

CANTEEN



Come to the Canteen and have a sumptuous breakfast after the 7.15am and 9.15am masses.
This weekend: **THE 'A TEAM'**.
Next weekend: It will be **THE 'A TEAM'** again.



DIVINE MERCY

The Divine Mercy Family Prayer Night will be held on **Friday, 11th December @ 7.15pm**.
Venue: Adoration Room.

2ND COLLECTION



There will be a **2nd Collection** this weekend for the Society of St Vincent de Paul, to support the poor and needy families. Cheques should be made payable to:
"Society of St Vincent De Paul Holy Family Conference"

EAST COAST DISTRICT PENITENTIAL SERVICES

DAY/DATE	CHURCH	TIME(S)
Friday, 11 Dec	OLPS	10.30am & 8.00pm
Monday, 14 Dec	Divine Mercy	8.00pm
Tuesday, 15 Dec	Queen of Peace	8.00pm
Wednesday, 16 Dec	Holy Trinity	10.30am & 8.00pm
Thursday, 17 Dec	St Stephen	8.00pm
Friday, 18 Dec	Holy Family	10.30am & 8.00pm

WELCOME NEW YEAR WITH JESUS & THE COMMUNITY OF HOLY FAMILY

We would like to invite all of you, our dear parishioners, to come together on **31st December 2015 as A PARISH FAMILY** to give thanks to Abba Father for His countless blessings on us for the year 2015 and to lead us into the New Year 2016.

This is our first time having such an event in our parish. Your presence is so precious to us. Bring your family and friends, regardless of age, to come and experience the joy and love in this community of the church of Holy Family.
Date: 31 Dec 2015 Time: 10 pm onwards
Program for the night: 10:00pm: Paraliturgy
10:30pm: Mass
11.30pm: Countdown and fellowship.

CATECHISM CLASSES 2016

Please note that catechism classes for ALL levels will commence on the weekend of **16th and 17th January 2016**.

NCC ADVENT REFLECTION SESSIONS FOR 3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

NCC	DATE	TIME	HOME OF	ADDRESS	CONTACT	MOBILE/HOME TEL
Bedok South	Fri. 11 Dec	8:00pm	Lily & Clarise	Blk 170 Bedok Sth Rd #10-356	Cheryl	97473634
COSE	Wed. 9 Dec	8:00pm	Agnes & Cecilia Ee	43 Jln Buloh Perindu	Agnes/Cecilia	62412663
Elliot	Mon. 7 Dec	7:30pm	Anita & Angela	10A Palm Drive	Angela	90176971
Joo Chiat	Wed. 9 Dec	7:30pm	Vincent & Margret Cross	39H Lorong Stangee	Margret	63420015
KERL	Tue. 8 Dec	8:00pm	Margie & Andrew Leong	42 Jln Limau Manis	Margie Carlos	91860772 96704123
Laguna Park/Lagoon View	Wed. 9 Dec	8:00pm	Edward Tan	Blk J Lagoon View #20-43	Edward	98620011
Marine Crescent	Tue. 8 Dec	8:00pm	Bernardine Wong	Blk 45 #09-32	Cecilia	93806372
Marine Drive	Tue. 8 Dec	8:00pm	Agnes Fernandez	Blk 73 #02-53	Ronnie	98264007
Marine Terrace	Thu. 10 Dec	8:30pm	Albert & Grace	Blk 55 #14-17	Albert Grace	97128320 64431704
Neptune Court	Tue. 8 Dec	4:00pm	Lucy Lim	Blk 5 Neptune Court. #10-51	Lucy	62410556
Sennett/Lucky Heights	Mon. 14 Dec	8:15pm	James & Pady	29 Lucky Gardens	Raymond	96160306
Telok Kurau	Thu. 10 Dec	8:00pm	Rosalind & Herbert	19 Jln Baiduri	Rosalind	96313001

HOLY FAMILY INTERCESSORY GROUP

The Holy Family Intercessory Prayer Group will be having the one hour **(8:00pm-9:00pm)** intercessory prayer session on **10th December (4th Thursday) @ AVA Room #02-01 Sea Avenue**.

All are welcome to join us with worship and prayer in songs/hymns and lifting prayer intentions/petitions for the nation, church, community, family, friends and personal needs. For those who are interested in knowing more or would also need prayer requests, feel free to contact **Ivy Lee @ Tel: 96949422**.



**Fund-raising for
Canossian Sisters'
Missions**

A Public Forum for Expectant Parents organised by Joyful Parenting on **Saturday, 9th January 2016** at NTUC Centre. Register via SMS on **9271 3335**. Goodie bags worth more than \$50 for expectant moms! Check the poster for details.

"Musings", a colouring book inspired by stained glass will be sold on **Saturday 12th and Sunday 13th December 2015**. This book includes quotes for reflection and evangelization, suitable for adults, youth and children, particularly for the upcoming Christmas season. Net proceeds will go to the Canossian Sisters' missions.

**OUR LADY
OF
GUADALUPE
FEAST DAY**

Feast-day of Our Lady of Guadalupe **12th December 2015**

- 1) Prayer Pilgrimage for the Unborn **1.30pm-5.00pm**.
- 2) Prolife Rosary, Feast-day Mass and Celebration **5.30pm-8.00pm**.

For both events, meet at Agape Village (7A Lorong 8 Toa Payoh, Singapore 319264). For more info and to register, go to <http://tinyurl.com/unborn2015>.

SMS Andy @ **93801581** for enquiries.

**WORLDWIDE MARIAGE
ENCOUNTER
SINGAPORE
presents**



A Worldwide Forum on Marriage 2016 will be held on **Saturday, 16th January 2016** at the **CJC Performing Arts Centre, 129 Whitley Road S297822** from **8:30am to 7:30pm (includes Sunset Mass)**. All meals will be provided. Keynote speaker/Mass celebrant: Rev. Msgr. Ambrose Vaz, Vicar General, with sharing from WWME Continent Leaders.

Theme: **Challenges to Marriage and family life around the world today and our response to them.**

\$25 ticket purchase at Wfm2016.eventbrite.sg by **15th December 2015**. For enquiries, email: wwwmesgforum@yahoo.com.sg



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Mass Times

Weekdays:
6.15 am (Mondays to Saturdays)
6.15 pm (Mondays to Fridays)
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 30 minutes before weekend masses)
Novena: 5.00 pm Saturday

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

Second Sunday in Advent

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THE DAY OF CHRIST

The Prophet Baruch urges god's people to stop mourning, and to rejoice that they are "remembered by God." This in the midst of exile, after the fall of Jerusalem! Why? Because the prophet foresees an end to their captivity. This Advent, in the midst of a broken and sinful world, the Church also calls us to rejoice. Why? Because in Jesus "the Lord has done great things for us," freeing us from our captivity to sin. Let us prepare a place for him in our lives and hearts, that we may be pure and blameless on the day of Christ.

Sunday Missal Readings for next weekend - 13 Dec

Zep 3:14-18 Phil 4:4-7 Lk 3:10-18