



THE ANGLICAN DIOCESE OF SABAH

The Church of The Good Shepherd

Weekend Worship Service: 26 Jan 2020



Message from Our Senior Priest

Together with the Clergymen, Pastors, PCC and the leadership of COGS, my family & I like to greet all our Chinese & Sino-Kadazans, a bountiful and fruitful Lunar New Year with God's favor! Generally, all people want to have a good life which is not wrong at all!

This is because the Lord has already laid down His promise of blessings very clearly in **Deuteronomy 28.1-14**! The Bible principle remains that every promises of God come with a condition. God promised blessings in all that we have and do on the condition we faithfully follow His ways.

From **Deuteronomy 28.2-8**, God promised that we can be overwhelmed by His awesome blessings. God knows and wants to fulfill our everyday's need. No matter where we are, He will be there to make provisions for us (**vs. 3, 6**). God's favor was promised for family expansion as well as the multiplication of flocks and guaranteed food supply (**vs. 4-5**). God promised protection and power that defeat every enemy that come against us (**v 7**). God promised great returns of all that we do and work on (**v 8**). There is a divine promise of great favor & success (**vs. 11-13**). However, it is a guaranteed promise with condition. In other words, the Lord has given conditional promises to the people of Israel prior to entering to the promised land of their forefathers.

What is the condition set out by God? It is clearly stated from the beginning in **vs. 1a, 2b, 9b, 13-14**: "If you fully obey the LORD your God and carefully follow all his commands that I give you today. ... if you obey the LORD your God: ... if you keep the commands of the LORD your God and walk in obedience to Him. ... ¹³ The LORD will make you the head, not the tail. If you pay attention to the commands of the LORD your God that I give you this day and carefully follow them, you will always be at the top, never at the bottom. ¹⁴ Do not turn aside from any of the commands I give you today, to the right or to the left, following other gods and serving them." God's blessings are never meant to be taken for granted as if it is our right to be blessed by God when we said we believed Him. Remember that the God who creates & sustains us is also our Loving Father in heaven who is more than willing to bless us so that we can bring honor to Him and His glorious name! He therefore set the condition that we keep getting to Him personally as revealed in the Bible. So that when we keep trusting & obeying Him according to His terms & conditions and not ours! May all have a blessed Lunar New Year with God's favor flourishing all of us as we keep realigning to Christ & His Kingdom through His commands!

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

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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 Today (Epiphany III)

Almighty and everlasting God, mercifully look on our infirmities; and in all our dangers and necessities stretch out your right hand to defend and to help us, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

CHINESE NEW YEAR SERVICE (DAY 2)

26 Jan 2020 (Today)

Venue: **Church**

- ◆ **Hakka Service as usual**

Time: **7:00 am**

- ◆ **BM/Eng Combined**

Time: **9:30 am**

No refreshments will be served after BM/Eng Service.

NO Mandarin Service @ 2:30 pm!



PROVINCIAL SUNDAY ENVELOPES

Date: **26 Jan 2020 (Today)**

Envelopes are enclosed for all to give prayerfully & accordingly!



SUNDAY SCHOOLS at COGS & MAWAR CENTRE IN RECESS.

Dates: **26 Jan; 02 Feb; 09 Feb 2020**

Resume: **16 Feb 2020**



OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED...

Date: **27 Jan 2020 (Mon)**

Sorry for any inconvenience caused.



PCC MEETING

Date: **31 Jan 2020 (Fri)**

Time: **7:30 pm**

Venue: **Meeting Room, Level 2**



CAMBODIA MISSION UPDATE

Speaker: **Revd Chan Peng Wah**

Language: **Eng & Chi**

Date: **06 Feb 2020 (Thur)**

Time: **7:30 pm**

Venue: **Barrett Hall, COGS**



INSTALLATION OF THE 6TH ARCHBISHOP OF THE SOUTH EAST ASIA (SEA) PROVINCE, THE RT REVD DATUK MELTER JIKI TAIS

Date: **09 Feb 2020 (Sun)**

Time: **4:00 pm**

Venue: **All Saints' Cathedral
Kota Kinabalu**



DINNER

Date: **09 Feb 2020 (Sun)**

Time: **8:00 pm**

Venue: **KK Hakka Association Hall**

SISTERS FELLOWSHIP

Event: **Monthly gathering**

Date: **15 Feb 2020 (Sat)**

Time: **2:00 pm**

Venue: **Barrett Hall, COGS**



COGS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)

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

All ministry reports to be submitted by 16 February 2020, to enable the translators to have enough time for their translation.



COGS MEN'S FELLOWSHIP SURVEY FORM

The newly formed committee is in the process of collecting a data base of all the men in COGS. Please kindly give your full cooperation.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP GATHERING

Date: **23 Feb 2020 (Sun)**

Time: **7:00 pm**

Venue: **Church Portico**

BAPTISM & CONFIRMATION 2020

Date: **05 April 2020** - 1st batch of
Baptism.

Dateline: **01 March 2020** -

submission of Baptism Forms.

Dateline: **01 March 2020** -

submission of Confirmation Forms.



