



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.

23 August 2026
Trinity 12

The Collect for Trinity 12

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.

Next Sunday's Sermon	Next Sunday's Sermon
Trinity 12	Trinity 13
Growth By Knowing Your God	Growth Happens When Two Knocks Meet
Isaiah 51:1-6	Revelation 3:14-22
Revd Adrian Chong	Ps Geraldine Lau
Next Sunday's Readings	Next Sunday's Readings
Matthew 16:13-20 Ps 138:1-8	Jonah 3:1-9 Ps 107:1-32

Diocesan Bishop of Singapore:
The Most Revd Dr Titus Chung

Archdeacon of Singapore:
Ven Daniel Wee Chun Chian

Pastoral Staff

Vicar: Revd Adrian Chong

Ps James Chan
Ps Geraldine Lau
Ps Zhu Xiaoyun
Ps Zhang Xiaohong
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. MID-AUTUMN CARNIVAL

Saturday, 19 September 2026 | 7.00 pm - 9.00 pm

Join us for an evening of games, food, and togetherness! Invite your family, neighbours, colleagues, and friends for a night to remember. This carnival is more than just fun — it's an opportunity to reach out with love and build community.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We need YOU to make this happen. Come serve with us and be part of blessing our community.

Please contact your Congregational Pastor if you would like to volunteer or register at <https://tinyurl.com/HTCMid-Autumn>. We'd love to have you on board!

2. BEREAVEMENT NOTICE

Brother Chua Kim Heng (Chinese Congregation), beloved son of Sister Koh Yap Hup and beloved brother of Sister Esther Chua, was called home to be with the Lord on 18 August 2026.

We extend our heartfelt condolences to the family during this time of bereavement. May God's comfort, peace, and strength be with them in the days ahead.

Please keep the family in your prayers.

3. VACANCY: ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

We're looking for an Administrative Assistant to support the day-to-day running of the church and services.

Job requirements, duties, and responsibilities are available here: <https://tinyurl.com/recruitmentadminassistant>. Interested applicants may contact the church office or email their application to adrianchongkc@anglican.org.sg.

4. DOS AND INTER-PARISH COURSES

a. Ministry Skills Training 2026

The COOS Inner Healing and Deliverance Ministry will be holding a Ministry Skills Training Workshop for those who are keen to learn how to pray for the following areas:

The Baptism of the Holy Spirit

The Physically Sick

The Emotionally Wounded

The Spiritually Oppressed

Please note that registration is required for this workshop. Participation fee will be collected on the day of the workshop and payment via PayNow is available. For enquiries, please email ihd@coos.org.sg.

Date: 5 & 12 September 2026

Time: 9am - 12.30pm (Saturday)

Venue: Church of Good Shepherd at 2 Dundee Road, Spore 149454 - Multi-Purpose Hall, Level 3

Fee: \$15 per participant

Registration link: go.coos.org.sg/IHDministrieskills (closes on 31 August)

b. St Peter's Hall - Saturday, 29 August & 5 September 2026

"Purpose: Your Work Matters" is a 2-day workshop organised by St Peter's Hall in partnership with the Biblical Graduate School of Theology. The workshop is designed for early to mid-career professionals, and it explores how faith shapes our understanding of work, vocation, and leadership. Through biblical reflection and practical discussion, you will discover how your daily work can be lived out with greater purpose and meaning.

Details available at [https://Purpose Your Work Matters](https://PurposeYourWorkMatters.com)

c. Anglican Learning Festival (17–19 Sept 2026)

Anglican Learning Festival (**Registration Extended**)

Good news — registration for the Anglican Learning Festival has been extended! There's still time to join us from 17–19 September for three days of plenary sessions, practical workshops and warm fellowship, as we gather around the theme "Transformed from Glory to Glory" (2 Corinthians 3:18).

Come be inspired, equipped and renewed as we behold Christ together.

