



PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP
 Redemptorist Community
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The Parish Priest, Assistant Parish Priest and
 The Redemptorist Community
 would like to thank all Parishioners
 for their gifts and greetings.
 Thank you to all who have worked very hard
 decorating the church and the Crib to prepare for this
 Christmas season.
 To our liturgical ministries (all language groups) who planned
 and worked to have a meaningful Christmas.
 Thank you to all who gave their ideas and service and
 those who worked behind the scenes.
 The Parish appreciates your service and contribution;
 let us continue to work together.
 Wishing you all God's Blessing on this Christmas Day.
 Merry Christmas to you!

(Announcements..)

EVENING FOR THE ENGAGED 2018

Couples planning to get married in the year 2018, please take note of the EE Weekends english during the year. You are requested to register six (6) weeks before the weekend dates.

EE114	19-21 January, 2018
EE115	6-8 April, 2018
EE116	22-24 June 2018
EE117	24-26 August 2018
EE118	26-28 October 2018

Application forms can be obtained from your Parish priest or on website: www.ceepenang.org

TAMIL MARRIAGE PREPARATION WEEKEND – 2018

Chapel of St.s Chastan & Imbert	Feb 23, 24, 25. August 24, 25, 26.	Closing date on 1st day of each month
Domus St.Anne, Bukit Mertajam	May 25, 26, 27. November 23, 24, 25	Closing date on 1st day of each month

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.

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

will resume on Wed. 10 January, 2018

RETREAT FOR TAMIL SPEAKING MINISTRIES – by Fr. Joseph Stephen, CSsR

(date) Friday, 5 January, 2018
 (time) 8.00 pm – 10.00 pm
 (venue) St. Joseph's hall, St.Mary's chapel, Kg. Tersusun.

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

WEDDING BANNS: (2nd Publication)

* Samantha Chew Quin Li & Nicholas Xi Yang.

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

PARISH ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS:

(December 2017/January 2018)

* 28/12/2017	- 8.00 pm	- Holy Trinity prayer group (c)	(Meditation Rm.)
* 29/12/2017	- 8.00 pm	- RCIA (C)	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
* 2/1/2018	- 8.15pm	- Legion of Mary	(St. Matthew Rm.)
* 3/1/2018	- 8.00 pm	- Eucharistic Ministers	(St. Mark's Rm.)
* 4/1/2018	- 8.00 pm	- Tamil Choir (T)	(St. Paul's Rm.)
* 5/1/2018	- 8.00 pm	- RCIA (C)	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
* 7/1/2018	- 11.30am	- Inter-Religion (MCCBCHST) fellowship	(Parish hall)
* 8/1/2018	- 7.00 pm	- CCR	(Meditation Rm.)
	- 8.00 pm	- Chinese Apostolate	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
	- 8.00 pm	- Lectors & Commentators	(St. Mark's Rm.)
* 9/1/2018	- 8.15 pm	- Legion of Mary (C)	(St. Matthew Rm.)
* 10/1/2018	- 8.00 pm	- PHDC	(St. Mark's Rm.)
* 11/1/2018	- 8.00 pm	- Holy Trinity Prayer group	(Meditation Rm.)
* 21/1/2018	- 7.30pm	- Parish Pastoral Council	(St. Mark's Rm.)

2017 & 2018 COFFEE MORNINGS:

- * 7/1/2018 - Hospitality Ministers
- * 14/1/2018 - St. Mary's Chapel project & upgrading.
- * 21/1/2018 - St. Mary's Chapel YOUTH.
- * 28/1/2018 - BEC St. Monica.
- * 4/2/2018 - BEC St. John the Apostle (Zone 4)
- * 11/2/2018 - Sunday Catechism Teachers.

BIBLE REFLECTION & HOME-GATHERING:

- * 8/1/2018 - 7.30 pm - BEC All Saints; Home of Ronnie Tan.
- * 18/1/2018 - 11.00 am - BEC St. Mary Magdela; Home of Yvonne Lai.
- * 19/1/2018 - 8.00 pm - BEC St. Francis De Sales; Home of Lawrence & Patricia.
- * 21/1/2018 - 7.30 pm - BC St. Teresa; Home of Carmen & Edward Ngu.

ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO:

+ D Soosay Ammal a/p Doraisamy Pillay departed on 15 December, 2017.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

SCHEDULE FOR CHRISTMAS 2017

* **Sunday, 24/12/2017** (OMPH church)

Vigil Mass of the Nativity of the Lord

* 8pm Carol (T) * 8.30pm Mass (T)

* 11pm Carols (E) * 11.30pm Mass (E)

St. Mary's Chapel, Tersusun

(24/12/2017) Christmas Midnight Mass.

* 10.30 pm Carols (T)

* 11.00pm Mass (T)

* **Monday, 25/12/2017**

OMPH church

* 8.30am Carols (E)

* 9.00am Mass (E)

* 11.00am (C) Carols

* 11.30am Mass. (C)

PARISH UPGRADING!!!!

The parish will be constructing a roof covering from the St. Gerard's Cafeteria to the office. It will be fitted with lights and fan to make the place more conducive for gathering for our breakfast morning and other events. The whole project will cost approximately RM35,000/-. The project will begin in January 2018.

Donations can be made payable to "Parish of Our Mother of Perpetual Help". We look forward to your support and help.

(Parish priest)

NEW YEAR'S EVE MASS & CELEBRATION –

Sunday, 31 December, 2017

Praise & Rosary will begin at 10.15pm followed by Mass at 11pm.

We invite all who are attending this celebration to bring a plate of finger food for our fellowship after the celebration.

You can leave the food at the St. Gerard's Cafeteria.

Let us welcome the New Year together with thanksgiving and hope for the coming year.

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

(Date) **Monday, 1 January, 2018.**

(time) 8.00 am Mass (E);

10.00am Mass (T)

(venue) OMPH church.

St. Mary's Chapel, Tersusun.

(date) Monday, 1 January, 2018

(time) 8.00 am (T)

RENEWAL OF COMMITMENT

(date) **Sat. 13 & Sun. 14 of January, 2018.**

All parish ministries are requested to be present for their

Renewal of commitment of our parish.

Ministries are allotted following the time scheduled –

Sat. 13 Jan., 2018 @ 6.45 pm =

Lectors & Commentators, Eucharistic Ministers, Flower group, PHDC, Hospitality, St. Peregrine.

Sun. 14 Jan., 2018 @ 8.00 am =

Sun. Sch. Catechism Teachers, RCIA Facilitators, CLOW, Altar Servers, Youth, BECs, Charismatic.