

CHRIST CHURCH LIKAS

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3rd Sunday after Trinity - 16 June 2024

A Prayer for Today

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



English Worship Service is **live-streamed**, **9:30 a.m.**: - YouTube: <u>https://www.youtube.com/</u> @christchurchlikas/streams

Welcome to a gathering of God's people. We gather to worship the risen Lord Jesus and to encourage one another to obey Him.

1. HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

We thank all our fathers who worked hard to provide for the family and raised their children. For the young fathers, we wish them every God's blessing as they nurture a new generation. Enjoy fatherhood.

2. A SEASON FOR GROWTH

The season of Trinity is one for growth. Some activities:

- read through the whole bible, beginning from Genesis. It may take you a few months, or longer. Aim to read through the bible at least once in your life time.
- join a cell-group. In the context of a smaller group of people we learn to love and to serve. Enquire at the Welcome Desk;
- join an equipping course, or a conference learn how to pray, to forgive yourself and others, to share the gospel of Jesus and many other skills useful for our Christian growth. Look out for notices.

3. CCL 55TH ANNIVERSARY

We turn 55, next Sunday!! On 22 June 1969, our church building was dedicated to the worship of God. We give thanks.

Our celebrations, next Sunday, 23 June:

morning Services as usual; followed by refreshments.



- 2:00 pm Ground-breaking for 'Project Invest' (priest's house & staff quarters). Bishop Kenneth Thien, representing Bishop Melter, will officiate.
- 3:00 pm 'HAHA-DAY' family sports for all. Please register. Come, with family and friends, and have a great day together.

4. ARK 20TH ANNIVERSARY

Our age-care facility, the Anglican Retirement Kampung (ARK) turns 20. Occupancy is now full. The celebration, also on 23 June:

- 4:00 pm Thanksgiving Service. Bishop Kenneth, representing Bishop Melter, will officiate and speak.
- 5:00 pm Thanksgiving Dinner; with residents & Board members.

5. CHRISTIANITY EXPLORED

We are conducting a course, 'Christianity Explored', to explain the

Christian faith, as presented by Mark's Gospel. Every Sunday:

- Chinese 10:00 am
- English 12:00 pm
- BM 2:00 pm

All sessions will be at the Alpha Hall. Meals provided. Please register at the Welcome Desk. The sessions:

- 7 July "Why are we here?"
- 14 July "Who is Jesus Christ?"
- 21 July "Why did Jesus come?"
- 28 July "Why did Jesus die?"
- 4 Aug "Why did he rise?"
- 11 Aug "How can God accept us?"
- 18 Aug [break]
- 25 Aug "What does it mean to follow Jesus?"

6. PARISH PRAYER MEETINGS

Starting in July, we resume our monthly prayer meetings:

- EN 11 July; then every 2nd Thurs of the month
- CH 18 July; then every 3rd Thurs on the month

7. OTHER MINISTRIES

- 18-20 Jun BM Men's Conference, Telupid. Close to 1,000 men have registered. Pray for a great response to God's work.
- ATI online seminars, nightly at 8:00 pm. See notice board:
 - 'Justification by faith in 2024' CH: 18 Jun; EN: 19 Jun
 - '7 churches in Revelation' EN: 20 Jun; CH: 21 Jun
- 22 Jun, next Sat **Evergreens** gathering, Omega Hall, 9:30 am.
- 27 Jun, Thurs Home Communion. Enquire at Welcome Desk.
- 8-11 July CH & EN Seniors Retreat, Sandakan. Over 500 seniors have registered; including 30+ from our church. Pray for a great work of God's Spirit.
- The flowers for today are donated by Mr. & Mrs. Ho Tsun Lin.

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Father's Day What is a Good Father?

(Esther 2:5-7, Matthew 7:9-11)

Rev. Tan Chor Kee, All Saints' Cathedral

- 1. A good father know what it means to be a father.
- 2. A good father teaches their children to be good.
- 3. A good father challenges their children to live for a purpose.

For reflection and discussion:

- a. What do you think are the key characteristics of a godly father?
- b. What are some of the characteristics that you have 'caught' from your father?

FOR PRAYER

Our beloved Fathers

- give thanks for all the fathers; pray for their health – physical & spiritual

[that fathers will get the support they need to take up their roles and responsibilities]

Our beloved Families

- give thanks for everyone in the family

[that every home may honour God and be blessed by Him]

Ourselves

- pray that we may grow in our network of relationships

[that we may grow to reach out to new friends]

- pray for the sick in body, mind and spirit; and for our 5 special friends. Name them in our prayer.