



HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

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VISION STATEMENT

To be a caring community of believers in Jesus Christ,
our Lord and Saviour. We seek to fulfil the Great Commission
in the power of the Holy Spirit.

7 June 2026 Trinity 1

The Collect for Trinity 1

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified: hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people; that each in his vocation and ministry may serve you in holiness and truth to the glory of your name; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

This Sunday's Sermon

Trinity 1

Growth: Despite Adversity

Acts 22:22–23:11

Ps James Chan

This Sunday's Readings

Deut 6:10–25

Ps 38:1–22

Next Sunday's Sermon

Trinity 2

Growth: In a Time of Lacking

Exod 19:2–8a

Revd Adrian Chong

Next Sunday's Readings

Matt 9:35–10:10

Ps 100:1–5

Diocesan Bishop of Singapore:
The Most Revd Dr Titus Chung

Archdeacon of Singapore:
Ven Daniel Wee Chun Chian

Pastoral Staff

Acting Vicar:
Revd Adrian Chong

Ps James Chan
Ps Geraldine Lau
Ps Zhu Xiaoyun
Bro Lim Ai Chuan

Sunday Services

English
9.00 a.m., 11.00 a.m.

Chinese
9.00 a.m.

Children's Sunday School
Chinese: 9.00 a.m.
English: 11.00 a.m.

LIVESTREAM OF SERVICES

Chinese Service: 9.00 a.m.

Worship livestream:

<https://tinyurl.com/HTCLiveNow>

Cell Groups

Wednesday Afternoons
Friday: 7.30 p.m. & 8.00 p.m.

Saturday: 4.00 p.m.
2nd Sunday: 1.30 p.m.

Announcements

1. STAFF MOVEMENT

- Jenny Ha – Annual Leave: 4–8 June 2026

2. HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May the Lord's abundant blessings and grace be upon all whose birthdays fall in June. May his love surround you today and always!

3. SENIORS FELLOWSHIP – SUPERAGED & SAVVY: HANDS-ON WOUND CARE AT HOME

Tuesday, 9 June, 10.00 a.m.

Join us for hands-on tips to care for wounds safely at home.

Interactive Q&A + tea & fellowship.

Facilitated by Ms. Jophia Bok — our jovial, highly experienced nurse 25 years as RN and educator. Passionate about practical health tips for seniors & families.

Bring a friend! The more seniors, the merrier!

4. CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: JUNE HOLIDAY ARRANGEMENT

Sunday School will run **two activity-oriented sessions** during the June holidays:

7 June, 11.00 a.m. – Compass Quest

28 June, 11.00 a.m. – Builders' Workshop

Friendly Note:

Selah! There will be **no Sunday School on 14 & 21 June**. Take a breather with us to rest, refresh, and recharge with your family. We'll see you back on 28 June!

5. LEADERS' MEETINGS

- Cell Group Leaders/Assistants' Meeting: **Today** (7 June), 1.30 p.m., Level 4, Kindness Room

6. MARRIAGE BUILDERS COURSE

Saturdays, 27 June – 15 August | 4.30 p.m. to 6 p.m. | Fellowship Hall

You've walked the journey of marriage. Now, come journey with others.

This 8-week course is for married couples who want to strengthen their own marriage and be equipped to walk alongside others. As Marriage Mentors in our family life ministry, you'll help build strong families by first building strong marriages.

Marriage is God's gift — and it's even more beautiful when shared.

If you feel called to bless other couples, we'd love to have you with us.

Sign up: Register your interest with the church office, and the pastors will be in touch with you.

Spaces are limited, so we can journey well together.

Announcements

7. ANGLICAN LEARNING FESTIVAL (17–19 SEPT 2026)

Registration is now open for the Anglican Learning Festival, themed “*Transformed from Glory to Glory*” (2 Cor 3:18).

Be part of this inaugural diocesan gathering for training, learning, and fellowship. Attend onsite or online, with 4 plenary sessions and over 20 workshops covering areas such as pastoral leadership, mental health, financial stewardship, and AI.

