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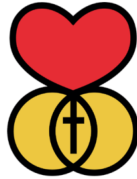
Need a listening ear to help you cope with the up's and down's of life? Trained Para-Counsellors from Family Life Society are on duty at your parish. For an appointment ring **63820688 (Monday to Friday from 9.00am—5.00pm)**

GIFT 2019

This weekend, there will be a second collection for the GIFT (Giving in Faith & Thankfulness) campaign to build a more vibrant, evangelistic and missionary Church. GIRO forms, cheques or cash can be sealed into GIFT envelopes and dropped into the collection bags that will go around. Spare GIFT envelopes are available in the church pews, and at the parish office. Please give generously for the vision of the archdiocese. More info is available at gift.catholicfoundation.sg.

MAKE YOUR MARRIAGE A PRIORITY!

“Marriage is a project to be worked on together ... and a process of growth.” - Pope Francis (Amoris Laetitia, no. 218, 221).
Good marriages can always be made better. To deepen and refine your couple relationship, sign up for one of the coming Marriage Encounter Weekends: **4 - 6 Oct, 1 - 3 Nov & 6 - 8 Dec**
Contact David & Clara @ 96705390 or mewkend@gmail.com



HISTORY OF THE SOCIETY OF JESUS (JESUITS)

The Jesuits was founded in 1540 by a group of companions under the leadership of St Ignatius of Loyola. Within 100 years, the impact of the Jesuits was felt in the furthest corners of the then Euro-centric world - as far as Japan and China. Cana has invited Fr Jerome Leon SJ to present a survey of the major events and characters that have shaped the historical landscape of that era. Love offering.
Dates: Thursdays 22, 29 August and 5 and 19 September 2019
Time: 7.30 pm - 9.30 pm
Venue: Cana The Catholic Centre, 55 Waterloo St, Singapore 187954
Registration: Tel. 63384080/email - canaevents2019@gmail.com

QUIETING THE SOUL CHIANGMAI 2019 BY CENACLE SISTERS AND TEAM

A silent 8 or 5-day retreat set in the beautiful environment of the **Seven Fountains Retreat Center in Chiang Mai, Thailand**.
Three choices of dates (includes travel time) :
1) 8 days - 29 Nov - 8 Dec. 2019
2) 5 days - 2 Dec -8 Dec. 2019
3) 5-days – 8 February – 14 February, 2020
Closing registration date: 31 August 2019
Contact the Cenacle Sisters: 9298-5808 / 6565-2895 email: cenaclesingapore@gmail.com | website: <http://www.catholic.org.sg/cenacle>.



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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–Fri: 6.00am to 7.00pm | Sat: 6.00am to 9.00pm

Sunday: 7.00am to 7.00pm | Public Holidays: 8.00am to 12noon

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 @ Church Function Hall

Meditation Classes

Tuesdays/Thursdays 8pm : Wednesdays 7.30pm

Divine Mercy

Every Friday, 7pm @ Main Church

Family Rosary

1st Saturday of every month, 3.30–4pm @ Main Church

Family Eucharistic Adoration

1st Saturday of every month, 4–5pm @ Adoration Room

Weddings

Apply at Parish Office at least 1 year in advance

20th Sunday

in Ordinary Time



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A CHALLENGING MESSAGE

Today's celebration should raise our morale in the fight against evil. Christ our Leader, who came to bring fire on the earth, communicates to us something of his tremendous zeal! Jesus announces to his disciples that He came to bring a hard message indeed. That is why friends and families divide, father against son, mother against daughter and vice versa. Let us not lose sight of Jesus, who leads us in our faith and brings it to perfection. He endured the cross despite its shameful-ness, and from now on has taken his place at the right of God's throne.

Sunday Missal Readings for next weekend - 25 Aug

Is 66:18-21 Heb 12:5-7, 11-13 Lk 13:22-30

CANTEEN

Members from **Joo Chiat NCC** will be hosting the canteen this weekend. Bring your family and friends for a sumptuous breakfast after the 7.15am & 9.15am Masses. Next weekend: A Team.



