

<b>DUTY ROSTER</b>	<b>SATURDAY 10/6/2017</b>	<b>SUNDAY 11/6/2017</b>	<b>NEXT SATURDAY 17/6/2017</b>	<b>NEXT SUNDAY 18/6/2017</b>
Worship Officiant	Ps Loon Fu-Man	Ho Boon Sing	Revd Bernard	Kenneth Sng
Celebrant	-	-	Revd John Lin	
Holy Communion Assistant	-	-	Revd Bernard, Ps Fu-Man & Patrick Lee	Ps Fu-Man, Kenneth Sng & Boon Sing
Community Praise Team	Livingstreams		Ethan	David's Legacy
Preacher	Revd John Lin		Revd John Lin	
Scripture Text	Matthew 15:1-20		Acts 4:13-31; Matthew 28:16-20	
Sermon Title	The Living Church: Worship from the Heart		The Living Church: Passion for the Gospel	
Scripture Reader	Sonia le	Aileen Tung	Jaymie Lin	Tan Rui Lin
Ushering Team	Ut	Segar 549	C2	JP14
Floral Arrangement	Janet Kua		Helen Liew	
Sunday Refreshment	-	Christel	-	Lye Chee
Treasurer	Felyn Chan	Helen Sng	Felyn Chan	Ding Cho Li
Treasury Witness	Audrey & Merrilyn	Pei Ching & Eileen	Kai Thing & Judy	Aimin & Alyss
Staff On Duty	Doris & Revd Bernard	Ps Fu-Man & Revd Bernard	Ps Florence & Ps Fu-Man	Doris & Luyang

### Upcoming Events

Mission Trip to Sandakan from 15 to 21 June 2017  
Church Leaders' Training on 2 July 2017  
The Living Word Conference from 19 to 21 July 2017  
Church Family Day on 30 July 2017  
Confirmation Service on 20 August 2017  
Baptism Service on 1 October 2017

### Worship Service on Saturday

**English Service** 4.30 pm at Sanctuary

### Ministries

**Home cell Fellowship** 8.00pm on Fridays

**Youth Meeting** 2.00pm on Saturdays  
at Patmos Hall

### Worship Services on Sunday

**English Service** 9.00 am at Sanctuary

**Cantonese Service** 9.00 am at Patmos Hall

**Mandarin Service** 11.15 am at Sanctuary

**Hokkien Service** 11.15 am at Patmos Hall

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**School Gate E Open for Entry:** Saturday: 12.30pm-2.30pm & 3.15pm-5.15pm

Sunday : 8.00am-9.00am & 10.30am-11.15am

10 June 2017 – Evening Prayer  
11 June 2017 – Morning Prayer

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**A Warm Welcome to all our guests**

**Do send your children** to our Children's Ministry. We have a well-supervised and nurturing programme for your children. 'Kids For Christ' (7 to 12 years) and 'Little Lambs' (24 months to 6 years). There is also a Toddlers' Room upstairs.

**Please do not feel obliged** to participate in the offertory. The offertory is meant for Christians.


**After the service, do stay back** for a cup of coffee. We would like to get to know you better.

**Do join us again next week.** We look forward to having you worship God with us again.

Scripture Text : Matthew 15:1-20

Sermon Title : The Living Church:  
Worship from the Heart

Speaker : Revd John Lin

 This people honors me with their lips, but their heart is far from me; in vain do they worship me, teaching as doctrines the commandments of men.

Matthew 15:8-9



**COLLECT**

**Trinity Sunday**

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of the divine Majesty to worship the Unity. Keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

**“And this gospel of the Kingdom will be proclaimed throughout the whole world as a testimony to all nations, and then the end will come.”**

**(Matthew 24:14)**

## Vicar writes

Dear family in Christ

What kinds of worries and anxieties do you feel each day? In the struggles and difficulties of life, do you feel helpless and hopeless and desperately look to God for his gracious help?

