



PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP
Redemptorist Community

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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

FROM YOUR PARISH PRIEST -

Feastday Novena is around the corner. Hope you have received the handout of our Feastday program. Come as a family every night to celebrate together, pray together and grow together. Remember to pray for good weather too!

FEASTDAY OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP, IPOH GARDEN –

Date: **Saturday, 24 June, 2017**

Theme: **“Mary: Mother of Family Life”**

9 nights of Preached Novena (E) will start on Friday, 16 of June, 2017 at 7.30pm followed by Mass at 8 pm. Please refer to your feastday pamphlet. Kindly take note that there will be no 6.30am mass during the days of preached Novena.

Preached Triduum

For the Chinese speaking

- Sunday 18 June till 20 June each night starting with rosary at 7.30pm followed by Mass (C) in the parish hall.

For Bahasa speaking – Mon. 19 June till

Wed. 21 June each night starting with rosary at 7.30pm followed by Mass (BM) in ven Francis Xavier Room.

For the Tamil speaking – Wed. 21 June till

Fri. 23 June each night at 7.30pm with Novena devotion (T) followed by Mass (T) in the parish hall.

Mass intentions can be submitted to the parish office.

FEASTDAY DONATION:

We appeal to your generosity to help us to defray the cost of our feastday celebrations. You can submit your donation envelope to the Parish office or insert it at the Novena Shrine metallic box. If a receipt is required, please fill in your name and address clearly on the envelope. Thank you.

CONSECRATION OF FAMILIES

To consecrate your family to Our Mother Mary's care, please submit your list of names early as it will be of help for the team to count and total the numbers of families. Please submit the list of names for consecration by 23 June, 2017. You can hand in this list at the parish office or put it in the Novena Shrine metallic box. Please state the total number of FAMILIES. Thank you for your cooperation.

(food for thought)

Gospel: John 20: 19-23

“The Soul of Christianity”

“Peace be with you.” When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.” And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained.” (Jn 20:19-23)

Discerning where the Spirit leads us has always been a difficult task - from our Church's earliest beginnings right up to the present time - especially for a pilgrim people in a pilgrim Church. For so long we have been content with viewing our faith as a kind of spectator sport; it has now become a contact sport, and we find ourselves right in the middle of things.

So Pentecost is not just a feast - it is the "soul" of Christianity. It is the unending miracle of God's love poured out in the hearts of believers. It is the abiding power source of Gospel living. In the face of a Church in transition we might be tempted to sit back passively and let this feast go unnoticed.

But we cannot and must not be passive. We cannot resist change, but welcome it, foster it. Above all, we must not fear the movements of the Spirit, but embrace them with trust, with generosity and with courage. It is only by becoming fully a part of the Easter/Pentecost miracle that we will overcome our own personal prejudices and become instruments of the Spirit, to create a new church and a new world of unity and peace, and happiness and holiness.

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

BAPTISM: Please contact the Parish Priest at least ONE MONTH in advance.
Next Infant Baptism will be held on **Sun. 11 June, 2017.**

PARISH ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS:

(June 2017)

- * 4/6/2017 - 9.30am - Ssn. with Neophytes (St.Mark's Rm.)
- * 4/6/2017 - 11.30am - Tamil Apostolate (St.Paul's Rm.)
- * 5/6/2017 - 7.00 pm - CCR (Matthew Rm.)
- * 8/6/2017 - 8.00 pm - Liturgy Script Writers (St.Mark's Rm.)
- * 10/6/2017 - 3.30pm - Infant Baptism Ssn. & Rehearsal (St.Mark's Rm.)
- * 11/6/2017 - 2.30 pm - Preliminary Meeting with RCIA candidates (St.Mark's Rm.)
- * 12/6/2017 - 8.00 pm - Chinese Apostolate (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
- * 13/6/2017 - 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (Matthew Rm.)
- * 14/6/2017 - 8.00 pm - PHDC (St.Mark's Rm.)
- * 16/6/2017 - 6.30 pm - PHDC packing of rations (Wallace hse.)
- * 18/6/2017 - 10.00am - PHDC Distribution of rations (Wallace hse.)
- 1.30pm - PHDC Learning Centre (3rd floor)
- 3.00 pm - RCIA (St.Mark's Rm.)
- * 19/6/2017 - 7.00 pm - CCR (St.Matthew Rm.)

BIBLE REFLECTION & HOME-GATHERINGS:-

- Ñ 5/6/2017 - - BEC St.Jude; Home Mass.
- Ñ 6/6/2017 - 8.00 pm - BEC St.Philip; Home of Agnes Nyanammal.
- Ñ 7/6/2017 - - BEC St.Gerard; Home Mass
- Ñ 8/6/2017 - - BEC St.Michael; Home Mass.
- Ñ 9/6/2017 - 8.00 pm - BEC St.Francis de Sales; Home of Mary Celine & Jeyapragasam.
- Ñ 9/6/2017 - - BEC St.Monica; Home Mass.
(Home visitation on 6, 7, 8 June)

2017 COFFEE MORNINGS

- * 4/6/2017 - BEC St.Michael (Cecylee)
- * 11/6/2017 - BEC St.Gerard; (Victor)
- * 18/6/2017 - BEC St.Jude (Catherine)
- * 2/7/2017 - PHDC
- * 9/7/2017 - St.Peregrine (Margaret Fernandez)

ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO:-

+ Santhanamary a/p Doraisamy departed on 29 May, 2017,

PARISH PROJECTS –

The Parish have just completed two major projects; one is the trimming of trees around our church compound and the second project is installing of lights in our compound at different points to brighten up the place at night. Both these projects cost us approximately RM32,000/- which will be paid by the parish.

NEW-INTAKE for “ADULT ENQUIRY TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH”

Our RCIA is due to begin in June. Our **1ST PRELIMINARY MEETING** with Enquirers will be on **Sunday, 11 June, 2017 @ 2.30 pm till 3.30pm in St. Mark's room.**

To-date we have Eleven candidates who have signed up. We call upon parishioners to introduce more people to RCIA.

Be a disciple to bring a friend to know the love of Jesus and His teachings.

EVENING FOR THE ENGAGED 2017

Couples planning to get married in the year 2017, please take note of the EE Weekends english during the year. You are requested to register six (6) weeks before the weekend dates.

EE 112	18-20 Aug 2017
EE113	10-12 Nov 2017

Please see your Parish Priest for registration.

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 SATURDAY** AT 11.00 A.M. – 12 NOON in the Meditation room.

OMPH CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL

Come join us in our Praise & Worship
* Every Tuesday at 8.00 pm (T)
* Every Wednesday at 8.00 pm (E)

YOUTH CATECHESIS (DOCAT)

The Social Teachings of the Catholic Church in Tamil & English languages has been programmed to be a stay-in camp. Age requirement is 16 yrs. & above. Registration forms is available at the Parish Office.

English	Tamil
Date/Time	Date/Time
9/6/2017 (7.30pm)	16/6/2017 (7.30pm)
11/6/2017 (3.00 pm)	18/6/2017 (3.00 pm)
Venue	Venue
La Salle Centre, Ipoh	La Salle, Ipoh
Facilitator	Facilitator
Fr. Fabian Felix Dicom	Fr. Mark Michael