

DUTY ROSTER	SATURDAY 16/9/2017	SUNDAY 17/9/2017	NEXT SATURDAY 23/9/2017	NEXT SUNDAY 24/9/2017
Worship Officiant	Revd Bernard	Ho Boon Sing	Peter Soon	Kenneth Sng
Celebrant	Revd John Lin		-	
Holy Communion Assistant	Revd Bernard, Ps Fu-Man & Hide Ie	Ps Fu-Man, Boon Sing & Patrick	-	-
Community Praise Team	David's Legacy		Livingstreams	
Preacher	Revd John Lin		Ds Lena Lim	
Scripture Text	2 Timothy 4:6-22; Matthew 24:1-14		Job 42:1-6	
Sermon Title	Be Faithful and Committed To the End		“ ... but now my eyes see You ”	
Scripture Reader	Sonia Ie	Aileen Tung	Merrilyn Ong	Samuel Lim
Ushering Team	C2	CH95	BBW116	FH50K
Floral Arrangement	Shirley Gan		Janet Kua	
Sunday Refreshment	-	Mae / Aileen	-	Helen Lim
Treasurer	Nellie Nam	Florence Ho	Felyn Chan	Ho Boon Sing
Treasury Witness	Audrey & Merrilyn	Cho Ling & Bee Kuan	Kai Thing & Judy Siak	Esther Ling
Staff On Duty	Ps Qiu Yue & Revd Bernard	Susan & Luyang	Ps Fu-Man & Ps Yun Jing	Ps Roger & Ps Alan

Upcoming Events

Church Leaders' Training on 24 September 2017
Baptism Service on 1 October 2017
Christian Education on 15, 22, 29 October & 5 November 2017
Children's Day Event on 8 October 2017
Diocesan Mission Conference from 17 – 19 October 2017
Diocesan Day of Prayer & Fast on 4 November 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

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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.

Speaker : Revd John Lin

Sermon Title : Be Faithful and Committed
To The End

Scripture Text : 2 Timothy 4:6-22;
Matthew 24:1-14



For I am already being poured out as a drink offering, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

2 Timothy 4:6-7



COLLECT

14th Sunday after Trinity

Almighty Father, whose will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the king of all: govern the hearts and minds of those in authority, and bring the families of the nations, divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin, to be subject to his just and gentle rule; 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

In the second epistle of Peter chapter 3, the apostle Peter wrote that in the Last Days, there would be scoffers who will ask why the promise of the Coming of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ has not been fulfilled yet. Peter encouraged God's people in 2 Peter 3:9 that "*the Lord is not slow to fulfill his promise as some count slowness, but is patient toward you, not wishing that any should perish, but that all should reach repentance.*"

This is the heartbeat of our loving Abba Father. "**None should perish**" is the key theme of the coming Diocesan Mission Conference on 17-19 October (2 evenings 17 & 19 Oct and 1 full day 18 Oct). This missions conference seeks to **REFRESH THE MISSION CALL** upon our whole diocese to bring the gospel of Jesus Christ to the nations – **A TOTAL MOBILISATION** that the called are sent, that the blessed become a blessing, that the church is alert and tuned in to what God is doing in our world today.

I am thankful and encouraged in the Lord that St John's Chapel is a missional church in various ways. I call upon our church community to gather at this missions conference to hear what the Lord is doing in these Last Days in calling people to Himself all over the world. Let us refresh our call and commitment in how we can all be involved in world missions in praying, giving, encouraging and going.

"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

Maranatha

Pastor John

Intercession

Mandarin Congregation

Vision & Mission:

- To be a Christ-centered discipleship church that impact lives with our lives.
- To preach the gospel, ushering them into the Kingdom of God; shepherding and equipping them as disciples of Christ, and to acknowledge the Lordship of Christ in their lives.

Pastoral Staff Team: Rev Bernard Yee; Ds Lena Lim; Ps Tan Chwee Lian; Ps Lawrence Mun; Ps Alan Yong; Ps Roger Fu; Sis Lu Yang; Ps Honey Lau (Honorary)

Administrative: Sis Lydia Leong; Sis Xu Jing Jing

Areas of Concern: The strengthening of the congregation's spiritual maturity through the studying of Word & Prayer & the unity of staff and members.

