

### PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP Redemptorist Community

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS:

# NEW-INTAKE (02 "ADULT ENQUIRY TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH"

RCIA 2015 – 2016;

Sessions are held on -

**RCIA (T) -**Sunday, 13 Sept, 2015 @ 11.30am in St.Matthew's Rm. & Senali Rm.

**RCIA** (**E**) - Sunday,13 September'**15** @ 3.30 pm in St.Mark's Rm.

**RCIA** (C) – Friday, 18 September, 2015 @ 8 pm in ven Francis Xavier Room.

### YEAR OF CONSECRATED LIFE

Pope Francis has declared 2015 as the Year for Consecrated Life to Wake up the World. Infant Jesus Sister will be presenting a session on the topic "Tenderness is Good for us" on

(date) Wednesday, 30 September, 2015 (time) 8.00 pm

(venue) OMPH Pastoral Centre.

ven Francis Xavier Room.

Come join us for an experience of us being found, touched and transformed. This will be followed with light refreshment.

### "I AM THE LORD YOUR HEALER"

(date) Wednesday, 7 October, 2015 (time) 8.00 pm (venue) OMPH church, Ipoh. Come and Experience the healing grace of Our Lord Jesus Christ @ the Eucharistic celebration.

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

(date) Sunday, 13 September, 2015 (time) 7.30 pm (venue) St.Mark's Rm.

### CATECHETICAL SUNDAY

Sunday School Parents-Teachers Day (date) Sunday, 20 September, 2015. (time) 10.00 am - 11.30 am(venue) In respective classrooms. All parents are encouraged to attend.

### FORM 2 One -Day FORMATION

(date) Saturday, 26 September, 2015 (time) 9.00 am - 5.00 pm(venue) ven Francis Xavier Rm. Attendance is compulsory.

### FELLOWSHIP DINNER

The Fund Raising Committee will be holding its Annual Fellowship Dinner on Sunday 22nd November 2015 at 7.30pm in the OMPH Parish Hall.

Get your tickets from the parish office or from the Fund Raising Committee members.

### (food for thought)

Coming to Sight Gospel: Mark 8: 27-35.

Jesus asked His disciples two very pointed questions:

Who do people say that I am? Who do you say that I am? The answers to these questions go beyond mere excitement and enthusiasm, and touch the very makeup of the call to discipleship. As the first disciples came to understand who Christ really was and what He was about, they also came to realize what challenges were in store for them as they preached the "Good News."

He is inviting us to let go of our notions of who we think Jesus ought to be for us and accept him as He is - one who accepts the cross and invites us to do the same. This gospel is telling us that divine logic makes more sense than human logic and it offers us a life we could never reason to or achieve on our own.

Today's Gospel message is the challenge to lose ourselves in concern for others. If we truly love every other person as Jesus has loved us, then we don't look at risk, or color, or public opinion, or all of the other excuses for walking away.

Do you know who I am? Do you know me? Jesus' question is addressed to us now. And we, His followers answer readily, "You are the Christ. You are the Messiah. You are the Son of the Living God." But there is an implied crucial follow-up question as well: "How well do we know Him?"

The world around us is also asking: "Who are you? What are you about? Why do you do what you do?" Hopefully, everything we say and do will proclaim very loudly and clearly: "We are faithful followers of Jesus Christ, who we proclaim as our Lord and Savior. We are His hands, His eyes, His heart, His body. We bring His light and truth to our world. In His name, and by His power, we are trying to remake the face of the earth, to renew our world, to overcome evil and suffering, to restore all things in Him."

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

**WEDDING BANNS:** James Bond a/l Thomas & Cecilia Elizabeth a/p Anthonysamy.

**BAPTISM:** 

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

# PARISH ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS

(Sontomber 2015)

(September, 2013)	
* 13/9/2015 - 11.30 am – RCIA Tamil	(Senali Rm & Matthew Rn
- 2.00 pm - PHDC tuition	(3 <sup>rd</sup> floor)
- 3.30 pm - RCIA in English	(St.Mark's Rm.)
-7.30 pm-Parish Pastoral Council	(St.Mark's Rm.)
* 14/9/2015 – 7.00 pm - RCIA (T)	(St.Paul's Rm.)
-8.00 pm - Chinese Apostolate	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
* 15/9/2015 – 8.00 pm – YCL	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
- 8.15 pm – Legion of Mary (C)	(Matthew Rm.)
* 16/9/2015 – 10.00 am – Eucharistic Ministers Retreat (T/C/E/BM)	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.,

- 8.00 pm - Chinese group

\* 18/9/2015 - 8.00 pm - PHDC

-8.00 pm - RCIA (C)

\* 19/9/2015 - 10.00 am - PHDC packing of rations

\* 20/9/2015 - 11.30 am - RCIA Tamil - 2.00 pm - PHDC tuition

- 3.30 pm - RCIA in English

\* 22/9/2015 – 8.00 pm – Fund Raising Committee

\* 24/9/2015 -Area Coordinators, Representatives (POSTPONED TO 1/10/15)

\* 26/9/2015 - 9.00 am - Form 2 Formation

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St.Mark's Rm/St.Paul'sRm) (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)

(St. Mark's Rm.)

