



PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP
Redemptorist Community
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Extraordinary Missionary Month

We begin the Extraordinary Missionary in October month with the distribution of **The World Mission Rosary**. With the Rosary we pray for the whole world (5 continents) –

- yellow beads: Asia,
- white beads: Europe,
- blue beads: Oceania,
- green beads: Africa,
- red beads: America.

We inaugurate the Extraordinary Missionary Month (EMM) today, 6 October, 2019, as we are all Baptized and Sent.

BLESSING OF PETS

As part of Laudato Si and in conjunction with the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, love for all creatures; there will be blessing of pets on
 (date) Sunday, 6 October, 2019.
 (time) 3.00 pm
 (venue) OMPH field at the back.

POTTED PLANTS for sale

The flower ministry will be selling potted plants near St. Gerad's Cafeteria on **Sunday, 6 Oct., 2019** after mass. Proceeds goes towards floral decoration in the church. Please give your support.

NEW-INTAKE for "ADULT ENQUIRY TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH"

The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a program of induction into the Catholic Church.

If you know of friends who...

- 1) ...are interested to know Jesus through our Catholic faith.
 - 2) ...have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation.
 - 3) ...wish to deepen their Catholic Faith.
 - 4) ...knows Jesus yet have not been baptized; Please register now at the Parish office.
- The sessions will be held on
 - RCIA (T) @ 11.30am on Sun. 6/10/19.
 - RCIA (E) @ 8.00 pm on Mon. 7/10/19.
 - RCIA (C) @ 8pm on Fri 11/10/19.

CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL

Our three Ipoh Catholic Parishes (SMC, OLOL & OMPH) are jointly organizing a Christmas Carnival filled with fun performances, games & food stalls held in OMPH church grounds on
 (date) Friday, 20 December, 2019.
 (time) 6.30 pm – 10.00 pm
 A solidarity share of RM10/- ticket per person which includes one (1) dinner is available at the parish office and outside the church after the weekend mass.
 Come with your family and friends to spread Christmas cheer and goodwill among ourselves, with other fellow Christians and people of other faiths.

(food for thought)

Gospel: Luke 17: 5-10.

"A little can go a long way"

The apostles in today's gospel voice their sense of urgent need to Jesus. It takes enormous faith to live Jesus' teachings and face the demands of discipleship - the demands of simple service to others, or that of reconciling and forgiving. A disciple can easily feel inadequate. He or she wants more faith so that they can be the kind of disciples Jesus is teaching them to be. Their plea is also ours.

Faith, it seems, doesn't have to increase - as much as exist. Faith mean that we are in touch with God and experience God as the source of that energy which enables us to live good lives, marked by the ability to forgive - as we ourselves have been forgiven; to reach out to one another - as we ourselves have been found and embraced by God

The parable Jesus tells is about a very hard working servant who does what he or she is supposed to do. Disciples, equipped with "mustard seed faith" must set about doing the sometimes very hard work that our faith urges us to do. All thoughts of reward or acknowledgment are to be put aside as distractions from the task at hand. We can easily get side-tracked from doing what needs to be done, if we place too much emphasis on our abilities, or own reputations or the rate of success we have in accomplishing great projects. If we think we are so very important for what we have done, Jesus' sobering reminder should set us straight, "When you have done all you have been commanded, say, 'We are unprofitable servants, we have only done what we were obliged to do.'"

Our faith will give us strength to live our lives freely, in trust and in love - knowing that our God is near, that He understands our pain, that He will sustain us and carry us through, even though in the midst of the struggles, that faith may feel as small and insignificant as a mustard seed.

MARRIAGE: Please contact the Parish Priest at least **SIX MONTHS** in advance.
WEDDING BANNIS: (2nd Publication)

- * Justin Maximillian Wong Shiao Qian & Jessica Chin Pui Yi.
- * Martin Hii Chun Yeong & Chung Wai Yee.

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

WE WELCOME TO OUR COMMUNITY –

- * Charlotte Emilia Solomon d/o Solomon David & Elizabeth Sonia Monteiro.
- * Dharon Theeran s/o Paul Pallvandan Muthiriar & Devi Arikrishnan.
- * Kenneth Rosh s/o Peter Philip & Leticia Anne Suganthi Arjunan.

