

## CANTEEN



## PRIESTS' ANNUAL RETREAT

## MILESTONE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS 19th AUGUST 2017

## ALTAR SERVERS ANNUAL RECRUITMENT DRIVE



## WORKSHOP ON CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING By Fr David Garcia, OP

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

**This weekend: SSVP**

**Next weekend: THE 'A' TEAM**

The priests of the Archdiocese will be on their annual retreat from Monday 3rd to Friday 7th July 2017. Please note that during these days there will be Communion Services at 6.15am and 6.15pm. Please pray for us priests to have a meaningful and fruitful retreat.

Completed forms can be scanned and sent to our email address [mwaholyfam@gmail.com](mailto:mwaholyfam@gmail.com). The details are as follows:

Date/Day: 19<sup>th</sup> Aug 2017 (Saturday) Time: 10.00am

Venue: Church of the Holy Family

Theme: Together Forever

Closing date for all submissions is 30 Jul 2017.

Our Holy Family Altar Servers will be having their annual recruitment drive on the weekend of 1st and 2nd July at all masses.

Keen in serving God? Well now you can! Looking for boys aged 9 and above to join our family of Altar Servers. Training will be provided. Our yearly activities include Soccer Sunday, Annual Camps as well as outings. A booth will be set up at the main entrance of the Church to accept applications for boys willing to serve our Church. For more information, please contact

**Justin Seow @ 96391811 or email [hfcalterservers@gmail.com](mailto:hfcalterservers@gmail.com)**

What does it mean to live out our faith today? In other words, what are the concrete ways in which we can put into practice the Gospel command to "love our neighbour?"

**Date:** 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2017

**Time:** 9am to 3pm

**Place:** Agape Village, 7A Lorong 8 Toa Payoh

**Registration:** contact Prem at 63374169 or [formation@caritas-singapore.org](mailto:formation@caritas-singapore.org)

## CHARITIES WEEK 2017

A very big **THANK YOU** to all parishioners of the Church of the Holy Family for giving S\$474,586 in support of Charities Week 2017. The Annual Archdiocesan fundraising campaign during Lent raised a total of S\$6,071,296.

A detailed report can be viewed in the Church Bulletin Notice-board.

## OPENING THE WORD

"Opening the Word", a dynamic journey into the Sunday readings, is starting Tuesday, 4 July, 8pm at Function Room (4th floor). Those who opt for Wednesday sessions shall start their session on 5 July, 10am at Meeting Room (1st floor, Priest's House). Friday sessions start 7 Jul, 10am at #02-01 Emmaus House. Interested participants who have yet to sign up may do so at [www.holyfamily.org.sg](http://www.holyfamily.org.sg).

## FORMED.ORG

**FORMED.ORG** is an online Catholic resource that provides a broad variety of faith formation programmes, books, audio and even movies (for both adults and children) to help you on your Catholic journey. There is a greater reason to enjoy FORMED. The free FORMED app is now available in App Store (Android users will need to wait). You can start enjoying great video and audio wherever you go. If you have not registered with FORMED, just follow the registration details there. Our parish code is NHQKKP. A step-by-step guide on how to register can be found in our website.

## CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

"We will gather again this July, on Monday (3rd July 2017) to pray as a group, and to seek the Ultimate Healer, Jesus Christ. Join us at 7.45pm, to experience the love, mercy, and healing grace of our Good Lord and Savior, at the Function Room (4th Floor) of the Main Church Building. Cancer patients / survivors, caregivers and all are welcome! To register, please call Nicholas / Helen @ 96780595 / 98389767."

## CATECHETICAL MINISTRY

Please note that Catecheses for Primary 1 & Special Needs 2018 are open for registration now. Kindly submit copies of your children's baptismal certificates by 13 August 2017. Forms are obtainable at the parish office's pigeon hole - "Catechetical Ministry."

## SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL

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"**

**2017 PRIMARY ONE REGISTRATION EXERCISE FOR ADMISSION TO PRIMARY ONE IN 2018**

The 2017 Primary One Registration for children born between 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2011 and 1<sup>st</sup> January 2012 will begin soon.

The Registration dates for Phase 2B (for Catholics) will be on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July and Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July from 8.00am to 11.00am and from 2.30pm to 4.30pm.

There are 4 Catholic Schools in the East District: Katong Convent, St Stephen's, St Anthony's Canossian Primary (1602 Bedok North Ave 4) and Canossa Convent Primary (Sallim Road).

We strongly encourage our Catholic parents to register their children in Catholic Schools.

For details on the 4 primary schools in the east district, please log on to the respective school's website. You will get a lot of information about the character, quality and strengths of the respective schools.

For more information on the registration phases and dates please log on to the MOE website: <https://www.moe.gov.sg/admissions/primary-one-registration>

Fr. Eugene Vaz will take us through the Gospel according to St. Matthew in 14 sessions from 4<sup>th</sup> August to 24<sup>th</sup> November 2017. This exciting study explores the life and mission of Jesus. It demonstrates how the promises and prophecies of the Old Testament are fulfilled in Christ, who establishes a New Law and inaugurates the Kingdom of Heaven on earth. Set in the rich context of Jesus' Jewish culture, this study will help us to understand who Jesus is and what his life and teachings mean for us today. SIGN UP TODAY!

On Fridays, starting on 4<sup>th</sup> August, 2017. Total of 14 Sessions.

Time: 8:00 pm – 9:45 pm

Venue: Holy Family Church (main Church)

Please register either through our Church Website: <http://www.holyfamily.org.sg>, or on registration forms available at the the Church's entrances.

For any enquiries, please email: [hfcbat@yahoo.com](mailto:hfcbat@yahoo.com)



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<b>Mass Times</b>
<u>Weekdays:</u> 6.15 am (Mondays to Saturdays) 6.15 pm (Mondays to Fridays) 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
<b>(Confession 30 minutes before weekend masses)</b>
<u>Novena:</u> 5.00 pm Saturday
<b><u>DIVINE MERCY - Every Friday @ 7.10pm in Main Church</u></b>

<i>Adoration Room</i>	<i>Mon– Sat 7am to 10 pm , Sun / Public Holidays: 7am to 8.30pm</i>
<i>Columbarium</i>	<i>Mon-Fri: 9.30am to 6pm—Sat: 9:30am to 8pm</i> <i>Sunday: 8.30am to 6pm—Public Holidays: 9.00am to 12noon</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>

**13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
Jul 2, 2017 – Year A  
Sunday Missal Page No: 524



**DISCIPLESHIP**  
Discipleship entails total commitment and love to Jesus. In fact, Jesus demands that our love for Him surpasses that of our love for family and friends. We are called to live our life following His footsteps of love. It starts when we open our heart to give a cup of cold water to the little one or give a listening ear to a friend in need, visiting an elderly relative etc. Let us listen to Jesus as He calls us again, "Come, follow me".

<b>Sunday Missal Readings for next weekend - 9 Jul</b>		
Zec 9:9-10	Rom 8:9, 11-13	Mt 11:25-30

**Gospel according to Matthew**