

AN EVENING OF WITNESS

For Youth By Youth

Calling all young people (age 16-35) to an evening of praise and worship, teaching, testimony, creative activities and prayers.

The program is presented by participants of the School of Witness (SOW).

Invite your non-Catholic friends to come along.

Date: 25th February, Monday

Venue: All Saints Hall

Time: 730pm-10pm

Sign up here: <https://tinyurl.com/SOW19holycross>

For inquiry, contact Jonathan Chng



INFANT BAPTISM

SUNDAY, 3 MARCH 2019

Preparatory Session: Sun, 24 Feb at 12.45pm @ St Michael Room

Compulsory for parents & godparents



Abundance By Nicholas Lye

FAITH FORMATION FOR YOUNG ADULTS (18-35 YRS)

Friday, 22 Feb @7.45-9.45pm, Room 03-08

Topic: "Not about me?"

Sign up at tinyurl.com/abundanceholycross

Golf 4 Fun'd 2019

(IN AID OF CENACLE SISTERS BUILDING FUND)

Wednesday, 24 April 2019, 1pm at Orchid Country Club

The various categories of sponsorships are:

- ✓ Golf flights (Platinum/Gold/Silver/Bronze)
- ✓ Non-golfers dinner table at \$1000/per table or \$100/per pax
- ✓ Outright donation in cash or cheque



Log on to our website: www.holycross.org.sg for more details
or contact Dominic Bui at 96221086



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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.

16 & 17 Feb 2019

First Reading

Jeremiah 17: 5-8

Second Reading

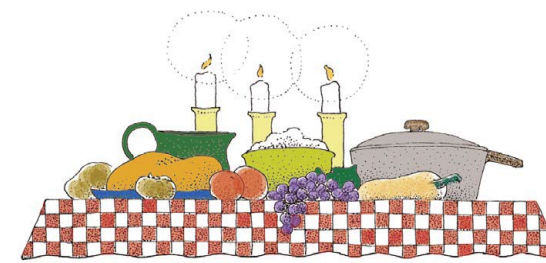
1 Corinthians 15: 12, 16-20

Gospel

Luke 6: 17, 20-26

**Sixth Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

Reflection



BLESSED

When we think of the word "Beatitude" we think of today's discourse from Luke's Gospel, or the more familiar one from Matthew (which begins "Blessed are the poor in spirit . . ."). Actually, beatitudes occur throughout the prophets and Gospels. Today in Jeremiah (with an echo in the psalm) we hear, "Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord" (Jeremiah 17:7). Following his resurrection in John's Gospel, Christ proclaims, "Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed" (John 20:29). The evangelists placed these sayings throughout the Gospels as short reminders about the characteristics that one will find in a follower of Christ, characteristics that will help spread the Good News in this life and lead to eternal blessings in the next. In Latin, the saints are called the *Beati*, the "Blessed," for they are the ones who lived the "blessed" life as described by Jesus throughout the Gospels. How blest are we, when we also strive to make our own days a living beatitude! Copyright©J.S.Paluch Co.

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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.

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

CANA invites you to the screening of SISTER

Saturday 23 February, 3 pm at Cana, 55 Waterloo Street, 2nd Floor.

Sr Gerard Fernandez became a death row counsellor after her experience with the 2 wives of the infamous Adrian Lim - a spirit medium whose outrageous story of sex and rituals shocked the entire nation. Join us for the screening and panel discussion which will include Sr Gerard of course!

Registration: 63384080 or email canatheplacetobe2013@gmail.com

CHOICE WEEKEND 29 - 31 MAR 2019

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.

Date: 29 - 31 Mar 2019 (Friday evening to Sunday evening)

Venue: Choice Retreat House, 47 Jurong West Street 42, Singapore 649368

Enquiries: Celia (9876 3214) Register & Info: <http://www.choice.org.sg/>

GIFT PROGRAM OF CATHOLIC FOUNDATION

This weekend, there will be a second collection for the GIFT (Giving in Faith & Thankfulness) campaign to build a more vibrant, evangelistic and missionary Church. Please give generously for the vision of the archdiocese.

More info is available at gift.catholicfoundation.sg



COME ALIVE: A WEEKEND RETREAT – 2ND RUN

Pray with the songs from the movie, "The Greatest Showman".

Discover who you are and discern God's dream for you.

Where are you fully alive, and what keeps you from being fully alive?

Presented at Montfort Centre. 8 – 10 March.

Contribution: \$345 (Single) \$270 (Twin).

Registration: anthonyatmontfort@gmail.com or 96311943.

HOLY CROSS CHARISMATIC RENEWAL MOVEMENT

Come SING PRAISES, THANK the LORD and PRAY for healing with us.

on Tuesdays 7.45pm @ All Saints Hall, Level 1

TOPICS FOR TALKS IN FEBRUARY 2019

- PERSONAL WITNESSING -

19 Feb : Life and Health (Nick Chia)

26 Feb : The walk with GOD- An Ignatian Camino (Clare Teo)

* All are Welcome



PARISH HOME VISITS

Our Parish will be having home visits to the Dover Estate during the 3rd and 4th week of February.

Our admin members will call you to make appointment for our visits. Members of the visiting teams will be visiting homes to get to know you and to share with you our vision of promoting good relationship among Catholic neighbours.



They will present to you the authorization letter from our Parish Priest Fr. Henry Siew. We seek your kind cooperation and we are looking forward to meet your families. Thank you.

PARISH TEE-SHIRT



The new commemorative parish tee-shirt will be AVAILABLE for ordering to all parishioners on this weekends at the main church entrance after masses EXCEPT Sunday 5pm.

On weekdays, please approach the Secretariat who will be taking your orders if you need to try for size!

Adult tees selling for \$15 and children for \$12!!

SUPPORT YOUR PARISH!! BUY YOUR HOLY CROSS TEE!

RCIA – Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Starts MARCH 2, Saturdays at 10 am to 12 noon

A call to ACTION: Every parishioner to pray and invite your non-Catholic friends to know more about our Catholic faith. WhatsApp at least 1 friend the RCIA form at this link <https://tinyurl.com/RCIA-form> or scan the QR code.

We need more facilitators, sponsors and guitarist to join us.

Registration form is available at the information slots.

For enquiries, please contact Agnes Tiong @98245926

or email agnestiong31@gmail.com



14-DAY FABULOUS EASTERN EUROPE (22 APRIL - 5 MAY)

(Hungary/ Poland/ Czech) Pilgrimage-Holiday

Spiritual Director: Fr Anthony Vinay

Fare: SGD\$4,782/pax (twin-sharing, INCLUSIVE ALL TAXES)

SGD\$ 976/pax (additional for single-supplement)

ENQUIRY: Faith Tours & Travel Pte Ltd

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