

CANTEEN**EAST COAST
DISTRICT
PENITENTIAL
SERVICES****CHURCH OF THE
HOLY FAMILY
CHRISTMAS
schedules****WELCOMING
NEW YEAR WITH
JESUS, MARY
& THE
COMMUNITY OF
HOLY FAMILY**

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

Please note that the canteen will be **CLOSED for the Christmas & New Year Holidays from 20 December 2015** and will resume its operations from **10th January 2016**.

DAY/DATE	CHURCH	TIME(S)
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

CHRISTMAS EVE—Thursday, 24th December

9:00 pm / 12:00 Midnight Christmas Mass.

CHRISTMAS DAY (Day Of Obligation)**Friday, 25th December**

9:15 am & 11:30 am; 6:00 pm (Mandarin)

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

Saturday, 26th December—Mass @ 6.00pm (E);
8:00pm (Mandarin).

Sunday, 27th December—7.15am; 9.15am & 11.30am & 6.00pm

The 11.30am Mass will be celebrated by our Archbishop

William Goh.

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: 31st December 2015 Time: 10.00pm onwards.

PROGRAM FOR THE NIGHT

10:00pm: Paraliturgiy 10:30pm: Mass

11.30pm: Countdown and fellowship.

**NCC ADVENT REFLECTION SESSIONS FOR 4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

NCC	DATE	TIME	HOME OF	ADDRESS	CONTACT	MOBILE/ HOME TEL
Bedok South	Fri. 18 Dec	8:15pm	Lorinne	Blk 170 Bedok Sth Rd #08-350	Cheryl	97473634
COSE	Wed. 16 Dec	8:00pm	Ron & Rita Pereira	Blk M, #04-54 Lagoon view	Ron & Rita	64449907
Elliot	Mon. 14 Dec	7:30pm	Anita & Angela	10A Palm Drive	Angela	90176971
Joo Chiat	Wed. 16 Dec	7:30pm	Petrus & Jenny Tan	89 Marshall Rd #01-06 Marshall Lodge	Petrus	90303788
KERL	Thu. 17 Dec	8:00pm	Mrs Daisy Ng	49 Taman Bedok	Daisy Carlos	90884284 96704123
Laguna Park/ Lagoon View	Wed. 16 Dec	8:00pm	Edward Tan	Blk J Lagoon View #20-43	Edward	98620011
Marine Crescent	Tue. 15 Dec	8:00pm	Florence	Blk 27 #10-01	Cecilia	93806372
Marine Drive	Tue. 15 Dec	8:00pm	Agnes Fernandez	Blk 73 #02-53	Ronnie	98264007
Marine Terrace	Thu. 17 Dec	8:30pm	Albert & Grace Chitty	Blk 55 #14-17	Albert Grace	97128320 64431704
Neptune Court	Mon. 14 Dec	4:00pm	Philip & Lena Yap	Blk 3 Neptune Court. #20-63	Philip & Lena	64491021
Sennett/ Lucky Heights	Mon. 21 Dec	8:15pm	James & Pady Goh	29 Lucky Gardens	Raymond	96160306
Telok Kurau	Thu. 17 Dec	8:00pm	Jennifer Hoalim	82H Lor J Telok Kurau	Jennifer	96172559

**PARISH OFFICE & COLUMBARIUM
OPENING HOURS**

24 Dec 2015: 3pm to 9pm

25 Dec 2015: 8.30am to 2pm

31 Dec 2015: 8.30am to 2pm

1 Jan 2016: 9am to 12 noon

NEW YEAR'S DAY (FRIDAY, 1ST JANUARY 2016)**Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

Mass will be celebrated at **10.00am**. There will be **NO** Evening Mass.

**HOLY FAMILY
PARISH FEAST DAY
MASS
&
DINNER**

Our Parish Feast Day will be celebrated on **Sunday, 27th December 2015** and our theme this year is **'Family In Communion'**.

His Grace, Archbishop William Goh, will be celebrating mass at 11.30am. All are warmly welcome to attend the Eucharistic Celebration. Please do not miss out on this special moment.

Our Feast Day celebration continues with dinner on the same day at Rolands Restaurant at 7.00pm.

Response has been very good with only a few table left, so hurry and get your tickets to avoid disappointment.

Parishioners who want to secure tickets can contact **Gwendolyn Andres at HP No: 9731-5447**.

Payment by cheques should be made out to **'Church of the Holy Family'**

Our heartfelt thanks to those who have supported this event in one way or another. We look forward to seeing you at both events.

This is a one-year-long systematic course in Moral Theology. It is a course for all Catholics and non-Catholics interested in their formation in the foundations of Ethics and Moral Theology. It is also recommended for those involved in guiding and forming others and those involved in related work or ministry. The course will start on **6th January 2016** and it takes place on Wednesday nights, 7:30p.m. to 9:30p.m in Agape Village, 7A Lorong 8 Toa Payoh, Singapore 319264.

For more information and registration, go to: www.caritas-singapore.org OR email: formation@caritas-singapore.org

**Personal Moral
Compass
Course 2016
By Fr David Garcia, OP**



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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

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

Third Sunday of Advent

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SAVING CHILD

Today another prophet (Zephaniah) tells Israel to sing joyfully, for the Lord is in their midst. This "mighty savior," it turns out, is a helpless little child! Like ancient Israel, we have no more misfortune to fear, not because misfortune won't happen, but because the Christ child – already born and yet to come – gives us grace to move through it as through a baptism of fire, purifying us of fear and selfishness. Thus freed of all anxiety, we can share our cloaks and food, trusting in the Holy One among us who provides for all our needs.

Sunday Missal Readings for next weekend - 20 Dec

Mi 5:1-4

Heb 10:5-10

Lk 1:39-44