



THE ANGLICAN DIOCESE OF SABAH

## The Church of The Good Shepherd

Weekend Worship Service: 01 March 2020



### Message from Our Senior Priest

One of the main agenda in the forth coming AGM is the Amendment of the Constitution which had never done so when it was first adopted by the COGS until now. The PCC had discussed and deliberated this matter over two meetings last year. This was done as

it is provided for according to the current Constitution of COGS under **ARTICLE XIV – AMENDMENTS**: The Constitution may be amended at the AGM or at an EGM convened and constituted in accordance with the provisions of this Constitution. Any amendment passed shall be deemed to be effective and valid only if it is passed by a two-third (2/3) majority vote of the members present provided that the same shall have received the assent and approval of the Bishop.

Having consulted our Diocesan Chancellor, Datuk Stephen Foo, the PCC was advised to work on the amendments and present it at AGM for endorsement at least by two-third of the members who attend the AGM. It will only be in effect upon receiving the approval of the Diocesan Bishop in writing.

The proposed Amendments of the said constitution will be published in the 2020 AGM Handbook which will be distributed to you on the **14-15 March 2020**. This will give all members in the Electoral Roll the time to read and seek clarification if there is during the AGM. Let us also make responsible decision when the time to call for a vote.

Why is this so significant? Does it really matters? This is one matter where all Baptized & Confirmed members of COGS should know. As a responsible member of God's community at COGS, you should be well informed how COGS is run and govern. Through this constitution, you will know how and what and why the basic governing rules are spelled out accordingly. It will help us to know how best one can serves the Lord and ministers at COGS. This is why all confirmed members of COGS who are 18 years old and above are **strongly encouraged** to come for the AGM. Let us also pray and ask God to lead us in our AGM so that it will be a meaningful and **wonderful** AGM. Through the AGM **reports**, we will be able to see what God had done in the past year & **as well as** God's direction in the season of realignment! I like to thank all who are serving the Lord together at COGS for your sacrifices, energy, time and finance. Though I am not able to mention one by one, surely God knows and He will replenish you with His abundant favour accordingly for the glory of His name! Thank you very much brothers and sisters of COGS!

*Canon James Lee*

### COGS Vision

*To Be like Jesus (Rom 8.29)  
so to fulfill the Great  
Commission (Mat 28.18-20)  
by obeying the Great  
Commandment*

*(Mat 22.37-39) with the  
empowerment of the  
Holy Spirit (Acts 1.8) in  
Sandakan & beyond.*

### Worship Services

#### **Saturday:**

7:30 pm (Hakka 1), Church

#### **Sunday:**

7:00 am (Hakka 2), Church

9:30 am (English), Church

9:30 am (BM), Barrett Hall

2:30 pm (Mandarin), Church

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### Our Team

#### **BISHOP**

The Rt Revd Melter Jiki Tais

#### **PRIEST IN-CHARGE**

Canon James T V Lee

#### **PASTORAL ZONE**

Revd Timothy Jerry

Revd Chin Kah Jin

Revd Chong Fen Chung

Revd Albert Lintikan

Ps Wong Hyen Tze

Ps Chin Yock Len

#### **ZONES**

Chi Adults - Canon James Lee

Eng Adults - Canon James Lee

BM Adults - Revd Timothy Jerry

#### **MINISTRIES**

Children Zone (Chi/Eng/  
BM)

- Ps Chin Yock Len

Youth Zone (Chi/Eng/BM)

- Ps Wong Hyen Tze

### Collect for Ash Wednesday

Almighty and everlasting God, you hate nothing that you have made, and you forgive the sins of all who are penitent: create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that we, lamenting our sins and acknowledging our wretchedness, may obtain from you, the God of all mercy, perfect remission and forgiveness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Collect for Today (LENT 1)

Lord Jesus Christ, for our sake you fasted forty days and forty nights, give us grace to use such abstinence that, our flesh being subdued to the spirit, we may always obey your will in righteousness and true holiness, to your honour and glory; for you live and reign with the Father and Holy Spirit, one God, for evermore. Amen.

