



PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP  
**Redemptorist Community**  
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### CALL TO MINISTRY & SERVICE

Date: **Sunday 12 May, 2019**  
 Time: 2 pm to 5 pm  
 venue: St. Mark's Room.  
 Representatives from various Parish Ministries will share about the work that each ministry are doing. Parishioners who are interested in serving in the parish ministries are encouraged to attend.

**NEW-INTAKE for "ADULT ENQUIRY TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH"** The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a program of induction into the Catholic Church. If you know of friends who are interested in making enquiry into the Catholic Faith please register now at the Parish office. Next In-take will be in July.

**ASCENSION MASSES** – Day of Obligation  
 \* **Thurs. 30 May, 2019**  
 Mass at 6.20 am and 8 pm (E)

**COMMISSIONING OF NEOPPHTES**  
 The Neophytes (Newly Baptized) will be commissioned on Sunday, 9 June, 2019 at the 8.00 am Mass. They are the living witnesses of the Way, the Truth and the Life of Jesus Christ. Let us pray for them.

### CATHOLIC UNDERSTANDING OF THE ROLE OF MARY

Organized by OMPH Catholic Charismatic Renewal.  
 (date) Wed. 29 May, 2019  
 (time) 8.00 pm  
 (Speaker) Rev.fr. Joseph Stephen, CSsR

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

All parish councilors are requested to be present for our Parish Pastoral Council meeting on  
 (date) **Sunday, 2 June, 2019**  
 (time) 7.30 pm  
 (venue) St.Mark's Rm.

### FEASTDAY OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP, Ipoh Garden

(date) **Saturday, 29 June, 2019.**  
 Theme: "Mary, Mother of Missions"  
 9-nights of Preached Novena (E) will begin on Friday, 21 June, 2019 at 7.30pm.

### FEASTDAY DONATION

We appeal to your generosity to help us to defray the cost of our Feastday. You can submit your donation envelope (pink) to the parish office or insert it at the Novena Shrine metallic box. IF A RECEIPT IS REQUIRED, PLEASE FILL IN YOUR NAME & ADDRESS CLEARLY ON THE ENVELOPE. Thank you.

(food for thought)

Gospel: John 10: 27-30

**"The smell of Sheep"**

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*"I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep."*

It's obvious from these words that our role as disciples of the Gospel is, first and foremost, that of reconciling, healing and uniting our people. We are to do that, not by using the power of the Gospel to instill fear and trembling; not to denigrate people who have differing points of view or belief-systems. Nor is it to exclude others, just because their expression of faith doesn't live up to what we believe to be the norm. In short, we are all shepherds; we need one another.

In Pope Francis Apostolic Exhortation, **Gaudete Et Exultate** - (*On The Call to Holiness in Today's World*), Pope Francis reaffirmed our call to discipleship and what it means to be a shepherd: "God is eternal newness. He impels us constantly to set out anew, to pass beyond what is familiar, to the fringes and beyond. He takes us to where humanity is most wounded, where men and women, beneath the appearance of a shallow conformity, continue to seek an answer to the question of life's meaning. God is not afraid! He is fearless! He is always greater than our plans and schemes. Unafraid of the fringes, He Himself became a fringe (cf. Phil 2:6-8; Jn 1:14). So if we dare to go to the fringes, we will find him there; indeed, he is already there. Jesus is already there, in the hearts of our brothers and sisters, in their wounded flesh, in their troubles and in their profound desolation. He is already there." (135)

Together we must find new ways to assure that all of God's people will never be without good shepherds.

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

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

**PARISH ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS:** (May, 2019)

- \* 12/5/2019 - 8.00 am - CLOW (St.Mark's Rm.)
- 10.00 am - RCIA (BM) (St. Monica Rm.)
- 1.00 pm - PHDC learning centre (3rd Fl.)
- 2.00 pm - RCIA (E ) "Intro. to Ministries" (St.Mark's Rm.)
- \* 13/5/2019 - 7.00 pm - CCR
- 8.00 pm - Chinese Apostolate (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
- \* 14/5/2019 - 8.15pm - Legion of Mary (C ) (St.Matthew's Rm.)
- \* 16/5/2019 - 8.00 pm - Tamil choir (St.Paul's Rm.)
- \* 17/5/2019 - 8.00 pm - PHDC packing of rations (Wallace hse.)
- 8.30pm - RCIA (C ) (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
- \* 18/5/2019 - 6.45pm - CLOW (St.Mark's Rm.)
- \* 19/5/2019 - 8.00 am - CLOW (St.Mark's Rm.)
- 10.00 am - RCIA (BM) (St. Monica Rm.)
- 10.00 am - PHDC distribution of rations (Wallace hse.)
- 1.00 pm - PHDC learning centre (3rd Fl.)
- \* 20/5/2019 - 7.00 pm - CCR
- \* 21/5/2019 - 8.15pm - Legion of Mary (C ) (St.Matthew's Rm.)
- \* 23/5/2019 - 8.00 pm - Tamil choir (St.Paul's Rm.)
- \* 24/5/2019 - 8.30pm - RCIA (C ) (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)

