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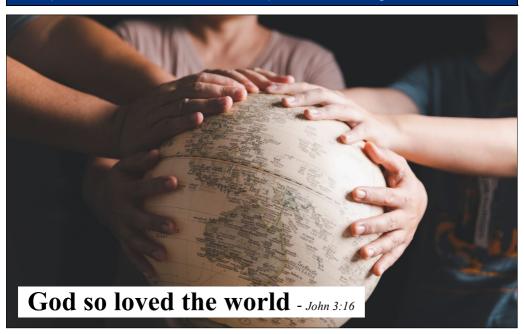
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10th Sunday of Trinity - 4 August 2024

A Prayer for Today

Almighty Father, whose Son Jesus Christ has taught us that what we do for the least of our brethren we do also for Him; give us the will to be the servant of others as He was the servant of all, who gave up His life and died for us, but is alive and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

Gospel - Matthew 28:16-20 Responsive Reading - Romans 1:8-17



English Worship Service is live-streamed, 9:30 a.m.:

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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. PARTNERS-IN-MISSION

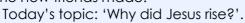
Operation Mobilisation (OM) has been in Malaysia for the past 40 years! We are grateful. The Diocese of Sabah has been a keen partner for many of their ministries and events. Some of us have personal experiences with their signature ships - Logos, Doulos, and Doulos-Hope. Doulos-Hope next visit is in Sandakan, 4-22 Sept.



This morning we warmly welcome Rev. Rodney Hui, Missions Mentor with OM East Asia; to challenge us on world missions.

2. CHRISTIANITY EXPLORED

This course, to introduce Jesus with the Gospel of Mark, continues today: CH - 10:00 am; EN - 12:00 pm; and, BM - 2:00 pm. All sessions are at Alpha Hall. Lunch provided. A good learning experience. Some new friends made.





3. 'THE GOD OF ELIJAH'

We take a break today from our sermon series; for an important topic - missions:

- 7 Jul He supplies: 1 Kgs 17 (Cherith & Zarephath)
- 14 Jul He preserves 1 Kgs 18a (Obadiah)
- 21 Jul He reveals 1 Kgs 18b (Mt. Carmel)
- 28 Jul He challenges 1 Kgs 19 (Mt. Horeb)
- 4 Aug The God of Missions (guest speaker)
- 11 Aug He avenges 1 Kgs 21 (Naboth's vineyard)
- 18 Aug Confirmation Sunday
- 25 Aug He judges 2 Kgs 1 (Ahaziah's idolatry)
- 1 Sept- He reigns 2 Kgs 2 (Elijah ascension)

4. ARK VISIT

This Thu, 8 Aug, 10:00 am - is our turn to visit the ARK. If you wish to be part of this ministry, please register at the Welcome Desk.

Meanwhile, the ARK is looking for an Administrator cum Accounts Clerk. For more information, please contact the Warden (tel: +6016-818 9013).



5. EN PRAYER MEETING

This Thu, 8 Aug, 8:00 pm - at Alpha Hall. Focus: Our Beloved Nation. A hybrid Zoom meeting. Meeting ID: 849 0600 4194, Passcode: 0224

6. **CONFIRMATION SUNDAY** - 18 Aug.

Confirmation will be conducted by Bishop Melter Tais at these Services:

- 9:30 am EN Service. CH & EN candidates will be Confirmed at this Service.
- 11:30 am BM Service; for BM candidates.
- [note: 7:30 am the CH Service is a usual Service; NO Confirmation]

Those from other denomination backgrounds, who now wish to be Anglicans, need to be Confirmed by the Bishop. Our Rector will meet with you on next Fri, 9 Aug, church office meeting room, 8:00 pm.

7. DIOCESAN CONFERENCES

- 15-17 Sept 'Breakthru' prayer conference, in CH & EN at All Saints' Cathedral. Please register. RM150/- per person; includes meals. The first 100 'early birds', now extended to 12 Aug, gets a RM50/- subsidy. Over 400 people have registered.
- 16-18 Sept Lay-Readers' Training (LPA), in BM, at Telupid. Details available.
- 19-21 Sept Youth Camp, in BM, at Telupid.
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8. **PROJEST INVEST -** thank-you!!

To date: RM110,305/- Last week: RM865/- Still needed: RM489,695/-

9. OTHER MINISTRIES

- 17 Aug, Sat Evergreens fellowship gathering, Omega Hall, 9:30 am.
- The **flowers** for today are donated by Ho Mun Kitt & Irean.
- 2nd Banns of Marriage between Syahbir Karolus & Priscilla Johan@John (BM congregation). They plan their wedding Service to be on 24 August 2024.

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Matthew 28:18-20

The Missions Mandate

Rev. Rodney Hui, Missions Mentor, OM East Asia

For reflection and discussion:

Do you think you will ever be a missionary? Why or why not?

- 1. Jesus gave the Great Commission v19-20. On what authority did He give this v18.
- 2. Jesus commanded His disciples to 'make disciples'. Name the 3 activities that are involved in this effort v19-20.
- 3. Where were the disciples sent? What did the first disciples of Jesus do in response to His Great Commission? Mention some of their activities; and some of the places they went.
- 4. What was Jesus' promise to the disciples v20? What is Jesus' promise to us today, as we go and 'make disciples'?
- 5. How may you, or your cell group, be more involved in mission ministries? What are some of the activities you may want to do this year? Give some suggestions.
- 6. How may our church be more involved in world missions? Suggest some steps for our church to take.

FOR PRAYER

Our beloved Sabah

- that more Godly leaders be raised to lead the State [pray for leaders who are visionary, bold and caring]

Our beloved Church

that the Spirit of God will bring renewal to all our lives
 [pray for those attending the Christianity Explored course]

Ourselves

- that we may have a greater commitment to missions [pray for opportunities to share God's love]
- pray for the sick in body, mind and spirit; and for our 5 special friends. Name them in our prayer.