



PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP  
**Redemptorist Community**

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**THANK YOU**

The Parish of Our Mother of Perpetual Help gratefully thanks Rt. Rev Bishop Sebastian Francis for officiating the Sacrament of Confirmation for our 34 Candidates on Saturday, 24 September, 2016 during the 7pm Mass.

Thank you to our Faith Educators for faithfully guiding the candidates. God Bless one and all.

**PMPT** (Peninsular Malaysia Pastoral Team)  
Dear Parishioners

Kindly take note that the PMPT (Peninsular Malaysia Pastoral Team) will be meeting in Plentong, Johore from Sunday 2 at 5pm till Wednesday 5, October.

In view of this there will be no 6.30 am mass in the parish hall from Monday, 3 till Thursday 6, October, 2016. Mass will resume on Friday, 7 October, 2016. Remember to pray for us at this meeting .

**NEW-INTAKE (or) "ADULT ENQUIRY TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH"**

RCIA on -

\* RCIA (E): Sun.25 Sept, 2016 @ 3pm

\* RCIA(T): Sun.25 Sept., 2016@ 11.30 am

\* RCIA (C): Fri.30 Sept, 2016 @ 8 pm.

**B.E.C. LEADERS**

There will be a meeting for all Leaders (E/C/T/BM) from all the language groups. Kindly be present for this month reflection and planning meeting on (date) Thursday, 29 September, 2016 (time) 8.00 pm (venue) St.Mark's room

**Air Conditioning work will commence from 19 September, 2016 to 2 December, 2016.** Novena devotion and Masses will be held in the parish hall.

**Time for Masses and Novena devotion** will be as follows:-

- \* **Novena devotion** – Saturday - 9 am & 5 pm
- \* **Sunset Mass (Sat.)** – 5.45 pm (E) 7.00 pm (E)
- \* Sunday Mass - 7.00 am (E)
- 8.30 am (BM)
- 10.00 am (T)
- 11.30 am (C)
- \*Weekday Masses - 6.30am

Thank you for your cooperation and for supporting your parish.



**SYMBOLON Sunday, 25 September, 2016**

in AV Room from 3.00-4.30pm.

**Part 1, Ep.8 "Why do I need the Church?"**

(3.00pm - 3.30pm Video

3.30pm – 3.45pm Tea/Coffee break

3.45pm - 4.30 pm Conversation)

(food for thought)

Gospel: Luke 16: 19-31

“The Cry of the Poor”

Today's Gospel passage, we have the classic story of the rich man and the beggar, Lazarus. We see the striking comparison between their conditions in this life and in the hereafter.

We hear the cry of Lazarus, but more importantly, we hear "the cry of the rich man", begging God to send someone to warn his brothers and the reply: "If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, they will not be convinced, even if one should rise from the dead."

The Risen Lord lives on in the church, crying out in the name of the poor. It is that same Risen Lord who continues to warn us not to let our hunger for material wealth blind and deafen us to the needs of our less fortunate brothers and sisters.

To listen to the cry of the poor is a radical return to the fundamentals of our faith. It means putting on the mind of Christ. As the Psalmist says, it means "keeping faith forever, securing justice for the oppressed, giving food to the hungry, setting captives free and raising up those who are bowed down."

There are plenty of people like Lazarus in our world, crying out for the scraps from our table. And there are likewise plenty of people like the rich man - totally clueless of what is right before their eyes.

Acquiring the mind and spirit of Jesus means learning constantly how to let go, how to be willing to die to ourselves, how to rise from our own complacency. Jesus "emptied himself... took the form of a slave - humbled himself...obediently accepting even death, death on a cross."

**MARRIAGE:** Please contact the Parish Priest at least SIX MONTHS in advance.

**WEDDING BANNS** (2nd Publication)

\* Zachary Ong Eu Gene & Tan Ee Ching.

\* Lennard Jivan a/l Peter Mangalam Dus & Syamphrosa Helda Severius Moikon.

