

MASS FOR THE SICK 2020, SUNDAY 9TH FEBRUARY, 3.00PM

Registration is required for baptised Catholics seeking Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick and Holy Communion at Mass. Forms will be made available from December 2019 onwards.

Also seeking volunteers for above: Doctors & Nurses, Drivers and Organizing Committee. Please register at the Parish Office.

For the seriously ill and require Sacrament of Anointing, please contact the Parish Office directly.

GROW IN THE WORD OF GOD

The best selling bible diary, "365 Days with the Lord 2020" will be on sale **next weekend** from the Daughters of St Paul. It contains daily mass readings and inspiring reflections to help nourish our faith all year long. At just \$20, it makes a wonderful Christmas gift for friends and loved ones. Proceeds go to the sisters' media mission. Please give them your kind support.

GOOD FOOD, GOOD CAUSE AT CROSSINGS CAFE

Support a Catholic social enterprise that serves hearty & affordable local & western fare. This cafe provides employment opportunities for the disadvantaged, and donates all profits to charity.

Enjoy a good meal with your friends and family at Crossings Cafe located at **#01-01 Catholic Centre, 55 Waterloo Street.**

SSVP SHOP 'GREEN GREEN CHRISTMAS' GIFT VOUCHERS ON SALE

Gift these to the unsung heroes at home, in the office or around your neighbourhood. Vouchers can be used at SSVP Shop which offers a range of quality, pre-loved items - a good way to reduce waste and be green. Plus, proceeds will help to fund SSVP's charitable mission for the poor. SSVP Shop is having a 30% to 50% discount sale in December 2019. SSVP Shop – Address: 501, Geylang Road, S(389459), Tel: 6974 2480, Email: shop@ssvpsingapore.org"

GIFT ADVENT 2019 APPEAL

This weekend, the Catholic Foundation is renewing its annual appeal for the GIFT (Giving in Faith & Thankfulness) campaign to build a more vibrant, evangelising and missionary Church. This appeal serves as a midpoint update of the progress of the pastoral plan and plans for the next four years including new organisations, initiatives and resource needs. Every Catholic is encouraged to make a regular pledge to support the operational and building needs of the archdiocese. More information can be found in the GIFT booklets that will be distributed during Mass. Please give generously for the vision of the archdiocese. Scan the QR Code: More info is available at catholicfoundation.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

DIVINE MERCY - Every Friday @ 7.00pm in Main Church

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

*Please refer to **Church website** or the **Secretariat Office** for dates.*

Infant Baptism

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 04-04

Meditation Classes

Tuesdays/Thursday 8pm; Wednesdays 7.30pm

Divine Mercy

Every Friday, 7pm @ 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

1st Sunday of Advent

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COME, LORD JESUS

The “ripe time” has come, the time to wake up for the coming of the Lord! We do not know exactly when he will come, but we do know that the time is already ripe so we must “stand up now for Jesus!” Advent is a time of expectancy. We wait for the next step in the Lord’s plan for his creation and for each of us. He came once as a baby, he comes to us in our worship and daily lives, and he will come again in full power, glory, and majesty. Are we, are you, ready to meet him face to face?

Sunday Missal Readings for next weekend — 8 Dec

Is 11:1-10

Rom 15:4-9

Mt 3:1-12

CANTEEN

Members from **Club Agape** 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: Filipino Group



NEW STRUCTURE OF BRINGING HOLY COMMUNION TO THE HOUSE BOUND

There will be briefing on **15th December from 2.00 to 3.30pm at FH04-04** for all Ministries serving the housebound. This include all those in the Ministry of the Sick (MoS), those EMs serving the housebound and family members serving their own housebound members.

This briefing includes a brand new rearrangement of grouping of these Ministers, filling in new application forms and issuance of new cards. *Old cards will be invalid as from 1/1/2020.* Fr Stanislaus Pang will be in attendance.

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Date: 2 December 2019 (Mon)

Venue: 4th Floor Function Room @ Holy Family Church

Time: 7.30 pm - 9.45 pm

Come and experience the love, mercy and healing grace of Jesus Christ, our ultimate Healer as we gather to pray for and with each other. For more details, please contact Helen @ 98389767 or Nicholas @ 96780595.

