

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

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick gives grace for the state into which people enter through sickness. Through the sacrament a gift of the Holy Spirit is given, that renews confidence and faith in God and strengthens against temptations to discouragement, despair and anguish at the thought of death and the struggle of death; it prevents the believer from losing Christian hope in God's justice, truth and salvation. As soon as anyone of the faithful begins to be in danger of death from sickness or old age, the fitting time for him to receive this sacrament has certainly already arrived.

Venue: Church of the Holy Family, Main Church Hall

Date: Sunday 9th February 2020

Time: 3pm

Registration is now open to all baptised Catholics who seek to receive this special grace of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Forms are available at the Parish Office. Confession will be heard before Mass. Please contact Cheryl Wee 9747 3634 for any queries.

ADULT CONFIRMATION 2020

Adults who have been baptised but not confirmed may apply for confirmation using the Church of the Holy Family Adult Confirmation Form available from the parish office. Submit the form to the office together with a copy of your baptism certificate (and marriage certificate, if married). Confirmation will be conferred by the Archbishop on **Sunday 3 May 2020 at 6.00 pm**. To prepare for confirmation, applicants are required to attend Adult Confirmation **Preparation classes on 30 March, 6, 13 and 20 April in Room #04-04 from 7.30 pm to 9.30 pm**. Attendance is compulsory.

HEALTH SCREENING

The parish in collaboration with the Eastern Community Health Outreach (ECHO) and Changi General Hospital, will be organising a Health Screening for parishioners who are Singaporean and PRs only, who are aged 40 and above this year. Health Screening is on **29 Feb 2020 (Saturday) from 8 am to 11 am at the Parish Function Hall (last slot at 1045am)**. Registration will be at the main entrance of the Church on 08 Feb (Sat) from 5 pm to 7 pm and 09 Feb (Sun) from 8 am to 1 pm. Results for the Health Screening will be provided on 14 March (Saturday) at the Parish Function Hall between 8am to 12pm. Charges from \$0 (Pioneer Generation) to \$10 for Permanent Residents (walk-ins from 9am only) Results for the Health Screening will be provided on 14 March (Saturday) at the Parish Function Hall between 8am to 12pm.

GIFT 2020

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

Columbarium

Mon – Sat 7am to 10 pm, Sun | Public Holidays: 7am to 8.30pm

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

Elders Catechism (Dialect)

Meditation Classes

Divine Mercy

Family Rosary

Family Eucharistic Adoration

Weddings

Every Saturday, 6pm Mass or Every Sunday, 11.30am Mass

Every Thursday, 1pm to 3pm @ Church Function Hall 04-04

Tuesdays/Thursday 8pm : Wednesdays 7.30pm

Every Friday, 7pm @ Main Church

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

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

Apply at Parish Office at least 1 year in advance

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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WATER AND SPIRIT

Last Sunday, John baptized Jesus with water. This week John asserts that Jesus is “the one who is going to baptize with the Holy Spirit.” We will celebrate the fulfilment of this promise on the fiftieth day of Easter: Pentecost. Ordinary Time is the working out of this promise, starting with Jesus’ own baptism and each of ours, too.

Sunday Missal Readings for next weekend — 26 Jan

Is 8:23-9-3

1 Cor 1:10-13, 17

Mt 4:12-23

CANTEEN

Please note the canteen will be **CLOSED** from **19th January to 2nd February** for the Chinese New Year Holidays.

APPOINTMENT OF THE NEW PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (2020 - 2022)

The present Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) completes its term this year. A new PPC will be established in April 2020. The role of the PPC is to provide the pastoral direction based on the Vision, Mission and Values of the parish.

Applications are open to all parishioners to join the PPC. The PPC meets once a quarter to discuss the directions of the parish with the priests of the parish. Once the PPC is formed, the PPC will elect the Office Bearers of the PPC and the Executive Committee of the PPC.

Information leaflets with application forms are available from the Parish Office.

Applications will close on 29 February.

NEW FAITH FORMATION SERIES - UNLOCKING THE MYSTERY OF THE BIBLE

Don't know where to start reading the Bible? Scripture too complicated?

"Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible" helps you to get the "big picture" of the Bible by showing how 14 narrative books of the Bible tell the complete story from Adam and Eve to Christ and the Church.

You will be shown how to read the Bible so that you can actually understand it. Aided by a unique color-coded Bible Timeline Chart that arranges the key people, places and events of Scripture in chronological order. You will uncover the story of salvation history and understand how you fit into God's plan.

\$38 for course workbook. Students enjoy a discounted rate. Video followed by facilitated small group discussion (including a youth group).

Evening Session : 11 Feb to 7 Apr 2020, Tues | 8.00pm to 9.45pm | Level 4 Function Hall

Morning Session : 20 Feb to 9 Apr, Thurs | 10.00am to 11.45am | Emmaus House #02-01

Register on www.holyfamily.org.sg or on forms at the church entrances. Facilitators are welcomed. Training will be provided. Queries : Pauline @ 96278739 or email faithform2016@gmail.com.

CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY MIGRANT SKILLS TRAINING PROGRAM

Registration : January 5 until March 15, 2020, every Sunday from 9:30am to 12:30pm.

Registration Fees : \$60.00/course

Duration: 8 months, twice a month only on Sundays. Classes start in March

1st and 3rd Sundays schedules March 22, 2020 (nursing aid, baking, body massage)

2nd and 4th Sundays schedules March 29, 2020 (hair & beauty care, basic computer, dress-making, handicrafts)

For more information on course timing, duration, etc. please sms or call:

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THRIFT SHOP TAKES A BREAK

Please note the Thrift Shop will be closed from 23rd to 26th January 2020 and will **reopen on Thursday 30th January at 9.00 am.**

Due to space constraint, please refrain from leaving your donations in the Thrift Shop box until after 30th January. Thank you.



Father Eugene Vaz, Father Stanislaus Pang &
Father Alphonsus Dominic
wish all parishioners
Gong Xi Fa Cai



LUNAR NEW YEAR MASS SCHEDULES 2020

Eve of CNY: Friday, 24 January 2020

6.15am and 4.00pm (Usual weekday Masses)

10.30pm: Peranakan Mass Ǿ

1st Day of CNY: Saturday, 25 January 2020

9.00am (E) Ǿ, 4.00pm (Mandarin) Ǿ

Ǿ Blessing and distribution of oranges after these Masses Ǿ

NO 6.15AM MASS AND NO NOVENA

Saturday, 25 January 2020

6.00pm: Sunset mass (3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time)

No blessing of oranges

Sunday, 26 January 2020

Normal Sunday mass times.

Monday, 27 January 2020 - PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Mass at 8.30am



CHINESE NEW YEAR DAY 1: 25 JANUARY 2020

COLUMBARIUM OPENING HOURS

8.00am—7.00pm

ADORATION ROOM OPENING HOURS

8.00am—7.00pm

CAR PARK

Gates will close at 8.00pm

PUBLIC HOLIDAY: 27 JANUARY 2020

Please note Monday 27th January is a public holiday

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PARISH OFFICE

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