

St. Patrick's Church, Tawau

Since 1917

19 April 2026

To build a strong Cell Church that is Christ-centered, committed to transforming lives, equipping the saved, evangelizing the lost, and fulfilling God's mission.

YEAR OF  
**AWAKENING**  
苏醒 KEBANGUNAN

#### Diocesan Bishop

The Rt. Rev. Datuk Melter Jiki Tais

#### Suffragan Bishops

- **Area Diocese of Sabah East**  
- The Rt. Rev. Dt. Melter Jiki Tais
- **Area Diocese of Sabah West**  
- The Rt. Rev. Kenneth Thien
- **Area Diocese of Sabah South**  
- The Rt. Rev. John Yeo

#### Rector

The Rt. Rev. John Yeo

#### Assistant Rector

Rev. Ho Kee Chung

#### Priest / Pastor

Rev. Fredoline Babiah  
Rev. Robert Chin Yun Chong (NS)  
Rev. Dr. Moses Afful (NS)  
Ps. Teh Chong Lay (NS)

#### Eng Zone: Rev. Nelson Tai

- Adult: Rev. Richard Tai
- Young Adult: Rev. Richard Tai
- Youth: Rev. Nelson Tai
- Children: Doris Chin

#### Chi Zone: Rev. Ho Kee Chung

- Adult: Rev. Ho Kee Chung
- Young Adult: Alan Chung
- Youth: Yvonne Lee
- Children: Chan Mei Yong
- Senior Citizen: Kok Feh Ken

#### BM Zone

- St. Patrick's Church: Rev. Anzen
- Apas Mile 5: Rev. Majelus Majar
- Adult: Rev. Anzen Daud
- Young Adult: Danny Daniel
- Youth: Jackson Samuel
- Children: Meros Majar

#### Support Ministries

- Love & Care: Alex Wong
- Counseling: Ps. Lim Bun Hui
- Prayer: Chu Sui Fun
- Sound: Jackson Samuel
- Worship: Esther Hoo
- Resource Centre: Jeanie Hiew

#### Administrative Office

- Rector's PA: Annie Chiew
- Administration: Margaret Khong
- Maintenance: Rommel Lumantas
- Transport: Rommel Lumantas
- Cleanliness: Margaret Khong

#### Mission Churches

- **Tarakan & Korpri**  
- Rev. Jakobus Chong  
- Rev. Roy Nol Simon
- **Nunukan**  
- Rev. Martin Ataring  
- Rev. Alex Nenotek
- **Seimenggaris, Sebakis**  
- Rev. Ferdenan Atonis  
- Ps. Christinah Simon



**Rector writes...**

## Sing to the Lord

*Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit, speaking to one another with psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit. Sing and make music from your heart to the Lord, always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. (Eph 5:18-20)*

Singing in church is not just an act of worship; it is also a powerful expression of our faith and unity as a community. When we lift our voices together, we reflect the joy and gratitude that fills our hearts. This passage from Ephesians reminds us that singing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs are ways of glorifying God in thanksgiving and encouraging one another in the Body of Christ.

We warmly welcome Archdeacon Moses and Mrs Lorraine Chin together with Kota Kinabalu Anglican Churches Choir in our midst this weekend. We are grateful for their visit and encouragement in leading us to worship the Lord together. We are indeed blessed by their ministry through hymns and songs, and I trust that our small SPC choir members are equally blessed by their commitment and example.

Let us continue to encourage one another to sing, making music from our hearts to the Lord, and offering Him the praise and thanksgiving He truly deserves, as Hebrews 13:15 exhorts us - *Through Jesus, therefore, let us continually offer to God a sacrifice of praise — the fruit of lips that openly profess his name.*

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# PARISH NEWS

## WELCOME

We warmly welcome  
Archdeacon Moses Chin and  
Choir from KK Churches  
in our midst.

Archdeacon Moses Chin will  
be sharing the Word of God.

