

ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Thursday, 15 August 2019

Mass Timings

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

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

** Present flowers to Our Lady on
the Feast of the Assumption **

*Flowers donation coupons will be available at the entrance of
the church on the weekends of 3&4 and 10&11 August.*



RECRUITMENT DRIVE FOR MHnH

The Ministry to the Hospitalised and Nursing Homes (MHnH) visits our brothers and sisters at NUH & nursing homes with prayers and Holy Communion. We are able to share in their faith and their spiritual joy during the visits.

The ministry is planning to add another weekly visit to NUH and expand our strength at the nursing homes, therefore, needs more volunteers.

Parishioners are invited to join the MHnH.

COME & SEE. Training will be provided.

Please call Secretariat at 67775858 or email to
holycross@singnet.com.sg for an application form.



PARISH Holy Hour

First Friday of the month

2 August 2019, 8pm

@ Main Church

Come, let us adore the Lord
as a parish community.

CHILDREN'S EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every 1st Friday of the month

2 August 2019, 7.45pm-9pm

at St Michael's room

Children 5-12 year olds are welcome.

MOVIE NIGHT

Friday, 16 August, 7.45pm

@ The Auditorium



Screen time will begin at 7.45pm
due to the length of the movie,
there will be a 10min interval.

Food and drinks will be on sale
from 7 pm to 7.45 pm.



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.*

27&28 July 2019

**Seventeenth
Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

First Reading

Genesis 18:20-32

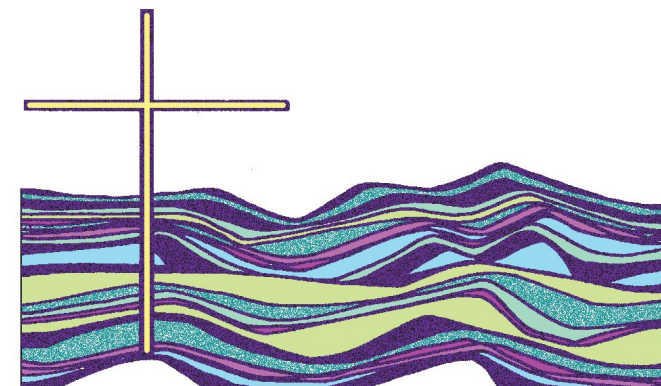
Second Reading

Colossians 2:12-14

Gospel

Luke 11:1-13

Reflection



ASKING FOR HELP

The Beatitudes praise the poor in spirit. One characteristic of those who are poor in spirit is their ability to ask for help; they know when others can provide what they lack. Today's readings encourage us to practice poverty in spirit by asking God for what we need. What could be more natural than to ask God for good things? God is, after all, the inventor of goodness and the giver of all good things.

Asking God for help puts us in conversation with God. These conversations take many forms. The reading from Genesis shows Abraham bantering with God like a skilled negotiator, while Saint Paul's letter to the Colossians praises God for answering us even when we don't deserve it. In Saint Luke's Gospel, Jesus not only gives us words to use in our conversations with God (the Our Father), but also promises that God always listens to our prayers.

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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.

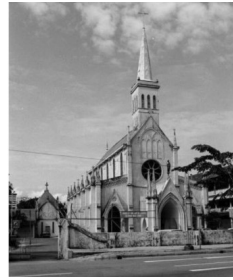
Para Counselling Services:

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.



CHURCH OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

The volunteers from the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes is coming to our parish this weekend to raise funds for their church restoration.

Appreciate your generosity in supporting them.

CATHOLIC FOUNDATION DINNER 2019

Catholic Foundation will be organising a dinner hosted by His Grace, Archbishop William Goh to raise the needed funds to fulfil the vision of our archdiocese.

Tables are available for sale at this fully sponsored dinner.

Date: Wednesday, 11 September

Time: **5.30pm - Registration**, Cocktail Reception, and Faith Works: a Christian themed art exhibition

7.00pm - Dinner

Venue: The Commune, Village Hotel at Sentosa
10 Artillery Avenue, #02-01 S 099951



To book a table or for more information, please contact Caroline Kung at 6338-0348 or email cfddinner@catholic.org.sg
Alternatively, visit www.catholicfoundation.sg/cfdinner or scan the QR code.

WELCOMING RETURNING CATHOLICS

Returned! An evening of testimonies by Catholics who have returned and strengthened their faith with the help of Landings will be held on **23 August 2019**, Friday at the Cathedral of the Good Shepherd. You will hear stories of struggles, challenges, grace and reconciliation. Please register via <https://bit.ly/2Dz549P> or scan the QR code on the poster.

The next Landings programme will be available in the following parishes from September:

Date	Parish	Day	Time
13 Sept – 29 Nov 2019	Cathedral of the Good Shepherd	Friday	7.30pm – 9.30pm
16 Sept – 2 Dec 2019	Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour	Monday	8.00pm - 10.00pm

We invite Catholics seeking a reconnection with the Faith and those interested in this ministry to participate in this 10-week programme. Interested participants will need to register. Registration closes on **25 August 2019**.

Please email returning@landings.org.sg or find out more at www.landings.org.sg.

SURVIVING DIVORCE 2019

Maybe you are going through a divorce or a separation right now; or perhaps it has been some time since your divorce. No matter where you are in your journey, this programme can help. In Surviving Divorce: Hope and Healing for the Catholic Family, we address some of the most immediate challenges men and women experience during and after a divorce.

Date: 22 August to 7 November 2019 (Thursday evenings)

Time: 7.30pm to 9.30pm

Venue: St Maximilian Mary Kolbe Classroom (Level 2),
Church of St Mary of the Angels

Contribution: Non-refundable fee of SGD60

Register at <https://catholicfamily.org.sg/sd/> or contact Jileen (93836868), Joann (97804456) or email: cdsg@acf.org.sg.

INTRODUCTION TO THEOLOGY OF THE BODY

In addition to the above-mentioned programme, there will be an introduction to the Theology of the Body which is specially tailored for all Divorced and Separated Catholics.

Date: 17 August 2019 (Saturday)

Time: 9.30am to 12.30pm

Venue: Church of the Holy Cross

Speaker: Andrew Kong

Register at <https://catholicfamily.org.sg/sd/> or contact Jileen (93836868), Joann (97804456) or email: cdsg@acf.org.sg.

(Presented by Archdiocesan Commission for the Family)

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 started on 11 July

Mandarin Session: Every Tuesday, 7.45pm started 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.