**BAPTISM:** Please contact the Parish Priest at least ONE MONTH in advance.

**PARISH ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS:**

*(September/October, 2016)*

* 25/9/2016	- 10.00 am	- RCIA (BM)	(St.Monica Rm.)
	- 11.30 am	- RCIA (T)	(St.Matthew Rm.)
	- 1.30 pm	- PHDC Learning Centre	(3rd floor)
	- 3.00 pm	- RCIA (E)	(St.Mark's Rm.)
* 26/9/2016	- 8.00 pm	- Fund Raising Committee	(St.Mark's Rm.)
* 27/9/2016	- 8.15 pm	- Legion of Mary (C)	(Matthew Rm.)
* 28/9/2016	- 8.00 pm	- Preparation for Parish Assembly & Retreat	(St.Mark's Rm.)
* 29/9/2016	- 8.00 pm	- Area Coordinators (E/C/T/BM)	(St.Mark's Rm.)
* 2/10/2016	- 10.00 am	- RCIA (BM)	(St.Monica Rm.)
	- 11.30 am	- RCIA (T)	(St.Matthew Rm.)
	- 1.30 pm	- PHDC Learning Centre	(3rd floor)
	- 3.00 pm	- RCIA (E)	(St.Mark's Rm.)

**COFFEE MORNINGS 2016:**

(All breakfast will go on till 11.30 a.m.)

- J 25/9/2016 – BEC St.Jude (Catherine)
- J 2/10/2016 – BEC St. John Apostle (Silin)
- J 16/10/2016 – BEC St.Gerard (Victor)
- J 23/10/2016 – BEC St.Monica (Dass)

**BIBLE REFLECTIN & HOME-GATHERINGS:**

\* 30/9/2016 – 8.00 pm – BEC St.Francis de Sales; Home of Lawrence & Patricia.

**BLESSING & OPENING OF ST. JOSEPH'S HALL**

Rev.Fr. Eugene Fernandez,CSsR will officially bless and open the St.Joseph's Hall at St.Mary's Chapel, Kg.Tersusun on Sunday, 9 October, 2016 at 10am.

**APPEAL FOR DONATIONS**

To help subsidize the cost of installing Air-Conditioners in OMPH church, we appeal to your generosity to help support this project.

Donors, Benefactors and friends who would like to give their assistance towards this project may contribute at the parish office. Thank you for your generosity and support. God bless.

**OMPHIP Web Workshop**

Calling all who are interested in OMPH website workshop.

It will be held on  
(date) Sat. 8 October, 2016.  
(time) 10.30 am  
(venue) St.Mark's Rm.  
Please bring along your laptop.

**JOB VACANCY** at Home for the Aged

(CWS) Simee, Ipoh -  
Caregiver with Medical experience  
(Full-time/Part-time)  
Contact: Helen Lai/Alicia Yong  
(05 5473 252/05 5452 449)

**NOVENA PRAYERS TO ST.PEREGRINE**

EVERY TUESDAY AT 5.45 PM in the Meditation Room. During this Novena Devotion, names of cancer patients will be lifted up. All are invited.  
For enquiries, call: 019-5769166/  
012-5833904.

**CHRISTIAN MEDITATION TIME**

All are welcome to join the Christian Meditation group which meets  
\* EVERY FRIDAY ( 6 PM TO 7 P.M.)  
\* EVERY SATURDAY AT 11.00 A.M. – 12 NOON in the Meditation room.

**OMP CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL**

Come join us in our Praise and Worship every Wednesday at 8.00 pm in church.

**ENGLISH EVENING FOR THE ENGAGED 2016-**

Couples planning to get married in the year 2016, please take note of the EE Weekends which will be held in Penang Stella Maris. You are requested to register six (6) weeks before the weekend dates.

2-4 September, 2016

11-13 November, 2016

**IPOH CATHOLIC CEMETERY**

Parishioners who visit the Tambun cemetery, please take note that due to security reasons the gates will be close from 6.00 pm till 8.00 am