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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 : **Evangelism:** Gospel mission of the Church

Text : Acts 2:14-41; Matthew 28:16-20



So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls.

Acts 2:41



COLLECT

Third Sunday After Trinity

Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts whereby we call you Father. Give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that all mankind may be brought to the glorious liberty of the sons of God; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Mission and Purpose: As we see the gracious salvation plan in the missional heart of 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

Youth Day is celebrated on the first Sunday of July in Singapore. In this complex post-modern age, the young generation face many challenges in their growing years, such as the pressure of education, dysfunction of family, pleasures of life, diversity of temptations, shifting moral values, etc. Parents, teachers and religious leaders are concerned for the rise in the number of youths and young adults struggling with mental illness, work stress, depression, pornography, gambling, etc.

As God's people in community together, it is important to come alongside the youths and young adults in our church in their discipleship journey. Let me suggest some practical ways for our action and involvement.

1. **PRAY:** Remember the youths and young adults in fervent prayer at our personal devotions and corporate prayer times. May they have the fear of the Lord and committed discipleship in following Jesus. At our monthly church prayer meeting since May 2019, we have begun praying for the youths in our church by name and by family.

There will be a special prayer meeting this month to pray for our church young people. It will be held on 14 July, Sunday 11.30am to 12.30pm at IT Conference Room. Parents of youths & young adults and all members of the church are welcome to gather to pray.

2. **ENCOURAGE:** Youths need lots of love and encouragement as they grow in their Christian faith and Christlike character. They need spiritual guidance in coping with the struggles of life. Where opportunities arise, do give them a word of encouragement.
3. **MODEL:** Youths learn best when they see godly Christian life examples in the church and in the family. By God's grace and help, let us model the life of godliness and committed discipleship as an exemplary encouragement to the youths.
4. **DISCIPLE:** Let us make time to disciple a group of youths to help them grow in their discipleship journey and also train them to disciple others. We are thankful to God for those serving as youth leaders and young adult leaders in being a spiritual friend and impactful influence.

"Remember also your Creator in the days of your youth ..." Ecclesiastes 12:1

Maranatha
Pastor John

Combined Services

There will be a Combined Service on the following Sundays at **10.00am**:

- 1) 28 July 2019 – SJ Cp Family Day cum 135th Anniversary celebration in the school hall.
- 2) 18 August 2019 – Confirmation Service in the sanctuary.

Buffet lunch will be served after both services.

'1 John' Service will not be held on Saturdays, 27 July and 17 August 2019.

Combined Family Day Service cum 135th Anniversary Lunch Celebration

The combined SJ Cp Family Day Service cum 135th Anniversary lunch celebration will be held on **Sunday, 28 July 2019, 10.00am** in the SMSS school hall. The committee invites homecell's participation, either presenting an item or conducting a mass game after lunch. Please approach Derek Cheng for the homecell participation.

Take this opportunity to invite your family members and friends who were once with us at SJ Cp. All are welcome but registration is required. Please register at <https://tinyurl.com/y6hdehpt> of your attendance. Let's look forward to this day of thanksgiving to God for His blessings all these years.

Youth Month

As July is a designated Youth Month, we would like to focus and pray for the Youths and Young Adults Ministries. It will be held on **Sunday, 14 July 2019, 11.30am to 12.30pm** in the IT Conference Room. Parents of the youths and young adults and members of the church are all welcome to gather and pray.

PCC Meeting

There will be a PCC meeting on **Tuesday, 16 July 2019, 7.30pm**. PCC members are encouraged to come from 6.45pm onwards for a time of prayer.

Men's ministry: Men United For Christ

Men need men. Calling all Brothers to join us for a time of exploring men's issues, accountability, and spurring one another on towards fulfilling our Biblical calling. Sessions are held on every third Saturday. Next meeting is on **20 July, 7.45am - 10am**. Topic is on "Man and his money – Part 2". (Join us for breakfast at 7am). Sign up at gg.gg/mufcinvite. Contact Hide (98178281) for details!

Confirmation Course

The confirmation course, conducted by Pastor Loon Fu-Man will be held on **Sundays, 11.30am to 1.30pm** in the Learning Lab. The dates are **July 14, 21 and August 4, 11 2019**. All baptized adults and youths aged 13 and above are encouraged to sign up for this course. Please approach Pastor Fu-Man for registration.

Marriage Preparation Course

There will be a Marriage Preparation Course conducted by the Vicar, facilitated by a team of marriage mentors. This course is compulsory for church couples planning for their wedding at St John's Chapel. It will be held on four Sundays, September 1, 8, 15 and 22 from 12noon to 3pm. Please register with Doris Lee at dorislee@patmos.org.sg by 4 August.

DUTY ROSTER	SATURDAY 6/7/2019	SUNDAY 7/7/2019	NEXT SATURDAY 13/7/2019	NEXT SUNDAY 14/7/2019
Worship Officiant	Ps Loon Fu-Man	Florence Ho	Patrick Lee	Kenneth Sng
Celebrant	Revd John Lin		-	
Holy Communion Assistant	Ps Fu-man, Ds Lena & Patrick Lee	Ps Yun Jing, Boon Sing & Florence Ho	-	-
Community Praise Team	Ethan		IHMS-Sat	Harmony
Preacher	Revd John Lin		Revd John Lin	
Scripture Text	Acts 2:14-41; Mathew 28:16-20		Acts 2:42-47	
Sermon Title	Evangelism: Gospel mission of the Church		Koinonia: Community life of the Church	
Scripture Reader	Goh Xin Ying	Tan Rui Lin	Seah Bee Kheng	Choo Heng Yu
Ushering Team	C2	FH50K	Claypots	JP14
Floral Arrangement	Doris Lee		Helen Lim	
Refreshment	-	Helen Lim	-	Brenda Cheong
Treasurer	Koh Li Jie	Ding Cho Li	Nellie Nam	Tan Pei Ching
Treasury Witness	Angelia	Aimin & Alyss	Victor Tay	Cho Ling & Bee Kuan
Staff On Duty	Doris & Patrick	Susan & Ps Alan	Ds Lena & Susan	Ps Yun Jing & Ps Lyu Yang

Upcoming Events

Church Family Day cum 135th Anniversary Lunch Celebration on 28 July 2019
Confirmation Service on 18 August 2019
Combined Church Prayer Meeting on 30 August 2019
Marriage Preparation Course on 1, 8, 15 & 22 September 2019

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: 7.00am to 1.00pm & 3.00pm – 5.00pm
Sunday: 7.40am to 12noon