

WEEK 22

TRINITY 1

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Welcome to a gathering of God's people.

COLLECT FOR TODAY:

Lord God, the strength of all who put their trust in you, mercifully accept our prayers, and because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do nothing good without you, grant us the help of your grace, that in keeping your commandments we may please you both in will and deed through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Charity works are a channel of blessings to help those in need and an act of love of our Lord Jesus Christ to His people. There are plenty of opportunities for us to do charity through various platform and in our Diocese we carry it out in various Welfare and Disaster Relief activities. Thank God, with generous support of members in giving and participating in the charity works, many people who are in need are blessed. The Welfare learning centre in Seguntor continue to operate in its 18th year to give basic education to 200 children, giving them an important foundation as they grow up to participate meaningfully in the society. Much gratitude to the teachers and all volunteers who had faithfully pouring their effort in educating so many children over the years. Another learning centre with similar concept in Kundasang which is run mainly by voluntary teachers, also receive our support in their effort to educate over 300 students. We have continued the program to assist financially poor students who have been offered a place to study in tertiary institution to ensure that they can enroll their studies as an effort to break the poverty cycle. We are able to do this with generous financial contributions received. In the area of medical relief, patients with critical illness who are in need of financial assistance for their treatment had received support from the welfare fund. We continue to provide mobile clinic services at places with difficult access to medical services in collaboration with churches in the interior. Recent mobile clinics were held in Telupid which was attended by 500 people and one in Kg Matanggal was held in conjunction with mobile court visit to the village. During disasters we have seen keen effort from members to provide relief. For the past year, major disasters were the flood in Penang whereby a team from Faith Christian Centre went up north to help in cleaning up. So does members in Keningau who had immediately responded to those affected by the flood during the last Christmas season. The Welfare and disaster relief board takes this opportunity to thank all who had involved in the past in our charity works and those who had given generously to the Diocesan Welfare Fund.

Dr Peter Thien,

Diocesan Welfare and Disaster Relief Board

FAMILY MATTERS

Welcome to a gathering of God's people. We gather to worship Jesus. To sing praises to Him, to confess our sins to Him, to listen to His word, to pray to Him, to remember His death and to encourage one another to obey Him in our daily lives.

We mark today as '**Diocesan Welfare Sunday**'. Envelopes are enclosed in the bulletin. With much prayers, we hope you will bless the needys generously as much as our Lord has blessed you.

Blood Donation

Our greatest appreciation to all who donated blood last Sunday. Altogether, 78 pints of blood was collected.

- **8 June (Fri)**
PCC Meeting.
Venue: Meeting room, 7:30 pm.
- **10 & 17 June (Suns)**
No Sunday Schools on the above dates due to the school holidays.
- **11 - 14 June (Mon—Thurs)**
Diocesan Chinese / English Youth Camp (DCEYC).
Venue: Christ Church, KK
Person in-charge: Claire @ 017-228-0271.
Registraton closed.

- **12 - 15 June (Tue - Fri)**
Diocesan BM Youth Camp.

Venue: Valley of Blessings, Telupid.

Person in-charge: Maylianih @ 011-1057-7285.

- **16 - 19 July (Mon—Thurs)**
Diocesan Senior Citizens Retreat (Chi & Eng).

Venue: The Church of Our Holy Saviour, Labuan.

Registration fees @ RM120/ pax. Closing Date: 02 July

Please note: T-shirt is inclusive before 11 June; after-which T-shirt is not inclusive.

Contact persons: Ps Soo Nyuk Fong / Mrs K J Chin

- **28 - 31 Aug**
Diocesan SYNOD Meeting.

- **ATI - E**
Extension Programme will begin soon & to be held at Sandakan:
Venues: Eng & Chi classes at St Michael's Church,
BM class at COGS.

- ★ 6 - 8 July: Basic Christianity Course (20 hours),
- ★ 12 - 14 Oct: Introduction Bible Course (20 hours).

Any one interested to pursue theological study, please fill in a registration form which is available from our church office.

GOD IN THREE PERSONS: The Trinity

- 1. The Biblical Basis of the Trinity**
- 2. The Doctrine of Trinity: Three Statements**

Questions for Discussion.

1. Study the following key passages in the Bible related to the Trinity: Genesis 1:26, Matthew 3:16-17 and Matthew. 28:19. What have you learnt about the Trinity in your study?
2. How does the Bible teach about the three Persons are one God?
 - Regarding the Father and the Son (John 1:1, 14, 18; John 10:30; John 14:9)
 - Regarding the Father and the Holy Spirit (Acts 5:3-4)
3. Read together the summary of the doctrine of the Trinity: God is three persons; Each person is fully God; There is one God.
4. After you have gone through the discussions, how do you answer someone who says Christians worship three gods? Discuss.

