



THE ANGLICAN DIOCESE OF SABAH

The Church of The Good Shepherd

Weekend Worship Service: 24 May 2020



Message from Our Senior Priest

On 10th May 2020, our Diocesan Bishop has graciously guided us with reference to re-emergence especially the operation of Church Office. For your information, please be informed that COGS' Church Office now opens by following

the SOPs set out by our Government. During the CMCO till 9th June 2020, COGS Church Office Hours is 9.00am to 4.30pm. The Staff will come in two teams. Team A: Monday, Wednesday & Friday. Team B: Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday. SUNDAY IS CLOSED.

As the Director-General of MOH has been mentioning that Malaysia is not free from the Covid-19, hence Malaysia has not executed the EXIT STRATEGY yet. The CMCO is meant to monitor the latest development of the current pandemic. With this note, I am appealing all members of COGS Sandakan to continue to cooperate with the Government by exercising social discipline & social responsibility together. Why do we need to do that? This is because the virus is still around and infectious to everyone if we are not careful. Another factor is that everyone can be asymptomatic. That is to say, we can be a carrier of the Covid-19 yet there is no symptom in us yet. This is the greatest fear in the whole world should there be another wave should we fail to observe the SOPs set out by the Government. So COGS Sandakan is observing the SOPs set by the MOH and all members please give your cooperation whenever you come into COGS compound for whatever reason. Everyone is required to wear Facial Mask, check body temperature, sanitize your hand, write down your name and mobile phone number in the Record Book as well as practice social distancing.

Another development in our Diocese is the provision of Holy Communion during the CMCO period. On 12th May 2020, our Diocesan Bishop with all the leadership of our Anglican Province of South East Asia had finally decided to grant a **Temporary Special Dispensation to conduct a Holy Communion via online service**. This is to say that members can have Holy Communion at home during online service. In other word, as long as our Government maintains the CMCO, we will have Holy Communion via online service. Online services will stop & discontinue once the Government permits mass re-gathering! Hence, the Diocesan Bishop's circular provides the General Guidelines for all. On 20th May 2020, all COGS Clergymen, Pastors and Lay Readers met online & discussed as well as to work out the details how and when COGS Sandakan would do it. We will prepare a video clip for all to preview to see how the Holy Communion will be like on 31st May 2020. Therefore, I like to appeal all members of COGS Sandakan to start informing our own family members who are confirmed and prepare our hearts to partake the Sacrament of Holy Communion **which will be on Sunday, 7th June 2020**. Stay strong safely in the Lord & stay focus faithfully together under God's sovereign control in this trying time! Emmanuel!

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 &**

Online Services

Sunday

Eng/Chi : 9.00 am

BM : 11.00 am



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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 (Ch/Eng/BM)
- Ps Chin Yock Len

Youth Zone (Ch/Eng/BM)
- Ps Wong Hyen Tze

COGS NEWS



圣公会沙巴教区中英之乐龄退修会
ANGELIC CHOICES OF SARAWAK
CHINESE & ENGLISH SENIOR CITIZEN RETREAT

成为 祝福

Please be informed that the
2020 Diocesan Senior Citizens Retreat
 is now **POSTPONED** until further notice.

THE GOOD SHEPHERD
圣公会善牧堂

RM160 2020年
RM200 2020年及以后

RM220 2020年及以后

SLIDING DATE
24.08.2020

ORGANIZER

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COGS will continue ONLINE SERVICES until further notice! *ONLINE HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE: 7th June 2020. Full details will be announced by next Sunday, 31st May 2020.*

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At our church front gate, we have put up this notice for everyone's attention. Thank you very much for your co-operation.

尊敬的访客, 感谢您为以下事项给予配合
Pelawat yang dihormati,
terima kasih atas kerjasama anda untuk perkara-perkara berikut.

 <p>请检测您的体温。 Sila periksa suhu badan anda.</p>	 <p>请确保戴上您的口罩。 Pastikan anda memakai gelitup muka.</p>	 <p>请用洗手液洗手。 Bersihkan tangan anda dengan hand sanitizer.</p>
 <p>请填写您的姓名和电话号码。 Tulis nama dan nombor telefon anda.</p>	 <p>请保持规定的距离。 Penjagaan sosial.</p>	 <p>亲爱的们，感谢你们 和你们的家人。 Terima kasih kepada KITA JAGA KITA</p>



FOOD CONTRIBUTION FOR THE NEEDY

For those of you who wish to contribute in kinds, please liaise directly with **Revd Timothy Jerry (016-692-9031)**.



For all who needs help to set up Zoom app for weekly CG meeting or Online Prayer Meet, please contact **Josiah Soh 018-3202822**

For all who wish to contribute by cash:

1. You may use **BOOST** or **ONLINE Banking** with remark **"FOOD FOR THE NEEDY"**.
2. For walk-in donors, cash to be handed over to Mrs Liveliah at the church office.