## ENGLISH ADULT & YOUNG ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASS

20 April ~ 22 June 2026  
(Mondays, 10-week course)  
7:30pm

Venue to be announced

**Registration closes: 19 April (Sunday)**

*\*Note: Schedule is subject to change  
if necessary*

For more information, kindly contact  
Rev. Richard Tai (018-951 0915)

## MISSION TRIP

Brothers and sisters who are interested  
in joining the mission, please pick up a  
registration form at the exit. We will  
record the number of participants on  
Monday, May 11, and further training  
will begin soon after.

For any inquiries, please contact:  
Eng: Doris Chin - 013-888 0995  
Chi : Alan Chung - 012-813 3000  
BM : Lareus Loko - 016-879 3501

## ADOS SOUTH CHI & ENG YOUTH CAMP 2026

*Parakletos*  
**25-28 May 2026**  
**St. Patrick's Church**

### Registration Fee

Early Bird: RM135 (Ends 03 May)  
Normal Price: RM150

**Closing date: 17 May (Sunday)**

### Pray for the Speakers

- Ask God to anoint speakers  
(Rev. Nelson Tai Zun Bin, Rev. Sim Ka Seng, Rev. Richard Tai Shaw Jiun, Dr. Priscilla Perinbam A/P Peter Naina, Dr. Kyi Kyi Thwe, Alan Chung Tat Seng)
- Ask God to give spiritual authority, so the message carries power, touches hearts, and meets the needs of the youth
- Pray for their physical, emotional, and spiritual health, and that they are well prepared

**“Pray also for me, that whenever I speak, words may be given me so that I will fearlessly make known the mystery of the gospel.”** (Eph 6:19, NIV)

If you are able to support the camp in any way - such as through financial contributions or by volunteering your time and skills - please contact Rev. Nelson Tai.



**VISION PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
**PARENT BRIEFING AND Q&A**  
**YEAR 1 (2027)**

The Year 1 Parent Briefing & School Readiness Session is postponed.  
 New date to be announced.  
 Thank you for your understanding.

**VISION SECONDARY SCHOOL**  
**“STEP UP” DAY CAMP**

**16 May 2026 (Saturday)**  
**7:30am - 4:00pm**

**Vision School, Bandar Sri Indah**  
**11-12 years old students**

**Scan & Register:**

- RM35 (Early bird)
- RM50 (After 20 April)



**Closing Date: 01 May 2026 (Friday)**

**Bishop John Yeo Outstation**

19 April 2026 (Sunday)

St. Augustine’s Church, Merotai  
 Confirmation Service

*Kindly remember him in your prayer.*

**PRAY FOR THE WORLD**

- We pray that the Lord would grant insight and wisdom to the government, stabilize resources supply, and guide the nation in justice, peace and order
- We pray that the Lord would provide for the people, grant wisdom in stewardship, and preserve social stability and family well-being

**2026 CELL GROUP STATISTICS**

ZONE	No. of Cells	Feb	Mar
		Attn.	Attn.
<b>English Zone</b>			
Adult	14	57	72
Young Adult	2	5	14
Youth	7	67	52
Children	7	37	35
<b>Chinese Zone</b>			
Adult	44	-	419
Young Adult	4	-	15
Youth	5	28	23
Children	10	56	49
Senior Citizens	8	86	84
<b>BM Zone</b>			
Adult	49	339	361
Young Adult	9	55	52
Youth	26	152	184
Children	19	96	96
<b>Outreach Center - Apas Mile 5</b>			
Adult	18	110	137
Youth & Young Adult	17	102	111
Children	16	50	70
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>1,240</b>	<b>1,774</b>

**TITHES & OFFERINGS**

Online Banking Transfer:  
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# **‘O Rejoice in the Lord’ - Jubilate Deo**

## **Psalm 100**

### **Introduction**

Using the Psalms for worship

### **1. A Call to Universal Praise and Joyful Praise**

### **2. God is Great**

### **3. God is Good**

### **Conclusion**

Worship is a response to who God is and what He has done. Be joyful and grateful.