



A WARM WELCOME!

We are so glad that you have come to join us today in worship to our God.
We hope you will find encouragement and joy in the Lord in this community with our Church.

THE COLLECT 13th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Lord God,

whose blessed Son our Saviour gave his back to the smiters and did not hide his face from shame; give us grace to endure the sufferings of this present time with sure confidence in the glory that shall be revealed; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

17/18 Aug 2024

Carpe Diem: Seize the Day!

Revd Alvin Toh

Ephesians 5:15-20; John 6:51-63

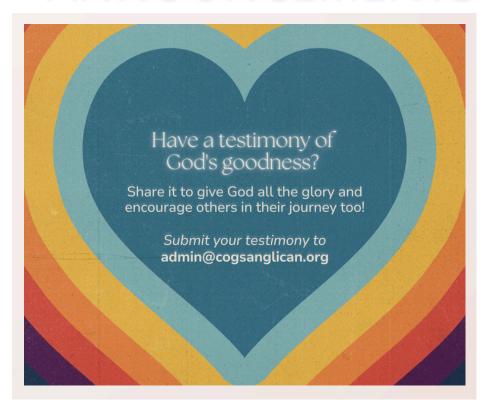


Opt in to our WhatsApp broadcast to receive our weekly bulletin and stay updated on the latest news, or events related to our Church.

To opt in, simply **Scan** the QR code, **Save** the number as 'COGS Broadcast' and then **Send** us your name.

ECC Meeting on 28 Aug 2024 (Wednesday) 7.30pm via Zoom

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Maintenance Feedback

Scan QR to give feedback pertaining building maintenance.













DATE

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR CHURCH MEMBERS WHO PLAN TO HOLD THEIR WEDDINGS IN COGS

Please note that we are going to make our church premises available for other Christians to book for their weddings

To provide members some priority, we will be restricting non-member bookings to a maximum of 11 months in advance before the actual date.

We therefore encourage members to make their bookings early so as to avoid possible disappointment. For more information, please enquire with the church office.

> Disclaimer: Although every effort will be taken to ensure our own members be given the priority in booking, we cannot guarantee your preferred date if you make a booking with less than a 12 month lead time.



CONFIRMATION SERVICE 25 AUG 2024, SUN, 10AM

This will be a combined Service with the Chinese congregation. Lunch will be served after the Service in our carpark. The carpark will be closed on that day.

Please note there will be **no Saturday Service on 24 Aug 2024** as all members are encouraged to join in this combined Confirmation Service.

Parents, please note there will be the usual Shepherd's Kidz programme in Blk C level 4 at 10am.





Diocesan Certificate of Biblical Studies TERM 4



Click or Scan the QR codes below to register for the modules!

Old Testament

Module 7: The Writings (2): Ruth, Esther, Daniel, Lamentations, Ezra-Nehemiah, 1&2 Chronicles

Instructors: Ms Veronica Wong, Ps Angeline Leong, Mr Kwan Fook Seng, Revd. Steven Seah, Revd. Hambali Leonardi, Mrs Bernice Gan

10 lessons: 12 Sep - 14 Nov. 7:30pm -9:00pm Over ZOOM

https://tinyurl.com/DCBSMod7

Course fee \$10; Payment instructions provided on registration.

Exam (optional): 23 Nov.



New Testament

Module 14: Revelation

There are 12 recorded sessions and accompanying notes which you can access to study <u>in your own time.</u>

Instructor: Mr. Stanley Tay

12 lessons: available from 12 Sep to 12 Dec.

https://tinyurl.com/DCBSModule14

Cours e fee \$10; Payment instructions provided on registration.

Exam (optional): 23 Nov.





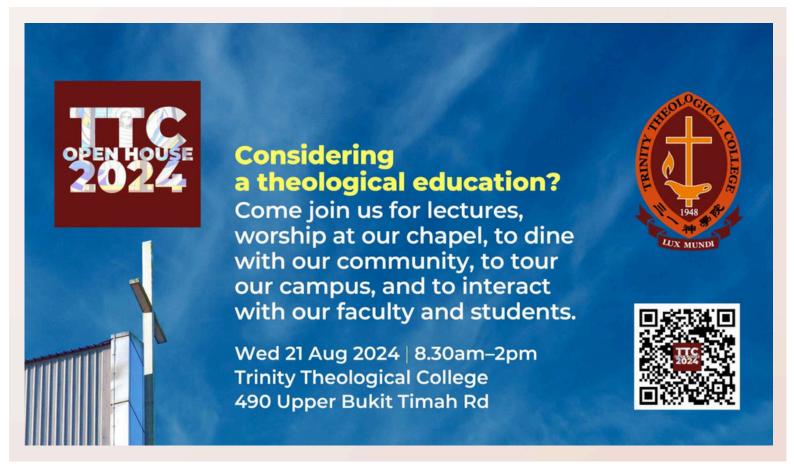
The featured Parish of the week is Chapel of Christ the King Click here to see the video: https://anglican.org.sg/potw/

Church of the Good Shepherd will be featured during the week of 16-22 September 2024 and the Date of Run will be on 18 September 2024 (Wednesday).

