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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

YOUTH FORMATION

Sunday, 21 February, 2016 from 2.00 pm to 5.00pm in the parish hall. This session will be presented by the Penang Diocesan Youth Ministry. *Youth!* Come, enjoy and discover.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHOIR

Calling all YPC members and their parents to a meeting on Sunday, 21 Feb., 2016 @ 11.30am in STATIONS OF THE CROSS the A.V. room.

AREA COORDINATORS MEETING

Please take note that the meeting has been brought forward to (date) Wednesday, 24 February, 2016

(time) 8.00 pm (venue) St.Mark's Room.

RITE OF THE 1st SCRUTINY -

(3rd week of Lent) -

On Sunday, 28 February, 2016 during the 8.00am Mass our "Elect" will celebrate the Rite of the First Scrutiny, which is the beginning of the period of purification and enlightenment.

FAMILY DAY

Planners for family day are reminded to attend a meeting on Tuesday, 1 March, 2016 at 8.00 pm in St.Mark's room.

33 Days to Morning Glory RETREAT.....

This Retreat (5 weeks) starting on Thursday, 25 February, 2016 at 8.00 pm in the Parish Hall. It will conclude with the Consecration to Our Mother Mary. Last Call to those interested, please register at the OMPH Parish office together with a

(E) Friday, 26 February, 2016 @ 7.30 pm followed by Mass. Stations of the Cross (T) at 7.15 pm in the parish hall.

donation of RM32/- for book materials.

COMBINED LITURGICAL MEETING

(date) Monday 29 February, 2016 (time) 8.00 pm (venue) St.Mark's Room. All Liturgical Ministries and Representatives involved in the feastday preparations (Altar Servers, Choirs, Script Writers, Lectors/Commentators, Hospitality Ministers, Eucharistic Ministers, Sunday Sch. Team, Art & Floral decorators, Tamil & Chinese Apostolate) are requested to present for the combined liturgical meeting.

LENT VISITATION OF THE HOME-BOUND ...

During the season of Lent, the Priests and Eucharistic Ministers will visit the home-bound to give communion on Tuesday, 8 March, 2016 starting from 9.00 am.



24 hours of Prayer

Friday, 4 & Saturday, 5 of March, 2016 has been allocated as 24 hour Day of Prayer. We invite all Parishioners to join in this event, spend sometime with the Lord in prayer.

We will begin on Friday, 4 after the evening Mass at 9 pm in church and will end at 5 pm on Sat. 5 of March, 2016.

Throughout the night there will be groups from all the ministries coming in to pray.

Parishioners are welcome to join with the groups in prayer.

During the night there will be free flow of hot drinks and water will be available. Come and join and experience a night of prayer as part of your Lenten Journey.

"Spend an hour with the Lord"

Marriage:

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

BAPTISM: Please contact the Parish Priest at least **ONE MONTH** in advance. Next Infant Baptism will be on 27 March, 2016.

