PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP Redemptorist Community

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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The Parish Priest, Assistant Parish Priest and

The Redemptorist Community

would like to thank all Parishioners

for their gifts and greetings.

We Thank you for your

continuous support in every way.

Thank you to all who have worked very hard

decorating the church, the Crib & the

church surroundings 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 scene.

The Parish appreciates your service and contribution;

Let us continue to work together.

May God Bless each and everyone of you on this

Christmas Day.

Merry Christmas & Happy Joyous New Year.

(Parish Priest)

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

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

PARISH ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS: (December, 2023 / January 2024)	
* 26/12/2023 - 8.00 p.m Legion of Mary	(St.Mt.Rm.)
* 29/12/2023 - 8.00 p.m Area Coordinators	(St.Mk.Rm.)
* 30/12/2023 - 10.00 a.m Practice for N.Yr.Eve S'vice for those on duty. (church)	
* 2/1/2024 - 8.00 p.m Legion of Mary	(St.Mt.Rm.)
* 3/1/2024 - 8.00 p.m Chinese Apostolate	(St.Mk.Rm.
 8.00 p.m. – Christmas carols evaluation 	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
* 4/1/2024 - 8.00 p.m. – Parish Pastoral Council	(St.Mk.Rm.)
* 4/1/2024 - 8.00 p.m. – RCIA (E)	(St.Mk.Rm.)
- 8.00 p.m - RCIA (BM)	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
- 8.00 p.m - RCIA (T)	(St.Paul's Rm.)
* 5/1/2024 - 8.00 p.m. – RCIA (C)	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
* 7/1/2024 - 2.00 p.m. – Sun.Sch. Rehearsal for	
Candidates for confirmation	(Church)
 6.00 p.m Chinese Choir practice 	(Senali Rm.)
* 9/1/2024 - 8.00 p.m. – Legion of Mary	(St.Mt.Rm.)
* 11/1/2024 - 8.00 p.m. – Retreat (E) for ministries	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
 8.00 p.m. – Retreat (C) ministries 	(St.Mk. Rm.)
 8.00 p.m. – Retreat (T) ministries 	(Parish hall)
* 12/1/2024 - 8.00 p.m Ministries for Hospitality,EM,	
Choir,YPC,Flower group,	
Altar Servers, Script Writers,	
Lector/Commentators, IT	(Parish hall)
* 13/1/2024 - 10.00 a.m. – Confirmation candidates	
Confession & Rehearsal	(church)
* 21/2/2024 - 10.00 a.m. – Sun. Catechism Sch.Registration	(parish hall)
(Parents & children session)	

BIBLE REFLECTION & HOME-GATHERINGS:

28/12/2023 - 8.00 p.m. - BECSt.Peter (Cafeteria)

THANKSGIVING SOLEMN MASS CELEBRATED BY HIS EMINENCE CARDINAL SEBASTIAN FRANCIS MON, 8 JANUARY 2024

In thanksgiving of His Eminence's appointment as Cardinal to the Sacred College of Cardinals at the consistory in Rome on 30 September 2023, the second Roman Catholic Cardinal from Malaysia, we would like to invite you to a Thanksgiving Solemn Mass celebrated by His Eminence Cardinal Sebastian Francis on: -

Date: 8 January 2024 (Monday)

Time: 6 pm

Venue: Minor Basilica of St. Anne, Bukit

Mertajam, Penang

Let us participate as a community of

this parish in this Mass



Every last Friday at

8.00 p.m.in St.Mark's room.
All B.E.C. leaders, please take note that the Parish is trying to revive the B.E.C.s of all language groups.
Kindly inform the parish office to insert into the bulletin of your BEC monthly meetings.

COMING EVENTS 2024

RENEWAL OF COMMITMENT of MINISTRIES

- * English speaking ministries on Sat. 20/1/2024 & Sun. 21/1/2024.
- * Tamil speaking ministries on Sun. 21/1/2024 at 10 a.m.
- * Chinese speaking Ministries on Sun. 21/1/2024 t 11.30 a.m.

RETREAT in 2024. "SPIRITUALITY DEVELOPMENT FOR MINISTRIES (E) conducted by Rev.Fr. Clement Lee, CSsR

- *Thurs. 11/1/2024 8 p.m. 9.30 p.m. Ministries from RCIA, CATECHISM, CGS, CCR Leaders, PRAYER GROUP Leaders, BEC Leaders, Sunset Choir, Caritas OMPH, Youth in ven Francis Xavier Rm.
- * Chinese session at 8 p.m. 10 p.m. by Rev.Fr. Louis Loi in St.Mark's room.
- * Tamil session at 8 p.m. 10 p.m. by Rev.Fr. James Pitchay in the parish hall
- * Fri. 12/1/2024 8 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. Ministries from – Hospitality, Eucharistic ministers, RECHOSO, YPC, Flower group, Altar Server, Script Writer, Lector/Commentator,I.T

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE OMPH churh -

- * 24/12/2023 7.15 p.m. Carols (T)
 - 7.30 p.m. Mass (T)
- * 24/12/2023 10 p.m. Carols (E) - 10.30 p.m. Mass (E)
- * 25/12/2023 8.30 a.m. Carols (E)
 - 9.00 a.m. Mass (E)
 - 11a.m. Carols (C)
 - 11.30 a.m. Mass (C)

St.Mary's Chapel, Tersusun

* 25/12/2023 – 8.00 a.m. (T)

NEW YEAR'S EVE SERVICE

(date) Sun. 31 Dec.,2023 (time) 10.15 p.m. Year-end Closing Service. 11.00 p.m. New Year Eve Mass.

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

(date) Mon. 1 January, 2024. (time) Mass at 8.00 a.m. (E) Mass at 10.00 a.m. (T)

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Next meeting will be held on Thursday, 4 January, 2024 at 8 p.m. in St.Mark's room.

Effective from 6 Jan.,2024

New Mass schedule -

- * Novena at 5 p.m.
- * Mass 5.45 p.m. will take effect beginning 6/1/2024.

CATECHISM 2024

Registration and Parents & children session on (date) **Sun. 21 Jan., 2024** (time) 10 a.m. (venue) Parish hall. Attendance is compulsory for ALL parents and students.

NEW REGISTRATION FOR catechism Std. 1 (and other new) registration, must hand-in a copy of the baptism certificate during registration.

Those who are currently with OMPH catechism do not need to submit a copy of their baptism certificate.

Registration FEE & BOOK

Primary – RM30/-. Secondary – RM35/-