Date: 17 - 19 September 2026

Venue: Various locations (virtual options available)

Fee: From \$50 onwards

Registration Link: www.anglicanlearningfestival.sg (ends on 31 August)

Church Calendar

UPCOMING EVENTS

Date	Time	Event
8, 15, 22 August (Saturdays)	4.30 p.m.	Marriage Builders Course
19/9 (Saturday)	7.00 to 9.00 p.m.	Mid-Autumn Carnival
19/9 (Saturday)	10.00 a.m.	PCC Meeting
26/9 (Saturday)	2.00 p.m.	ECC Meeting

Preaching Calendar

Date	Trinity	Preacher	Title	OT	NT
2 Aug	9	Ps James Chan	Growth: Through seeking Holiness	Song of Solomon 5:2-16	2 Peter 1:1-15
9 Aug	10	Revd Adrian Chong	Growth: Through faith in Christ	1 Kings 19:9-18	Matt 14:22-33
16 Aug	11	Ps Geraldine Lau	Growth: Storm OUT, Storm IN, or STOMP IN?	Jonah 1:1-17	2 Peter 3:14-18
23 Aug	12	Revd Adrian Chong	Growth: By knowing your God	Isaiah 51:1-6	Matt 16:13-20
30 Aug	13	Ps Geraldine Lau	Growth: Happens when two knocks meet	Jonah 3:1-9	Rev 3:14-22
6 Sep	14	Ps James Chan	Growth: Through knowing God's heart	Jonah 3:10-4:11	Rev 8:1-5
13 Sep	15	Revd Dr Jeremy Joe	Growth: Through forgiveness	Genesis 50:15-21	Matt 18:21-35
20 Sep	16	Ps Geraldine Lau	Growth: Growth has a deadline	Isaiah 45:9-22	Rev 14:1-15
27 Sep	17	Revd Canon Berry Leong	Growth:	Ezekiel 18:1-4. 25-32	Matt 21:23-32

Prayer Pointers

“I wait for the LORD, my soul waits, and in his word I put my hope. My soul waits for the Lord more than watchmen wait for the morning, more than watchmen wait for the morning.”
(Psalm 130:5-6)

1. Our Parish

- Pray that our parish would be of one mind and one accord, living out our vision to be a caring community of believers in Jesus Christ. Ask the Lord to stir us up to action—from our Mid-Autumn to Christmas evangelistic service through to next year’s Alpha courses—so that in the power of the Holy Spirit we faithfully fulfill the Great Commission, making disciples and caring for one another in love.
- Pray for our upcoming Mid-Autumn Carnival: for the committee and all programmes to be well organised and run smoothly; and for many volunteers to come forward to help in the various tasks and responsibilities, and for members to be eager to invite family, friends, and neighbours to come and that the event would be a joyful witness of our caring community and a gateway for the gospel.

2. The World

- Pray for nations facing severe humanitarian crises—Afghanistan, Myanmar, Sudan, South Sudan, Gaza, Yemen, Ukraine, Colombia, and others—where conflict, disasters, and funding shortfalls are leaving millions without food, healthcare, or safety.
- Pray that the leaders of nations would work together for peace and the common good of the people, pursuing dialogue over conflict, and justice and compassion for the vulnerable.

3. Our Nation – Singapore

- Pray for President Tharman Shanmugaratnam, Prime Minister Lawrence Wong, and all ministers—especially in security, economy, manpower, health, and education—that God would grant them wisdom, integrity, and compassion to lead Singapore well.
- Pray that Singapore’s leaders would “seek the welfare of the city” (Jeremiah 29:7) and govern with fear of the Lord. Ask God to build faith, families, and churches in Singapore, and to help believers shine for Jesus in every sphere of society.

4. The Sick, Vulnerable, and Weary and the Caregivers

- Pray for God’s healing, peace, and Holy Spirit renewal for the sick, vulnerable, and weary; ask also for patience, resilience, sufficient resources, and sustaining joy for all medical and family caregivers.