PARISH ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS: (February/March, 2016)						
* 21/2/2016	- 10.00am	- Distribution of rations	(Wallace hse.)			
	- 11.30 am	- RCIA (T)	(Mt.Rm. & Senali Rm.)			
	- 2.00 pm	- PHDC tuition	(3 rd floor)			
	- 7.30 pm	- Tamil Apostolate A.G.M.	(St.Paul's Rm.)			
* 23/2/2016		- Legion of Mary (C)	(St.Matthew Rm.)			
* 24/2/2016		- Chinese group	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)			
	- 8.00 pm	- Area Coordinators, Representatives	(St.Mark's Rm)			
* 25/2/2016	- 8.00 pm	- 33 days Morning Glory	(Parish hall)			
* 26/2/2016	- 8.00 pm	- RCIA (C)	(Wallace Rm.)			
* 28/2/2016	- 11.30 am	- RCIA (T)	(Mt.Rm. & Senali Rm.)			
	- 2.00 pm	- PHDC tuition	(3 rd floor)			
	- 3.00 pm	- RCIA (E)	(St.Mark's Rm.)			
* 29/2/2016		- Combined Liturgical meeting	(St.Mark's Rm.)			
* 1/3/2016		- Family day planners	(St.Mark's Rm.)			
	- 8.15 pm	- Legion of Mary (C)	(St.Matthew Rm.)			
* 2/3/2016	- 8.00 pm	- Chinese group	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)			
* 4/3/2016	- 8.00 pm	- RCIA (C)	(Wallace Rm.)			
* 6/3/2016	- 11.30 am	- RCIA (T)	(Mt.Rm. & Senali Rm.)			
	- 2.00 pm	- PHDC tuition	(3 rd floor)			
	- 3.00 pm	- RCIA (E)	(St.Mark's Rm.)			
* 8/3/2016	- 8.15 pm	- Legion of Mary (C)	(St.Matthew Rm.)			
* 9/3/2016	- 8.00 pm	- Chinese group	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)			
* 11/3/2016	- 8.00 pm	- RCIA (C)	(Wallace Rm.)			

COFFEE MORNINGS 2016:

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

- 21/2/2016 Faith Educators
- 28/2/2016 BEC St. Michael (Cecylee)
- 6/3/2016 Form 4 (Sun. Sch.)
- 13/3/2016 Form 1 (Sun. Sch.)
- 3/4/2016 Form 2 (Sun. Sch.)
- 10/4/2016 I.T. (Jennifer)

ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO:

+ Lilly a/p T.B Rajoo departed on 11 February, 2916.

RITE OF THE 2ND SCRUTINY - (4th week of Lent) - On Sat.5 March, 2016 during the 7 pm Mass, our "Elect" who are continuing on the purification process, will celebrate the Rite of the Second Scrutiny focusing on purifying their spiritual blindness.

PENITENTIAL SERVICE

In preparation for Easter, penitential service will be held on

- * Tues. 8/3/2016 -8 pm-Church of St.Michael, Ipoh.
- * **Wed.,9/3/2016** 8.00 pm OMPH church, Ipoh Gdn.
- * Thurs. 10/3/2016 7 pm Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, Silibin.

INTER-RELIGIOUS DIALOGUE -

"Understanding the World Religions" On Saturday, 12 March, 2016; we will be having a one-day Colloquium on Inter-Religious Dialogue held in the parish hall from 9.30 am till 5.30 pm We have invited Speakers from all religions - Islam, Hinduism, Buddhism, Sikhism, Taoism and Christianity. This seminar welcomes people of other religions so we have limited places. If you are interested please register at the parish office with payment of RM10/- (Lunch and Tea) Come and learn about the beliefs and practices of other faiths and get to know our

LIVE-STREAMING IN CONJUNCTION THE CHRISM MASS on 15/3/2016.

brothers and sisters.

Celebration will be held at Church of Divine Mercy, Sg Ara, Puala Pinang. Begins at 8.00pm and will be celebrated by Bishop Sebastian Francis, Bishop of Penang. Follow the live-streaming on: http://www.voutube.com/user/liveonlinepenang

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. -12 NOON in the Meditation room.

DMPH CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL

Come join us in our Praise and Worship every Wednesday at 8.00 pm in church.

A SERIES OF TALKS IN TAMIL ON THE THEME OF MERCY

In conjunction with the Jubilee Year of Mercy, the Penang Diocesan Pastoral Institute will be organizing a series of talks in Tamil on the Theme of Mercy. It will be held once a month on Saturdays at Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, Jalan Silibin, Ipoh from March to November, 2016.

The first talk: "Desiring Mercy, Not Sacrifice "

(date) Sat. 12 March, 2016 (speaker) Rev.Fr. Stanley Antoni (time) 9.00 am to 1.00 pm (fee) RM10.00 (paid on the day of the talk) (Contact) 04 2611350/042611309. All are welcome.