PARISH ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS:

(Oct, 2019)

- * 6/10/2019 - 11.30 am - RCIA (T) (St.Matthew's Rm.)
- 11.30 am - Tamil Apostolate (St.Paul's Rm.)
- 1.00 pm - PHDC learning centre (3rd. Fl.)
- * 7/10/2019 - 7.00 pm - CCR
- 8.00 pm - RCIA (E) (St.Mark's Rm.)
- * 8/10/2019 - 8.00 pm - PHDC (St.Mark's Rm.)
- 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (C) (St.Matthew's Rm.)
- * 10/10/2019 - 8.00 pm - Tamil choir (St.Paul's Rm.)
- * 11/10/2019 - 8.00 pm - RCIA (C) (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
- 8.00 pm - PHDC packing of rations (Wallace hse.)
- * 12/10/2019 - 6.45pm - CLOW (St.Mark's Rm.)
- * 13/10/2019 - 8.00 am - CLOW (St.Mark's Rm.)
- 10.00 am - PHDC distribution of rations (Wallace hse.)
- 6.00 pm - PHDC learning centre fellowship (Cafeteria)
- * 14/10/2019 - 8.00 pm - Chinese Apostolate (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
- 8.00 pm - Lectors & Commentators (Wallace Rm.)
- 8.00 pm - RCIA (E) (St.Mark's Rm.)
- 8.00 pm - Lectors & Commentators (Wallace Rm.)
- * 15/10/2019 - 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (C) (St.Matthew's Rm.)
- * 17/10/2019 - 8.00 pm - Tamil Choir (St.Paul's Rm.)

BIBL REFLECTION & HOME-GATHERING:

- * 7/10/2019 – 6.30 pm – BEC St.Mary Magdela; Area mass in the home of Lena Yew.
- * 11/10/2019 – 6.00 pm – BEC St.Benedict; Home of Francis & Evelyn Lee.
- 8.00 pm – BEC St.Francis De Sales; Home of Tony & mary Xavier.
- * 15/10/209 - 8.00 pm – BEC St.Philomena; Home of Dr.Francis & Evelyn Toh.
- * 16/10/2019 - 8.00 pm – BEC St.Peter (C); Home of Grace Phun.
- * 17/10/2019 - 8.30 pm – BEC St.Joseph; Home of Jack Chan.
- * 23/10/2019 - 8.30pm - BEC St.Anthony; Home of Vincent Lee.

ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO: + Augustine Ho Weng Tuck departed on 28 September, 2019.

'HAWAIIAN DELIGHT' – 20 Oct., 2019

The Fund Raising Committee is organizing a fund raising dinner with the theme 'Hawaiian Delight' on (date) Sunday, 20 October, 2019. (time) 7.00 pm (venue) OMPH Parish hall.

"EQUIPPED FOR MISSION"

Organized by OMPH Cath. Charismatic Renewal group (date) 23 – 25 October, 2019. (time) 7.30pm – 9.30pm (venue) OMPH church, Ipoh. (Speaker) Jude Antoine, Catholic Lay Missionary. Please register at OMPH parish office with a solidarity share of RM10/-.

PRE-CONFIRMATION RETREAT

for the Sun. Catechism Form 3 students on (date & time) Sat. 19/10/2019 (8am-10pm) Sun.20/10/2019 (8am-1pm) (venue) ven Francis Xavier room.

THEOLOGY OF THE BODY (mandarin)

(date & time) **15/11/2019, Fri. (7pm – 10pm)** **16/11/2019, Sat. (8am-10pm)** **17/11/2019, Sun. (8am – 5pm)** (venue) OMPH ven Francis Xavier Rm. Solidarity share: RM30/- (incl. meal) Contact: Carol Chan (016 2948616) Register before: 3/11/2019.

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 SATURDAY** AT 11.00 A.M. – 12 NOON in the Meditation room.

OMPH CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL

Come join us in our Praise & Worship * Every Tuesday at 8.00 pm (T) * Every Wednesday at 8.00 pm (E).

TAMIL MARRIAGE PREPARATION WEEKEND - 2019

Closing date for registration (T): on 1st day of each month.

Domus	
St.Anne,	November
Bukit	22, 23, 24
Mertajam	

Please see your Parish Priest for registration.

COFFEE MORNINGS 2019:

- * 6/10/2019 – PHDC
- * 13/10/2019- BM Apostolate.
- * 20/10/2019 – BEC St.Philip.
- * 27/10/2019 – BEC St.Monica.
- * 3/11/2019 - Choir (Anne)
- * 10/11/2019 – RCIA facilitators.
- * 17/11/2019 – Fund Raising Committee.
- * 24/11/2019 – BEC St.Michael (Cecylee)