



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

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**



from 3.00-4.30pm  
in AV room on  
**Sunday, 2 April,**

**2017. Part 2, Ep.6: "A Catholic Moral Vision"**

(3.00pm – 3.30pm Video  
3.30pm – 3.45pm Tea  
3.45pm - 4.30 pm Conversation)

**HOME VISITATION TO THE SICK & HOME-BOUND DURING LENT**

The Parish Priest and his Assistant Parish Priest will be visiting the sick and home-bound on Monday, 27 & Tuesday, 28 of March, 2017 in the morning.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS – 31/3/2017**

During the season of Lent, Stations of the Cross (E) will begin at 7.30 pm followed by Mass. Stations of the Cross at 7.15pm (T) in the parish hall.

**HOLY HOUR** for the month of April (date) **Thursday, 6 April, 2017**

(time) 7.00 pm Adoration followed by 8.00 pm Mass.

*There will be no 6.30am Mass.*

**RECOLLECTION DAY – Sat. 8 April, 2017 (RCIA)**

The Elect will gather together on Saturday, 8 April at 9.00 a.m. with their Facilitators and their Sponsors for a day's Retreat, preparing themselves for the reception into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil on 15/4/2017. Let us pray with them.

**PENITENTIAL SERVICE**

Please keep Wed. 29 evening free for confession

date	time	Venue
Mon.20/3	7pm	Taipung church
Mon 27/3	8pm	St Michael church
Tues 28/3	7.30pm	Our Lady of Lourdes
Wed. 29/3	8pm	OMPH church
Thurs 30/3	7pm	St.Joseph, BG
Mon 3/4	7.30pm	St.Anthony, T.Intan
Tues.4/4	7pm	Sacred Heart Kampar
	7pm	St.Joseph Bidor
Wed 5/4	7.30pm	St.Francis de Sales

**PASSION SUNDAY/PALM SUNDAY –**

Blessing of palm leaves will be held outside the parish hall

**Sat. 8 April** – 6.45 pm (E)

**Sun. 9 April** – 7.45am (E)

- 9.45 am (T) - 11.15 am (C)

- 8.00 am (BM Mass in the parish hall)

....followed by procession to OMPH church for the Eucharistic celebration.

Please bring your own palm leaves & extras leaves will be most appreciated. Thank you.



**GOTONG ROYONG** in OMPH

church – **Sun. 2 April, 2017 at 3.00 pm.**

Inviting all BECs & Ministries from all language groups to clean the church for Holy Week and Easter. The Chinese community will be in-charge.

**More hands make light work!**

**SCHEDULE FOR HOLY WEEK 2017 –** There will be no 6.30 am Mass during Holy Week > April 10 to Sat 15 and No Novena Devotion on Sat. 15 April, 2017.

Events	Date	Time	Language	Place
Holy Mon.	10/4/2017	8.00 pm	Mass in English	Church
Holy Tues.	11/4/2017	8.00 pm	Mass in English	Church
Holy Wed.	12/4/2017	8.00 pm	Mass in English	Church
Holy Thursday	13/4/2017	8.00 pm	Mass in English	OMPH Church
		8.00 pm	Mass in Tamil	OMPH Parish Hall.
Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament	<b>All are invited to spend some time to keep Vigil</b>	9.30 pm – 10pm	Altar Servers, Children Liturgy, Youth, RECHOSO, Choir, Faith Educators.	Church
		10pm – 10.30pm	Tamil Ministries & BECs.	
		10.30pm– 11 pm	Hospitality, Lectors & Commentators, IT, PHDC, Divine Mercy, St.Peregrine, RCIA facilitators.	
		11pm- 11.30 pm	Chinese Ministry & BECs.	
		11.30 pm – 12 midnight	Eucharistic ministers, Charismatic Renewal Group, (BECs & Rangers group may join any group)	
Good Friday	14/4/2017	<u>3.00 pm</u> Take note:- (There will be no 8 pm Service)	Stations of the Cross in English followed by Service & Veneration of the Cross in English  Stations of the Cross in Tamil followed by Service in Tamil	Church  St.Mary's Chapel, Tersusun
Holy Saturday	15/4/2017	7.00 pm	Vigil Mass in English	Church
		11.00 pm	Vigil Mass in Tamil	Church
Easter Sunday	16/4/2017	8.00 am	Mass in Tamil	St.Mary's Chapel.
		8.00 am	Mass in B.M'sia	Parish Hall
		8.00 am	Mass in English	Church
		11.30 am	Mass in Chinese	Church

