

THE ANGLICAN DIOCESE OF SABAH

The Church of The Good Shepherd

Weekend Worship Service: 23 Feb 2020





Message from Our Senior Priest

In about a month's time, COGS will hold the <u>2020</u> <u>AGM on the Sunday, 22nd March 2020 at 10.45am in the Church</u>. Please be informed that the worship service on that particular Sunday will be a <u>Combine</u> <u>Tri-lingual Worship service at 8.00am</u>.

Immediately after the Service, breakfast will be served. Therefore, I am calling all confirmed members of COGS who are 18 years and above to kindly double check your name on the 2020 Electoral Roll! The Church Office is in the process of updating the Roll accordingly. Thank you to some who have checked and reported to me that something is amiss in the Roll. Please be reminded that any name is not in the Roll, you can update it in the blank pages provided. The closing date for the updating the roll will be Sunday, 8 March 2020 @ 5pm. The Office will do our utmost best and publish the Updated Electoral Roll by 15 March 2020 weekend. The updated 2020 Electoral Roll will also be the official roll for the 2020 AGM. It is also to uphold the AGM before the Lord in prayer. Pray that the Lord's presence be with us and guides to have good and meaningful AGM.

Meanwhile, please be informed that the worldwide mainline Church will be observing the beginning of Lent Season known as the Ash Wednesday. We will be having a combine Tri-lingual Worship service on Wednesday, 26 February 2020 @ 7.30pm in the Church. Thank God indeed for such a season where we continuously humble ourselves and come to the Lord to pray especially for God's protection from the epidemic & pandemic spread of deadly virus (Covid-19). Let us make it our purpose to make sacrifices so that God will reveal His direction to us & that we can stand in the gap and pray (see Ezekiel 22.30)! God calls us to be His agents to divert the enemies' plots from taking place like Esther and the people of Israel in exiles (see Esther 3 & 4). The season of Lent is a great opportunity to humble ourselves and seek the Lord with the dangers of the said virus. Practically, we can choose to fast and pray. The choice is to fast a meal a day or 2 meals a day. Then, use the meal times to pray. One can do it personally or gather a small group. Make it a goal to be able to flow with God as He leads until we see God's mighty deliverance! The Lent season ends with Jesus' powerful resurrection. Therefore, let us prepare to go through the season and witness God's mighty power in our world, our country, our state, our town, our family & in our own personal lives too for His glory!

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

The Rt Revd Melter Jiki Tais

PRIEST IN-CHARGE

Canon James T V Lee

PASTORAL ZONE

Revd Timithy 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 Timithy Jerry

MINISTRIES

Children Zone (Chi/Eng/BM)

- Ps Chin Yock Len

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

Collect for Today (SUNDAY NEXT BEFORE LENT)

Lord, you have taught us that whatever we do without love is worth nothing: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and all virtues; without which whoever lives is counted dead before you; grant this, for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake. Amen.

Canon James Lee is speaking at ST. THOMAS' MISSION LEADERSHIP **SEMINAR**

Date: 21-23 Feb 2020

Venue: The Church Of The Living Light

(Anglican), Bukit Garam

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)

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP GATHERING

Date: 23 Feb 2020 (Tonight)

7:00 pm (preceeding with dinner,

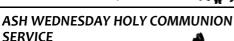
Venue: Church Portico, COGS

SISTERS FELLOWSHIP MONTHLY GATHERING

"Phileo Lunch"

Date: 7 March 2020 (Sat)

Time: **1:15 pm** Venue: Barrett Hall



Date: 26 Feb 2020 (Wed)

Time: 7:30 pm Venue: Church

BM/ENG/CHI combined service!

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)

Fllel Ministries

Date: Begins 10 March 2020

Venue: Sandakan Opens for Registration now

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

Closing Date: 29 Feb 2020 (Sat)

COMMUNION SERVICE, to be followed by THE AGM.

BM/CHI/ENG COMBINED HOLY

Date: 22 March 2020 (Sun) Time: **8:00 am**

Venue: Church. COGS

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

COGS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)

Date: 22 March 2020 (Sun)

Time: **10:45 am**

i ENG/CHI BAPTISM I 2020

Venue: **Church**

Chi Baptism

Date: 04 April 2020 (Sat)

. i Time: **7:30 pm** . Venue: **Church**

ALL BORNEO PRAYER REVIVAL 2020

Date: 04-06 March 2020 Time: 7:30 pm - 10:00 pm

Venue: Vision School Hall, Sibuga

Sandakan





Eng Baptism

Date: 05 April 2020 (Sun)

Time: **9:30 am** Venue: **Church**

I 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 Co	onfirmation (Class		
04 March 2020 (Wed)	7:30 pm	Grace Hall	Steven Chung & Eng Li Fah		

SHOP BLESSING - STARS TUITION CENTRE

Date: 14 Feb 2020 (Fri) Venue: Bandar Melrose

Tutor: Flora Hiew (Mrs Desmond Chona)

With Heartfelt Sympathy And Deepest Condolence to...

