



St John's Cathedral 聖公會聖約翰座堂

Anglican Diocese of Hong Kong Island
Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui

*'St John's Cathedral is a place of God's grace, welcoming all,
following Christ and changing lives in the heart of Hong Kong.'*

18TH SEPTEMBER 2022 DEDICATION FESTIVAL

8.00am Said Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Robert Martin
Reader: Faye Yee

9.00am Sung Eucharist (<https://youtu.be/7nPfhanDeKs>)

Celebrant: The Dean
Preacher: The Revd Dr Philip Wickeri
Deacon: The Revd Polly Wong
Communion Setting: St John's Mass (Ernest Hui)
Hymns: SJC Hymn, 206, 484 (T.167) (omit *), 485
Anthem: Behold, O God our defender (John Scott)
Voluntary: Fantasy on 'Een Vaste Burg is onze God'
(Jan Zwart)
Readers: Susan King, Andrew Ashley
Intercessor: Alexander Kwan

10.30am Sung Eucharist (Mandarin)

Celebrant: The Revd Amos Poon
Preacher: The Dean

11.45am Responsorial Eucharist—Provincial (Rite II)

Celebrant: The Dean
Preacher: The Revd Sharon Langbis
Reader: Koon-G Chiu
Intercessor: Simon Fong

1.30pm Sung Eucharist (Filipino) (<https://youtu.be/-Xeink8GG8o>)

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre

5.00pm Choral Evensong

Officiant: The Revd Will Newman
Preacher: The Revd Robert Martin
Reader: William Cheng

THIS WEEK AT ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

MON 19th September	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	12.25pm	<i>Meditation Group</i>
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
TUE 20th	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	1.15pm	Said Eucharist
	7.00pm	<i>Bible Reading Fellowship (ZOOM/in person)</i>
	7.30pm	<i>Education for Ministry (EfM) (in person)</i>
	7.30pm	<i>'Faith Begins' Baptism & Confirmation Course (Registration closed)</i>
WED 21st <i>Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist</i>	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	2.30pm	<i>Bible Reading Prayer Fellowship (Chinese) (ZOOM/in person)</i>
	8.00pm	HKSKH Diocese of Hong Kong Island Ordination Service
THU 22nd	9.00am	Said Eucharist
	12.30pm	<i>'Grace in a busy week' (ZOOM/in person)</i>
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	1.15pm	Said Eucharist
FRI 23rd	8.00am	Said Eucharist
	1.00pm	One o'clock Prayer
	3.00pm	<i>Friday Fellowship Group (ZOOM)</i>
	8.00pm	<i>Prayers for Ukraine (ZOOM)</i>
SAT 24th	8.30am	Said Eucharist
	12.00noon	Said Eucharist (Filipino)
	4.00pm	<i>Andrew Fellowship</i>
	6.00pm	Sung Eucharist (Cantonese) (Anticipated Sunday Service)
SUN 25th September The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity (Outreach Sunday)		
<i>Amos 6.1s, 4-7</i> <i>Psalms 146</i> <i>1 Timothy 6.6-19</i> <i>Luke 16.19-end</i>	8.00am	Said Eucharist Celebrant and Preacher: The Dean
	9.00am	Sung Eucharist Celebrant: The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre Sharing: Outreach heads
	10.30am	Sung Eucharist (Mandarin) Celebrant: The Revd Canon Peter Koon Sharing: Outreach heads
	11.45am	Responsorial Eucharist—Provincial (Rite II) Celebrant: The Revd Sharon Langbis Sharing: Outreach heads
	1.30pm	Sung Eucharist (Filipino) Celebrant: The Revd Sharon Langbis Sharing: Outreach heads
	5.00pm	Choral Evensong in Thanksgiving for the Life of Queen Elizabeth II Officiant: The Dean Preacher: The Very Revd Franklin Lee

*Welcome to all who worship here today. Visiting communicants, of whatever Christian tradition, are invited to receive communion here. Gluten-free communion wafers are available on request at all Eucharists in this Cathedral. Please enquire of the Sidesmen or Servers for directions to the distribution. **No unauthorized photography, video filming or sound recording during the service. Please set your mobile phone to silent and refrain from using it during the service.***

COLLECT, READINGS AND POST COMMUNION PRAYER

The readings can be found in the dedicated booklets for today.
For your reference the readings are:

