

ADVENT FOOD AND CRAFT FAIR FOR PROJECT G.O.D.

Sunday, 3 Dec 2017 at 8am-1pm

Project G.OD. (Gift of One Dollar) is our parish annual fund raising initiative undertaken by our Sec 3 Youth Confirmants.

The beneficiary for this year is CLARITY. CLARITY is a Catholic charity that serves persons with mental health issues to live meaningful lives through support, therapy, acceptance and recovery.

There will also be a 2nd collection on 9/10 Dec for Project G.O.D. We look forward to your participation in the Advent Food and Craft Fair and generous support in the various fund raising initiatives.



Social Media Ministry PHOTOJOURNALIST

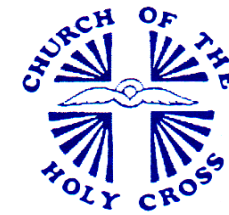


Calling for photo enthusiasts who want to help in documenting our parish activities for social platforms, such as website, Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, Twitter, LinkedIn and parish bulletins.

There will be a full time photojournalist conducting workshops fortnightly and to journey with the group.

It will commence in first quarter 2018.

Send your name and contact to secretariat
holycross@singnet.com.sg



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

18/19 November 2017

First Reading

Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31

**Thirty-third
Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

Second Reading

1 Thessalonians 5: 1 - 6

Gospel

Matthew 25: 14 - 30

Reflection



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SHARING OUR GIFTS

Autumn is the season for harvesting and sharing the fruits of our labors. This week's scriptures use images of the harvest, family life, pregnancy, and investment to describe the abundant harvest in the reign of God. We discover that sharing the gifts we have been given brings eternal rewards for everyone.

In the Gospel parable a master entrusts his possessions to three servants before going on a journey. Each is given some talents. What they do with those talents determines what the master will do with them when he returns. How about us? What are we doing with our talents? How will our Master treat us when he returns?

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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.

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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!



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 November & December 2017

21 Nov: Fellowship

28 Nov: Saints - Their Lives & Influences on Humanity:
St Magdalene of Canossa (Sr Theresa Seow)

5 Dec: Saints - Their Lives & Influences on Humanity: St Ignatius of Loyola

*** All are welcome ***



Golden Jubilee of the Catholic Charismatic Renewal

Charismatic Renewal Healing Rally

SACCRA Rally:

Topic: "Stirring Up Spiritual Gifts"

On Wed, 13 Dec 17 @ 7.30pm to 10pm

At Church of the Holy Cross

Speaker: Jim Murphy



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



Catechism Registration

Registration for K1 catechism is opened for children born in the year 2013.

Registration forms are available at the entrance of the church and outside the Parish office.

Closing date: 30 November 2017.

Returning students NEED NOT re-register UNLESS there is a change of address or particulars in the last 12 months.

ALL Secondary 1 students for the year 2018 NEED to submit a new registration form. Please do so AFTER the posting of your secondary school is known and all completed forms must be submitted by 30 December 2017.

HOLY CROSS FAMILY COUNTDOWN PARTY 2018

SUNDAY, 31 ST DECEMBER @ 10PM @ CHURCH CANTEEN

Program:

- ♦ Special Family Blessing
- ♦ Holy cross got talent
- ♦ Herald in 2018 with your love ones



Please purchase ticket at the booth outside the church.

TICKET: \$5/PERSON

(Includes Supper, Party pack, Kiz countdown fun)

* We are calling for talent within holy cross to come forward for Holy cross's got talent. Please call pauline 96615137 *

ORDO 2018

Ordo 2018 and Carlo Catholic Calendar are now available at our bookshop.
Ordo (\$2.50) and Bilingual Calendar (\$5)
Calendar with large print, liturgical feasts and colour indication.

