

Young Adults Night of Discussion – Creed on the Street (COTS 8)

COTS invites young adults to join in a conversation with each other, to lend perspective of their faith on social issues.

Topic: "I was a stranger and you welcomed me (Matthew 25:35)"
Do we have a responsibility towards migrants?

Date: 20 November 2017, Monday; **Time:** 7:30 to 9:30pm

Venue: level 2, Catholic Centre, 55 Waterloo Street, Singapore 187954.

website: www.caritas-singapore.org

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Sodality Of St Joseph

Wake prayers for the Soul of the Faithful departed.
Keen to join the Ministry or know more about it,
please contact Mike @ 82010133, Annabel @ 90114982

ALTAR SERVER RECRUITMENT

Do you have the desire to serve at the Eucharistic celebration?
Do you want to fellowship and pray with your own peers in serving the Lord?
Come and serve at the table of the Lord.
Sign up now at the entrance of church!
For more information, contact Samuel @ 93288068, Pierre @ 91999088



First Friday Holy Hour

Come,

let us adore the Lord as a parish community.

Friday, 3 November

8pm @ Main Church

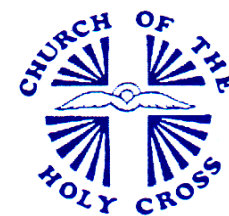


In honour of Our Lady of the Rosary

By Family Rosary Crusade (FRC)



Rosary prayer at the Grotto immediately after 5pm Sunday Mass in the month of October. All are invited to join in praying the rosary together.



Church of the Holy Cross

450 Clementi Ave One Singapore 129955 www.holycross.org.sg

OUR VISION: To be a communion of communities with intentional disciples centred on Jesus Christ, commissioned to evangelize and to serve.

28/29 October 2017

First Reading

Exodus 22:20-26

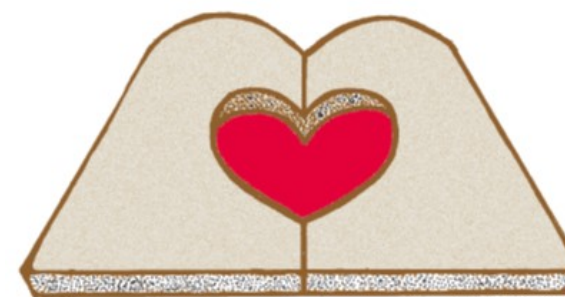
**Thirtieth Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

Second Reading
1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10

Gospel

Matthew 22:34-40

Reflection



BALANCE

Today's scriptures emphasize the fundamental link between love of God and love of our neighbors, especially those who are most in need. Love of God should compel us to love the people whom God cherishes. Conversely, work for justice and charity for those in need should be rooted in our love of God.

That connection and balance, however, isn't always easy to maintain in our lives. Even in religious orders we find that some Christians are more oriented toward contemplation and prayer, while others are more active in reaching out to those who are oppressed. Today Jesus reminds us of the necessity for both in the life of faith.

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays:

Lauds - 6.15am, Mass - 6.30am
Vespers - 6pm, Mass - 6.15pm

Saturday:

Lauds - 6.15am, Mass - 6.30am
Novena - 4.15pm
Sunset Mass - 5pm
Mandarin - 6.30pm

Sunday:

7.30am, 9.30am, 11.30am & 5pm
Tagalog (Every 2nd Sun) - 2.30pm

Public Holiday:

Morning Mass @ 8am
No Lauds before Mass

P.A.R.I.S.H Holy Hour:

Every 1st Friday at 8pm

Prayer Room Opening Hours:

Everyday - 7am to 10pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

15 minutes before evening Masses
on Saturday and all masses on
Sunday.

Infant Baptism:

@12.45pm 1st Sunday of:
Jan, Mar, May, July, Sep & Nov.

Funeral Arrangements:

Please check with the Parish Office for the availability of the Priest and Church before confirming the timing for cremation or burial.

Wedding:

Please contact the Secretariat, at least six months before for availability of dates.

Para Counselling Services:

Call 63820688 from Monday-Friday between 10am - 5pm to make an appointment.

2nd Collection

1st week of the month - for the Apostolate of St Vincent de Paul.

3rd week of the month - for GIFT Program of Catholic Foundation.

Choice Weekend

It takes that 1 weekend to inspire you for the rest of your life.
Come away for a Choice Weekend - It is by the choices we make that we define what our life is all about.

Next Choice Weekend: 24 - 26 Nov 2017

(Friday evening to Sunday evening) at Choice Retreat House,
47 Jurong West St 42, S 649368

Enquiries: Hillary (9790 0537) Francesca (9710 9680)
<http://www.choice.org.sg>

Charismatic Prayer Group

**Come PRAISE and THANK the LORD with us
on Tuesdays 7.45pm @ St. Michael Room at Level 1**

Topics for Talks in October/Nov 2017

- 31 Oct: Awareness: Effect on Community Bonding
- 7 Nov: Saints- Their Lives & Influences on Humanity: St Augustine
- 14 Nov: Saints- Their Lives & Influences on Humanity:
St Magdalene of Canossa (Sr Theresa Seow)
- 21 Nov: Fellowship
- 28 Nov: Saints- Their Lives & Influences on Humanity: St Dominic
- 5 Dec: Saints- Their Lives & Influences on Humanity: St Ignatius of Loyola
- 12 Dec: Fellowship
- 19 Dec: No Meeting
- 26 Dec: No Meeting

*** All are welcome ***



First Sacrament of Reconciliation

About 60 Primary 2 children will be receiving their
First Sacrament of Reconciliation on 4 November morning.
Please keep them and the priests in your prayers.



FLS Counselling Services at Our Parish

Need a listening ear to help you cope with the ups and downs 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)

All Saints Day (Day of Obligation)

Tues, 31 Oct : Sunset Mass - 6.15 pm & 8pm (Mandarin)

Wed, 1 Nov : Morning Mass - 6.15am,
Evening Mass - 6.15pm & 8pm



All Souls Day

Thurs, 2 Nov: Morning Mass - 6.15am
Evening Mass - 6.30pm (Mandarin), 8.00pm

Edify Invites You ...

Find yourself feeling like a Sunday Catholic and
want to do something about it?



Fret no more! Come join us at **Edify**, Holy Cross' very own youth ministry
and community, to grow in your faith and journey with like-minded youth.

Edify sessions are held every 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month.
Do contact Candice @82181379 to find out more!

Society of Saint Vincent De Paul (SSVP) Gift of Love

The SSVP invites parishioners to share the joy of Christmas with the
poor and needy by contributing Christmas gift items for the
SSVP adopted families in the parish.



Examples of NEW gifts are table lamps, small radios,
electric kettles, table/standing fans, toaster oven,
NTUC vouchers, etc. Cost of each gift item should
range between \$10.00 and \$50.00.

Gifts collection details:

5 November 2017 (Sunday) from 9.00 am - 12.45 pm
SSVP counter, Holy Cross canteen

Catholic Lawyers Guild (CLG) Pro Bono Mediation

You can resolve your disputes without going to Court.
An accredited Mediator can assist disputants to enter into a
legally enforceable Settlement Agreement which provides
a win-win situation for both sides. **The service is free.**

Email: admin@clgsingapore.com

Pro Bono hotline @ 65164279 or CLG administrator @ 68017494