Mr Daniel Liau On Fah & family members over the recent bereavement of his wife / mother, the late Mdm Goh Hai Lian @ Shirley on 15 Feb 2020 at the age of 71. Funeral Service was conducted last Friday, 21 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 DOMINICAN republic: Population: 67,000. Pray for
 - Government : for accountability and effeciency.
 - ♦ Tourism : for more tourist visitation.
 - ♦ Church: for the dominating Catholic Church.
- Let's continue to pray earnestly for the people in WUHAN, CHINA.



- Pray for Malaysia NATIONAL AIRLINES.
 - ♦ For effecient management.
 - ♦ For profitability.
 - For the captains, pilots, stewards & stewardesses.
- Pray for our Diocese MISI DAERAH ROH KUDUS, MINUSOH.
 - Revd Fredoline Bin Babia, Revd Winson Surir, Evg Tingkason Pinandai, Evg Armin Maidin.
 - For biblical preaching; for their mid-week ministries.
- Pray for our Parish COGS Youth Ministry.
 - ♦ For Ps Wong Hyen Tze and her team of leaders
 - For personal discipline & spiritual growth of their youth.

15 & 16/02/2020 Attendance / Comm		COGS Ministries Attendance			
15/02 (Sat) Hakka 1 7.30pm	250 / 198	Children (BM)	69	Dis- cov- ery Club	104
16/02/2020 (Sun)					
Hakka 2 7.00am	204 / 171	Children (Mawar)	34	ВВ	
Eng 9.30am	172 / 132	Children (Labuk- Chi)	78	(Jr &	-
BM 9.30am	273 / 222	Children (Labuk - Eng)	50	Snr)	
Mandarin 2.30pm	60 / 49	TOTAL	231	TO- TAL	
		BM Youth	75	Cell Group Attendance	
		COGS Youth	41	Chi	-
		Impact	15	Eng	-
		TOTAL	131	ВМ	-
TOTAL	959 / 772	Tadika COGS	123	TOTAL	-

Theme: Jesus' Followers & God's Faith Text: Acts 9:1-22, Mark 4:35-5:20

- 1. Trusting in Christ's Power over Storm in Life (Mark 4:35-41)
 - a. Faith (Mark 4:38,40; Psalm 46:1-3,4-5,10-11)
 - b. God's Word (Matt 7:24-27)
 - c. Prayer (**Heb 7:25; Phi 4:6-7**)
 - d. Jesus' Sacrifice (2 Cor 5:10; Rom 5:8-9)
- 2. Trusting in Christ's Power over Darkness (Mark 5:1-20)
 - a. Hope (Mark 5:2-6; James 2:19; 1 Peter 1:3-4)
 - b. God's word is powerful (Eph 2:8-9; Acts 16:31)
 - c. Peace & right mind (Mark 5:15; John 14:16-18,27; John 16:13; Rom 12:2)
 - d. Mission (Mark 5:19-20)

Reflection Question:

- 1. No one could exempt from going through storms of life. How shall we react when the time (s) come? What is God's promise that you can find in the Bible?
- 2. It is Jesus that makes all the difference in life! Has He made the difference in you? Share.

Rev Timithy Jerry

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Order of Service	SUN BEFORE LENT	LENT 1			
Introit Hymn	O Worship the King (HfTC 24)	The Church's One Foundation (HfTC 501)			
Greetings	Dr T M Thian (Eng) Nasip Basalag (BM)	Jus Ng			
Praise & Worship	Claudia Lopez (Eng)	Timothy K B Wong			
Collect for Today					
Bible Reading	Acts 9: 1—22 (BM) Patrus Tamoi	Acts 9: 23 – 43 Patrick Lim			
Nicene Creed					
Gospel Reading	Mark 4: 35 - 5: 20 (Eng) Ho Sui Ting	Mark 5: 21 - 43 Stephanie Chin			
Message	Revd Timithy Jerry	Canon James Lee			
Response Hymn					
Intercession		Chia Khen Sang			
Confession					
Offertory Hymn	I Hear The Saviour Say (HOP 145)	All for Jesus (HOP 393)			
Holy Communio	n, Lord's Prayer, Thanksgiv	ing, Blessing & Dismissal			
Thanksgiving Hymn	"Call Upon"	Bringing In The Sheaves (HOP 317)			
Serving One Another:					
Group Leader	USHERING TEAM 4 (Mr Choo Peng Yeang)	USHERING TEAM EMMANUEL (Mrs Elizabeth Kho)			
Welcome Team	Mr & Mrs Benjamin Chow & BM team	Mr & Mrs Patrick Lim Annie Chok, Ivy Khong			
Sidesmen	Mr & Mrs Vun Thau Fen Margaret Ho, Yee Chee Hong & BM team	Mr & Mrs Terence Fung Francis Voo, Lena Wong			
Server	Charles Chong	Foo Chee Hiong			
Prayer Ministry	Betty Kwan, Gina Chung & BM team	Monica Ho Lue Fui Hua			
Offertory Count	Alice Chang (C) Mr & Mrs Ho Sui Loon Mr & Mrs Michael N F Chin & BM team	Ngu Ngok Yoon Dorothy Yong, Eng Li Fah Wong Siu Fong Margaret Ho, Hee Pui Lee			
Washing up	Mr & Mrs Choo Peng Yeang & BM team	Monica Ho Elizabeth Kho			