**COFFEE MORNINGS 2019:**

- \* 12/5/2019 - PHDC
- \* 26/5/2019 - Eucharistic Ministers.
- \* 9/6/2019 - BEC St.Philip.
- \* 23/6/2019 - Chinese Apostolate.
- \* 7/7/2019 - CCR
- \* 19/5/2019- Sun. Sch. (Form 4)
- \* 2/6/2019 - BEC St.Gerard
- \* 16/6/2019 - BEC St.Francis Xavier
- \* 30/6/2019 - Feastday Breakfast .
- \* 14/7/2019 - Lectors & Commentators (T)

**BIBLE REFLECTION & HOME-GATHERINGS:**

- \* 14/5/2019 - 8.00 pm - BEC St. Paul; Home of Janice & Aloysius Lai.
- \* 15/5/2019 - 8.30pm - BEC St.Anthony ( C); Home of Teresa Kong.
- \* 16/5/2019 - 8.30pm - BEC St.Joseph (C ); Home of Cathay Restaurant.
- \* 17/5/2019 - 8.00 pm - BEC St.Francis De Sales; Home of Lawrence & Patricia.
- \* 20/5/2019 - 8.00 pm - BEC St.Anne; Home of Veronica Wong.
- \* 21/5/2019 - 8.00 pm - BEC St.Philomena; Home of Francis & Evelyn Toh.
- \* 22/5/2019 - 5.30pm - BEC St. Benedict; Home of Sebastan Yoon.
- 8.30pm - BEC St.Alphonsus Liguori; Home of Alice Mary.
- \* 24/5/2019 - 8.00 pm - BEC St.Francis De Sales; Home of S.Benedict & Helen.
- \* 31/5/2019 - 8.00 pm - BEC St.Francis De Sales; Home of Michelle Koak.

**VACANCIES For**

- 1) **Manager/Supervisor**  
Male/Female individual between age 40-50 with administrative skills; experience working in a children's environment and ability to supervise a team of 15 staff.
- 2) **Administrative Clerk**  
Male/Female with computer knowledge and able to handle accounting. Experience would be an advantage. Must be willing to work as a team.
- 3) **Caregivers**  
Preferably female of age 45-55 with care-giving experience; able to live in and ability to speak English, Bahasa Malaysia & Mandarin would be an advantage. Young adults who love to work with children are also welcome to apply.  
Interested persons are encouraged to write with full resume to:-  
Board of Management, St.Joseph's Home, 52-K, Penang Road, 10000 Penang. email to: [sjhpenang@gmail.com](mailto:sjhpenang@gmail.com)/ call 04 2635418 for an appointment before 20 May,2019.

**THE SHINE PROJECT**, a women's NGO, that seeks to empower women of all ages and backgrounds presents to you **HER UNSEEN BEAUTY CONFERENCE 2019.**

Date: **Sat. 29 June,2019**  
Venue : Kinta Riverfront Hotel, Ipoh  
It is a ONE DAY WHOLESOME EMPOWERMENT event, bringing together speakers who are successful in their respective industries.  
For more details, kindly refer to the Notice-Board.

**CNG MALAYSIA 50th A.G.M**

The Catholic Nurses Guild Malaysia is conducting their AGM + Retreat in Taiping from **20 to 23 July, 2019.**  
Inviting all Catholic Nurses to attend this function with other catholic nurses from Malaysia. Contact: Mary Ang nee Mary Narayanasamy - 0165216387

**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).

**EVENING FOR THE ENGAGED 2019**

Couples planning to get married in the year 2019, please take note of the EE Weekends english during the year. You are requested to register six (6) weeks before the weekend dates.

EE121	12 – 14 July, 2019
EE122	18-20 Oct., 2019

**TAMIL MARRIAGE PREPARATION WEEKEND - 2019**

Closing date for registration (T): on 1st day of each month.

Chapel St.Chastan & Imbert, Prai		August 24,25,26
Domus St.Anne, Bukit Mertajam	May 23, 24, 25	November 22, 23, 24

**Please see your Parish Priest for registration.**