1 Chronicles 29.6-19

Psalms 122

Ephesians 2.19-end

John 2.13-22

COLLECT

Almighty God, to whose glory we celebrate the dedication of this house of prayer: we praise you for the many blessings you have given to those who worship you here: and we pray that all who seek you in this place may find you, and, being filled with the Holy Spirit, may become a living temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Father in heaven, whose Church on earth is a sign of your heavenly peace, an image of the new and eternal Jerusalem: grant to us in the days of our pilgrimage that, fed with the living bread of heaven, and united in the body of your Son, we may be the temple of your presence, the place of your glory on earth, and a sign of your peace in the world; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



PRAYERS FOR PEACE ON ZOOM

Join us to pray for peace in Ukraine, and peace in ourselves, every Friday evening at 8.00pm. You may like to have a candle, pen and paper, and may be a handful of earth ready with you.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87229430524?pwd=dFhTVXIOTmZxeGxZb2tVQlZyRzZiUT09>

DEDICATION FESTIVAL



We are celebrating our Dedication Festival at St John's Cathedral today. This is the Sunday of the year when we give special thanks to God for our Cathedral Church and his blessings on its ministry to Hong Kong and its people over the last 173 years!

Let us give thanks and remember that *'How awesome is this place. This is none other than the House of God; this is the Gate of Heaven'.*

Please pray for our Cathedral and its continuing ministry.

RE-OPENING OF LI HALL FOR FELLOWSHIP TODAY AT 10.10-11.00am

We are happy to announce that the Li Hall will be opened again for fellowship every Sunday after the 9.00am service starting today. This is good news indeed as we have not been allowed to gather for many months because of COVID-19.

Doors will open at 10.10am and you can catch up with old acquaintances, meet new friends and clergy and help to welcome visitors. It is also a chance for members to keep up to date with what is happening at the Cathedral as well as to connect in a relaxed setting. We hope this will be enjoyable. Sadly, no food or drinks will be served as restrictions still apply.

The Dean will be present to mark the re-opening and welcome everyone.

Hope to see you. All are welcome.

The Cathedral Welcomers

FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

In the worldwide Anglican Communion we pray for Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil.

Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui (Anglican Province of Hong Kong & Macau); for the Most Revd Andrew Chan, our archbishop and primate; for our Diocesan Bishop, the Rt Revd Matthias Der, and for all bishops, priests and deacons within our diocese and province.

We also pray for St Matthew's Church, for the Revd Leung Ka Jor; for the parish's development; for the nurture and evangelism; for the spiritual growth of the parishioners; for vestry members, members of all committees and departments and all parishioners; for the ministries of women, elders and youth, Sundays School, Children Choir and the development of parents group; for the ministries in SKH St Matthew's Primary School, St Matthew's Church Kindergarten, St Matthew's elderly Centre.

Within the Cathedral Parish we pray for the Cathedral Church and its various congregations, for the Dean and the chaplains; for our daughter churches; St Stephen's Chapel, Stanley, Discovery Bay Church and Emmanuel Church, Pokfulam; and their Priests in Charge. We also remember in our prayers our Welcomers & Cathedral Minders, Sunday School, Discoverers, Parents and Toddlers, Education for Ministry (EfM) Courses, CLARES, Castaways, and SJC Flower Guild.

We pray for our link diocese of Toungoo in Myanmar, for Bishop Saw Sheesho, and for the congregation in Loi Kaw whose church has been burnt down.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for those who are sick:

Tou Chin Ming, Graham MacLean, Lea Calmerin, Benjamin Ng, Sister Jean Mary, The Revd Hugh Phillipson, So Mou Wing, Margaret Spencer, Ng Nam,

Barbara Chui, Eva Sorrel, Laurie Rooke, Richard Ramos, Donna Willis, Christina Chan, Yvonne Fong, Alvin Lau, JoAnne Sharlach, Liew Nooi Chai, Dennis Chan, Pekklee Cheng, Tiew Siew Lee, Peggy Yu, Molly Yuet King Leung-Ho, Daisy Tai, Jane Pang Tong, Wong Dor Chun, Tsui Man Fong, Lene Bille Hoegh, Therese Marie Gerarda Chan, Sanson Lau, Ted Sixt, Averil Ashley, Marin Leong Kum Chee, Catherine Chan, Heather Little, Grace Yuen, Joyce Chan, Tounng Ming, Jules Fish and Kasper Buist.

We also pray for those who are suffering from COVID-19.

We pray for the recently departed:

HM Queen Elizabeth, Peter Bussinger, Jonathan Douglas, and Sheila Ennis Tanner.

Please remember those named above in your private prayers. To include someone in this prayer list, please contact Elisa, **Tel: 2523 4157**.

FLOWERS

The pedestal flowers are donated in loving memory of Bick M Chu from Ellen, Vania and Penney.





