

Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> March 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 THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ fasted forty days in the wilderness and was tempted as we are, yet without sin: give us grace to discipline ourselves in obedience to your Spirit; and, as you know our weakness, so may we know your power to save; 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 95** Forty Days And Forty Nights

**WELCOME** Doug Harrison

**THE PREPARATION (pg 1)**

**THE COLLECT**

**PSALM** Psalm 91: 1 - 2, 9 -16 (pg 424) Doug Harrison

**2<sup>ND</sup> READING** Exodus 1: 8 - 2:10, 23 - 25 (pg 40) Allen Pathmarajah

**PRAYER FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH**

**HYMN 205** This Day God Gives Me

**GOSPEL READING** Luke 4: 1 - 13 (pg 727) Doug Harrison

**SERMON** The God Who Remembers Rev Philip Sinden

**THE NICENE CREED (pg 2)**

**INTERCESSIONS (pg 4)** Mike Kelly

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**THE PEACE (pg 5)**

**OFFERTORY HYMN 533** O For A Heart To Praise My God

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

**KYRIE ELEISON**

Lord Have Mercy, **Lord Have Mercy**  
Christ Have Mercy, **Christ Have Mercy**  
Lord Have Mercy, **Lord Have Mercy**

**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.

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**BENEDICTION (pg 12)**

**CLOSING HYMN 604** Though All The Changing Scenes Of Life

**ORGAN POSTLUDE**

Wer nur den lieben Gott läßt walten (He who allows dear God to rule him)  
Joanna Paul

## 10.00AM MORNING PRAYER

**WELCOME**

Suzana Yeo

**THE COLLECT**

**SONGS**

Strength Will Rise  
Lord, I Come

**CHILDREN'S SONG**

I've Got The Joy, Joy, Joy, Joy Down In My Heart

**PRAYER FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH**

**THE PEACE**

(Children and youth group leave for Sunday School)

**WELCOME TO NEWCOMERS**

**APOSTLES 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** Margie Teo

**PRAYER BEFORE THE READINGS**

**HEARING GOD'S WORD**

Luke 4: 1 - 13 (pg 727)

Exodus 1: 8 - 2:10, 23 - 25 (pg 40)

Naomi Weir

Grace Young –Diao

**SERMON**

The God Who Remembers

Rev Philip Sinden

**SONG**

Mighty To Save

**OFFERTORY SONG**

Kyrie Eleison, Have Mercy

(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 Old Rugged Cross



## **SERMON OUTLINE**

*Out Of Darkness - Exodus*

### **THE GOD WHO REMEMBERS** **EXODUS 1--2**

#### **The People of the Promise**

**People – and Promise – under threat**

**Fear the Promise-Keeper!**

**Trust the God who saves**

## **PRAYERS**

### **THE WORLD**

**AFGHANISTAN** Pray that Christians in Afghanistan will know God as their refuge, fortress, shield and rampart, and will rest in the shadow of the Almighty (Psalm 91: 1 – 4). Ask that God will keep and protect them, and that they will be encouraged by Christian radio and internet ministries. Pray that they may be bold to speak of Christ and share his love with their neighbours, even as they risk persecution in doing so. Ask the Lord to provide for Afghan Christians who have fled the country and live as refugees and for those who have been forcibly returned from European countries to Afghanistan, putting their lives at severe risk.

### **MISSION PARTNER – NEIL WATKINSON**

Please pray as Neil interviews quite a few international applicants for Cornhill for this September, alongside his usual Cornhill responsibilities, with preparations for a preaching training weekend in Greece next month too.

- Give thanks for Neil's recent two weeks of preaching training in Cambodia and Nepal, for good engagement with God's Word – and that he has completed the draft of his book (based on his MTh thesis) for Proclamation Trust.
- Pray for Neil giving three expositions on the Holy Spirit to international students from St Andrew the Great, Cambridge, at a weekend at Otford Manor (21<sup>st</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> March) with another cross-cultural preaching training PT workshop on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March.

### **SINGAPORE DIOCESE**

Pray for Bishop Rennis as he cares for his mother, who is currently ill and in hospital. Pray for full and speedy recovery for his mother.

### **SINGAPORE**

Pray for integrity, vision and strength for all who lead our nation, including our President Mdm Halimah Yacob and our PM Mr Lee Hsien Loong.