Service Roster

This Week's Roster (23 August 2026)	E1 9 a.m. Service Holy Communion	E2 11 a.m. Service Holy Communion
Preacher	Revd Adrian Chong	Revd Adrian Chong
Worship Team	Lisa	Marcus Chan, Cheryl Sia, Ngiam Siew Ying, Audrey Chan, Gideon Kan
Service Leader	Ps James Chan	Alvin Cheong
Celebrant	Revd Adrian Chong	Revd Adrian Chong
Chalice Assistant	Ling Cheoh Wang	Alvin Cheong
Server	Alex Tan	Alex Tan
Intercessor	Hazel Pang	Richard Chua
Scripture Reader	Jo Ann Adams	Gideon Kan
Ushers	Lilian Teo, Hazel Pang	Adeline Teong, Aidan Chan
Media Crew	Jarrell Wong, Titus Tan, Allister Headland	Caleb Kan, Justin Hou

Next Week's Roster (30 August 2026)	E1 9 a.m. Service Morning Prayer	E2 11 a.m. Service Morning Prayer
Preacher	Ps Geraldine Lau	Ps Geraldine Lau
Worship Team	Holly Yang	Andrew Ng, Grace Tan, Justin Hou, Joash Chan, Caleb Kan
Service Leader	Ps James Chan	Ps James Chan
Intercessor	Michael Ang	Lynn Ho
Scripture Reader	Sunday Banton	Peggy Ang
Ushers	Gabriel Chia, Irene Giam	Avan Cheng, Ong Poh Gek
Media Crew	Jarrell Wong, Titus Tan,	Jared Chan, Jeremiah Cheong

Everyone wants the latest handphone in the market, but how much of its functions will you be using? Lots of times we underuse our phone because we do not fully understand it. How much then does a Christian know about our Heavenly Father that they may be fully used?

The structure of the book of Isaiah

The book of Isaiah is roughly divided into three large segments:

Chapters 1-39: The ministry of Isaiah throughout his life

Chapters 40-55: God showed Isaiah a vision of the return from exile and the coming messiah.

Chapters 40-48: God promises the captives that they shall one day return to Jerusalem.

Chapters 49-55: God will send His suffering servant to lead them back. We know this suffering servant refers to Jesus Christ. It is in between two songs of the servant that God reminded the Israelite His nature that demands a response in today's scripture.

Chapters 56-66: God showed Isaiah another vision when the Glory returns to Zion

1. Growth through knowing His blessings (51:1-3)

God asked the Israelites to look back into their past and reminded them that He had sought them even before they were formed. In fact, He formed them through Abraham and Sarah before a single one of them had even existed. Have you looked back into your journey of faith? Had the Lord not sought you? How could all those blessings, miracles, and love that you have experienced over the years help you to grow in him?

Other scriptures: Jeremiah 1:5, Psalm 139:13-16.

2. Growth through knowing His righteousness (51:4-5)

Despite His grace and loving kindness, God reminded His people regarding His just and righteous laws, "Give ear to me," He said. God takes righteousness and justice seriously; He calls us and accepts us by Grace, yet He reminded us to keep and observe His righteous and just law. Jesus, despite His kindness and grace, was in zeal for the unholy transactions in the Lord's temple, and when righteousness was not observed. Do you believe in cheap Grace? Do you observe God's just and righteous law despite all the trouble? Will that help you take His laws seriously and grow in Him?

Other scriptures: Mark 11:15-17.

3. Growth through knowing His everlasting Grace (55:6)

It is challenging and demanding to keep God's laws; frequently we stumble and make mistakes. However, God is always gracious and will accept us whenever we turn to Him again. He said that His salvation will be forever, and righteousness will never be dismayed. How does knowing that God will always give you a second chance help you grow in Him? Are you sure of His forgiveness no matter how grievous a mistake you have made? Maybe like the adulterous woman that Jesus forgave?

Other scriptures: John 8:3-11.

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
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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	 HTC PCC Parish Account – Includes funds for ➤ Mission Fund ➤ Community Services ➤ Renovation/Sinking Fund 圣三一 牧区

Chinese Congregation	
Internet Banking	Account Name: Holy Trinity Parish Chinese Congregation
Cheque	UOB Current Account Number: 769-362-749-8
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