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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**"ADULT ENQUIRY
TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH"**

RCIA 2015 – 2016 ;

Sessions are held on -

RCIA (T) -Sunday, 15 Nov.,2015 @ 11.30am
in St.Matthew's Rm. & Senali Rm.

RCIA (E) - Sunday,15 Nov., '15 @ 3.30pm
in St.Mark's Rm.

RCIA (C) – Friday,20 Nov., 2015 @ 8 pm
in ven Francis Xavier Room.

PARISH ASSEMBLY 2015

(date) **Sunday, 6 December, 2015**

(time) 2.30 pm to 6.00 pm

(venue) Parish Hall.

The purpose of this assembly is to plan for the year 2016. Each ministry is to plan activities towards 2016 keeping in mind the theme "Year of Mercy".

YEAR OF CONSECRATED LIFE

"The Restlessness of Love"

A session held on

(date) Thursday, 19 November, 2015.

(time) 8.00 pm

(venue) OMPH Pastoral Centre

(Speaker) Fr. Joe Matthews

Come join us for an experience of us being found, touched, and transformed. This will be followed with light refreshment.

1st HOLY COMMUNION

36 children will be receiving their

1st Holy Communion on

(date) Saturday, 21 November, 2015

(time) 7.00 pm Mass

(venue) O.M.P.H. church

CLERGY MEETING –

There will be no 6.30 am Mass on Wed. 18 November, 2015. Mass intentions booked will be said outstation.

FELLOWSHIP DINNER

The Fund Raising Committee will be holding its Annual Fellowship Dinner on
Sunday 22nd November 2015
at 7.30pm

in the OMPH Parish Hall.

Get your tickets from the parish office or from the Fund Raising Committee members

(#4) **HOLY YEAR OF MERCY**
(8 December, 2015 – 20 November, 2016)

Here are a few important themes for reflection during this important year. Jesus is the "face" of the Father's mercy Jesus of Nazareth, Pope Francis writes in *Misericordiae Vultus*, the Bull of Indiction of the Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy, is the "face" of the Father's mercy— he reveals the mercy of God by his words, actions, and person.

We follow Jesus' example when we open ourselves to the Father's mercy by looking "sincerely" into the eyes of our brothers and sisters, including those "who are denied their dignity."

How have you experienced the Father's mercy in your own life?
How might Jesus be calling you to look "sincerely" into the eyes of those who are denied their dignity?

Mercy is "the beating heart of the Gospel"

Pope Francis writes: "It is absolutely essential for the Church and for the credibility of her message that she herself live and testify to mercy." Mercy, he says, is "the beating heart of the Gospel" (*Misericordiae Vultus*).

To live mercy, we must rediscover both the **spiritual works of mercy** (*counsel the doubtful, instruct the ignorant, admonish sinners, comfort the afflicted, forgive offences, bear patiently those who do us ill, and pray for the living and the dead*), and the **corporal works of mercy** (*feed the hungry, give drink to the thirsty, clothe the naked, welcome the stranger, heal the sick, visit the imprisoned, and bury the dead*).

Which spiritual works of mercy might Christ be calling you to practice?

Which corporal works of mercy?

Mercy "demands justice" "True mercy, the mercy God gives to us and teaches us, demands justice, it demands that the poor find the way to be poor no longer,"

Pope Francis notes. "It asks us, the Church, us, the City of Rome, it asks the institutions — to ensure that no one ever again stand in need of a soup-kitchen, of makeshift lodgings, of a service of legal assistance in order to have his legitimate right recognized to live and to work, to be fully a person" (*Address to Jesuit Refugee Services, 9/10/13*).

In your own life, and in your faith community, how do you work for justice?

Do you seek to address the root causes of problems that affect those who are vulnerable?

MARRIAGE:

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

WEDDING BANNIS: (1st Publication)

* *Lee Wei Hoe & Mabel Loi Huey Yin*

BAPTISM:

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

PARISH ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS:

(November/December, 2015)