## ANGLICAN SIBUGA PROJECTS

**01 March 2020 (Today)**

**Envelopes are enclosed for all to give prayerfully & accordingly!**



## 40-DAY PRAYER MEETING

**Date: Begins 02 March 2020 (Monday)**  
**(Every MONDAY of the week)**

**Time: 7:30 pm**

**Venue: Eng/Chi - Church**  
**BM - Grace Hall**

**All are invited, thank you!**



**Canon James Lee will be away for a meeting with the VET Team (Visiting Evaluation Team) in KK, as invited by the Administrator of ATI.**

**Date: 04 - 05 March 2020**



## ALL BORNEO PRAYER REVIVAL 2020

**Language: English & BM**

**Date: 04 - 06 March 2020**

**Time: 7:30 pm - 10:00 pm**

**Venue: Vision School Hall, Sibuga Sandakan**



## ATI-E EXTENSION PROGRAM (ENG)

**Date: 05 - 08 March 2020**

**Venue: St. Michael's Church**

**Module: Introduction To Bible**

**Tutor: Ad Moses Chin**

**Fees: RM120 (audit) / RM270 (credit)**



## PCC MEETING

**Date: 06 March 2020 (Fri)**

**Time: 7:30 pm**

**Venue: Meeting Room**



## SISTERS FELLOWSHIP MONTHLY GATHERING

**"Phileo Lunch"**

**Date: 7 March 2020 (Sat)**

**Time: 1:15 pm**

**Venue: Barrett Hall**



## UPDATING OF ELECTORAL ROLL FOR 2020 AGM.

**All members are to check & make an initial besides your name. If your name is not in, you may fill in your particulars on the blank sheets provided for us to update the roll.**

**Closing Date: 08 March 2020 (Sun)**

## ELLEL MINISTRIES MALAYSIA

**Mission 28 Discipleship**  
**Training Course (Chi/Eng)**



**Date: Begins 10 March 2020**

**Venue: Sandakan**

**Person in-charge: Margaret Chu @ 013-883-1901**

## BM/CHI/ENG COMBINED HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE, to be followed by THE AGM.

**Date: 22 March 2020 (Sun)**

**Time: 8:00 am**

**Venue: Church, COGS**



## COGS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)

**Date: 22 March 2020 (Sun)**

**Time: 10:45 am**

**Venue: Church**



## ENG/CHI BAPTISM I 2020

### Chi Baptism

Date: **04 April 2020 (Sat)**

Time: **7:30 pm**

Venue: **Church**

### Eng Baptism

Date: **05 April 2020 (Sun)**

Time: **9:30 am**

Venue: **Church**

Dateline: **01 March 2020 - submission of Baptism Forms.**



## ENG/CHI CONFIRMATION CLASS 2020

### Chinese Confirmation Class

Date	Time	Venue	Teacher
01 March 2020 (Sun)	01:00 pm	Counting Room, Church	Rev Chong Fen Chung
		Grace Hall	Ps Hyen Tze
05 March 2020 (Thur)	7:30 pm	Barrett Hall	Mercy Chong

### English Confirmation Class

04 March 2020 (Wed)	7:30 pm	Grace Hall	Eng Li Fah
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## With Heartfelt Sympathy And Deepest Condolence to...

**Mdm Chai Nyuk Kyun & her children over the recent bereavement of her husband / their father, the late Mr Liew Thiam Hee at the age of 86, on 23 Feb 2020. Funeral Service was conducted last Thursday, 27 Feb 2020.**

### • Pray for the sick:

**Mdm Chan Fon Ping, Michael Yio Cho Kui, Soh Lai Pok, Tang Hong Piau, Pang Min Chiew, Pun Chun Ming, Chang Kon Fatt, Eng Fook Kit, Chin Tshun Leong, Chan Mei Ngo, Tham Nyuk Mui, Emily Lau, Chang Suk Heng, Lai Nyuk Jin, Tai Nyuk Min.**



## Intercession:



- Pray for our world - ARMENIA (east of Turkey). Population: 3.17 million.
  - ◆ Economy : for agriculture and tourism.
  - ◆ Religion : for the 94% Christian community.
  - ◆ Church : for strong church leadership.
- Let's continue to pray earnestly to God to stop the spread of the Coronavirus.
 
- Pray for Malaysia - NATIONAL SECURITY.
  - ◆ Security against border intrusion at the Thai border.
  - ◆ For security against the Abu Sayyaf in East Sabah.
  - ◆ Against drug trafficking.
- Pray for our Diocese - CHURCH OF THE RISEN CHRIST.
  - ◆ Archdeacon Moses Chin.
  - ◆ For biblical preaching; for their mid-week ministries.
- Pray for our Parish - COGS BM CARE GROUPS.
  - ◆ For all our zone and care group leaders.
  - ◆ For personal discipline & spiritual growth of their members.
  - ◆ For commitment to serve among the BM congregation..