Take heart in God's Word in Psalm 121:1-2 "*I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come? My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.*"

The ancient Israelites were required to make a pilgrimage to the Jerusalem Temple at least once in their lifetime. The pilgrims needed to be on guard against the dangers of the journey, e.g. exposure to the elements in the deserts and mountains, suffering from thirst and hunger, attacks by robbers, etc. When the psalmist declared "*I lift up my eyes to the hills*", it reflected a posture of prayerful dependence on God his Creator and his Helper, trusting by faith that "*my help comes from the Lord*". He took great comfort in God's presence, protection and power, feeling assured of God's watchful loving care day and night.

As children of the loving Abba Father and the gracious Creator, we can look to God and depend on him for help in the painful circumstances of life. God is our Helper and our Keeper. The Lord will watch over you. He will keep you, preserve you and guard you. Many can testify to the countless times when they cried to God for help and had experienced his peaceful comfort, strong help and loving presence. Because of this promise of help and the presence of God, let us face our present struggles and future difficulties with confidence, courage, strength and hope.

In Christ  
Pastor John

## Intercession

### **Ministry of Talent**

Ministry of Talent (MOT) is an evangelistic ministry that aims to develop talent in youths and church members. It is a contact time for Christians and non-Christians every Sunday, from 11.30am to 1.30pm.

Right now, MOT uses sports as an outreach avenue. Basketball and football are usually played on most Sundays.

### **Thanksgiving:**

About 4-5 non-Christians joined us in our sports sessions periodically.

Church youths who have been actively inviting friends and participating in our sessions.

### **Prayer:**

God's wisdom in having purposeful conversations with the non-Christians.

God's guidance in forming a culture that is welcoming to all.

God's inspiration for ideas to invite the non-Christians to church or in sharing God's Word.

Non-Christian participants to be receptive to God's calling and to accept Jesus as their personal Lord and Saviour.

### Church Prayer Meeting

The church prayer meeting will be held in the sanctuary on **Friday, 30 June 2017, 7.45pm to 9.30pm**. Let's come together as one body to intercede for individuals, families, various ministries in the church, and for Singapore and other nations.

The prayer leader is Peter Soon, the praise team is CH95 homecell and staff on duty is Patrick Lee.

### Church Leaders' Training

The training will be held on **Sunday, 2 July 2017, 11.30am to 1.30pm** at the SMSS Learning Lab. The training is based on the book "Leadership Essentials".

Please prepare Bible study lesson 2. If you need the book, please contact Pastor Loon Fu-Man.

### Combined Service

There will be a combined service on **Sunday, 30 July 2017, 10.00am** and followed by the church family day. No 1 John Service will be held on Saturday, 29 July 2017.

### Church Family Day

The church family day will be held on **Sunday, 30 July 2017** after the combined service at 10.00am in SJCp Sanctuary.

Details of the programme will be announced soon. Mark this date on your calendar and take this opportunity to invite friends and family members

### Appreciation

David Lui, Joyce Lui and her family wish to express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all church leaders and members for their prayers and condolences during their recent bereavement on the demise of Joyce's father on 3 June 2017.

### Christian Education – Six Steps to Loving your Church

The next lesson (Session 4) will be held on **Sunday, 25 June 2017, 11.30am to 1.30pm** at the SMSS Learning Lab. If you are interested, please approach Terence or Grace Seah.

### Baptism & Courses

There will be a Baptism service on **Sunday, 1 October 2017**. Those who wish to be considered for baptism are required to attend the Baptism course to be taught by Pastor Loon Fu-Man on the following for Sundays, 27 August, 3,17,24 September 2017 from 11.30am to 1.30pm at SMSS Learning Lab. For those who were already baptised as infants, you are strongly encouraged to attend this Baptism course in preparation for your Confirmation. For any enquiry, please approach Vicar or Pastor Fu-Man.

### Confirmation Course

The Confirmation course, conducted by Pastor Loon Fu-Man will be held on Sundays, 11.30am to 1.30pm in the school IT Conference Room. The dates are 9, 16, 23 July & 6 August 2017. All baptised adults and youths aged 13 and above are encouraged to sign up for this course. Please approach Pastor Fu-Man for registration.

**The Confirmation Service will be held on Sunday, 20 August 2017.**