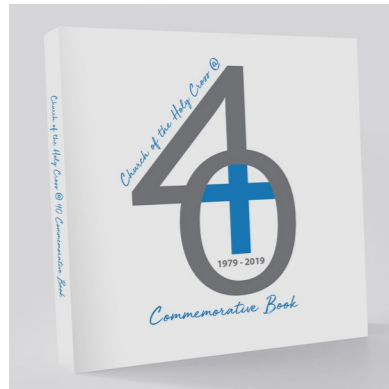


40TH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATIVE BOOK

The committee is finalizing the preparation for the publicity of this commemorative book to be launched during our Parish Feast Day celebration in September.



The cost of 2000 copies of this 300-page book is about \$25,000. We hope that each family in the parish would get one copy. It will be sold at a discounted price when ready.

To defray the cost, we are having a second collection this weekend for this purpose.

Thank you for your support.

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 contact Secretariat at 67775858 for application form.

ALTAR SERVER RECRUITMENT



Ever dreamed of serving God through the celebration of mass?

Wondering how to serve the mass? Do you enjoy the company of your peers and making new friends?

Calling out all men who are Primary 3 and above. Come and serve at the foot of the Lord!

Sign up now at the entrance of the church or collect a registration form from the box located outside the servers room (Room at the canteen beside St Michaels room).

For more information, please contact:

John Woo at 96645295 or Gerald Leong at 91176541



Church of the Holy Cross

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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.

13&14 July 2019

Fifteenth
Sunday in
Ordinary Time

First Reading

Deuteronomy 30:10-14

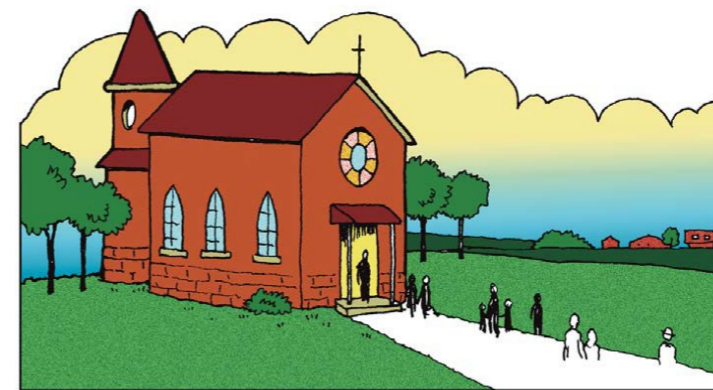
Second Reading

Colossians 1:15-20

Gospel

Luke 10:25-37

Reflection



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GOD WANTS TO BE KNOWN

The Old Testament reading from Deuteronomy praises God for inscribing the commandments in our very bodies. God's law is not distant or foreign, but a natural part of us. In his letter to the Colossians, Saint Paul echoes Moses, praising God for becoming one of us. The truly human, flesh-and-blood Jesus reminds us that God always wants to be recognizable and familiar to us. Jesus, who is also truly God, wants to be on intimate terms with each of us.

God's passionate desire to be known by us is almost too wonderful to take in. Luke's Gospel helps us understand how to respond. The Good Samaritan parable provides practical advice for those who believe in God's intimate love for them and want to share that love with others. 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.

SURVIVING DIVORCE RECOLLECTION

for the divorced or separated,
an evening of Recollection with Msgr Ambrose Vaz.



"A time to seek out the Lord and walk closer with Him in our lives."

Date: Thursday, 20 July 2019, 7.30-9.30pm

Venue: CAEC, St John's Room

To register:

<https://catholicfamily.org.sg/surviving-divorce-recollection-registration-form/>

For more info: Please call Jileen Tan at 9383 6868.



PARISH HOME VISIT

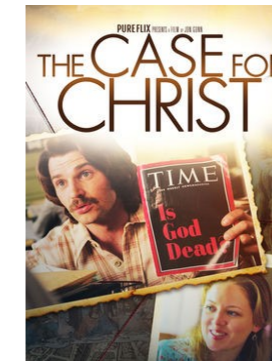
The parish team will be visiting parishioners residing within
Clementi Ave 1 and Commonwealth West Avenue
from 19 July onwards.

The admin team will contact you for an appointment.
We look forward to this encounter. Thank you.

MOVIE NIGHT – JULY 2019

" THE CASE FOR CHRIST"

Friday, 19 July, 8pm @ The Auditorium



The Case for Christ is a film adapted of Lee Strobel's best selling book of the same name, one that has made an enormous splash in Evangelical circles and beyond. It is the story of a young, ambitious (and atheist) reporter for the Chicago Tribune, who fell into a psychological and spiritual crisis when his wife became a Christian.

In order to resolve the tension, Lee used his considerable analytical and investigative skills to debunk the faith that was so beguiling his wife. The focus of his inquiry was, at the suggestion of a Christian colleague at the Tribune, the resurrection of Jesus. If Jesus didn't rise, his friend explained, Christianity crumbles like a house of cards. The narrative unfolds...

PG 1hr 52mins

*** Food will be available for sale in the Canteen 7pm–7.45pm ***

NEW EVANGELISATION CONFERENCE 2019

Organized by: Office for the New Evangelisation
Speakers include Rev Fr Terence Pereira & Rev Fr Gino Henriques, CSsR.

Saturday, 27 Jul 2019, 9.30am - 4pm

Venue: PSB Academy @ Marina Sq, 6 Raffles Blvd

Come and find out what evangelization is and is not! This conference will equip Catholics with new and innovative ways to tell others about Jesus.

To register visit: www.one.org.sg/events

GIFT PROGRAM OF CATHOLIC FOUNDATION

Next weekend, 20/21 July, being the 3rd weekend of the month, there will be a second collection to receive your monthly pledges and contributions for the GIFT (Giving in Faith & Thankfulness) campaign to support the organisations and projects of the archdiocese. Every Catholic is encouraged to sign up for a pledge to help with continued support for the numerous archdiocesan organisations needed for the mission of the church. More info is available at gift.catholicfoundation.sg.



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

LISS sessions from July to August.



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.

