Give thanks for the recent visit of Andrew Tay to our morning services, when he shared about the growing and vital work of providing support to prisoners and their families. Pray that the interest shown by members of St Georges will result in more prayer, financial and volunteering support for PFS.

### **SINGAPORE DIOCESE**

Praise God for the Church of the Good Shepherd and their Vicar, Rev Huang Ao-you and the lay and clerical leadership that assist him in caring for God's people and proclaiming the gospel of Christ.

### **SINGAPORE**

Give thanks to God for the incredible religious freedom and social unity we enjoy. May we use this opportunity to share the good news of Jesus widely, while still showing respect for people of different faiths.

### **ST GEORGE'S CHURCH FAMILY**

- Give thanks for new adults, youth and families who have recently joined our Church. May we welcome them with Christ-like love and help them to grow in knowledge and love of Jesus.
- Pray that many people will sign up for the latest *Alpha Course*.
- Praise God for all we learnt for our recent short sermon series from the gospel of Matthew. May we cherish the freedom we have to read God's word and be regularly opening our Bibles.
- May more people join one of the many Small Group Bible studies that meet either weekly or fortnightly. Give thanks for wonderful fellowship and prayer support provided by these groups.
- Pray for God's care, peace and healing for those in our Church family suffering from serious illnesses including Jenna Howe, Janet Tan, Kah Seng and Liza Lacno.
- Pray for Thomas Okullo, who has now returned to Uganda, to be with his grieving family. May they mourn well as they give thanks for Thomas' dad.

*"Jesus is able to save completely those who come to God through him, because he always lives to intercede for them." Hebrews 7:25*

## The Coming Week

<b><u>Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> February</u></b>	
09:30 – 11:15	Monday Morning Group; NH
10:00 – 11:30	Mums and Tots; LH, Peacock Rm
10:00 – 12:00	Evergreen; Vestry
14:00 – 16:00	Mothers In Prayer; NH
19:00 – 22:00	SEPC; YB Upper Room
<b><u>Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> February</u></b>	
10:00 – 11:30	Toddler Time; CH, LH, Peacock Rm
10:00 – 12:00	Property Committee Meeting; Conf Rm
19:00 – 22:00	Men's Group; NH
19:30 – 21:00	DE Small Group; Vestry
<b><u>Wednesday, 13<sup>rd</sup> February</u></b>	
10:00 – 11:30	Mums and Tots; LH, Peacock Rm
10:00 – 12:00	Wednesday Ladies Bible Study; Conf Rm
10:30 – 12:30	Wednesday Small Group Prayer Meeting; NH
19:00 – 22:00	Bible & Nibbles Sm Grp; KF
19:15 – 21:30	Alpha; LH
<b><u>Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> February</u></b>	
09:30 – 10:30	Weekly Morning Prayer; Chapel
10:00 – 11:30	Mums and Tots; LH, Peacock Rm
10:00 – 11:30	Thursday Ladies Group; NH
10:00 – 14:00	Sunday School Workshop; Conf Rm
14:00 – 16:00	Thursday Teatime Fellowship; Vestry



<b><u>Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> February</u></b>	
07:15 – 08:00	Men's Breakfast; CL
09:45 – 12:00	Ladies Breakfast & Bible Study; NH
10:00 – 12:00	SJCF English Class; YB, CL, LH
18:00 – 21:30	Dig Deeper; YB Upper Rm
<b><u>Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> February</u></b>	
09:30 – 13:00	SJCF; CL
10:00 – 12:00	Marriage Preparation Course: NH
11:30 – 13:00	10.00am Music Rehearsal; CH
<b><u>Sunday, 17<sup>th</sup> February</u></b>	
08:00 – 09:30	Traditional Service, Communion; CH.
10:00 – 11:30	Youth Service; NH
10:00 – 12:00	Morning Service with Communion; CH
12:00 – 15:30	Filipino Fellowship; CL
13:30 – 16:30	SJCF; Service; CH
13:30 – 18:00	SJCF; Blue Classroom
14:00 – 17:30	SJCF; LH
14:30 – 17:00	5.30pm Worship Team Rehearsal; YB Upper Rm
15:00 – 17:00	Children's Choir Practise; NH
16:30 – 18:00	SJCF; CL
17:30 – 19:00	Evening Service; CH

**LH** – Lower Hall

**NH** – Nissen Hut

**CH** – Church Hall

**CB** – Centre Building

CB – Orchid Room

CB – Jasmine Room

CB – Hibiscus Room

CB – **CL** Centre Lounge

**YB** – Youth Building

YB - Peacock Room (ground floor)

YB - Sunbird Room (ground floor)

YB - Kingfisher Room (ground floor)

YB – Upper Room

**BOOKING OF ROOMS OR EVENTS** Please direct all requests to Lesley  
6473-2877 Ext 102, [sgcworship@stgeorges.org.sg](mailto:sgcworship@stgeorges.org.sg)

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **FELLOWSHIP**

**YOUTH FAMILY BBQ** on 24<sup>th</sup> February. Gather at 11.30am in the Upper Room, Youth Building, \$15/- per family or bring a side/salad/dessert share. Registration by 20<sup>th</sup> February through [www.tinyurl.com/sgcyouthbbq](http://www.tinyurl.com/sgcyouthbbq)

**WELCOME DINNER 24<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY** This year's first welcome dinner takes place on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> February after the 5.30pm service. It's a great opportunity to get to know each other at St George's Church better. Whether you've been at St. George's for 40 years or joined us recently, and whether you are usually attending a morning or evening service; all are welcome!

