

LAUNCH OF CHARITIES WEEK LENTEN CAMPAIGN – 16-17 MAR 2019

The season of Lent is the time when the Church conducts its annual Archdiocesan fundraising campaign – Charities Week 2019. Your donation will provide much needed funding to support Caritas Singapore family to serve diverse and marginalised groups including low-income families, youths-at-risk, the incarcerated, people with physical disabilities, and also people with mental health problems.

Please pick up an appeal envelope and give generously. It will enable our Catholic charities to further their cause and do more to help our less fortunate brothers and sisters in need.

All Donations are eligible for 250% Tax Deduction.

MASS OFFERINGS FOR GOOD FRIDAY

Please note as there will be no Mass and no celebration of the Eucharist on Good Friday, 19th April. Instead we commemorate the Lord's Passion with Good Friday Service. **As such, we will not be accepting any mass offering for 19th April 2019.**

CATHOLIC FOUNDATION'S GIFT CAMPAIGN

Next weekend, **16/17 March**, being the 3rd weekend of the month, there will be a second collection to receive your monthly pledges and contributions for the GIFT (Giving in Faith & Thankfulness) campaign. Contributions to GIFT will help others encounter the love of Christ through numerous archdiocesan organisations and building projects of the archdiocese. More information is available at gift.catholicfoundation.sg.

CRASH COURSE: MISSION & EVANGELISATION

Date: 30 March 2019

Time: 1.30pm - 3pm

Venue: SFX Major Seminary, 618 Upp Bukit Timah Rd

Organised by: Office for the New Evangelisation

Mission? Evangelisation? What's that?

Come and discover the meaning of Mission and Evangelisation through the history of the Church until the Second Vatican Council.

Speaker: Rev Fr Kenson Koh

To register visit: www.one.org.sg/events.

VISIT TO CHINA (INNER MONGOLIA) JUNE 8-18, 2019

Once again Scheut Missions (CICM) organizes a visit to its former missions in Inner Mongolia. This year's trip ends with a 4-night cruise on the Yangtze River (Three Gorges). All inclusive cost S\$3,200. Registration closes 30 March (max 25 pax; 17 already booked). Contact Fr Paul Staes (6468-2645). Email: spe@catholic.org.sg.



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Mass Times

Weekdays:

6.15 am (Mondays to Saturdays)

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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 04-04

Meditation Classes

Tuesdays/Thursday 8pm : Wednesdays 7.30pm

Divine Mercy

Every Friday after 7pm mass @ Main Church except Good Friday

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

1st Sunday of Lent

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THE NAME OF JESUS

Wandering in a wilderness, we often sense we do not have direction in our lives. Yet we know—only afterwards—there was a goal or test at work all along. God was present leading us to salvation. Today we share the prayer of the bewildered followers of Moses as they faced God. When Jesus faced temptation he did so confidently, and so can we. “God saves” is the saving name of Jesus. As we start this holy season of Lent, our hope lies in that name.

Sunday Missal Readings for next weekend - 17 Mar

Gn 15:5-12, 17-18 Phil 3:17-41 Lk 9:28-36

CANTEEN

Members of SSVP 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: Joo Chiat NCC.