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| * 15/11/2015 | - 11.30 am – RCIA Tamil | (Senali Rm & Matthew Rm.) |
| | - 3.30 pm - RCIA in English | (St.Mark's Rm.) |
| * 17/11/2015 | - 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (C) | (St.Matthew Rm.) |
| | - 8.00 pm – Charismatic prayer session | (St.Mark's Rm.) |
| * 18/11/2015 | - 8.00 pm – Chinese group | (ven Francis Xavier Rm.) |
| * 19/11/2015 | - 8.00 pm – YCL | (ven Francis Xavier Rm.) |
| * 20/11/2015 | - 8.00 pm - RCIA (C) | (ven Francis Xavier Rm.) |
| * 24/11/2015 | - 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (C) | (St.Matthew Rm.) |
| * 25/11/2015 | - 8.00 pm – Chinese group | (ven Francis Xavier Rm.) |
| * 26/11/2015 | - 8.00 pm – Area Coordinators, Representatives | (St.Mark's Rm.) |
| * 27/11/2015 | - 8.00 pm - RCIA (C) | (ven Francis Xavier Rm.) |
| * 28/11/2015 | - 9.00 am - PHDC Retreat | (St.Mark's Rm.) |
| * 29/11/2015 | - 10.00 am – Catechists Formation | (ven Francis Xavier Rm.) |
| * 1/12/2015 | - 7.30 pm - Parish Pastoral Council | (St.Mark's Rm.) |
| * 6/12/2015 | - 2.30 pm – Parish Assembly | (Parish Hall) |
| * 13/12/2015 | - 11.30 am - Catechists/Faith Educators | (St.Mark's Rm.) |

BIBLE REFLECTION/HOME-GATHERINGS:

- * 15/11/2015 - 8.00 pm – BEC St.Anne; Home of Colin & Jennifer.
- * 17/11/2015 - 8.00 pm – BEC St.Philomena; Home of Dr.Francis & Evelyn Toh
- * 20/11/2015 - 8.00 pm – BEC St.Francis de Sales; Home of Joe Mariasusay & Maria.
- * 27/11/2015 - 8.00 pm – BRC St.John the Apostle; Home of Seline.

COFFEE MORNINGS 2015:

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

- 15/11/2015 – St.Mary's Chapel.
- 22/11/2015 – Altar Servers.
- 29/11/2015 – BEC Zone 2 (Dass)
- 6/12/2015 – St.Mary's Chapel.

ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO:

- + Soosamary a/p Arumanathan departed on 8 November, 2015.
- + Ann Lau Phooi Har departed on 9 November, 2015.

OMPH SUNDAY SCHOOL**CATECHISTS FORMATION**

(date) Sunday, 29 November, 2015
(time) 10.00 am to 6.00 pm
(conducted by) Fr. Mark Michael (PDCC)
followed by year-end appreciation dinner
from 6.30 pm.

MULTI-PURPOSE HALL

A Team from Taiping Catholic church will be here today (14 & 15 Nov) to sell their "Lucky draw" tickets which cost RM10/- per ticket. This is their fund raising project to build a Multi-Purpose hall which cost RM3 million.

Due to depreciation of the Malaysian Ringgit they need to raise another RM100,000.00.

Attractive prizes are in store for winners –

1st prize: RM10,000.00

2nd prize: RM5,000.00

3rd prize: RM3,000.00

& a number of consolation prizes.

Please give them your generous support.

YOUCAT CAMP (Part 2 – Perak Deanery)

Penang Diocesan Youth Network is inviting young people to the YOUCAT CAMP (Part 2) which aims to aid the young people to understand better their life of faith through the Catechism of the Catholic Church's version for the young reader; appreciate the Father's Love through meaningful prayer encounters and group sharing; and the conviction to live out what they have learned.

(date) 27 (3pm) to 29 (5pm) November

(venue) La Salle Centre, Ipoh.

(Language) Mandarin & Tamil.

(Registration fee) RM35/- (incl. of meals & accommodation)

For enquiries please contact PDYN staff 04 227 4851 or email pdyn@pgdiocese.org

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.

PARENTS' SESSION

FOR all Parents with children from Sunday Catechism, there will be a meeting on –

(date) Sunday, 10 January, 2016.

(time) 10.00 am (venue) Parish Hall.

Looking forward to seeing you all.

OMPH PARISH MINISTRIES**RETREAT**

The Parish is organizing a retreat for all the ministries on

(date) **Sunday, 3 January, 2016.**

(venue) The Haven Lakeside Resort, Ipoh.

(time) 11.00 am to 4.00 pm (English-speaking)

12.00 noon to 4.00pm(Tamil-speaking) 1.30

pm -5 pm (Chinese-speaking)

Fellowship dinner @ 7 pm in the parish hall

RECRUITMENT OF**FAITH EDUCATORS for 2016**

Dedicated, Passionate, Responsible & Spiritually motivated Individuals.

Come and join a fun-filled, exciting, rewarding Ministry!

Contact Angelyn 012 3262992

