

CANTEEN

Come to the Canteen and have a sumptuous breakfast after the 7.15am and 9.15am Masses. This weekend: **FAMILY LIFE MINISTRY**. Next weekend: **SENNETT/LUCKY HEIGHTS NCC**.



CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

We invite all cancer patients and caregivers to join us for a "**prayer and fellowship**" session on **Mon, 3 Oct 2016 from 7.45 pm to 9.45 pm at the RCIA Room** (2nd floor Parish House). Kindly bring your Bible along. Do come and join us to experience the Lord's presence through this support group with "**Faith, Hope and Love**". For further information please contact Nicholas/Helen Chia (Hp: [96780595](tel:96780595) / 98389767)

ANNUAL MEDIA PARISH OUTREACH

The Daughters of St. Paul will be in our parish this weekend (**24th/25th Sept**) for their annual media parish outreach with a variety of media materials - Books, DVDS, CDS to help you nourish your spiritual life. As part of their fund-raising efforts for their new convent, the sisters will be promoting a cookbook titled "**Taste of Heaven**". Price: **\$25.00**.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Our Parish's 80th Anniversary is an appropriate time to set a course to move forward together in unity. Towards this end, based on the survey of the entire Parish, consideration of results by the Parish Pastoral Council and a sub-committee, and finally consideration by the Parish Assembly 2016, our self- determined and discerned Vision, Mission and Values have been finalized and adopted and our parish as a whole, ministries, organisations, groups and NCCs are called to move forward as one Holy Family utilising the following tenets: **Our Parish Vision:** To be a Loving and Caring Community of Faith Growing as One Holy Family. **Our Parish Mission:** To Strive to become Disciples and Missionaries of Christ Through Faith Formation, Prayer and Actions To Witness God's Love. **Our Parish Values:** Compassion, Humility, Service, Spirituality, Forgiveness, Respect. A Day of Recollection (DOR) will be held **on Sunday, 23 October 2016, 1.30pm to 4.30pm** in our church to set forth the mission of our Church. All parishioners are invited. More details of the DOR will be shared in due course.

Appeal for the Humanitarian Aid Fund

CHARIS is making its annual appeal for the Humanitarian Aid Fund to support overseas humanitarian work. Appeal flyers and envelopes are available in the **Parish office and the Church entrances**.



Alternatively, you can send a crossed cheque payable to "**Humanitarian Aid Fund**" with your name and contact information to: CHARIS, #07-02 Catholic Centre, 55 Waterloo Street, Singapore 187954. Please contact Sylvester Singh at **6337-4119** or info@charis-singapore.org for further information.

CHORAL RECITAL

In this Year of Mercy, current members, alumni and friends of **Genesis II Choir** have come together to help raise funds for Caritas Singapore via a choral recital. In conjunction with Church of the Holy Family's 80th Anniversary, this fundraiser is an opportunity to share beloved sacred choral music, a rich Catholic legacy, alongside contemporary songs, and the message behind the Year of Mercy. At \$15 a ticket, 100% of ticketing proceeds will benefit Caritas Singapore. **Cor Novum: A New Heart** : Date: **Sunday, 23rd October 2016**. Time: **8:00pm - 9:00pm** Venue: **Church of the Holy Family**. Please contact Nicole @ 94514392 / cornovum2016@gmail.com if you would like to purchase a ticket. Payment and further donations are made through the Cor Novum giving.sg page: tinyurl.com/givingsg. The official event page can be found at: tinyurl.com/cornovum



LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

" Let the little children come to me, and do not stop them." (Mathew [19:14](#)) We invite all children and families to celebrate Children's Day with our Blessed Mother and Jesus, our Lord, with a Rosary skits followed by Eucharistic Adoration, reception and fellowship. Our Most Holy Mother, in all her apparitions, has asked her children to pray the Rosary for peace and conversion and she always points us towards her Son before whom we adore in the Blessed Sacrament. Date : [Fri 7 Oct 2016, 7.30 to 9.30 pm](#) @ Main Church Holy Family As we will be preparing gifts for the children, please register your attendance with Helen @ [98389767](tel:98389767) / Connie @ [90012773](tel:90012773) or email us @ yeocon@gmail.com

**TWO DAY ONLY
POST FAMILY
CARNIVAL SALE!**

Limited edition of our Parish's 80th Anniversary souvenirs and gifts will be on sale next **Saturday, 24 Sept from 5pm to 7.30pm and Sunday, 25 Sept from 8.30am to 1pm** at the Church Main Foyer. Proceeds from the sale will go to the Parish. Please drop by and support for a good cause.

**HOME MASS @
Marine Crescent**

Date & Time : **Thursday 29 September, 8pm.**
Address : **Block 31 #07-145 Marine Crescent, Home of Peter & Indira.** Celebrant : Fr Donatien Davaine

**ROSARY
PRAYER**

Rosary Prayer for **September, 26th** will be at the home of Phyllis Peirera at **Block 7 # 07-244, Marine Terrace.**
Time : **8.30 pm.** All are Welcome

**OCTOBER
OLPS MASS
&
POTLUCK**

by St Raphael Singles - Venue : **OLPS Canteen (Siglap)**
Date: **Oct 2nd 2016 Sun.** Meeting Time : **10am (Canteen)**
Purpose: Fellowship, Friendship, Potluck & Mass Cost: Bring Some Food to Share with Others
FB: <https://www.facebook.com/StRaphaelSinglesSingapore>
Email StRaphaelSingles@gmail.com to confirm your participation.

**MARRIAGE
ENCOUNTER**

Consider the Special Gift of a Marriage Encounter Weekend. Marriage Encounter (ME) facilitates life-changing weekends for married couples. There are still slots for the next ME Weekend from Oct 7 (Friday) to Oct 9 (Sunday in English). For registration or enquiries, call Joseph & Reenie on **9670-5390**, e-mail mewkend@gmail.com or visit www.MEsingapore.org



**CANA
THE PLACE
TO BE**

FINDING GOD IN DANCE - Let dance be your prayer. Discover what moves you, and how to move together with God in a one-day dance workshop using Ignatian themes. Dancing skills not essential. Presented by Bro Nicholas Lye and Anthony Siow. **29 October, 9am-6pm at CANA The Catholic Centre. \$50 including lunch. Register at:**
canatheplacetobe2013@gmail.com or seek.anthony@gmail.com



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| <u>Mass Times</u> |
| <u>Weekdays:</u> |
| 6.15 am (Mondays to Saturdays) |
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| 8.30 am (Public Holidays) |
| <u>Saturday Sunset Masses:</u> |
| 6.00 pm (English) 8.00 pm (Mandarin) |
| <u>Sunday Masses:</u> |
| 7.15, 9.15 & 11.30 am & 6.00 pm |
| (Confession 30 minutes before weekend masses) |
| <u>Novena:</u> 5.00 pm Saturday |

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| <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> |

**26th Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

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GATE TO HEAVEN

The plight of Lazarus and the wealthy man of this world, Dives, is a favourite image of our ancestors in the faith. If it were not for Jesus, we would all be in the place of the rich man on the wrong side of the abyss in Hades. Jesus is the one risen from the dead, come to lead us by the ladder of his cross across that great gulf and into paradise. We have Moses, the prophets, and Jesus to help us to repent. Jesus is the way and the gate to heaven. Be warned. Repent, and follow him!

Sunday Missal Readings for next weekend - 2 Oct
Hb 1:2-3;2:2-4 2 Tim 1:6-8;13-14 Lk 17:5-10