NCC LENTEN REFLECTION SESSIONS

KERL - Kew-Eastwood-Ria-Limau / EKO - East Coast & Keris Estate / Ocean Park

EKO: East Coast Estate, Keris Estate, Ocean Park

| NCC | DATE | TIME | HOME OF | ADDRESS | CONTACT | TEL |
|--------------------------|------------|----------|--------------------------|---|-----------------------|----------|
| Bayshore Park | Wed 13 Mar | 8.30 pm | Margo | #07-05, Jade Block, 60 Bayshore Road | Margo | 94666404 |
| Bedok South | Wed 13 Mar | 7.45 pm | Cecilia Ng | Blk 164 Bedok South Road #03-414 | Cheryl | 97473634 |
| EKO | Thu 14 Mar | 8.00 pm | Agnes & Cecilia | 43 Jalan Buloh Perindu | Agnes & Cecilia | 62412663 |
| Elliot | Mon 11 Mar | 8.00 pm | Susan | 96A Upper East Coast Road | Joan | 91273263 |
| Joo Chiat | Fri 15 Mar | 8.00 pm | Lena Quek | 3 Lorong Nangka | Lena Quek | 96665062 |
| KERL (morning) | Tue 12 Mar | 10.30 am | Mike & Martha | 52 Taman Bedok | Martha | 96911938 |
| KERL (evening) | Thu 14 Mar | 8.00 pm | Clara Neo | 56A Limau Garden | Clara | 81880018 |
| Laguna Park/ Lagoon View | Wed 13 Mar | 8.00 pm | Anita & Joe Conceicao | Lagoon View Blk 5000K #23-45 Marine Parade Rd | Anita & Joe Conceicao | 97518671 |
| Marine Crescent | Wed 13 Mar | 8.00 pm | James & Cecilia | Blk 43 #02-02 Marine Crescent | Cecilia | 93806372 |
| Marine Drive | Mon 11 Mar | 8.00 pm | Edgar & Helen Ramalingam | Block 73 #10-57 Marine Drive | Ronnie Khoo | 98264007 |
| Marine Terrace | Thu 14 Mar | 8.15 pm | Albert & Grace Chitty | Block 55 #14-17 Marine Terrace | Albert | 97128320 |
| Neptune Court | Tue 12 Mar | 8.00 pm | Evelyn Klyne | Blk 5 Marine Vista #13-51 | Kate | 81392417 |
| Sennett/ Lucky Heights | Mon 11 Mar | 8.15 pm | Kenneth & Janice | 34F Sennett Road | Raymond Ang | 96160306 |
| Telok Kurau | Fri 15 Mar | 8.00 pm | William & Cecilia Tan | 80D Lorong J Telok Kurau | William & Cecilia Tan | 92701217 |
| The Bayshore | Thu 14 Mar | 8.00 pm | Lilian | #15-02, Tower 1B, 22 Bayshore Road | Lilian | 91061158 |

INFANT BAPTISM JUNE 2018

The next Infant Baptism will take place on **Sunday 21st April 2019 @ 4.00pm**. Parents and God-parents are required to attend the **preparation session on Sunday 7th April 2019, 3pm at the Function Room 04-04**. Last day for acceptance of registration will be weekend of 24th March. Please submit the Application forms with the relevant documents.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday during Lent, there will be Stations of the Cross at **12 noon and 6.30pm**, followed by **Mass at 7:00pm**.



GANTRY AT EAST COAST GATES

We are in the process of erecting gantries at the two gates on East Coast Road so that no vehicular traffic may enter the Church premises from East Coast Road but only from Sea Avenue. The two gates on East Coast Road will be only for traffic exiting the Church premises. We have been forced to do this because although there are signs indicating no entry, some drivers are still coming into the church grounds from East Coast Road creating a situation where there is an accident waiting to happen. The gantries will be operational sometime next week.

CATECHESIS BREAK

Please note that there will be a catechesis break on the **16/17 March and 23/24 March 2019**. Classes will resume on the following weekend of **30/31 March 2019**.

LENTEN REFLECTION SESSIONS FOR INTENTIONAL PARISHIONERS

We invite intentional parishioners (attend masses at our parish but do not stay in the boundaries of the NCCs), to come together as a community to the Lenten Reflection sessions organised specially for you.

Date / Day : Evening sessions on 13, 20, 27 Mar, 3 & 10 Apr (Wed); 8pm to 9.30pm OR Morning sessions on 15, 22, 29 Mar, 5 & 12 Apr; 9.30am to 11am.

Venue : Evening sessions at #04-03 (same level as Level 4 Function Room); Morning sessions at #03-01 Emmaus House.

All are welcome. To facilitate logistical arrangement, please register on our website www.holyfamily.org.sg. For enquiries, please contact (whatsapp or sms preferred) Jenny (94747868) / Agnes (92356588) or email faithform2016@gmail.com.

HOLY FAMILY CONNECTION

Fr Eugene Vaz looks back on 48 years of priesthood, seniors get their own Club Agape, and RCIA rites explained...

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