SABAH FIRE CONFERENCE 2020

Date: **27 - 30 July 2020**

Venue: **Hakka Hall, Kota Kinabalu**

Fee:-

RM120 (Early Bird)-Closing date: 31 March 2020

Language: **CHINESE MANDARIN ONLY**

Person-in-charge: **Jus Ng (019-8131280)**

Ps Hyen Tze (013-8837782)



GOOD USED LAPTOP & DESKTOP

*Purpose: **To help young people to
acquire computer skill.**

*Collecting Point: **COGS Office**

*Person-in-charge: **Alex Leong Yung Lih
(014-9549983)**



**Sympathy & Condolences to family
members of**

**1. The late Mr Loh Kim Siang, aged 41,
called to eternal rest on 18/01/20.**

**2. The late Mdm Tham Yit Moi aged 72,
called to eternal rest on 19/01/20.**

• Pray for the sick:

**Michael Yio Cho Kui, Soh Lai Pok,
Tang Hong Piau, Pang Min Chiew,
Pun Chun Ming, Chang Kon Fatt,
Sr Low Mooi Gaik, 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 - CZECH REPUBLIC,**
Population: 10.5 million
 - ◆ Economy: strong and one of the best in Europe.
 - ◆ Religion: Pray for the 25% population who are Christians.
 - ◆ Leadership : Christian leadership key to growth.
- **Pray for Malaysia - JUDICIARY**
 - ◆ Pray for the attorney general.
 - ◆ For the legal fraternity.
 - ◆ For the rule of laws in the country.
- **Pray for our Diocese - MISI DAERAH KRISTUS RAJA SEGALA RAJA, SOOK**
 - ◆ Revd Lim Chin Liang, Ev James Gorungot, Ev Julinah Saboh.
 - ◆ For their church ministries to function effectively.
 - ◆ For regular visits to kampungs.
- **Pray for our Parish - COGS BM WORSHIP SERVICE.**
 - ◆ Revd Timothy Jerry, the BM staff team and all BM Lay Readers & leaders.
 - ◆ For spiritual & numerical growth of the BM congregation.
 - ◆ For opportunities to reach the unreached and the needys.
 - ◆ For their ministries and care groups.

18 & 19/01/2020 Attendance /Comm		COGS Ministries Attendance			
Hakka 1 7.30pm	195 / 153	Children (BM)	60	Dis- covery Club	-
Hakka 2 7.00am	202 / 178	Children (Mawar)	32	B B (Jr & Snr)	-
Eng 9.30am	173 / 144	Children (Labuk- Chi)	102		
BM 9.30am	261 / 222	Children (Labuk - Eng)	-		
Mandarin 2.30pm	52 / 44	TOTAL	194	TOTAL	-
		BM Youth		Cell Group Attendance	
		Inspired Youth		Chi	-
		Impact Youth		Eng	-
		Tadika COGS	120	BM	-
TOTAL	883 / 741	TOTAL	120	TOTAL	-

Theme : **Jesus is _____!**

Text : **Ephesians 5.1-22; Mark 2.18-3.6**

From **Mark 2.1-3.6**, Jesus Christ demonstrated the reality of _____ (**Mark 1.15**). Jesus showed _____ through forgiveness of the paralytic man (**Mark 2.1-12**). _____ through His interaction among tax collectors and sinners (**Mark 2.13-17**). And in **Mark 2.18-3.6**, Jesus revealed that _____ over religious observations! Someone made a statement: **either Jesus is _____ or not at all!** It is easy _____ Jesus is Lord but may not be easy _____ Jesus as Lord! Practically speaking, _____ is applicable through the following observations:-

1. **Observation of _____! (Mark 2.18-22)**

2. **Observation of _____! (Mark 2.23-3.1-6)**

Reflection & Application:

1. What do you think of the statement: **either Jesus is Lord of all or not at all**? What does it mean to say Jesus is Lord over the life of COGS today? Is there any area we can express His sovereignty through the corporate worship?
2. In what way can Jesus' disciples express the Lordship of Jesus in our Government, our community, our business, our career, our schools, and our family?
3. Is any area in our personal life that is not completely yet surrender to Jesus? You can make this your personal prayer by asking Jesus to be Lord over it by letting Jesus changing from inside out.

Canon James Lee

Order of Service	EPIPHANY III (26/01/'20)	EPIPHANY IV (02/02/'20)
Introit Hymn	All Hail the Power of Jesus (HfTC 587)	Ancient of Days (HOP 15)
Greetings	Dr Thian, Cig Dining Siani	Steven Chung
Praise & Worship	Claudia & Maytreycia	Ang Pian Ming
Collect for Today		
Bible Reading	Ephesians 5: 1—21 Wong Siu Fong (Eng)	Acts 5: 12 - 42 Dr Arthur Chung
Nicene Creed		
Gospel Reading	Mark 2: 18 — 3: 6 Revd Albert Lintikan	Mark 3: 7 - 35 Jus Ng
Message	" Jesus is Lord of All " Canon James Lee	" Jesus' Followers " Canon James Lee
Response Hymn		
Intercession	—	Ng Kong Hin
Confession		
Offertory Hymn	The Lord's My Shepherd (HfTC 591)	Break Thou The Bread of Life (HOP 134)
<i>Holy Communion, Lord's Prayer, Thanksgiving, Blessing & Dismissal</i>		
Thanksgiving Hymn	Send the Light (HOP 324)	I am Resolved (HOP 405)
Serving One Another :		
Group Leader	EMMANUEL (Elizabeth Kho)	LOGOS 1 (Dr Arthur Chung)
Welcome Team	Mr & Mrs William Chow & BM team	Dr & Mrs Arthur Chung Eddie Wong, Angela Hon
Sidesmen	Ngo Su Hian Wong Siu Fong & BM Team	Henley Liew, Angela Hon Ngo Su Hian, Hee Pui Lee
Server	Foo Chee Hiong	Terry Chan
Prayer Ministry	Monica Ho Lue Fui Hua	Steven Chung Stephanie Chin
Offertory Count	Alice Chang (C) Loh Leong Len Mr & Mrs Ho Sui Loon Mr & Mrs Chin Nyuk Fatt	Ngu Ngok Yoon (C) Dorothy Yong, Eng Li Fah Wong Siu Fong Margaret Ho, Hee Pui Lee
Washing up	Monica Ho Lue Fui Hua	Chin Yen Lee Ku Mu Jin

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