

"Our Vision is to be a House of Healing to the Nations,  
Reflecting the Glory of God, Full of Grace and Truth."

### COLLECT FOR THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

**Almighty God, whose Son revealed in signs and miracles the wonder of your saving presence: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your mighty power; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.**

## Article: When You Need Hope for Your Day

### Read: Psalm 121:1-8

Thankful for a dear friend, who texted me this Scripture this morning, with the reminder to "look up."

Because when we just keep looking all around, we can easily get defeated.

Drained. Impatient. Or cynical.

We might start to worry. Fear creeps in. We lose our focus because we're so distracted on all the things that can never really give us strength and hope anyway.

Choosing today, to set my eyes on God. For if He made all of heaven and earth, surely He has a Sovereign, incredible plan, for you and for me. He knows our way in this journey of life, and He's a "with us" God.

#### **5 Truths from Psalm 121 that Give Us Hope for Today:**

*"My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth." v. 2*

He's All-powerful. God is a mountain mover and Creator of heaven and earth. He's with us, always. He breathes help and strength into our souls, into our day.

*"He will not allow your foot to slip; He who keeps you will not slumber." v. 3*

He won't allow us to fall. We may find ourselves on slippery slopes, or the path we're walking seems to be full of potholes and obstacles. But the God who knows all, knows our way. And even when we stumble, as our eyes are fixed on Him, He will keep our footsteps firm. For He watches over us and never sleeps or slumbers.

*"The Lord is your keeper; the Lord is your shade on your right hand." v. 5*

He keeps us, safe, in His care. He protects us like the shade protects from the heat of the day. Why the "right hand?" Because it is known as the hand that works, so we can be assured that whatever He's given us to do in this life, His covering of protection rests over all of our work and efforts.

*"The Lord will protect you from all evil; He will keep your soul." v. 7*

He protects us from "all evil," not some, but "all." It does not have the final say over our lives. Fear of death, disease, and hardship has lost its sting, for our lives are hidden with Christ in God. No matter who or what we're rubbing shoulders with each day, God's power is greater than whatever darkness we might face. For He is the soul-keeper and He holds all of our tomorrows.

*"The Lord will guard your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forever." v. 8* He watches over us, constantly, His eyes are towards us. He cannot look away from those He loves. He watches our coming and our going, and all in between. He watches over our family and children, even when we cannot see. We do not have to worry, for He strongly supports those whose hearts are His.

*"For the eyes of the LORD move to and fro throughout the earth that He may strongly support those whose heart is completely His." 2 Chronicles 16:9*

He is our Hope.

[Abstract of devotion taken from <https://www.crosswalk.com/blogs/debbie-mcdaniel/when-lifes-draining-you-dry-look-up-hope-from-psalm-121.html>]

## Upcoming Sermons | 2022 Theme: By My Spirit, Says The Lord (Zechariah 4:6)

Date	Sermon topic		Speaker
30 Jan	Stay Woke This Year	Romans 12:1-2 Philippians 4:4-8	Mr Joshua Goh
06 Feb	Sealed With The Spirit	Ephesians 1:13-14 Luke 3:15-17	Revd Daniel Tong
13 Feb	Walk By The Spirit	Galatians 5:16-26	Ms Lydia Wee
20 Feb	Praying With The Spirit	Romans 8:26-28	Revd Daniel Tong

## Prayer and Praise 2022

Date	Topic and Text	Speaker
28 Jan	The Sun Stood Still, And The Moon Stopped	Ps Raymond Sim

### Pray for the World

Lord, we lift up our Anglican brethren worldwide into Your hands, particularly those in jurisdictions taking major liberties in the interpretation and application of Your word, resulting in worldly ideas entering in to corrupt and cause much dissension within our worldwide Communion. We plead, Holy Spirit, for Your conviction of sin, righteousness and judgement to fall upon the perpetrators of this corruption, especially those with authority and responsibility over the care of Your people. Convict and draw them to repentance, Lord, and grant courage to Your faithful children in these jurisdictions to stand firm in the proclamation of Your truth.