(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)

(Wallace hse.)

(Senali Rm & Matthew Rm.)

(3<sup>rd</sup> floor) (St.Mark's Rm.)

(Fover)

(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)

# BIBLE REFLECTION & HOME-GATHERINGS:

- \* 13/9/2015 8.00 pm BEC St. Anne; Home of Anna Chong.
- \* 15/9/2015 8.00 pm BEC St. Philomena; Home of Dr. Francis & Evelyn Toh.
- \* 17/9/2015 8.00 pm BEC St. Joseph(C); Home of Anna Chin.
- -8.00 pm BEC St. Francis Xavier; Home of Joseph & Abby.
- \* 18/9/2015 8.00 pm BECSt. Francis De Sales; Home of Patricia.

# **COFFEE MORNINGS 2015:**

(All breakfast will go on till 11.30 a.m.)

- 13/9/2015 BEC St.Mary Magdalene (Annie Jeya)
- 20/9/2015 BEC St. Matthew (Pauline) 27/9/2015 BEC St. Gerard (T) (Victor)
- 4/10/2015 -
- 11/10/2015 Tamil Charismatic Renewal group.
- 18/10/2015 RECHOSO \*25/10/2015 BEC St.Monica.

**ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO**: |+ Nicholas Anthony Pinto departed on 3 September, 2015.

# PDYD3 (Penans Diocesan Youth Day 3)

(date) 19-22 September, 2015

(Age) 13 yrs & above.

Delegates coming from the Church of Our Mother of Perpetual Help will spend the first two days (19-20 September, 2015) in the Canossian Sisters Convent, Sg. Siput. They are required to be at the venue before noon time. On the last day, 22 September, 2015, participants are, likewise, expected to leave Taiping Catholic Church by 1.30 pm.

# WELCOMING ALL CATHOLIC NEWCOMERS 12 NOON in the Meditation room. TO UNIVERSITY OF MALAYA

The Parish Church of St.Francis Xavier would like to invite all new students who will further their studies in University Malaya to join us for our Welcoming Night (Malam Suai Kenal – MSK)

### (date) Sat. 19 September, 2015

(time) 4.30 pm - 10.30 pm

(venue) Church of St.Francis Xavier, 135 Jln Gasing, 46000 Petaling Jaya.

The purpose for this event is to celebrate with all Catholic newcomers to University of Malaya as well as to give them the opportunity to get to know other Catholic students who studies at University of Malaya. Thus, we can help each other when there is a need. Looking forward to meeting you. Contact: Jassie Jeffery (011 19066327)

Christal Asong (014 5878487)

# **COMING EVENTS** PARISH ASSEMBLY 2015

(date) Sunday, 6 December, 2015 (time) 2.30 pm to 6.00 pm (venue) Parish Hall.

### DMPH PARISH MINISTRIES RETREAT

(date) Sunday, 3 January, 2016.

# 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 FRIDAY (6 PM TO 7 P.M.)
- \* EVERY SATURDAY AT 11.00 A.M. -

# **PDCC** (Penang Diocese

Catechetical Commission)

### RETREAT FOR CATECHISTS 2015

(date) 14 & 15 November, 2015 (venue) Marina Cove, Lumut. (Retreat Master) Rev.Fr. David Reegon This Retreat is to enlighten and deepen catechists in their relationship with Jesus, in self-transformation and to be in sync with the demands of faith education and coping skills in teaching Catechism to young minds.

### PENANG ENGLISH CHOICE WEEKEND 60

(date) Fri. 2 (6pm) – Sun 4 Oct, 2015 (6pm) (venue) St. Anne's Domus, BM, Penang. (Contact) Michael Peter Foo (016 536 6327) Christine Woo (012 557 8309)

# CHOICE TAMIL PERAK OS

(date) 1-4 October, 2015 (time) 5 pm (Thurs) - 5 pm (Sun.) (venue) La Salle Centre, Ipoh. (Closing date) 15/9/2015 Contact: Bro. Christopher (016 5926152)