**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:**

*(March/April 2017)*

- \* 26/3/2017 - 11.30am - RCIA (T) (Matthew Rm.)  
- PHDC Learning centre (sch holidays)
- 3.00 pm - RCIA (E) (St.Mark's Rm.)
- \* 27/3/2017 - 7.00 pm - CCR (Matthew Rm.)
- \* 28/3/2017 - 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (C ) (Matthew Rm.)  
- 8.00 pm - Liturgy Script Writers (St.Mark's Rm.)
- \* 29/3/2017 - 8.00 pm - Penitential Service (church)
- \* 30/3/2017 - 8.00 pm - Tamil Choir (St.Paul's Rm.)  
- 8.00 pm - Area Coordinators (St.Mark's Rm.)
- \* 31/3/2017 - 8.00 pm - RCIA (C ) (Wallace Rm.)
- \* 2/4/2017 - 11.30am - RCIA (T) (Matthew Rm.)  
- 1.30pm - PHDC Learning centre (3rd floor & cafeteria)  
- 3.00 pm - RCIA (E) (St.Mark's Rm.)  
- 3.00 pm - Symbolon Part 2; Ep 6 (AV Rm.)
- \* 4/4/2017 - 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (C ) (Matthew Rm.)
- \* 7/4/2017 - 8.00 pm - RCIA (C ) (Wallace Rm.)
- \* 8/4/2017 - 9.00am - Day of Recollection (RCIA) (St.Mark's Rm,Mt Rm,Francis Xavier Rm.)

**2017 COFFEE MORNINGS**

- \* 26/3/2017 – OMPH Tamil Liturgical (Annie)
- \* 2/4/2017 – BEC St.Francis De Sales
- \* 16/4/2017 – Lectors/Commentators
- \* 23/4/2017 – BEC St.Anne
- \* 30/4/2017 – Sun. Catechism (Form 3)
- \* 7/5/2017 - BEC St.Mary (Kathleen)
- \* 14/5/2017 – Sun. Catechism (Std 3)
- \* 21/5/2017 – Altar Servers (Jeremy)
- \* 28/5/2017 - St.Mary's Chapel project & upgrading.

**BIBLE REFLECTION & HOME-GATHERINGS:**

- \* 26/3/2017 - 4.00 pm – BEC St.Christopher; Home of Raymond & Shireen Ho.
- \* 3/4/2017 - 8.00pm - BEC St.Joseph; Home of Peter & Irene, Bercham.

**ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO:**

+ Augustin a/l Antonisamy departed on 16 March, 2017.

**RITE OF THE 3<sup>RD</sup> SCRUTINY (5<sup>th</sup> week of Lent)** – On Saturday, 1 April, 2017 during the 6.45pm Mass, our Elect who are preparing their full initiation at Easter, will celebrate the “Rite of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Scrutiny,” which highlights the saving power of Christ in setting them free. We are invited to come together with them, to pray with them and for them reminding ourselves of our need to rid ourselves of our negative values and to try to live in His love.

**REHEARSAL FOR Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Vigil.**  
**All Liturgical Ministries** roster for the above celebrations and the “washing of the feet” are requested to be present on **Sunday, 9 April in Church @ 3 pm**

**REHEARSAL FOR THE RCIA** “Elects” on Sun. 9 April, 2017 at 4.30 pm in church. Please be present.

**CHILDREN'S EASTER GAMES**  
Calling all children aged between 5 - 12 to come join in for a morning of fun and games on Easter Sunday (16/4/2017). The event will start at 9.45am in the Church compound. Look out for more details to come.

**FEASTDAY OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP, IPOH GARDEN –**  
Date: **Saturday, 24 June, 2017**  
Theme: **“Mary: Mother of Family Life”**  
9 nights of Preached Novena starting on 16 of June, 2017. *(More details later)*

**CHURCH AIR CONDITIONING MAINTENANCE** -It is almost 5 months since we installed the air-conditioning in OMPH church. We had our 1st service last week & it cost RM2000/-. Many thanks to all who are contributing through the ‘envelope system’. Your contribution is deeply appreciated.

**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 Wednesday at 8.00 pm.(E)  
\* Every Tuesday at 8.00 pm (T)

**EVENING FOR THE ENGAGED 2017**  
Couples planning to get married in the year 2017, please take note of the EE Weekends english during the year. You are requested to register six (6) weeks before the weekend dates.

EE111	9-11 June 2017
EE 112	18-20 Aug 2017
EE113	10-12 Nov 2017

Please see your Parish Priest for registration.

**JOB VACANCIES**  
Urgently required at the Home for the Aged (CWS) Simee, Ipoh to fill the following positions:-  
1) Caregiver with Medical experience (Fulltime/Part time)  
2) General Workers  
Contact: Ms Helen Lai/ Ms Alicia Yong (05 5473252/05 5452449)