

PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP Redemptorist Community

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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

COMBINED LITURGICAL MEETING

All Chairperson & Representative of the Combined Liturgical ministries who are involved in the coming Parish Feastday are requested to be present for a meeting on -

Script Writer, Hospitality, Lectors & Commentators, RECHOSO, St. Augustine Choir, Charismatic Renewal group, Eucharistic Minister, BEC coordinator, Tamil Liturgy, IT, Chinese group, OLOL Rep., SMC St. Peter Choir, Rangers Camp, Altar Servers, Youth, Flower Deco., P.A System, Outdoor shrine team;

(date) **Tuesday, 28 April, 2015** (time) 8.00 pm (venue) St.Mark's Room.

NEW-INTAKE (or "ADULT ENQUIRY TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH"

If you know of friends who are interested in making enquiry into the Catholic Faith,

a baptized person of a catholic church who has not received the Sacrament of Holy Communion and/or Sacrament of Confirmation, please invite them now to register at the Parish Office. Please take note that the sessions will start end of June.

SUNDAY CATECHISM NEWS

There will be no catechism on Sunday, 3 May, 2015. Classes will resume on Sunday, 10 May, 2015. Happy Holidays!

FORM 3 PRE-CONFIRMATION CAMP

(date) **1 – 3 May, 2015.**(venue) Barre Centre, Cameron Highlands.
(Fee) RM150 per child

PARENTS' SESSION

for Form 3 Pre-Confirmation children are requested to be present on (date) **Sunday, 17 May, 2015** (time) 10.00 am (venue) OMPH Parish Hall.

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Thursday, 14 May, 2015 Mass will be at 6.20 am & 8 pm

(Food for thought)

Gospel: John 10: 11-18.

The imagery of sheep and shepherd is very touching and significant in a biblical setting. But, in our own time, it has become less appealing, less applicable. We certainly recognize that we need the love and guidance of Jesus. We realize that He died for us, that He knows us personally, and that He is always with us and concerned for our safety and well being.

The shepherds of our Church still need very much to radiate the personal love and compassion of Jesus. But so also do the people of God. Shepherds need to lead, to guide; but the people of God need to be invited, not threatened; they need ministers who are in touch with the real circumstances of life. They need models of faith and hope, models who can lead them along the paths of prayer and spirituality, models who can inspire trust and courage in the face of suffering and trial.

They need most of all, fellow travelers on the faith journey who can not only offer healing, comfort and support in the name and spirit of Jesus, but also recognize their own failures and weaknesses and humbly seek forgiveness and reconciliation.

"I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep."

Jesus says: "My sheep hear my voice; I know them and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish." If we really believe this, if we really belong to Jesus, if it shows in our words and actions and choices - then we are guaranteed what Jesus has promised: life that never ends, life without tears, hunger or thirst.

MARRIAGE:

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

BAPTISM:

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

WE WELCOME TO THE COMMUNITY

- Lemuel Aneeth a/l Peter & Suganthi @ Leticia Anne.
- Angel Chai An Qi d/o Kevin & Nicole Chai.
- Charles Samson Cavin Woodworth s/o Shirley Angeline Woodworth
- Taydden Pillay s/o Pushpanathan & Hemmalatha.

They were baptized on Sunday, 19 April, 2015.

Congratulations to their parents and godparents.

ADULT ENQUIRY TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH:

• RCIA - 4/5/2015 - 8.00 pm - (St.Mark's Rm.)

PARISH ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS:

(April/May, 2015)

TAUGITACITY ILLO CITE III (Silver)	
* 28/4/2015 - 8.00 pm – Combined Liturgical Committee	(St.Mark's Rm.)
- 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (C)	(St.Matthew Rm.)
* 29/4/2015 - 8.00 pm – Chinese group	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
* 30/4/2015 – 8.00 pm – Area Coordinators	(St.Mark's Rm.)
* 3/5/2015 - 11.00 am – Tamil Liturgical Committee	(St.Paul's Rm.)
* 5/5/2015 - 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (C)	(St.Matthew Rm.)
* 6/5/2015 - 8.00 pm – Chinese group	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)

BIBLE REFLECTION & HOME-GATHERINGS:

- 26/4/2015 6.00 pm BEC St. Philip (Election); Home of Santhanadass.
- 1/5/2015 6.00 pm BEC St. Benedict; Home of Joe & Theresa Khiew.

COFFEE MORNINGS 2015:

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

- 19/4/2015 Form 4 (Sun. Sch)
- 26/4/2015 organized by the Police day celebration group.
- 3/5/2015 BEC St.Alphonsus Liguori (Eugene Chow)
- 10/5/2015 Form 2 (Sun.Sch.)
- 17/5/2015 Form 1 (Sun.Sch.)
- 24/5/2015 I.T. (Colin D'Oliveiro) 31/5/2015 BEC St.Gerard (T)
- 7/6/2015 St. Augustine Choir 14/6/2015 Sun Sch. (Std. 3)

ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO

+ Luke Lee departed on 18 April, 2015.

KIDS' BIBLE CAMP 2015

Come & explore a **ST.PEREGRINE**"Marvelous Mystery – The Mass Comes Alive" EVERY TUESDAY AT 5.45 PM in the (date) 3 – 7 June, 2015 Meditation Room, During this Nove

(time) 9.00 am - 1.00 pm

(venue) OMPH grounds

(Ages) 6 - 12 years old (Fee) RM55/- per child.

Register with your Sunday Sch. Teachers Closing date for registration: 1 May, 2015.

PENANG DIOCESAN CATECHETICAL

COMMISSION - Formasi ALKITAB (date) 9hb & 10 hb Mei, 2015 (venue) YMCA Ipoh. (conducted by) Fr. Valetino Dompok Untuk maklumat lanjut sila hubungi: Christine Gui (012 4260168)

1-year course on 'Certificate in Integral theological studies'

Participants can choose to attend either at Domus, Bkt. Mertajam or Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, Ipoh.

Lectures on two Saturdays a month from 9 am – 1 pm. 4-Modules: Bible Theology, Liturgical & Sacramental Theology, Systematic Theology & Spiritual Theology.

Contact: 04 2611350/2611309

(http://www.dpinstitute.org)

OMPH TAMIL APOSTOLATE

2nd BEC event 2015

OMPH Tamil-speaking BECs (5 areas) will be organizing a social fellowship to celebrate Mother's Day & Father's Day in conjunction with Bible Sunday on (date) Sunday, 12 July, 2015 (time) 7.30 pm – 10 pm (venue) Parish Hall.

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.

EVENING FOR THE ENGAGED 2015

Couples planning to get married in the year 2015, please take note of the EE Weekends english during the year. You are requested to register six (6) weeks before the weekend dates.

EE101	26-28 June, 2015
EE102	21-23 Aug, 2015 (BM)
EE103	6-8 Nov., 2015

Please see your Parish Priest for registration.

TAMIL MARRIAGE PREPARATION WEEKEND - 2015

Domus		
St.Anne,	29, 30,	1/5/2015
Bukit	31 May	
Mertajam		
Chapel	Aug. 20,	Closing
St.Chastan	21, 22	date:
& Imbert,		1/8/2015
Prai		
Church of	Nov.	Closing
Sacred	20,21,	date:
Heart,	22	1/11/2015
Kampar		