GIVINGS AND OFFERING	
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管家奉献

Ways To Give Offering

The Church of The Good Shepherd
 Central Campus, Hong Kong
 香港中區堂
 ☎ 2525 0001 ☎ 2525 0001

M O B I L E



OR

A P P



☞ If you are unable to give an offering in person, you can give an offering by the following ways:

1. **ONLINE** (ALLIANCE BANK)

2. **TELEPHONE** (Alliance Bank)

3. **POSTAL** (Alliance Bank)

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M O B I L E



OR

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Online Transfer
(Alliance Bank)



The Church of the Good Shepherd
 A/C No: 10132-001-000-2182



Alliance Bank A/c: 101320010031353.
Official receipts to be issued upon
request via **WhatsApp no: 0198905604.**



Alliance Bank A/c: 101320010073123
Official receipts to be issued upon
request via **WhatsApp no: 0109836142.**



For the convenience of members who wish to put in your givings into the offering box, it will be placed there on the following days and times:

Day: **Monday to Friday**

Time: **9:00 am - 4:30 pm**

Please indicate your type of givings. Thank you.

LET US PRAY

Collect for Today (Easter 7)

O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven, leave us not desolate, but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us; and exalt us to where our Saviour Christ has gone before, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for evermore. Amen.

Intercession:

Rejoice always, pray continually,
give thanks in all circumstances;
for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18



THANKSGIVING:

We thank and praise God that He is faithful to His words. When we humble ourselves before Him, and turn away from our rebellion, He will hear our prayers and heal us.

FOR THE WORLD-WIDE:

- Pray for our government and other governments around the world, that they would have wisdom to minimize, control and combat this pandemic.

FOR THE CHURCHES:

- Pray for leadership of God's Church, for divine wisdom to make Godly decisions and provide Godly leadership over those under their charge. Pray that the Lord will continue to speak to them concerning His Church in the midst of this pandemic. Remember especially our Archbishop and all Bishops.

- Pray for the Church to be sensitive to the needs of those around them, that we may share God's love, the message of hope and the gospel of salvation with them, especially the Churches in Malaysia and the Province of South East Asia.
- Pray for the Church that during this time we will express practical love and acts of kindness to our neighbours, to testify to the love of God.

FOR OURSELVES:

- Pray to the Lord to speak to His people at this time, so that we may know what areas of our lives that need reset and reprioritize. Pray that we will remember what the Lord is revealing to us individually and corporately even after the MCO period.

Pray For The Sick

**Liew Oi Hyen, Chan Fon Ping,
Michael Yio Cho Kui, 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.**



of the Servant King! Zechariah 9.9-17; Mark 11.1-11

From **Mark 1 & 3**, Jesus refuted the demonic spirits from revealing _____ (**Mark 1.24-25; 3.11-12**). But from **Mark 8-10**, Jesus spoke clearly of His Kingship with the 12 disciples! It was affirmed by Peter through _____ (see **Mark 8.29; Matthew 16.17**)! Jesus' Kingship reflects _____! God further enhanced the truth through the historical event of _____ (see **Mark 9.2-29**). From there Jesus focused on fulfilling _____ of God's Kingdom (**Mark 9.30** onwards). His Kingship is eventually established in the context of _____ and also _____ through His own death & resurrection (see **Mark 8.31-32; 9.30-31; 10.33-34, 43-45**)! But from **Mark 11-16** onwards, _____ at the time when He went into Jerusalem (**Mark 11.11a**). That event was popularly known as the Triumphal Entry (**Mark 11.1-10**). Like the 12 disciples, the public generally also failed to grasp _____ of Jesus' Kingship! Let us learn how we can _____ the great Servant King in the followings:-

1. _____ yet humble! (**Mark 11.1-7**)

2. _____ yet humble! (**Mark 11.8-11**)

Reflection & Application:

1. Jesus knew all along how the Pharisees and teachers of the law were opposing Him and was looking for ways to get rid of Him. But why did Jesus still proceed to enter Jerusalem in such a manner which will lead to His crucifixion (**Mark 11.7-9; refer also Mark 8.31-32; 9.30-31; 10.33-34**)?
2. What is true greatness according to Jesus' perspective (see **Mark 10.43-45**)? How does that reveal to us about Jesus' Kingship and the mission of God's Kingdom? Why is this important to us today? Are we able to keep following Jesus and learning to become like Jesus in such manner in the face of the pandemic Covid-19?
3. Has our conviction grown stronger that Jesus Christ is indeed in control during the worldwide spread of Covid-19? What can we do today so that we continue experiencing Jesus' sovereignty (**Mark 11.9-10**) in our current situation till the time He comes again?