

PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP Redemptorist Community

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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

WORLD DAY (0) CONSECRATED LIFE

Our Holy Father Pope Francis has declared 2015 to be the Year of Consecrated Life. This year the 3 Parishes of Ipoh are organizing a short Prayer Session followed by Mass to commemorate the World Day for Consecrated Life which will be celebrated on

Monday, 2 February, 2015.

Let us unite in prayer to support all our Religious Sisters, Brothers and Priests who have consecrated their life to God and thank them on this their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ to respond generously to God's gift of their vocation. All are invited and encouraged to participate in this event. Refreshments will be served after Mass.

(venue) Church of Our Mother of Perpetual Help, Ipoh Garden.(time) 7.30 pm (Prayer session) 8.00 pm (Mass)

[Launching of the Year of Consecrated Life on 22 Nov. 2014 – please log onto website: **omphip.org** to view photos of the event and to listen to Bishop Sebastian Francis's homily of that day.]

BLESSING OF CANDLES $-2\ \mathrm{Feb},\,2015$

@ **7.**30 pm .

On this Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord, each family brings their candles to the church to have it blessed. The candles which are blessed on this day may be used often, during days of sickness, sorrow, temptation and also on feast days, anniversaries, etc., and when Holy Communion is brought to the sick.

RITE OF ENROLMENT

"Signing of the Book of Elect"
Our Catechumens are now reaching the end of their Catechumenate.

On **Saturday, 7 February, 2015** during the 7.00 pm Mass, 24 Catechumens who seek Baptism at Easter will have their names "enrolled" in the Book of Elect.

EGM PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

All Parish Councilors are requested to be present for a EGM on

Wednesday, 4 February, 2015 at 8 pm in St. Mark's Room.

Penang Diocese Catechetical Commission FORMATION & RETREAT 2015

(In English)		
Communication	21 & 22 March, 2015	
Methodology for CLOW	11 & 12 July, 2015	
Retreat	14 & 15 November, 2015	
(In Tamíl)		
Morality	20 & 21 June, 2015	
Retreat	15 & 16 August, 2015	
(In Chínese)		
Liturgy	1 & 2 May, 2015	
Retreat	29 & 30 August, 2015	
(In Bahasa Malaysia)		
Scripture	9 & 10 May, 2015	
Retreat	24 & 25 October, 2015	

Discipleship:
Mission towards Transforming Humanity



MARRIAGE:

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

WEDDING BANNS: (1st Publication)

• John Reuben Domínic & Hemah Arumugam.

BAPTISM:

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

ADULT ENQUIRY TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH:

9/2/2015 -8.00 pm - St. Mark's Rm.

PARISH ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS:

(February, 2015)

* 1/2/2015 - 10.00 am – Theology of the Body	(AV Rm.)
* 3/2/2015 - 3.00 pm - Tamil Perak Charismatic Renewal	(St.Paul's Rm.)
-8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (C)	(St.Matthew Rm.)
* 4/2/2015 – 8.00 pm - Chinese group	(ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
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- 8.00 pm - EGM Parish Council (St.Mark's)

* 7/2/2015 – 10.00 am – Lent Season seminar (T) (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)

* 8/2/2015 – 11.00 am - Tamil Apostolate (St. Paul's Rm.)
- 11.30 am – Lectors & Commentators AGM (St. Mark's Rm.)
- 2.00 pm - PHDC Tuition classes (3rd floor)

* 9/2/2015 – 8.00 pm - Chinese Apostolate (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)

* 10/2/2015 – 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (C) (St. Matthew Rm.)

* 11/2/2015 – 8.00 pm - Chinese group (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)

* 14/2/2015 – 10.00 am - Lent Season seminar (E) (St.Mark's Rm.)

* 15/2/2015 - 10.00 am - Talk on Government Funded Higher Education Inst. M'sia (AV room) - 1.30 pm – Perak Deanery Youth Council (St.Mark's Rm.) - 2.00 pm - PHDC Tuition classes (3rd floor)

-8.00 pm-I.T. ministry (Foyer)

BIBLE REFLECTION & HOME-GATHERINGS:

- 8/2/2015 5.00 pm BEC St. Christopher; Home of Raymond & Shireen.
- 10/2/2015 8.00 pm BEC St. Phillip; Home of S. Phillips.
- 12/2/2015 8.00 pm BEC St. Phillip; Area Wass; Home of S. Phillips.

COFFEE MORNINGS 2015:

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

- 1/2/2015 BEC St.Philip.
- 8/2/2015 St.Mary's Chapel (Zone 3)
- 15/2/2015 OMPH Tamil Hospitality Ministers.
- 22/2/2015 BEC St.Monica (Victor)
- 1/3/2015 BEC St.John (Hector)
- 8/3/2015 Faith Educators.
- 15/3/2015 St.Mary's Chapel (Zone 1) (Peter C.)
- $\bullet \quad 22/3/2015 \, \hbox{-} \, \, \text{St.Mary's Chapel (Zone 4) (Selin)} \\$
- 29/3/2015 Hospitality Ministers (S.Phillips/Benedict)

LENTEN RETREAT- It is a time of

Renewal. Inviting all parishioners to register for this retreat.

(in Tamil language)

(date) Sat. 7 February, 2015

(time) 10 am – 3.00 pm (venue) ven Francis Xavier room. (Cost per person) RM5/- (lunch & tea) (Presenter) Fr. Joseph Stephen, CSsR Contact:- Peter James, St. Mary's Chapel. Lurthusamy of OMPH (05 3131384)

(in English language)

(date) Sat. 14 February, 2015

(time) 10 am – 4 pm (venue) St.Mark's Rm. (Cost per person) RM7/-. (lunch & tea) (Presenter) Sr. Margaret Sta Maria, FdCC. Contact Parish office to register; confirming with payment. Thank you.

RITE OF ELECTION -1^{st} Sunday of

Lent = The Rite of Election for District of Perak will be celebrated at Church of St.Michael, Ipoh on

Sunday, 22 February, 2015 at 5.00 pm with Rt. Rev. Bishop Sebastian Francis.

TALK ON GOVERNMENT FUNDED HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS IN MALAYSIA

(Date) Sunday, 15 February, 2015

(Time) 10.00 am - 11.30 am

(venue) AV room

(for whom) Form 5 & 6 & those after SPM & STPM

Parents are welcome.

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.

EE100	24- 26 April, 2015
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

Stella Maris,	Feb 27 &	Closing date:
Penang	28, Mar 1	1/2/2015
Domus		
St.Anne,	29, 30, 31	1/5/2015
Bukit	May	
Mertajam		
Chapel	Aug. 20,	Closing date:
St.Chastan &	21, 22	1/8/2015
Imbert, Prai		
Church of	Nov.	Closing date:
Sacred Heart,	20,21, 22	1/11/2015
Kampar		