

<b>DUTY ROSTER</b>	<b>SATURDAY 3/2/2018</b>	<b>SUNDAY 4/2/2018</b>	<b>NEXT SATURDAY 10/2/2018</b>	<b>NEXT SUNDAY 11/2/2018</b>
Worship Officiant	Hide Ie	Ps Loon Fu-Man	Ps Loon Fu-Man	Paul Lim
Celebrant	Revd John Lin		-	
Holy Communion Assistant	Ps Fu-Man, Hide Ie & Patrick Lee	Ps Fu-Man, Kenneth Sng & Paul Lim	-	-
Community Praise Team	Ethan	Harmony	Livingstreams	
Preacher	Revd John Lin		Revd John Lin	
Scripture Text	Genesis 1:26-28; John 1:14-18		Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-19	
Sermon Title	Created in the Image of God		Sin and the Fall of Man	
Scripture Reader	Merrilyn Ong	Choo Heng Yu	Jaymie Lin-Kirk	Samuel Lim
Ushering Team	C2	CA338	BBW116	Kopi Gao
Floral Arrangement	Helen Lim		Shirley Gan	
Refreshment	-	Susan / Cho Ling	-	Aileen / Mae
Treasurer	Nellie Nam	Ding Cho Li	Felyn Chan	Ho Boon Sing
Treasury Witness	Audrey & Merrilyn	Aimin & Alyss	Kai Ting & Judy	Esther Ling
Staff On Duty	Ps Qiu Yue & Ps Fu-Man	Ps Roger & Luyang	Doris & Ps Florence	Ps Fu-Man & Ps Chwee Lian

### Upcoming Events

Lenten Devotion Sessions on 9, 16 & 23 March 2018  
Maundy Thursday Service on 29 March 2018  
Good Friday Service on 30 March 2018  
Baptism Service on Resurrection Sunday, 1 April 2018  
Church Retreat from 3 to 6 June 2018 – Theme: "Look, Walk, Rest"

#### 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 : Created in the Image of God

Scripture Text : Genesis 1:26-28; John 1:14-18



So God created man in his own image,  
in the image of God he created him;  
male and female he created them.

Genesis 1:27



**COLLECT**

**Second Sunday Before Lent**

Almighty and everliving God, whose Son Jesus Christ healed the sick and restored them to wholeness of life: look with compassion on the anguish of the world, and by your healing power make whole both men and nations; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

**Vision and Purpose:** As we see the gracious salvation plan of a missionary God, may we be a missionary church of Spirit-filled committed disciples of Jesus Christ, always ready to take the gospel to the nations.

## Vicar writes

Dear family in Christ

As pastors, we have the joyful responsibility to “*equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ*”. The important ministry of **Edification** in the Body of Christ and **Evangelism** in the world cannot and should not be done by full-time workers alone. It involves the whole church community in unity and whole-hearted commitment to our calling and mission to bring the gospel to the ends of the earth.

I had the opportunity last Sunday to witness this “whole-church-in-ministry” biblical principle in action as I spent time with two groups of church members.

- 1. Children Ministry Teachers Training** – I thank the Lord for a dedicated team of teachers who love the Lord, having a clear vision and deep passion to teach God’s Word to the children with love and commitment. Some of them had taught for many years, yet the passion remains. Pray for the teachers to find strength and wisdom in the Lord always and their lives will make a significant impact that leaves a deep spiritual legacy in the hearts of these precious children.
- 2. Mandarin & Dialect congregation Leaders meeting** – Praise the Lord for many lay leaders who anchor certain ministries or play a key ministry role alongside the pastoral staff. These lay leaders have been serving faithfully in various areas at the Sunday worship service, in the teaching of new believers, in the discipling of believers in the Cell groups and in fulfilling the Great Commission to share the gospel of Jesus Christ in the heart languages of Mandarin, Hokkien and Cantonese.

*“And He gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastor-teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ...”* Ephesians 4:11-13

We have a Master to serve  
Pastor John

## Intercession

### YOUTH MINISTRY

We thank God for:

1. Young adults who were formally from the youth ministry availing themselves to teach and become youth leaders.
2. The new cell groups formed according to age group.
3. The youths who have responded to serving in other ministries lacking in manpower.

Continue to uphold in prayer:

1. Youth Leaders in their preparation to teach with clarity.
2. The desire in youths to reach out to their friends with the Good News of Jesus Christ.
3. The changing lifestyles of youths that have distracted them from their involvement in the Youth Ministry

### Provincial Sunday – 4 February 2018

The Diocese of Singapore is part of the ecclesiastical family of the Province of South East Asia. The key purpose is to extend the Kingdom of God in our part of the world. We thank the Lord for many opportunities in building up God's Church and partnering in missions together. Please read the enclosed Province brochure for information and prayer. Do prayerfully consider giving to the ministry and work of the Province of South East Asia. For cheque contributions, please issue to "Diocese of Singapore" and write at the back of the cheque "Province of SEA".

### SJCp Child Protection Procedures

The Diocese of Singapore has written a set of Child Protection Procedures for all its parishes and ministries. St John's Chapel is implementing these procedures, which aim to equip our staff and volunteers, so that we can provide the best care and protection to the children and young persons\* (\*defined as children and youths up to the age of 18) that God has placed in our various ministries. All staff and volunteers serving in ministries that involve children and young persons\* are required to attend a briefing session on **Sunday, 4 Feb 2018, 11.30am - 12.30pm** (ISH Room #1).

### Young Adults' Ministry

"The Young Adults' Ministry will be having a Kick Off on this Friday! This is a ministry where young adults aged 20 and up journey together to learn about the Gospel and how to keep growing in our faith. Join us this Friday! We look forward to a great time of fun and fellowship!

Date/Time: **9 Feb 2018, Friday / 7.30pm-9.30pm** Venue: Patmos Hall Cost: \$5 for Pizza dinner. Register with Nath Hou (9230 7840) or Xing Wei (9783 8903) today!"

### Combined Service

There will be a combined Service at **10.00am** on **Sunday, 18 February 2018** (3<sup>rd</sup> Day of Lunar New Year). There will be no refreshments provided due to market closures. The school main gate will be closed at 1.30pm. "1 John" Service will not be held on Saturday, 17 February 2018.

### Baptism

There will be a Baptism service on **1 April 2018**, Resurrection Sunday. For registration, please approach Ps Loon Fu-Man.

### Christian Education

Course Title: Praying In The Will of God Venue: SMSS Learning Lab

Dates/Time: **Sundays, February 4, 11, 25 & March 4 / 11.30am – 1.30pm**

Synopsis: A study on the prayers of Bible characters that revealed the heart and will of God as His purpose unfolds through human history. Lessons learned from this study will enable God's people to pray with the right perspective in the will of God that unfolds the future. For more details and registration, please refer to Ps Loon Fu-Man.

### Lent Devotional

The Bible Society has published the Lent Devotional "His Undying Faithfulness", for use during Lent that starts on 14 February 2018 (Ash Wednesday). You may purchase a copy at \$3.00 from the ushers' table.

### Sale of Chinese Holy Land Perpetual Calendar

The Chinese Holy Land Perpetual Calendar features full-colour photographs of historical landmarks in the Holy Land and filled with inspiring Bible verses and thought-provoking quotes from *Our Daily Bread* devotions. It makes a meaningful gift for your Chinese speaking friends. Each copy costs just \$12, and proceeds will go to ministry work in China that aims to bring the life-changing wisdom of the Bible to all.