### Pray for Singapore

Lord, thank you for continuing to watch over and guide our Diocese through this pandemic, helping us cope with the restrictions and providing for us the platform and finances to continue serving You. Rather than bemoaning the times, help our Diocese make good and full use of this time to put in place that which will result in the ongoing growth and development of Your kingdom here on earth; and may the parishes of our Diocese be graciously part of this advance. Grant our Bishop, senior clergy and Standing Committee insight into the matters needing attention, along with wisdom and unity to address these matters.

### Pray for SACC

Lord, guide our Parish as we enter this New Year to step out in faith and press forward with Your work. Holy Spirit, inspire and encourage us, and grant us Your anointing to manifest Your Fruit and Gifts in our daily lives and service, to the glory and honour of Your name!

As we step into this New Year:

1. We pray for a greater sensitivity to Your leading, awareness of the gifts and talents You have given us, and the faith and courage to exercise these blessings in honour of You and to bless others.
2. We pray for the development and growth of our various cell groups and ministries, both in knowledge of Your word and ways, obedience to Your call and work, and the raising of new leaders and ministers.
3. We pray for our respective families, for loved ones who have not yet turned to You as their Lord to do so, and for all to growth and mature in our relationship with You.
4. We pray to bring before You our respective lives in the marketplace or school, that we may daily live out Your truth in these communities, and be true ambassadors of Your gospel to our neighbours.
5. We pray Holy Spirit that You would fall afresh upon us individually and as a Parish this New Year, to empower and release us more into Your Fruit, Gifts, and Service.

### A Prayer Request, Feedback, or Query

Have you a prayer request? Some feedback to share?

Queries with regard to our church, how you may serve, or about life?

Write to [bridget\\_tan@sacc.org.sg](mailto:bridget_tan@sacc.org.sg) and we will link you with the best person who may help.



# Announcements and Upcoming Events

## Important Links to Note:

**Check It Out! Our new website is live!**

[www.sacc.org.sg](http://www.sacc.org.sg)

Our SACC website doesn't just have a brand-new look. We also added a tap where you'll find weekly bulletin, live sermons and sign up for upcoming events, programmes & classes.

**Sunday Service Registration (Further Instructions on Page 6)**

To attend our physical on-site services, please register at:

<https://sacc-dos.eventbrite.sg>

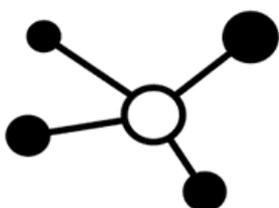
**Sunday Service Live Stream**

Our services are live streamed concurrently on YouTube on Sundays at 11am. You may access the videos from our YouTube page, at the link: <https://tinyurl.com/SACCYoutube>

Please note that the live streamed video will be available after the live stream for a limited time only.

## Usher Duty

- 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday - 1 John 14:19 / Grace @228
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday - Marl & Agnes / Fuel+
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday - 1 King 8:57 / Oasis / United Nation
- 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday - 5 Loaves & 2 Fish / Beacon



### **SACC Cell Life – Be Part of it**

In our cell groups we fellowship, support each other, and serve the community alongside one another. We welcome you to share and be part of these groups situated in Simei, Tampines and Bedok. Contact us today at [admin\\_info@sacc.org.sg](mailto:admin_info@sacc.org.sg) and let's explore together the best for you!



Speaker : Mr Philip Ong

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Title : Confronting Challenges Ahead

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Scripture : Psalm 121:1-8

## Introduction

## Conclusion

## Sunday Service Registration through Eventbrite:

From 2 January 2022:

All Sunday Services will welcome 100 vaccinated\* worshippers  
except 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday will welcome 50 worshippers cater for youths and non-vaccinated.

<https://sacc-dos.eventbrite.sg>

**Registration will close on Saturday, 3pm or upon capacity reached.**

Steps to register either by mobile:

- 1) Download the Eventbrite App in our mobile and bookmark the above link
- 2) Select Date
- 3) Click 'Tickets'
- 4) Click on the Zone to select the number of required Tickets
- 5) Click 'Register'
- 6) Fill in the required information
- 7) Click 'Register'
- 8) A 'Thank You' message will appear informing you a ticket has been sent to you

Feel free to contact the church office if you need help.