Dates: 17–19 September 2026

Venue: Various locations (with virtual option)

Fee: From \$50 (Early Bird rates available)

Register by **17 August** at www.anglicanlearningfestival.sg

Church Calendar

UPCOMING EVENTS

7 June (Sunday)	1.30 p.m.	Cell Group Leaders & Assistants' Meeting
13 June (Saturday)	All Day	HTC DAY CAMP 2026
27 June; 4, 11, 18, 25 July; and 1, 8, 15 August (Saturdays)	4.30 p.m.	Marriage Builders Course
12 July (Sunday)	1.30 p.m.	EC Leaders' Gathering
18 July (Saturday)	10.00 a.m.	PCC
25 July (Saturday)	2.00 p.m.	ECC

Preaching Calendar

Date	Season	Preacher	Title	OT	NT
7 June	Trinity 1	Ps James Chan	Growth: Despite Adversity	Deut 6:10–25	Acts 22:22–23:11
14 June	Trinity 2i	Revd Adrian Chong	Growth: In a Time of Lacking	Exod 19:2–8a	Matt 9:35–10:10
21 June	Trinity 3	Ps Geraldine Lau	The Growth Trap: Bigger Barns, Smaller Souls	Deut 11:1–15	Lk 12:13–21
28 June	Trinity 4	Revd Lewis Lew		Jer 28:5–9	Matt 10:40–42
5 July	Trinity 5	Ps Geraldine Lau	Growth: Against the Wind	Deut 24:10–22	Acts 28:1–16
12 July	Trinity 6	Revd Adrian Chong	Growth: Through the Work of the Lord	Isa 55:10–13	Matt 13:1–9, 18–23
19 July	Trinity 7	Ps James Chan	Growth: Through Righteous Work	Deut 30:1–10	1 Pet 3:8–18
26 July	Trinity 8	Revd Adrian Chong	Growth: With Whatever You Have	1 Kgs. 3:5–12	Matt 13:31–33, 44–52

Prayer Pointers

I call out to the LORD, and he answers me from his holy mountain. I lie down and sleep; I wake again, because the LORD sustains me. I will not fear though tens of thousands assail me on every side. (Psalm 3:4–6)

1. Our Parish

- **School Break:** Pray for rest and renewal for students, parents, and teachers.
- **Day Camp (13 June):** Pray for safety, good weather, and fellowship.
- **Cell Groups:** Pray for our cell group leaders, assistant leaders, and members to have wisdom, love, and strength to care for one another, grow in unity and spiritual maturity, support the struggling, and witness for Christ.

2. The World

- **For Global Humanitarian Efforts:**
Pray for increased international support and resources to address the escalating humanitarian crises worldwide, that aid organizations may effectively reach those in desperate need.
- **Southeast Asia**
Pray for communities across Southeast Asia affected by floods, storms, and other hardships—that God would preserve lives, strengthen relief efforts, and help families who have lost homes, income, or loved ones.

3. The Sick, Vulnerable, and Weary

- Pray for healing and comfort for all in need.

Service Roster

This Week's Roster (7 June 2026)	E1 9 a.m. Service Morning Prayer	E2 11 a.m. Service Morning Prayer
Preacher	Ps James Chan	Ps James Chan
Worship Team	Isaac Koh	Marcus Chan, Cheryl Sia, Ngiam Siew Ying, Audrey Chan, Caleb Kan
Service Leader	Ps Geraldine Lau	Gabriel Jiang
Celebrant	NA	NA
Chalice Assistant	NA	NA
Server	NA	NA
Intercessor	Catherine Chong	Francis Tan
Scripture Reader	Agnes Chee	Gideon Kan
Ushers	Irene Giam, Michael Ang	Adeline Teong, Aidan Chan
Media Crew	Jarrell Wong, Titus Tan, Juan Huan	Jared Chan, Owen Lum, Jeremiah Cheong

Next Week's Roster (14 June 2026)	E1 9 a.m. Service Holy Communion	E2 11 a.m. Service Holy Communion
Preacher	Revd Adrian Chong	Revd Adrian Chong
Worship Team	Angela Tang	Jared Chan, Joan Cheong, Titus Tan, Gabriel Jiang, Audrey Chan, Gideon Kan
Service Leader	Ps James Chan	Francis Tan
Celebrant	Revd Adrian Chong	Revd Adrian Chong
Chalice Assistant	Ling Cheoh Wang	Francis Tan
Server	Alex Tan	Alex Tan
Intercessor	Hazel Pang	Gideon Kan
Scripture Reader	Sunday Banton	Ngiam Shih Chun
Ushers	Michael Ang, Gabriel Chia,	Jeffrey Yeo, Angie Loh
Media Crew	Jarrell Wong, Titus Tan, Felix and Federico Tiong	Justin Hou, Joash Chan

Sermon Notes

Trinity 1

7 June 2026

Sermon Title: Growth: Despite Adversity

Sermon Text: Acts 22:22–23:11

Preacher: Ps James Chan

Big Idea: God grows His people through adversity, as Christ stands by us, shapes us, and sends us.

