



**PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP**  
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 (Announcements:)

**PELAN PERMULIHAN NASIONAL (PPN) FASA 1,2,3/ National Recovery Plan (NRP) PHASE 1, 2, 3**  
 effective from 29 June, 2021 until further notice.  
 These guidelines may be revised in line with updates and additional SOPs issued by the authorities.  
 In view of this and the alarming figures of new infections and increase in infectivity, ALL MASSES (weekday and weekend) are suspended **till further notice.**

The main gate of the church will remain closed and only **Individuals** (*not in groups*) who have a special and urgent reason to see the priest or office staff must first make a prior appointment before the visit. As far as possible, if the matter could be handled by avoiding any physical contact, alternative means of communication should be used – telephone call or email.  
 Visitors with prior appointments should have their hand sanitized and should be masked. Check in with MySejahtera App. Contact details of visitors will be recorded for the purpose of contact tracing.

**CONTRIBUTION to OMPH church**  
 (Parishioners & friends who wish to contribute towards their monthly church contributions please do online trf. at Public Bank – A/c 3096864807 (Parish of Our Mother of Perpetual Help) or give us a call at the parish office to make an appointment. No one is authorized to collect any money on behalf of the church.)

**OMPH BECs ONLINE Live-Mass**  
 Parish priest initiates Online Live-Mass (E) on Sats. @ 5.30pm for BECs followed by drive-thru communion. This is a safe platform & we will get the opportunity to communicate with you directly before and after the live-streaming masses.  
 OMPH parishioners who have participated the online sunday mass are most welcome to register themselves for drive-thru communion.

- WHO CANNOT ATTEND?
- a) Those who are unwell or exhibiting symptoms /infections such as cough, fever, sore throat, respiratory issues, flu are not permitted.
  - b) Those who are NOT showing in mysejahtera Low Risk No Symptom.
  - c) Those who are under investigation or home quarantine (if there are members in your household that are under home quarantine or investigation,) you are not allowed to attend.

Requirements by MKN - Parishioners on arrival for the drive-thru communion will be requested by our Hospitality ministers to scan the code *Mysejahtera*. (Check IN & check OUT immediately)  
 Get in-touch with your BEC leader/Area Coordinator/parish office to schedule/register for your BEC online live-mass/communion.

(food for thought) (Bulletin 3 October, 2021)  
 Gospel: Mk 10: 2-16. *"Fidelity in a broken World"*

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Today we see two examples of both the blessings and responsibilities of marital fidelity: one from the book of Genesis and the other from the Gospel of Mark. Both readings are particularly significant in light of discussions concerning marriage, divorce, remarriage, and strict fidelity to law versus compassion for God's people.

Jesus presents the ideal today of a permanent loving relationship that reflects God's intentions for humans from the beginning. As it says in our Genesis reading, "the two become one flesh." They are inseparable. But we humans are weak, ignorant, make rash and immature decisions and our good intentions sometimes fail miserably. While Jesus holds out the ideal, he also recognizes our human incompleteness. Our hearts are not fully turned to him, nor do we give our hearts fully to one another.

The Gospel presents the vision of a whole new way of acting and being. Whether we are married, divorced, single or celibate, we all know how far we are from fully embracing that vision of new life. We struggle to live the Gospel ideal in all walks of life, including marriage, but we fall short. Yet, the Lord comforts us with the realization of how much we are loved by our God and the assurance that this love is unbreakable.

