



PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP
Redemptorist Community
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SCHEDULE FOR WEEKEND MASSES

- * **Sat.** Mass at 6.45 p.m
- * **Sun.** @ 8 a.m. (E)
- * @ 10.00a.m. (T) (church)
- * @ 11.30 a.m. (C) (church)

NOVENA DEVOTION to Our Mother of Perpetual Help- (Saturdays)

9.00 a.m. Webcast.
 In-person **9.00 a.m** & **6 p.m** followed by Mass at 6.45 p.m in church.

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

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

MEETINGS/ACTIVITIES:-

- * 4/9/2022 @ 1 p.m – Caritas OMPH tuition (3rd fl.)
- * 4/9/2022 @ 7p.m - Chinese Apostolate, mid-autumn festival.
- * 6/9/2022 @ 6 p.m. – CGS (Wisma Liguori)
- * 6/9/2022 @ 8 p.m. – Legion of Mary (C) (hall)
- * 8/9/2022 @ 8 p.m. – RCIA (E)(St. Mk. Rm.)
- * 9/9/2022 @ 8 p.m. – RCIA (C) (F.Xavier Rm.)
- * 10/9/2022 @ 10 a.m – CGS (Wisma Liguori)
- * 11/9/2022 @ 11.30a.m –Tamil Apostolate (St.Mk.Rm.)
- * 11/9/2022 @ 1 p.m – Caritas OMPH tuition (3rd fl.)
- * 12/9/2022 @ 8 p.m – Chinese Apostolate (St.Mk.Rm)

ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO:-

- + Thomas Ng Sing Kong departed on 31/8/2022.
- + Basil Goh Poh Lye departed on 1/9/2022.

BLOOD & ORGAN DONATION

Caritas OMPH, in conjunction with the Malaysian Medical Association, Perak branch, will be organizing a Blood & Organ Donation Campaign on (date) Sunday, 25 Sept.,2022 (time) 8.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. (venue) OMPH parish hall
 The Blood transfusion and Organ donation Teams from Hospital Raja Permaisuri Bainun, Ipoh will be in attendance.
 In addition, there will be medical check-ups for Blood Pressure, Blood sugar and Body Mass index. Mammogram vouchers will also be given to ladies above the age of 40.

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.

SUN CATECHISM NEWS -

Happy Holidays!
 There will be no catechism classes on 4 & 11 of September, 2022.
 Catechism classes will resume on 18 September, 2022.

COFFEE MORNINGS Sept.2022/2023

Calling all BECs and Ministries of O.M.P.H., please be informed that coffee morning on Sundays will be resumed.
 Please book your coffee morning day as soon as possible at the parish office (05 5458220)

(food for thought) (Bulletin 4 September, 2022)

Gospel: Luke 14: 25-33.

“Looking good on wood”



There are demands placed on those who would join Jesus on his journey. Those who were present that day were just as confused and stunned by Jesus’ words as we are today. They may have been poor, but they cherished possessions too and, like us, probably wanted or needed more of them. Family life, if anything, was even more precious to Jesus’ contemporaries. While we prize individuality and being able to "go it on our own," at that time, a person's very identity depended on membership in family, clan and religious sect. Prestige and reputation were intimately linked to the social standing people had in their social network. If a person at that time packed up and decided to set out on their own they would, in effect, lose their identity.

The parables of the tower builder and the warring king are simple enough. But the sayings on discipleship that surround them are some of the most radical in the Gospel. They are not difficult to understand, but are immensely demanding to practice. The Gospel tells us today that to be a disciple of Jesus, one must be willing to let go of what one values most - familiar relationships, possessions, and even one’s own life. Jesus names some of the strongest attachments that would be difficult for anyone to leave aside when called into the community of believers and to participate in his mission.