Please save the date for the Run to support the Church in this feature.

#Parish of the Week
Share. Run. Pray







Antioch Summit 2024 is happening on 3 – 5 October!

I believe this will be an important and helpful conference for you and for 316 Church.

At the Summit, Antioch21 will launch important initiatives to help local churches be missionssending churches, for the Decade of Missions (2023 – 2033).

It will also be a special opportunity for you to invite your church members who are exploring missions, and to journey alongside them! [see info on church group registration]

October 3-5th, 2024



Conference Website: <u>antioch21.sg/antioch-summit-24</u>

If you're attending the Leaders' Track (Thurs 3 Oct; FREE), **Register here:** https://bit.ly/AntiochSummit24LeadersTrack

If attending **Leaders' Track AND Main Conference** (Thurs 3 Oct – Sat 5 Oct noon), **Register here too:** https://bit.ly/AntiochSummit24MainConference

Hope to see you there!



Spiritual Care for the Ageing

Who is this course for?

Caregivers
 Those who minister to the elderly
 People looking to age well







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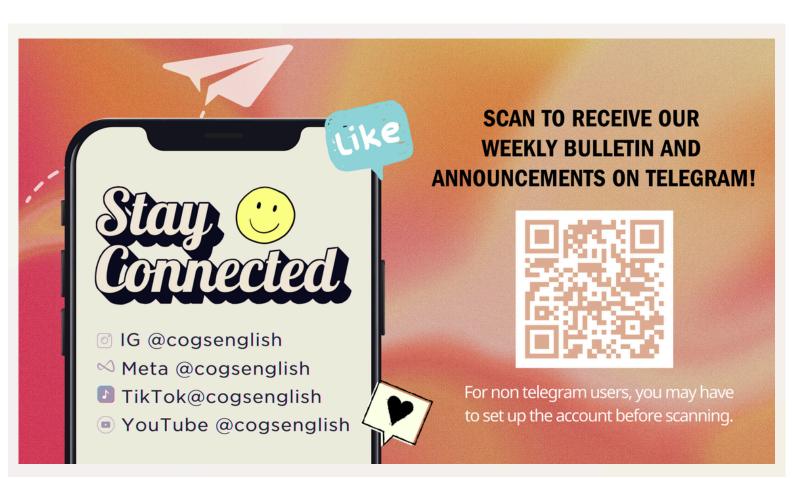






What we do today has an unseen future!

GB FORTNIGHT '24 | 28 JULY - 15 SEP



PRAYER

Let us bring our prayer requests to our loving heavenly Father:

- 1) WORLD: Pray that the negotiation efforts for a cease-fire in Gaza will be able to de-escalate tensions in the Middle East and avert a regional war. Pray that God's light will shine in places of darkness and that many will turn to Him, their source and hope of salvation.
- 2) SINGAPORE: With the rapid growth and spread of generative AI tools, there are serious concerns over the risks of AI-driven disinformation. Pray for greater public alertness to AI-generated phishing scams, for due diligence in verifying the accuracy and source of social media content, and for the authorities to act swiftly against scammers and bring them to justice.
- 3) CHURCH: Pray for the Confirmation candidates: Amelia Elizabeth Chan, Francis Tong, Gareth Lim, Gavin Lim, Wong Hui Kuen, Chayton Chan and 9 members from Chinese congregation, may they grow in knowledge of God and power of the Holy Spirit.
- 4) THE SICK: Especially John Mab, John Scott, Cindy Ng, Ann Tan, Kerin Koh, Doris Woo, Peter Cheong, Linda Teo, Marie Leong, and Mdm Yeung Po Ming (Elenore's mother).

Pray for God's comfort on the family of our late brother Jeremiah Sie, especially during this period of bereavement.

5) THANKSGIVING: We continue to pray for Jack Wee and Jolene, Paul and Vera who are expecting children.

Help us pray for you!

Submit your prayer requests to Ps Kar Foon @ 96507944 or email her at karfoonwong@cogsanglican.org

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NEXT WEEK

PREACHER Bishop Titus Chung

GIVING OF OFFERING AND TITHE:

(1) By Cash

Put your offering into our offering bags. For tithe, put your cash in an envelope, indicate it's for 'tithe' and drop it into the offering bag.

(2) By Cheque

- a) Cross your cheque and address to 'Church of the Good Shepherd (English Congregation)'
- b) At the back of the cheque, indicate for Tithe (with Pledge Number) or for Offering.
- c) Mail your cheque to the Church (Attn: Jenny)

(3) By Bank Transfer

Name of Bank Account: Church of the Good Shepherd (English Congregation) Bank Account Number: 010-007394-4 Bank Name: DBS

(4) By PayNow

PayNow to our UEN: T18CC0004G Or Scan the QR code below:



Do indicate for tithe (e.g., Plg X9) or offering, X9 being your Pledge Number. Giving with no indication will be channelled to the general fund.

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