



SPECIAL TALK

by Fr Joseph Edattu of Divine Retreat Centre (London)

**Monday, 1st July, 8pm-10pm
at Church of the Holy Cross**

Please invite your family and friends to come!

No 6.15pm Mass

RCIA FAITH JOURNEY 2019/2020

Do you know of someone interested in the Catholic faith?
Introduce him/her to our new batch of RCIA conducted by Fr Henry Siew & team.

English Session: Every Thursday 7.45pm
Begin on 11 July

Mandarin Session: Every Tuesday, 7.45pm
Begin on 9 July

For Enquiry: holycrosschurch.rcia@gmail.com
Registration forms are available at the information
slots outside the church and the secretariat office,
or you may scan this QR code with your
smartphone to register.



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.*

8&9 June 2019

**Pentecost
Sunday**

First Reading

Acts 2:1-11

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13

Gospel

John 20:19-23

Reflection



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RECONCILED DIVERSITY

A few years ago, during Rome's quiet summer, Pope Francis took a day off to visit privately with some old friends, whose identity took Catholic Italy by surprise: Evangelical Protestants. They welcomed Francis to their Pentecostal Church of Reconciliation, where Francis asked pardon for Catholic persecutions and celebrated the Holy Spirit's "pentecostal work." Unlike Satan, declared Francis, who creates division among God's children, the Holy Spirit creates a diversity rich and beautiful. And unity; not uniformity, Francis specified, but unity in diversity. Francis named the Spirit's gift "reconciled diversity." Pentecost's rich treasury of scriptural readings, for Saturday's vigil and Sunday's morning liturgy, traces the Holy Spirit's work from creation's beginning, through Jesus' resurrection, into the church's earliest days, now into our days. Kindled in our hearts, the Spirit's gentle fire is ours to share generously, even with those most strikingly different from us. All hearts are Spirit-warmed by reconciled diversity.

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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.

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2019 Church of the Holy Cross Celebrates 40th Anniversary

REGISTRATION FOR HOME VISIT to CLEMENTI AVENUE 1



The priests and volunteers will be visiting Catholics
staying in housing block between

Clementi Ave 1 and Commonwealth West Avenue.

We invite those who have yet register to register now. Send your
name, address & mobile no. to the Secretariat at 9729 9287 for registration.

YOUNG ADULT COMMUNITY



Young adults aged 21-35 are invited to join a faith sharing group.
Meeting every Friday, begin on 5 July.

Register now!

Registration: Scan QR code to register

Enquiry: Jonathan Chng 8233 0392



NO CATECHISM CLASSES

for all levels in the month of June. Classes will resume on 6 July for
Secondary Levels and 7 July for Primary levels.

NO CANTEEN during school holidays.

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR

COME EXPERIENCE THE RISEN LORD!

God is calling you, God is waiting for you.

**LISS will be on Tuesdays from July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30,
and August 6, 20 & 27.**



Registration for LISS will be conducted on the weekend of 15 & 16 June 2019. Please approach the Charismatic Renewal Movement members after each mass for any clarification or assistance.

Alternatively, you may email your interest to holycrossliiss@gmail.com or whatsapp/message to 85403551

Adult who wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation are required to participate in this program as their preparation course.

BROADWAY COMES TO TOWN!!!

Cana invites you to the presentation of the Gospel of Luke and the Acts of the Apostles by Broadway actor, Bruce Kuhn. Bruce was in Singapore a few years ago and played to packed audiences - he's back with the same fervour, same passion for spreading the good news of Luke and Acts. We promise you will leave remembering the Scripture a little bit more than before. His performance is riveting, inspiring and unforgettable.

Don't miss out -

The Gospel of Luke: 13 June 8 pm at COTT and 15 June 2 pm at SMOTA

The Acts of the Apostles: 14 June 8 pm at QOP and 15 June 8 pm at SMOTA.

RECOGNIZING SIGNALS OF TRANSCENDENCE:

A PENTECOST RETREAT By Sr. Linda Lizada & team

The title, inspired by Peter Berger's "A Rumor of Angels", notes that even in our secularized world, human experience shows signs of a divine presence through signals of transcendence. The retreat suggests ways of recognizing these signals and ways of responding to them.

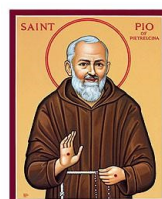
On 12 July 8 pm -14 July 1 pm (2019), at Montfort Ctr, 622 Upp Bt Timah Rd S678117. Contribution: \$300. Register at www.cenaclemission.com

DEVOTION TO SAINT PIO

Church of the Holy Cross

Sunday, 9 June at 4pm @St Michael Room

(Every 2nd Sunday of the Month)



UPCOMING COURSES/TALKS BY CARITAS SINGAPORE

1. Personal Moral Compass Course 2019 by Rev Fr David Garcia, OP
The Personal Moral Compass Course is for all Catholics and all people of goodwill interested in formation in the foundations of Ethics and Moral Theology.

Module 4: "Ethics of Love, Sex and Marriage"

is starting on 12 July 2019 for 7 Sessions,

Fridays, 7:30pm to 9:30pm, at Catholic Centre, 55 Waterloo Street

For more information and registration, please refer to the Caritas Singapore website: www.caritas-singapore.org or email to formation@caritas-singapore.org

2. Talk on Parenting Essentials

Friday, 12 July, 7.30pm – 9.30pm

at Caritas Singapore-Agape Village, 7A Lorong 8 Toa Payoh.

Speakers: Rev Fr Henry Siew

Ms Josephine Loh (Morning Star Community Services)

Fr Henry will speak developing essential parenting qualities by giving priority to spiritual values, while Ms Loh will share the key elements of communications, and how to apply problem solving steps to help your children cope with stress.

Email agapevillage@caritas-singapore.org to register.

HOUSEBOUND MINISTRY

Parishioners are invited to join the Housebound Ministry to befriend, pray and bring Holy Communion to the sick/homebound. Training will be provided. Those with their own transport will be an asset. Contact Secretariat 6777 5858 for application form.



GIFT PROGRAM OF CATHOLIC FOUNDATION



Next weekend, 15/16 June, being the 3rd weekend of the month, there will be a second collection for the GIFT (Giving in Faith & Thankfulness) campaign to support the organisations and projects of the archdiocese.

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 JUNE 2019

11 Jun: Being One with the Lord in Community (Easter reflection Week 6)

18 Jun: Living in the City of God (Easter reflection Week 7)

25 Jun: Sharing: The Body of Christ