

# COUPLE EMPOWERMENT PROGRAMME

LIVE THE PROMISE ... EXPERIENCE THE JOY

The Couple Empowerment Program (CEP) will be introduced to our parish on SUN 19 Aug 2018 at 1pm-5.30pm at All Saints Hall.



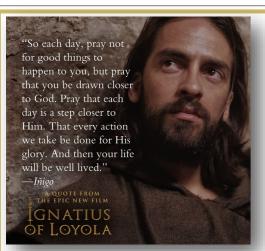
All married couples are invited to this introductory talk. CEP presents the beautiful truths on married love taught by the Church. You will also learn interesting life skills to enhance your marriage. The best gift you can give to your children is to love your spouse – Note that child minding will be available for those with young children.

Please contact Victor 91059921 or Andrea 98579075 Or visit the booth outside the church after Mass.

email goto cep@hotmail.com or visit www.cep-sg.org or facebook.com/CEP Register at http://tinyurl.com/CEPRegForm

#### WEEKDAY LUNCH TIME MASS IN THE BUSINESS DISTRICTS

Catholic Prayer Society invites you to celebrate the Eucharist with the Catholic community at our seven centres: [CBD] Orchard, Outram, Raffles Place, Shenton Way and Suntec City [East] Changi Business Park and [West] Jurong East. For details of the mass schedules, please refer to the CPS website (www.cps.org.sq).



## **MOYIE NIGHT**

## IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA

Soldier, Sinner, Saint

## Friday, 17th August at 8pm The Auditorium, 4th Floor

We all know St. Ignatius of Loyola as the founder of the Society of Jesus, one of the most influential religious orders in the world.

This film, however, focuses on the saint at his most human, fighting with opposing powers both human and supernatural. It is a masterpiece of God's mercy, of metanoia and the drama of sainthood. Looking to reflect on your spiritual life? Come see this film. Thinking of a way to unwind on a Friday night? Come anyway and see how transformation is possible - and how life can take on a whole new meaning in the face of despair. PG 13 (Violence) Runtime: 126min

Food will be available for sale in canteen from 7pm-7.45pm



## 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.

4 & 5 Aug 2018

**Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time** 

#### First Reading

Exodus 16: 2-4, 12-15

## **Second Reading**

Ephesians 4: 17, 20-24

## Gospel

John 6: 24-35

#### Reflection



#### **GOD'S WORK**

We are so busy! Most of us have more than one job to do, and we never seem to have enough time. We are workers, volunteers, parents, friends, and most of us are more than one thing at a time. But which of these is the work of God?

We seldom view our ordinary work as being the work of God. We may think that we have to be ministers or priests, missionaries or charity workers, engaged fulltime in works formally identified as being "God's work." But everything we do with a faithful heart and with love for others is God's work. We each have our own role to fill in the world, and many gifts are necessary. We cannot always see the direct connection of our daily work to the plan of God. But we trust and we believe that God leads us to do what is needed, where it is needed. What is "God's work?" "This is the work of God, that you believe in the one he sent" (John 6:29). Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

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

## **MASS SCHEDULE**

#### **Weekdays:**

Lauds - 6.15am, Mass - 6.30am Vespers - 6pm, Mass - 6.15pm Lunchtime Mass - 12.15pm

#### **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:

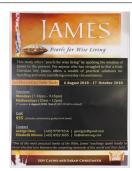
Please contact the Secretariat, at least six months before for availability of dates.

## **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.



# JAMES: PEARLS FOR WISE LIVING AN 11-PART BIBLE STUDY

6 Aug 2018 - 17 Oct 2018

**Mon** 7.45pm – 9.45pm *Or* **Wed** 10am – 12pm

\*Mandatory 1<sup>st</sup> session for all participants: Mon, 6 Aug 2018, 7.45pm @ #03-10

Only 60 slots available! **Registration** 21/22 , 28/29 Jul 2018

**Cost** \$35 (includes commentary guide and work book)

'Financial assistance available - please contact organisers for details'

**For details:** George – 9739 9216 / georgejc@gmail.com Elizabeth – 8322 3655 / liz@oliveirosq.com

#### **ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

Wednesday, 15 August 2018
Mass Timing

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Tuesday, 14 Aug: 6.15pm, 8pm (Mandarin)

Wednesday, 15 Aug: 6.15am, 12.15pm, 6.15pm and 8pm

\*Present flowers to Our Lady on the Feast of the Assumption Sales of coupons start this weekend.

## **DEVOTION TO SAINT PIO**

## **Church of the Holy Cross**

On Sunday, 12 August @4pm,

@St Michael Room

(Every 2nd Sunday of the Month)

## **PUBLIC HOLIDAY MASS**

## Thursday, 9 Aug

being National Day holiday, Mass will begin at <u>8am</u>

\*NO 6.15pm evening mass \*



## **HOUSEBOUND MINISTRY**

We welcome parishioners especially those with own transport to join the Sunday and weekday teams to visit and bring Holy communion to the housebound. Training will be provided. Contact Secretariat 67775858 for application form.

## INTENTIONAL SUNDAY OFFERING



Out of gratitude for what the Lord has given us, our offering on Sundays should be purposeful and intentional. Do make use of the envelope provided and prepare at home the amount you are offering during weekend masses.