**JOO CHIAT FOOD TOUR** Organised by Bible&Nibbles, the Wednesday evening small group.

We invite you to the Joo Chiat Food Tour. Awarded 1st Heritage Town by National Heritage Board, come to understand Peranakan culture, Nanyang architecture and urban planning in this multi-ethnic community. Sample iconic food (popiah, laksa, otah, prawn noodles, kali pap and nonya kueh) and see fast-vanishing traditional crafts.

Date: Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 10.00am – 12.00pm

Meet: NTUC entrance @ Joo Chiat Complex (2 Joo Chiat Road, #01/02 - 1139 S420002)

Capacity is limited to 20 on first come first serve basis; please register with [Info@bibleandnibbles.study](mailto:Info@bibleandnibbles.study)

\* Bible&Nibbles tours are conducted free by a licensed tourist guide; food and transport is at own cost.

Donations will support our Laos missionary work.

### **EVANGELISM AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH**

**NEXT WEEK'S SERMON PASSAGE** is Hebrews 9: 1 - 24

**DIOCESE OF SINGAPORE SEMINAR** – The End of Life – CARING for the dying. St Andrew's Community Hospital - 8 Simei Street 3, S529895  
Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March – 9.00am to 1.30pm – Cost \$10/-. Registration details on the Diocesan website.

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE** Saturday 10.00am Nissen Hut. Sessions on 16<sup>th</sup> February, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> March. Register with the church office.

## **MOORE COLLEGE: Introduction to the Bible (Biblical Theology 1):**

Tuesday evenings, 8.00 - 9.30pm. This course runs for 10 weeks with a mid-term break at Easter.

Dates: 5<sup>th</sup> March – 14<sup>th</sup> May

Venue: Upper Room of Youth Building

Cost: \$65/-

For registration, please email: [moore@stgeorges.org.sg](mailto:moore@stgeorges.org.sg), or contact Betty Wu at 6473-2877 ext.101. Please register by 18<sup>th</sup> February.

'Introduction to the Bible' shows how the great themes of the Bible fit together into one story that spans both the Old and New Testaments. With Jesus at the centre of the story, this subject shows how God planned to redeem his people. The story begins with promises to Abraham, continues through the fortunes of the nation of Israel, and reaches its climax at the cross.

**8.00AM SINGERS NEEDED** Call for singers for 8.00am service for sopranos and altos as several of our wonderful singers have returned to their countries. Please contact Joanna on 8102-1721.

**ALPHA 2019** Try Alpha. Invite your friends. Alpha is for those wanting to explore the Christian faith. It is relaxed, low-key and fun. It is for anyone who is curious about Christianity and those who want to brush up on the basics. Alpha consists of a meal, followed by a video talk on topics such as "Who is Jesus?" and "Why and how do I pray?", followed by an opportunity to ask questions. We use the Alpha Film Series. We will be running a Wednesday evening session. Join our introductory morning tea/dinner and a short film on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February.

**FILIPINO FELLOWSHIP ALPHA** on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 12.00noon to 2.00pm. For more details please email Hydie Valdez at [toddertime@stgeorges.org.sg](mailto:toddertime@stgeorges.org.sg)

## **ADMINISTRATION**

### **GIVING TO ST GEORGE'S**

*'Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.'* 2 Corinthians 9: 7

St George's Church depends entirely on donations from the congregation to support its various ministries and activities; and to support many local and international Mission and outreach partners. Giving can be through cash or cheque (payable to "St George's Church") and placed in the offertory bag or electronically via bank transfer or standing order to:

Account Name: St George's Church, Bank name: Standard Chartered,  
Bank code: 7144, Branch code: 003, Account number: 03-083-0457-8

**CELEBRATION OF HOPE** is about Christians in Singapore coming together to share Jesus Christ with friends and relatives.

Celebration of Hope – Regional Prayer Meetings

St. Andrew's Cathedral, 25<sup>th</sup> of February, 7:30pm

St James' Church – Fridays at 8.00pm, 25<sup>th</sup> January, 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 26<sup>th</sup> April.

Celebration of Hope – Evangelism Equipping

Session will be held from 9.00am to 12.30pm

St Andrew's Cathedral – 2<sup>nd</sup> March (If you are interested, register with Andrew Thomas or Philippa Lucas by the 8<sup>th</sup> February.)

St John's-St Margaret's Church – 16<sup>th</sup> March

Celebration of Hope – Rally Schedule

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May - 7.30pm - English (National Stadium)

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May - 10.30am – Children & Families (National Stadium)

7.30pm – Chinese (National Stadium)

7.30pm – Tamil (Ocbc Arena)

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May - 10.30pm – Filipino/English (National Stadium)

7.30pm – English (National Stadium)

**EXPOSITORY PREACHING CONFERENCE AND EVENING TALKS** from

1 Timothy. Speaker is Rev William Taylor from St Helen's Bishopsgate.

Organized by PT (Project Timothy) – Venue Grace Baptist Church

Talks – Tuesday and Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> March (7.00 - 9.30pm) and

Preaching Conference Wednesday and Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> March (9.00am – 2.00pm)

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**CHURCH CONTACTS**

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