22 & 23/02/2020 Attendance / Comm		COGS Ministries Attendance			
22/02 (Sat) Hakka 1 7.30pm	250 / 205	Children (BM)	-	Discovery Club	110
23/02/2020 (Sun)					
Hakka 2 7.00am	183 / 174	Children (Mawar)	43	B B (Jr & Snr)	-
Eng & BM Combined 9.30am	403 / 297	Children (Labuk-Chi)	82		
		Children (Labuk - Eng)	57		
Mandarin 2.30pm	66 / 51	TOTAL		TOTAL	-
		BM Youth	44	Cell Group Attendance	
		COGS Youth	35	Chi	-
		Impact	17	Eng	-
		TOTAL		BM	-
TOTAL	902 / 727	Tadika COGS	123	TOTAL	-

## Jesus' Followers & God's Faith – Part 2

Acts 9.23-4.32; Mark 5.21-43

Remember that the ministry of Jesus Christ ushered in \_\_\_\_\_ (**Mark 1.15**). Through His works, Jesus revealed Himself as \_\_\_\_\_ of all (**Mark 2.1-3.6**)! All true followers are called to be like Jesus (see **Mark 3.35**)! \_\_\_\_\_ requires believers' \_\_\_\_\_ through the hearing & receiving of God's word (**Mark 4.13-20**)! Mark further highlighted the key to experience the authority of God's Kingdom personally is \_\_\_\_\_ (**Mark 5.21-43**). Let us learn what God's faith is in the following:-

1. God's faith in \_\_\_\_\_ (**Mark 5.25-34**)

2. God's faith in \_\_\_\_\_ (**Mark 5.21-24, 35-43**)

### **Reflection & Application:**

1. What was people's reaction when the news about the Covid-19 first broke out? Did it affect you personally?
2. There are many circulars & news as well as advices on what to do and what not to do. What was your immediate response? Did it cause any fear even for going to Church for a worship service?
3. What is the basis of our faith in the Lord Jesus Christ in the face of trials & testing time such as the breakout of the Covid-19? Would you consider your faith similar to the faith of the synagogue ruler & the woman? Please share the practical ways where we can continue to grow our confidence in the Lord & His word today.

**Canon James Lee**

<b>Order of Service</b>	<b>LENT 1 (01/03/'20)</b>	<b>LENT 2 (08/03/'20)</b>
Introit Hymn	The Church's One Foundation (HfTC 501)	Breathe on me, Breath of God (HfTC 226)
Greetings	Jus Ng	Steven Chung
Praise & Worship	Timothy K B Wong	Ang Pian Ming
Collect for Today		
Bible Reading	Acts 9: 23 – 43 Patrick Lim	Acts 10: 34—48 Ng Kong Hin
Nicene Creed		
Gospel Reading	Mark 5: 21 - 43 Stephanie Chin	Mark 6: 1—13 Dr T M Thian
Message	Canon James Lee	Canon James Lee
Response Hymn		
Intercession	Chia Khen Sang	Eng Li Fah
Confession		
Offertory Hymn	All for Jesus (HOP 393)	The Old Rugged Cross (HOP 100)
<i>Holy Communion, Lord's Prayer, Thanksgiving, Blessing &amp; Dismissal</i>		
Thanksgiving Hymn	Bringing In The Sheaves (HOP 317)	There is a Fountain (HfTC 144)
Serving One Another :		
Group Leader	USHERING TEAM 5 (Mrs Elizabeth Kho)	USHERING TEAM 1 (Dr Arthur Chung)
Welcome Team	Mr & Mrs Patrick Lim Annie Chok, Ivy Khong	Dr & Mrs Arthur Chung Mr & Mrs Eddie Wong
Sidesmen	Mr & Mrs Terence Fung Francis Voo, Lena Wong	Henley Liew, Angela Hon Ngo Su Hian Ku Mu Jin
Server	Foo Chee Hiong	Terry Chan
Prayer Ministry	Monica Ho Lue Fui Hua	Ho Sui Loon Stephanie Chin
Offertory Count	Ngu Ngok Yoon ( C ) Dorothy Yong, Eng Li Fah Wong Siu Fong Margaret Ho, Hee Pui	Yee Chee Hong ( C ) Mr & Mrs Christopher Kwan, Melissa Ong, Cindy Liew, Francis Voo
Washing up	Monica Ho Elizabeth Kho	Anton Ngui Hee Pui Lee

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