THEME: A NEW LIFE WITH JESUS

Reflect on the question: What do I need to change in my life for Jesus?

Pen or draw your responses in the cards provided.

Slip the cards into the boxes placed at the entrance to main church door.

Your cards will be gifts to baby Jesus at the Christmas Play on 24th December 2019 at 8.00pm

PARISH FEAST DAY CELEBRATION - FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

The Parish will be celebrating the Feast of the Holy Family on the weekend of 28 and 29 December 2019.

We invite all parishioners to be part of this wonderful event to give thanks together:

"Celebrating God's Love as One Community"

Feast Day Mass, Saturday 28 December @ 5pm

Main Celebrant: Archbishop William Goh

The festivities continue with the **Feast Day dinner at Roland Restaurant, 89 Marine Parade Central, #06-750 Singapore 440089**

Dinner commences at 7.00pm.

Tickets are priced at \$35.00 per head and \$350.00 per table.

Limited tickets are still available. Please contact Gwen by email ppc.excohf@gmail.com or WhatsApp: 97315447.

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".

SECOND ADVENT REFLECTION IN YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD

Theme: Jesus, The Saviour of All

Readings: Isaiah 11:1-10, Romans 15:4-9, Matthew 3:1-12

ALL ARE WELCOME!

NCC	Date	Time	Host	Address	Contact
Bayshore - Bayshore Park	Thurs 5 Dec	8:15pm	Margo	60 Bayshore Rd #07-05 Jade Tower, Bayshore Park	Margo 9466-6404
Bayshore - The Bayshore/Costa Del Sol	Wed 4 Dec	8pm	Gayle Leong	Blk 68 #10-06 Costa Del Sol	Doris 9835-8648
Bedok South	Tue 3 Dec	8pm	Sharon Ho	297 Bedok South Ave 3 #02-03 Bedok Ct	Cheryl 9747-3634
EKO - East Coast/Keris/Ocean Park	Thurs 5 Dec	8pm	Agnes & Cecilia	43 Jln Buloh Perindu	Cecilia 9783-2069
Elliott	Mon 2 Dec	8pm	Charmian Chelvam	44 Nallur Road	Joan 9127-3263
Joo Chiat	Tue 3 Dec	8pm	Rockey & Veronica	237 Tembeling Road #01-04 Katong Gardens	Rockey Veronica 9116-6017 9733-6078
Kew, Eastwood, Ria, Limau	Thurs 5 Dec	10:30am	Astor	8 Eastwood Place	Roseline 9753-6180
Kew, Eastwood, Ria, Limau	Wed 4 Dec	8pm	Sharon & Joel	1 Kew Drive	Sharon 9655-9526
Marine Crescent	Wed 4 Dec	8pm	James & Cecilia	Blk 43 Marine Crescent #02-02	James Lim 9001-7869
Marine Drive	Mon 2 Dec	8pm	Edgar & Helen	Blk 73 Marine Drive #10-57	Ronnie Khoo 9826-4007
Neptune Court	Mon 2 Dec	8pm	Alice & Michael Lee	Blk 9 Marine Vista #08-01, Neptune Court	Kate Mark 8139-2417
Sennett/Lucky Heights (First Advent)	Mon 2 Dec	8:15pm	James & Pady Goh	29 Lucky Gardens, S467672	James Goh 9180-6860
Sennett/Lucky Heights	Mon 9 Dec	8:15pm	James & Pady Goh	29 Lucky Gardens, S467672	James Goh 9180-6860

LOURDES EXPERIENCE

The **4th Lourdes Experience 2019** will be held on **Saturday 7th December 2019 at the Singapore Indoor Stadium from 2pm to 7pm**. There are about 100+ tickets still available for this event. Parishioners and Non-Resident Parishioners who wish to attend can collect tickets from the Parish office on a **first-come-first-serve basis**. Gentle reminder: Participants are encouraged to take public transport as there may be limited car parking facilities. For security reasons, kindly refrain from carrying big bags and water bottles. Drinking water will be provided for.