Coming Special Activities: House of Joy - Monthly fellowships/events; Christian Education Sunday (24 Sep); "Mid-Autumn in My Home" Evangelistic Cell-Based Event (Oct); Children's Sunday (8 Oct); Missions Emphasis Month (Nov); Christmas Evangelistic Service (24 Dec)

Points for Praise & Prayer:

- a) For a refreshed vision and call of the Holy Spirit upon the leadership and members.
- b) We thank God for the 7 members who were confirmed.
- c) For the love & faithfulness of God to touch each member as we evaluate and plan for the many possible changes to come.

Church Leaders' Training

The training will be held on **Sunday, 24 September 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 3 "The Character of a Leader: HUMBLE-Keeping watch over our souls. If you need the book, please contact Ps Loon Fu-Man.

Combined SJCp Prayer Meeting

Date / Time: **Friday, 29 September 2017, 7.45pm–9.00pm** (Bilingual - English & Mandarin)

Theme: Praise, Magnify and Sought (Psalm 34:1-4)

The gathering will be an intertwine of praise and adoration, sharing of testimonies and a time of interceding for others and ourselves. (Families with young children are also welcome as we too, are catering for their participation).

Christian Education 2017

A Study On The Book of Ruth – "LIFE'S TURNING POINT" by Pastor Loon Fu-Man

Date/Time: **Sundays, 15, 22, 29 Oct & 5 Nov 2017 / 11.30am – 1.30pm**

Venue: Indoor Sports Hall 1st Level Classroom.

Register personally with Ps Fu-Man or at fuman@patmos.org.sg

Mission Trips 2017

	Period	Cost	Training (Starting)	Contact Person
1. Batam Mission	26 to 30 Nov	S\$200	Sat, 21 Oct (4-6pm)	Ps Florence Hou
2. Chiang mai Mission	11 to 18 Dec	S\$650	Sun, 17 Sep (2-4pm)	Priscilla Yau
3. Mae Sot Mission	16 to 22 Dec	S\$600	To Be Advised	Revd Bernard Yee

Children's Day Evangelistic Event

Date/Time: **Sunday, 8 October 2017, 2.00pm - 5.30pm** Venue: **SJCp Sanctuary**

Volunteers and helpers are needed. Contact Derek Cheng at 94507419 or Ps Qiu Yue at 98228752. The training is on Sunday, 1 Oct 2017, 11.30am in the Indoor Sports Hall rooms.

Diocesan Mission Conference

The Diocesan Mission Conference is open to the Anglican family of all ages, all professions & vocations, both leaders & members. Details as follows:

Venue: St Andrew's Cathedral, New Sanctuary

Date: **17 to 19 October 2017** (17 Oct – 7.30pm-10pm; 18 Oct – 8.30am-10pm; 19 Oct – 7.30pm-10pm). The cost is \$20 (Inclusive of lunch & Dinner on 18 Oct). To register, go to <https://tinyurl.com/dmc-anglican2017>

"GUARD YOUR HEART" Seminar

Our Christian walk is constantly under siege by sexual temptation, testing of moral boundaries and work overload. Fortify your moral resilience with this proven preventive training to maintain God-ordained values and standards. Come with your spouse! This half-day seminar will equip you to Safeguard your marriage and family, Set a Godly example for your ministry and Finish well as a Christian. Details of the seminar as follows:

Date/Time: **Sat, 28 Oct 2017 (9.30am – 3.00pm)**

Venue: New Sanctuary, St Andrew's Cathedral

Seminar Speakers: Rev. Dr. Marty O'Rourke - Rector, Church of the Messiah (US); and
Rev. Dave Linka - Rector, All Saints Anglican Church (US)

Early Bird Rate (until 30 Sep): Couple (S\$30) and Individual (S\$20)

Regular Rate: Couple (S\$50) and Individual (S\$30)

Register with Doris Lee at dorilee@patmos.org.sg