



### CANTEEN

Come to the Canteen and have a sumptuous breakfast after the 7.15am and 9.15am masses.

This weekend: **BEDOK SOUTH NCC GROUP**

Next weekend: **CHILDREN'S LITURGY GROUP**

### WORLD COMMUNICATIONS SUNDAY

**ALL** collections taken on the weekend of **Saturday, 16th and Sunday 17th May** will be for our Archdiocese Mass Media Apostolate.

### DIVINE MERCY



The Divine Mercy Family Prayer Night will be held on **Friday, 22nd May @ 7.15pm**. Venue: **Adoration Room**.

### BIBLE SYMPOSIUM 2015

The Archdiocesan Biblical Apostolate Team will be visiting our Parish this **Sunday, 17th May** to promote **BIBLE SYMPOSIUM 2015**, the first ever archdiocesan event to celebrate Bible Sunday. They will be distributing registration forms and selling items to help defray costs. Please extend your support to them.

### ROSARY DEVOTION

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### BEDOK SOUTH NCC

We warmly welcome everyone, especially those who have recently moved into the neighbourhood, for their May Rosary Devotion on **Monday, 18th May at 7.30pm** in the home of Mdm. Yvonne Lim, 158 Everitt Road, S428688. For further enquiries, please contact Margret at 91599646.

Let us pray the Rosary together as a community this **Saturday, 23rd May at 8:15pm** in the home of Cecilia @ Block 70 Bedok South Road #07-274. All are welcome!

### PENTECOST! BIRTHDAY OF THE CHURCH! PENTECOST PARTY!

Liturgy of the Word with Children is organizing a Pentecost party for parents, children and families on **Sunday, 24th May from 2:15pm to 4:30pm** in the **RCIA room (Priest House)**. Registration at 2:00pm. Let us all get together for this potluck Pentecost party! RSVP by 20th May to Jac (97507136) / Connie (90012773).

### CONFIRMATION MASS 2015

The Confirmation Mass will be held this **Sunday, 17th May** at the **11:30am Mass** in the Church of the Holy Family. His Grace, Archbishop William Goh will be the main celebrant. Please pray for our teens who will soon be sealed with the Holy Spirit, that they may continue a life in Jesus Christ as true witnesses to the Gospel. All are welcome to witness this beautiful event.



### CHARITIES WEEK 2015 (A FINAL REMINDER)

Once again appeal to your generosity towards this year's Charities Week. The appeal envelopes are still available at the entrances of the Church and in the Parish Office. You can mail your donation directly to Caritas Singapore (**for cheques only**) or drop them at the Parish Office. For walk-in donations to the Caritas Singapore office, please visit us at 55 Waterloo Street #08-01, Catholic Centre, Singapore 187954. Your contribution will make a difference in the lives of those in need.

For more information, please contact us at **6338 3448** or visit our website at [www.caritas-singapore.org](http://www.caritas-singapore.org).

### PENTECOST TRIDUUM 2015 - REMINDER

The Pentecost Triduum will be held on **Wednesday, 20th May to Friday, 22nd May**, with Praise & Worship / Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Mass, 7:45pm to 9:45pm each night. Rev. Fr. Lionel Thomas will be the Main Celebrant.



The theme is **"Growing in Faith Together"**.

Topics for each night are:

<u>DAY/DATE</u>	<u>TOPIC</u>
Wednesday, 20th May	To Grow In My Faith
Thursday, 21st May	To Love My Family
Friday, 22nd May	To Worship & Witness In My Community