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

- Pray for the upcoming personal evangelism, which is part of Celebration of Hope (COH). May this training help more people to be confident in sharing the good news of Jesus with others.
- Pray for Bishop Rennis and the St George's selection team as they continue the search for the next Vicar of our Church.
- Give thanks for the good recovery that Rev Dr Andrew Reid has made. Pray for strength for him as he resumes his teaching and leadership responsibilities.
- Pray for those in our extended Church family who continue to suffer from serious illnesses including Jenna Howe, Janet Tan, Peter Stead, Kah Seng, Liza Lacno and Caitlin Jong. May they know the peace and power of God's love.
- Pray that as we commence a new series of sermons from the Book of Exodus, we might all be open to what God has to teach us in this part of his word.

*"Let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds. Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another – and all the more as you see the Day approaching."*  
*Hebrews 10: 24 - 25*

## The Coming Week

<b><u>Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> March</u></b>	
09:30 – 11:15	Monday Morning Group; NH
09:30 – 11:30	Precept Leader's Meeting; YB Upper Rm
10:00 – 11:30	Mums and Tots; LH, Peacock Rm
14:00 – 16:00	Mothers In Prayer; NH
19:00 – 22:00	SEPC; YB Upper Room
<b><u>Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> March</u></b>	
10:00 – 11:30	Toddler Time; CH, LH, Peacock Rm
10:30 – 15:00	SJCF; NH
13:00 – 14:00	Men's Navigator Prayer Meeting; CL
19:00 – 22:00	Men's Group; NH
19:30 – 21:30	The Joshua Mission; LH
20:00 – 21:00	DE Small Group; Vestry
20:00 – 21:30	Moore College; YB Upper Rm
<b><u>Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> March</u></b>	
10:00 – 11:30	Mums and Tots; LH, Peacock Rm
10:00 – 12:00	Wednesday Ladies Bible Study; Conf Rm
19:00 – 22:00	Bible & Nibbles Small Group; Kingfisher Rm
19:15 – 21:30	Alpha; CH, LH
<b><u>Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> March</u></b>	
09:30 – 10:00	Weekly Prayer Meeting; Chapel
09:30 – 12:00	Precept; Orchid Rm, YB Upper Rm
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
19:30 – 21:30	SJCF; NH



<b><u>Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> March</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> March</u></b>	
10:00 – 12:00	Marriage Preparation Course; NH
11:30 – 13:00	10.00am Music Rehearsal; CH
<b><u>Sunday, 17<sup>th</sup> March</u></b>	
08:00 – 09:30	Traditional Service with 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; Orchid Rm
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  
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### FELLOWSHIP

**TONIGHT - MILLENNIALS MEETUP - MOVIE NIGHT** St. George's Millennials are meeting today 10<sup>th</sup> March at 7.00pm in the youth building for a movie night! We will provide a movie (The Shack), pizza and popcorn. All you need to do is sign up at [tinyurl.com/mmeetup](http://tinyurl.com/mmeetup).

### EVANGELISM AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH

**NEXT WEEK'S SERMON PASSAGE** is Exodus 3: 1 – 15

**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.

**MUSICIANS WANTED FOR THE 10.00AM SERVICE** Are you a keen musician or singer? Would you be willing to serve the 10am service community in the music team? We are looking for musicians and singers to join us but particularly interested in talking to you if you're a drummer. Even if you are less experienced but willing to try and have a little coaching, please do think about serving our community in this way. If you're interested please make yourself known to one of the musicians in the band on any Sunday morning after the service so that we can have a chat. Alternatively, please contact Jeff Rajeck or Phillip Wang through the church office.

**CHRISTIAN LISTENING @ ST GEORGE'S 2019** Saturday mornings, 30<sup>th</sup> March and 6<sup>th</sup> April, from 9.30 to 12.30 at St George's. **2 part 'Staying in Touch' Course** (dementia and communication) will be run by Kathleen Chia and Michelle Hwang. Please register early and block the dates in your diary. Contact Kathleen Chia at [deleenchia@inbox.com](mailto:deleenchia@inbox.com) (mobile: 8177-1065) as soon as possible. Limited to 12 people. Charge: S\$ 10.00 ++ per person.

### 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

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 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 - 10.30am – 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,

17 Mattar Road, S387722. See Church noticeboard for details.

Evening Expositions (Tues 26<sup>th</sup> March and Wed 27<sup>th</sup> March), 7.00 - 9.30pm

Early Bird \$20, Standard \$30, One Day: \$15

Expository Preaching Conference: (Wed 27<sup>th</sup> March and Thurs 28<sup>th</sup> March)

9.00am to 2.00pm. Early Bird \$55, Standard \$70, One Day: \$35

Group Church Discount: \$45

To register, see website [www.projecttimothy.com](http://www.projecttimothy.com)

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