A COMMENDATION

*God our creator and redeemer,
by your power Christ conquered death
and returned to you in glory.
confident of his victory
and claiming his promises,
we entrust your servant Elizabeth
into your safe keeping
in the name of Jesus our Lord,
who, though he died, is now alive
and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit,
one God now and forever.
Amen.*



*May she rest in peace.
And rise in glory. Amen.*



Sunday 25th September 2022

The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

5.00pm

Choral Evensong in Thanksgiving for the Life of Queen Elizabeth II

Officiant: The Dean

Preacher: The Very Revd Franklin Lee

Blessing: The Archbishop



ORDINATION TO THE DIACONATE

Please pray for

Adam Guan-Wen MO

to be ordained deacon by Bishop Matthias
on Wednesday 21st September at 8.00pm
at St John's Cathedral.

*Adam is an old friend of St John's, an altar server
and was a Pastoral Assistant at the Cathedral
from September 2016 - August 2019.*

May God richly bless him in his new ministry.

MICHAELMAS FAIR

Saturday 29th October 2022

DONATIONS for:

BOOKSTALL

Please take a good look at your bookshelves, pull out those volumes you will not look at again and donate them to our **Second Hand Bookstall**. The Stall is a significant source of income to the Fair and its charities and its success depends on the books you donate. We also invite you to give us CDs and DVDs which you don't want any more. *We regret that we cannot take VCDs or magazines. They don't sell!*

WHITE ELEPHANT STALL

Still wondering what to do with the vase you bought at a weak moment? Let us find it a new owner who will love and cherish it. All kinds of items will be gladly received; electronics, paintings, household items, jewelry, home accessories, bric a brac, as long as they are resalable.

STAMP STALL

New or used stamps, other philatelic material and old coins are also welcome. (Please mark your contributions 'FOR ALEXANDER KWAN'.)

HOME PRODUCE STALL

1lb JAM JARS & LARGE COFFEE JARS NEEDED

Please bring your used, washed jam jars to the Cathedral office. You can contact the cathedral office for additional information.

*Please bring your donations to the Cathedral office (2523 4157)
clearly marked for the Michaelmas Fair
(Mon-Fri) 9.00am – 5.00pm; (Sat) 9.00am – 1.00pm*



SJC MICHAELMAS FAIR ORGAN RECITAL SERIES 2022

on Saturdays at 3.00pm at St John's Cathedral

15th October 2022

Jonathan Yip
(Cathedral Organist, St John's Cathedral)

There will be a retiring collection for the Michaelmas Fair at each recital.



REGULAR ART CLASS

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ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL MINISTRY TEAM

Dean

The Very Revd Kwok-keung Chan

Clergy Ministry Co-ordinators:

Chinese Ministry —

The Revd Canon Peter Koon

The Revd Amos Poon

Christian Education — The Revd Will Newman

(Priest-In-Charge of St Stephen's Chapel, Stanley)

Filipino Ministry —

The Revd Canon Dwight dela Torre

The Revd Sharon Langbis

Liturgy and Spirituality — The Revd Robert Martin
(Priest-In-Charge of Emmanuel Church, Pokfulam)

Mission and Ministry — The Revd Amos Poon

Outreach — The Revd Mark Rogers

(Priest-In-Charge of Discovery Bay Church)

Youth Ministry — The Revd Amos Poon

Honorary Chaplains:

The Revd Dr Philip Wickeri

The Revd Polly Wong Heung-fong

Executive Administrator:

Mr Thomas Li

Serving the wider community:

SJC Counselling Service

Mission for Migrant Workers

SJC Life Enrichment Centre

Cathedral Bookstore

CLARES/Castaways

Prison Ministry



Information about St John's Cathedral and its ministries can be found on the notice boards and on the website: www.stjohnscathedral.org.hk.

Clergy are here to listen and help. Please feel free to speak to one of them after the services, or make contact during the week: St John's Cathedral, 4-8 Garden Road, Central Tel: 2523 4157

Welcome to St John's Cathedral!

Please complete this form and hand it to one of the Clergy, a Sidesman or the Welcome Table.

Surname:

First Name:

Name of spouse (if applicable)

Names and ages of children (if applicable)

E-mail: _____ Phone: _____

Please circle as appropriate:

I attend the 8.00am/9.00am/10.30am/11.45am/1.30pm/5.00pm service.

I am interested in finding out about: Sunday School / Cathedral Choir / CLARES / Baptism & Confirmation / Flower Guild / Sidesman / Servers Guild / Fellowship Group / Stewardship Scheme / Uniformed Group.

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