FAMILY MATTERS			Lord, teach us how to pray ...		
<p>Person in-charge: Revd Timothy, for application only.</p> <p>Requirements: SPM certificate or equivalent; passport-sized photos; RM100 non-refundable fees.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Flowers - contributed by the Sisters' Fellowship this week. ● Condolence - our deepest sympathy & condolences to the family of our brother, Mr Robert Yaw whose mother Mdm Teo Joo Lian, aged 85 years was called to eternal rest on 31 May 2018. ● Sekolah Rendah Visi Sandakan has 2 vacancies for security guards. Contact person — Desmond Chong @ 012-650-6962. 			<p>✧ For Our World - POLAND - in Europe. Population — 37.6 million.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Economy - Agricultural and heavy industry. Lack of skilled labourers. ● Politics - Poland joined the EU in 2004 and continues to see political progress. ● Religion - Strong Catholic Church exercises its traditional place in Polish society. <p>✧ For Malaysia - Illegal trading of cigarettes .</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Authority to check / control rampant sale of illegal sales of cigarettes on the streets. ● Authority to check smuggling of cigarettes from Labuan and Sarawak to Sabah. <p>✧ For Our Diocese— Indah Anglican Church, Sandakan.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Revd Jeremiah Liew and Ps Elizabeth Giam, ● All pastors and cell group leaders. ● Their children's & youth ministries. <p>✧ For Our Parish— COGS Care Group leaders.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● All care group leaders and assistant leaders. ● Regular and meaningful weekly meetings. ● Spiritual and numerical growth of our members. <p>✧ For the sick: Mdm Chia Khyun Thai, Sr Low Mooi Gaik, Mr Frankie Mok, Mrs Chong Fen Chung, Mr Francis Lam, Mr Chin Tshun Leong, Mr Eng Fook Kit, Mdm Chang Suk Heng, Mdm Emily Lau, Miss Vivian Chin, Mdm Lai Nyuk Jin, Mdm Chia Soon Yin, Mr Leong Kam Lun, Mdm Tay Phui Teen and Mr Chong Hyun Vui.</p> <p>✧ For personal requests.</p>		
Services/Attendance/Communicants					
Chi (26/05) Sat -7:30 pm	230	177			
Chi (27/05) Sun -7:00 am	202	187			
Eng (27/05) Sun - 9:30 am	163	131			
BM (27/05) Sun - 9:30 am	267	178			
Chi (27/05) Sun - 2:30 pm	78	59			
Total	940	732			
Children's Ministries		Attd			
Tadika COGS (KG)		140			
Chi Children cell - Mawar &COGS		120			
Eng Children cell - COGS		46			
BM Children cell		-			
St Monica's Discovery Club		-			
BB (Boys' Brigade)		43			
Youth Ministries		Attd			
Ch Youth (Impact & Inspired)		50			
Eng Youth (M.A.D.)		14			
BM Youth		12			
BB (Boys' Brigade)		13			

Order of Service	This Sunday	Next Sunday (10/06/18)
<i>Introit Hymn</i>	Blessed be the name (HOP 33)	Praise Him ! Praise Him ! (HfTC 25)
<i>Greetings</i>	Steven Chung	Jus Ng
<i>Praise & Worship</i>	Claudia Lopez	Eveleen K W Wong
<i>Collect for Today</i>		
<i>Bible Reading</i>	2 Cor 4: 5 - 12 Loh Leong Len	2 Cor 4: 13 - 5: 1 Hendry Tan
<i>Nicene Creed</i>		
<i>Gospel Reading</i>	Mk 2: 23 - 3: 6 Steven Chung	Mk 3: 20 - 35 Jus Ng
<i>Message</i>	God in Three Persons (Trinity) Ad T C Yong	Rev'd Timothy Jerry
<i>Response Hymn</i>		
<i>Intercession</i>	Ho Sui Ting	Steven Chung
<i>Confession</i>		
<i>Offertory Hymn</i>	O to be like Thee (HOP 251)	Grace greater than our sin (HOP 167)
<i>Holy Communion, Lord's Prayer, Thanksgiving, Blessing & Dismissal</i>		
<i>Thanksgiving Hymn</i>	Higher Ground (HOP 252)	He keeps me singing (HOP 339)
Serving One Another :		
Cell Group Leader	LOGOS 3 (Ho Sui Loon)	LOGOS 4 (Choo Peng Yeang)
Welcome Team / Visitors Centre	Vun Fon Foh Kenneth Fong Ho En Han, Lily Ho	Mr & Mrs Patrick Lim Lai Chung Seng Priscilla Chow
Sidesmen	Liew Vun Men, Francis Voo Ngu Ngok Yoon Terence Fung	Mr & Mrs Benjamin Chow Margaret Ho, Yee Chee Hong
Server	Terry Chan	Eddie Wong
Prayer Ministry	Mr & Mrs Ho Sui Ting	Betty Kwan, Annie Liu
Offertory Count	Alice Y M Chang (C) Mr & Mrs Loh Leong Len Ho Sui Loon, Francis Voo Hee Pui Lee	Ngu Ngok Yoon (C) Dorothy Yong, Eng Li Fah Wong Siu Fong, Margaret Ho
Washing up	Lily Ho, Ho En Han	Mr & Mrs Voon Thau Fen

WEEKLY SERVICES

Saturday

7:30 p.m.
Chinese

Sunday

7:00 a.m.
Chinese

9:30 a.m.
English

9:30 a.m.
Bahasa M'sia

2:30 p.m.
Chinese

CHAPEL PRAYERS

Wed - 7:00 a.m.

Thur - 6:30 a.m.

Sat - 4:30 a.m.

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