

PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP Redemptorist Community Rev Fr Patrick Massang, C.Ss. R. (Parish Priest) Rev Fr Philip Lai, C.Ss. R(Assistant Parish Priest)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

REGISTRATION FOR CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD Level 1 Atrium

CGS is inviting parents of children born in 2015/2016 to register their children for this beautiful process of building an intimate relationship with God. Registration forms are available before and after Mass outside the church. As the Atrium can only accommodate limited numbers, please register early to avoid disappointment. Contact: Monica 012 5280405 if you have further enguiries.

BLOOD DONATON

PHDC will be organizing a blood donation campaign on Sunday, **24 March, 2019**; from 8.00 am till 12 noon in the parish hall. We invite healthy and able bodies and regular blood Donors to help save lives.

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. The sessions will be held in English, Mandarin, Bahasa Malaysia & Tamil.

Rite of Enrolment – "Signing of the Book of Elect"

Our Catechumens are now reaching the end of their Catechumenate. On Sat. 23 Feb.,2019 during the 6.45pm Mass, the Catechumens who seek Baptism at Easter will have their names "enrolled" in the Book of Elect.

APPRECIATION DINNER - Sun.,

3 March, 2019 @ 7pm in the parish hall for our outgoing Parish priest, Rev.Fr. Joseph Stephen and his Assistant Parish priest, Rev.Fr. Paul Kee. Also, we welcome our Parish priest, Rev.Fr. Patrick Massang and his Assistant Rev.Fr. Philip Lai. Tickets @ RM50/pax, available after the weekend mass or at the parish office. Please get your tickets early to facilitate catering arrangements.

(Food for thought)

Gospel: Luke 5: 1-11

"Three Invitations"

All three readings today have a similar theme. They all recount individuals being called to the service of God.

Each of these three stories tells of different ways in which the loving presence of God changed people's lives.

The important point common to all three stories is that it's not the call the counts. It's how each person, Isaiah, Paul, Peter, James or John react to their calling. These men accepted the invitation despite their sense of unworthiness - and if we do the same, then our lives are can be as fulfilling as theirs.

Confronted by the challenges of life today and a culture often in opposition to the Gospel, modernday disciples of Christ can easily resort to moralistic preaching. But to be a church in witness requires an experience of the surprising, forgiving and overwhelming love of God. Only then can we all say, "Here I am, send me."

MARRIAGE: Please contact the Parish Priest at least <u>SIX MONTHS</u> in advance.

WEDDING BANNS (1st Publication)

** Timothy Arul Selvam Jeyaraj & Ruby Anne Selvarayan.* (2nd Publication)

* Benjamin Paul Eruthiasamy & Sharon Chong Seok Wah.

BAPTISM: Please contact the Parish Priest at least <u>ONE MONTH</u> in advance. Next infant baptism on 24 February, 2019.

	PARISH A	CTIVITIES	& MEETINGS:	(February 2019)	
1	* 10/2/2019	- 8.00 am	- CLOW		(St.Mark's Rm.)
	* 11/2/2019	- 7.00 pm	- CCR		
		- 8.00 pm	- PHDC		(St.Mark's Rm.)
	* 12/2/2019	- 8.15pm	- Legion of Mary (C)	(St.Matthew Rm.)
	* 14/2/2019	- 8.00 pm	- Tamil Choir		(St.Paul's Rm.)
	* 15/2/2019	- 8.00 pm	- PHDC packing o	f rations	(Wallace hse.)
		- 8.30pm	- RCIA (C)		(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
	* 16/2/2019	- 6.45pm	- CLOW		(St.Mark's Rm.)
	* 17/2/2019	- 8.00am	- CLOW		(St.Mark's Rm.)
		- 10.00 am	- PHDC distributio	n of rations	(Wallace hse.)
		- 10.00 am	- RCIA (BM)		(St. Monica Rm.)
		- 11.30 am	- RCIA (T)		(St. Matthew Rm.)
		- 3.00 pm	- RCIA (E)		(St.Mark's Rm.)

2019 COFFEE MORNINGS

* 10/2/2019 - BEC St. Francis de Sales.

* 17/2/2019 - Sun Sch. Faith Educators.

- * 24/2/2019 BEC St. Monica.
- * 3/3/2019 BEC St.Augustine.
- * 10/3/2019 BEC St. Joseph (C)
- * 17/3/2019 BM Apostolate.
- * 24/3/2019 St.Peregine group.
- * 31/3/2019 Divine Mercy group.
- * 7/4/2019 Sun. Sch. (Form 4)
- * 28/4/2019 BEC St.Philip.
- * 5/5/2019 BEC St. Joseph (E)
- * 12/5/2019 PHDC
- * 19/5/2019 Sun. Sch. (Form 3)

SHARING CHRIST... go bear fruit

In conjunction with the extraordinary Missionary Year 2019, Penang Diocesan New Evangelization Commission will be conducting SHARNG CHRIST, a **7-Saturday** (9am – 12 pm) **formation session** in (1) PDPI

(2) Church of St. Anne, B.Mertajam (3) Church of St. Michael, Ipoh starting on **2 March, 2019** to help develop an attitude of the heart that moves us to be open to share Jesus Christ with others and invite them to be part of the Church.

office. Online registration form: https://goo.gl/forms/6ZCw79az6dYx5gXF2 Closing date for registration: 22 Feb.,2019. Contact: Simon Wong (012 484 8884)

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

Registration form is available at the parish* 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.

DIPLOMA IN NURSING

Assunta Hospital is happy to announce that Tun Tan Cheng Lock College of Nursing, Petaling Jaya will be having a series of open interviews and open day for Diploma in Nursing 2019 intakes. The intakes are 15 April 2019 & 1 July 2019. Full scholarship is being offered to deserving candidates to pursue the 3 year Diploma in Nursing. For more information, kindly visit the website: <u>www.assuntacollege.edu.my</u> or call 03-78723078.

EE120	5 – 7 April, 2019
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.

ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO: + Theresa a/p Anthony departed on31 January, 2019.