MARINE DRIVE WEEKLY MONDAY PRAYER SESSIONS IN AUGUST

Venue: **Residence of Jennifer Low, Blk 75 Marine Drive, #05-29**

Time: **8pm**

Mon 19 Aug - Divine Mercy

Mon 26 Aug - Bible Reflection

ST. MARY'S CHOIR (SUNDAY 6PM MASS) - RECRUITMENT DRIVE

If you have a desire to serve God through music and song, come join us in St. Mary's Choir! Sign up at <http://bit.ly/hfc-smc>, contact Wiyandi at 92303768 or simply approach us after Mass.



TELOK KURAU NEIGHBOURHOOD MASS

Date/Time: 22 August 2019/8pm

Celebrant: Fr Eugene Vaz

Host: Murali & Gloria Sharma, 36 Joo Chiat Avenue

All are welcome to attend the Mass

NEPTUNE COURT NCC ROSARY DEVOTION

You are warmly welcome to join us for our Rosary Devotion on:

Date/Time: Friday 23rd August, 8pm

Home of Linda De Souza, **Blk 3 Marine Vista, #04-65 Neptune Court**

Contact : Kate : 81392417

MILESTONE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY 2019

Calling all married couples celebrating their 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th anniversaries and beyond.

The Parish of the Holy Family will be organising the annual Milestone Wedding Anniversary Mass to allow couples to rededicate their lives to God and each another.

Date/Time : 31 Aug 2019(Sat), 11.00am (Reception will follow after Mass)

Event Theme : A Journey Of Faith, Hope and Love

"The greatest of these is LOVE"

- (1 Cor 13:13)

E- Registration: <https://tinyurl.com/milestone2019>

Hardcopy Registration Forms are also available at the Parish Office

For further enquiries, contact Patricia @ 94881528 or email mwaholyfam@gmail.com.

Registration will close on 24 Aug (Sat) 2019.



INFANT BAPTISM

The next Infant Baptism will take place on **Sunday 1st September @ 4pm**. Parents and God-parents are required to attend the preparation session on **25th August, 3pm at the Function Room 04-04**. Please submit the application form with relevant documents by 18th August 2019.



CATHOLIC LAWYERS' GUILD PRO BONO LEGAL CLINIC

The Pro-Bono Legal Clinic run by the Catholic Lawyers Guild will be held in our parish on the **4th Monday of every month at #02-02 and #02-03 Emmaus House at 7.30pm**.

The next clinic will be held on **26th August 2019**.

Please pre-register at the parish office.

Walk-in applicants **MUST** register by **8.00pm**.

Walk-in applicants regrettably may not be served depending on capacity.

YOUTH MASS!

Theme: "Walk by Faith and not by Sight"

Calling all youths 13 and above and those young at heart. Join us for a Eucharistic celebration organized specially for the youths to praise God for the many blessings He has given us in our lives.

Date/Time: 6th September 2019 Friday at 7pm

Venue: Function Hall



SHARE YOUR LOVE FOR CHRIST, JOIN THE CATECHETICAL MINISTRY

The Catechetical Ministry is looking for committed parishioners who feel called to share their love for Christ with the children and teens of our parish; and to facilitate an encounter with Christ by being witnesses to faith.

Find out more about how you could serve as a Catechist, Catechist

Assistant, Youth Facilitator, Parent Volunteer or in other

administrative and IT/AV roles here: <http://bit.ly/HFCjoin>. The link will

also bring you to an online application form if you are keen on signing

up, or you could pick up a printed form from the Parish or Catechists Office.



THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES - A BIBLICAL COURSE BY FR EUGENE VAZ

Sign up today for the compelling story of the First Christians – the story of how the Apostles, empowered by the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, brought the Good News to the ends of the earth.

Date / Day : 3 Sept to 19 Nov 2019, every Tuesday (12 sessions)

Time : 8.00pm – 9.45pm

Venue : Main Church Hall

Charges : \$20 per person for notes. Free admission for those who do not require notes.

Register at www.holyfamily.org.sg or on forms at the church entrances. For queries,

whatsapp / sms Paulin at 9627 8739.