**Please note that the evening mass at 6:15pm for 20th to 22nd May will be cancelled.**

**All are warmly invited!**

**SG50 MASS  
THE 2 INTENTIONS  
ASSIGNED TO  
OUR PARISH ARE  
“JOY & FAITHFULNESS”**

To commemorate our Nation’s 50th birthday, a Thanksgiving Mass will be celebrated in the Singapore Indoor Stadium on **Saturday, 4th July at 2:00pm**. There will be a pre-Mass and post-Mass segment during which the role of the Catholic Church in Singapore will be highlighted through a multimedia-and-stage production. The segment before the Mass will trace the early beginnings of the local Church and the second segment will showcase the future of the Church. Tickets for the SG50 Mass will be sent to all parishes **from June 1**. Parishioners who are keen to attend the Mass are advised to **REGISTER with the Parish Office** on a first-come-first-served basis. Number of tickets allotted to each parish is based on a uniform percentage calculated against the population size of the parish.

**TALK ON  
MENTAL  
HEALTH**

**MAY 23 - Mental Awareness Day - 10.00am to 1.00pm**. Discovery journey of mental health: talks on managing depression and other mental illness, education about stigma, recovery story of someone who has battled mental illness. Refreshments provided. Fee: \$10. At Auditorium, Khoo Teck Puat Hospital, 90 Yishun Central. Organised by Clarity and KTPH THRIVE. Register T: 6757 7990 / 9710 3733; E: [registration@clarity-singapore.org](mailto:registration@clarity-singapore.org)

**FAMILY LIFE  
MINISTRY (FLM) TALK  
“Building Bonds  
that last”**

FLM will be organising a talk by Jaquelin Danker, from Family Life Society on **Friday, 3rd July at 7:00pm** on the 4th Floor, Function Hall. The talk aims to enable parents and guardians to build stronger relationships with their children especially teenagers. Pick up a flyer from the information poster, fill it out, drop it off at the Church Secretariat office or simply take a snap shot of your application form and send it to the following email: [“flmhollyfam@gmail.com”](mailto:flmhollyfam@gmail.com)  
Closing date: **21st June 2015**.



**CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY**

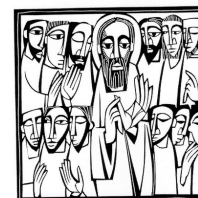
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**Mass Times**  
Weekdays:  
6.15 am (Mondays to Saturdays)  
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8.30 am (Public Holidays)  
Saturday Sunset Masses:  
6.00 pm (English) 8.00 pm (Mandarin)  
Sunday Masses:  
7.15, 9.15 & 11.30 am & 6.00 pm  
(Confession 15 min. before weekend masses)  
Novena: 5.00 pm Saturday

*Adoration Room* Mon– Sat 7am to 10 pm , Sun / Public Holidays: 7am to 8.30pm  
*Columbarium* Mon-Sat: 9.30am to 6pm - Sunday: 8.30am to 6pm  
9.00am to 12.00pm - Public Holidays  
*Infant Baptism (monthly)* Preparation last Sunday at 3pm; Baptism 1st Sunday at 4pm  
*Liturgy of the Word for Children* Every Saturday, 6pm Mass or Every Sunday, 11.30am Mass  
*Elders Catechism (Dialect)* Every Thursday, 1pm to 3pm @ Meeting Room, Priest House  
*Meditation Classes* Tuesdays/Thursday 8pm : Wednesdays 7.30pm  
*Weddings* Apply at Parish Office at least 6 months in advance

**7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
**World Communications Day**  
May 17, 2015 – Year B  
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**GOD’S CHOICE**

The Trinity chooses us because God loves us even more than we love each other. Peter and the rest left it to God to choose Matthias to replace Judas. Like Joseph and Matthias, we have known about Christ Jesus from “the time John was baptizing until the day he was taken up from us.” We have become witnesses to the resurrection. This is what we celebrate together, and this is the content of the Gospel of Mark, which we read this year. We know all this and are ready to share the Spirit that breathes life. God will choose each of us according to the divine plan. Although Joseph wasn’t chosen to join the Twelve, he got a different call.

**Sunday Missal Readings for next weekend - 24 May**  
Acts 2:1-11 Gal 5:16-25 Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15