**Please note:**

**You have to be fully vaccinated to attend our Physical On-Site Service.**

**\*Vaccinated means:**

- Completed the two (2) doses plus 14 days after the 2<sup>nd</sup> dose.
- Or have completed 3<sup>rd</sup> Booster shot within 270 days of your last dose.
- For people who are medically exempted will have to produce a medical letter.

## Tithes and Offertory

Members are encouraged to remember our Lord and His house, and continue to tithe. You may do so remotely by scanning the following QR Codes:

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SACC (English)</b> T08CC4074CEC1</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">DBS 029-900919-2</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SACC</b> <b>Cambodia Mission Fund</b> T08CC4074CCMF</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">DBS106-900039-4</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SACC Growth Fund</b> T08CC4074CGF2</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">DBS 106-900038-6</p>
<p><b>Remember to indicate your tithe number / purpose of transfer.</b></p>		

# Transferring of Tithe/Offering via DBS/POSB banking platform

## 1) digibank Mobile

- Log in to digibank Mobile with your **Touch / Face ID** or **digibank User ID & PIN**.
- Tap **Pay & Transfer** and select **Local**.
- Select the **Recipient** you wish to transfer to: *(For Recipient's list refer to Add a Recipient)*
  - o SACC English Congregation 029-900919-2
  - o SACC Cambodia Mission Fund 106-900039-4
  - o SACC Growth Fund 106-900038-6
- Select the **Fund Source** you wish to transfer from (e.g. saving account) and enter the **Amount** you wish to transfer
- Enter your tithe number in '**Reference**'
- Tap **Next** to review the details, and tap **Transfer Now** to complete the transfer.

## 2) Via Paynow

- Select 'PAYNOW' in your banking app
- Bank will send you a 6 digits OTP
- Key in the UEN T08CC4074CEC1 / T08CC4074CCMF / T08CC4074CGF2
- Key in the amount to be transferred.
- Key in your Tithe number in the 'Reference' space
- Click 'Transfer'
- Bank will send a text message to you that the amount has been transferred.
- You can send this message to church office.

## 3) DBS/POSB ATM

- Insert your ATM/Debit Card and key in your PIN.
- Press Button for **More Services**.
- Press Button for "Funds Transfer/Fixed Deposit".
- Select the Account Type to Debit (your own bank account)
- Select the saving account type and number to Credit
  - o SACC (English) 029-900919-2
  - o SACC Cambodia Mission Fund 106-900039-4
  - o SACC Growth Fund 106-900038-6
- Enter the amount.
- Verify the **Details of the Transaction** and press **Confirm**.
- Key in your tithe number under reference/bill or send a text to the church office of the transaction: Date of transfer; tithe & amount

## 4) digibank Online

- Open ibanking portal, login with your **User ID** and **PIN**.
- Select **Transfer** and click **Other DBS or POSB Account**.
- Log in with your **6-Digit iB Secure PIN**.
- Choose the **Recipient** you wish to transfer your money to.
- Select the **Account** you wish to transfer from.
- Select the **Currency** and indicate the **Amount** you wish to transfer.
- Click **Next**.
- To transfer to a particular payee, you will need to have him/her in your recipient's list.

### **Adding a recipient to your list.**

- Open the ibanking portal, login with your **User ID** and **PIN**.
- Select **Transfer** and click **Add New DBS or POSB Recipient** and complete the **Authentication Process**.
- Indicate the **Recipient's name** and **Account number**, click **Next**.
- Verify the **Details of the Transaction** and follow the **2-Factor Authentication Instructions**.
- Click **Submit** to complete the request.

Digibank Online allows you to set a monthly transfer on desired date.  
Follow the instruction in the '**More Services**' button.

### **Transfer from Other banks.**

**Please check with your bank website portal.**