Introduction

We all want to grow in faith, patience, courage, and perseverance—but often without difficulty. In Acts 22:22–23:11, Paul is faithful to Jesus, yet he faces hostility, humiliation, and discouragement. Still, the Lord does not abandon him. Christ stands by Paul and uses adversity to shape him for further witness. This passage reminds us that hardship is not always a sign that God is absent. In His hands, adversity can become a means of grace to deepen our endurance, humility, wisdom, and confidence in Christ.

1. From hostility, learn endurance (Acts 22:22–29)

When Paul speaks about Jesus sending him to the Gentiles, the crowd erupts in rage. Yet God is not absent. Through Paul's Roman citizenship, the Lord protects him from unlawful flogging. This reminds us that opposition to following Christ does not mean God has abandoned us. He may be using adversity to grow our endurance and trust in Him.

2. From humiliation, learn humility and wisdom (Acts 22:30–23:10)

Before Paul can even speak in his own defense, he is struck on the mouth. Although he reacts strongly at first, he later submits his speech to Scripture and redirects the council's attention to the main issue—the resurrection. God uses this painful and unjust moment to shape both Paul's character and his witness. In the same way, when we are treated unfairly, God can use those moments to teach us humility, guard our speech, and keep us focused on the gospel.

3. From discouragement, learn confidence in Christ's presence (Acts 23:11)

After all the conflict and confusion, Paul is back in custody, and his ministry seems to have failed. But the Lord Jesus stands by him and says, "Take courage." Jesus affirms Paul's faithfulness and promises that he will also testify in Rome. This reminds us that Christ is present in our discouragement and continues to guide our lives according to His purpose.

Conclusion

Paul faces hostility, humiliation, and discouragement, yet God is at work through it all. When we face adversity, let us not only pray, "Lord, take this away," but also, "Lord, grow me through this." The same Lord who stood by Paul stands by His people today.

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Reflection Questions

1. Have you experienced rejection or opposition because of your faith? How does Acts 22:22–23 help you respond with endurance rather than bitterness?
2. When you face unfair treatment, do you react quickly or respond prayerfully? What do you learn from Acts 23:2–5?
3. What God-given means or support can you wisely use, as Paul did in Acts 22:25–29, while still trusting God?
4. How can you keep the focus on the heart of the gospel like Paul in Acts 23:6–10, instead of getting distracted by secondary issues?
5. In what area of your life do you most need to hear Jesus say, “Take courage,” from Acts 23:11?

Giving Tithes and Offerings

- For Internet Banking or PayNow donations, please include your name and the purpose of the gift (e.g., Tithe, Welfare, Missions) in the remarks or reference field. Unspecified donations will be recorded as general offerings.
- For cheque donations, please write your name and the intended purpose (e.g., Community Services, Renovation Works) on the back of the cheque.

English Congregation	
Internet Banking	Account Name: Holy Trinity Parish English Congregation
Cheque	UOB Current Account Number: 982-341-222-0
PayNow UEN T08CC4070HECC	 <p>HTC EC 圣三一 英文堂</p>

Holy Trinity Parochial Church Council (PCC)	
Internet Banking	Account Name: Holy Trinity Parish
Cheque	UOB Current Account Number: 982-340-706-4
PayNow UEN T08CC4070H	 <p>HTC PCC Parish Account – Includes funds for</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Mission Fund ➤ Community Services ➤ Renovation/Sinking Fund <p>圣三一 牧区</p>

Chinese Congregation	
Internet Banking	Account Name: Holy Trinity Parish Chinese Congregation
Cheque	UOB Current Account Number: 769-362-749-8
PayNow UEN T08CC4070HCCC	 <p>HTC CC 圣三一 华文堂</p>