



PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP

Redemptorist Community

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**

on **Sunday, 25 November, 2018.**

The Parish would like to thank our Faith Educators for their dedicated service in preparing the 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communicants for the Sacrament of Most Holy Communion.

We ask their parents to continue to guide their children in their faith formation and bringing them for the celebration of the Eucharist...we work together!

**GOTONG-ROYONG -**

Sun. 25/11/2018 at 2.00 pm

We invite all parishioners, all ministries and BECs and Language group to help clean the church as we prepare for Advent and Christmas. The Hospitality ministry will be responsible for this years Gotong-Royong.

Kindly help in this project.

**OMPH-Catholic Charismatic**

**Renewal Group** celebrates

**39<sup>th</sup> Anniversary & Thanksgiving**

Mass on

Wednesday, **28<sup>th</sup> November 2018**

**@ 7.30pm** in OMPH church.

COME AND CELEBRATE WITH US

**ADVENT**

Advent with its many emotional overtones ushers in the most popular season of the year.

It is the beginning of our Liturgical year. It is time of waiting, a time of preparation, a time of hope.

It is a season filled with many activities to many colours. While we maybe busy with school holidays and travel plans and also with baking and cooking and presents, let us also remember the spiritual aspect of Christmas or the only purpose of Christmas. Someone is coming. Yes, it is true, let us prepare the way, our hearts, our community.

**ALTAR SERVERS OUTING to**

**Teluk Batik** on Tues. 4/12/2018.

Twenty-three servers will be going on this outing to Teluk Batik leaving the church grounds at 7.00 am. At 9.30am mass will be celebrated in Sitiawan.

Vernon will conduct a Team building at 11.00 am followed by lunch and swimming in Teluk Batik at 12.30pm. Continue with Team building Part II at 2.30 pm.

4.00 pm TEA.

Depart to Ipoh at 5.00 pm.

Parents please take note that your children should arrive by 7.00 pm.

(Food for thought)

Gospel: John 18: 33-37.

**“Servant King ”**

The feast of Christ the King signals the end of the liturgical year, and our preparation for the season of Advent. We acknowledge Jesus the Christ as our King, the shepherd-king, who remains always the perfect example of how power is to be used for service.

The Scriptural readings for this feast always point to suffering and death, and what looks to be total human failure. **But in reality, they describe what true power really is.** Some use power to dominate and manipulate. Others use power to teach and to heal.

This is the kingdom we inherit: Emmanuel - God with us; God above us; God under us; God around us; God within us. We are carriers of a new vision. We are dreamers of His dream that all may be one, loved and accepted as persons of immeasurable value. We are the bearers of life, nurturing it in all of its myriad manifestations. We are the reminders that truth, goodness and beauty are to be pursued and enjoyed. We are called to be servants of the Word, open and vulnerable to its transforming power - a community of disciples who live simply, love tenderly and act justly.

**MARRIAGE:** Please contact the Parish Priest at least SIX MONTHS in advance.  
**WEDDING BANNS** (1st Publication)

- \* *Anthony Richard Yakappan & Ann Cassandra Mayuri Sethrai*
- \* *Adrian Aaron Yeoh Aun Hong & Ng Mei Lian*
- \* *Kevinn Rajh Peter Francis & Sagaya Heni Subramaniam*

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

**PARISH ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS:** (November/December 2018)

- \* 25/11/2018 - 10.00 am - RCIA (BM) (St. Monica Rm.)
- 11.30 am - RCIA (T) (St. Matthew Rm.)
- 3.00 pm - RCIA (E) (St. Mark's Rm.)
- \* 26/11/2018 - 7.00 pm - CCR
- \* 27/11/2018 - 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (C) (St. Matthew Rm.)
- \* 28/11/2018 - 7.30pm - Catholic Charismatic Renewal (church)
- \* 29/11/2018 - 8.00 pm - Area Coordinator, Representatives (St. Mark's Rm.)
- 8.00 pm - Tamil Choir (St. Paul's Rm.)
- \* 30/11/2018 - 8.00 pm - Faith Educators (St. Mark's Rm.)
- 8.30pm - RCIA (C) (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
- \* 2/12/2018 - 10.00 am - RCIA (BM) (St. Monica Rm.)
- 11.30 am - RCIA (T) (St. Matthew Rm.)
- 3.00 pm - RCIA (E) (St. Mark's Rm.)
- \* 3/12/2018 - 7.00 pm - CCR
- \* 4/12/2018 - 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (C) (St. Matthew Rm.)
- \* 6/12/2018 - 8.00 pm - Tamil Choir (St. Paul's Rm.)
- \* 7/12/2018 - 8.30pm - RCIA (C) (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
- \* 9/12/2018 - 10.00 am - RCIA (BM) (St. Monica Rm.)
- 11.30 am - RCIA (T) (St. Matthew Rm.)
- 3.00 pm - RCIA (E) (St. Mark's Rm.)
- \* 10/12/2018 - 7.00 pm - CCR
- \* 11/12/2018 - 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (C) (St. Matthew Rm.)
- \* 13/12/2018 - 8.00 pm - Tamil Choir (St. Paul's Rm.)
- \* 14/12/2018 - 8.30pm - RCIA (C) (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)

**2018 COFFEE MORNINGS:**

- \* 25/11/2018 – BEC St. Philip.
- \* 2/12/2018 - BEC St. Jude.
- \* 9/12/2018 – BEC St. Philip.
- \* 16/12/2018 – BEC St. Alphonsus.
- \* 23/12/2018 – St. Peregrine group.

**ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO:**

+Sebastian Savisthian a/l Rayappan departed on 18 November, 2018.

**RCIA sessions** (English)  
**Sun. 25 November, 2018**

@ 3 pm. - St. Mark's Rm.

**Topic:** "The Almighty God and Holy Trinity"

**Speaker by:** Alison Wong, a Law Lecture from Kuala Lumpur.

Parishioners are welcome to participate.

**REQUEST FOR FURNISHINGS for Atrium use –**

Our parish is in the midst of setting up a CGS (Catechesis of The Good Shepherd) atrium for children aged 3 to 5.

We would be needing small shelving, end table, carpets, rugs, bibles, religious statues and wall hangings to adorn the room. If you have any of these to donate it would be greatly appreciated. We only request that it be made from natural materials (ie) wood, rattan, metal or fibres. Please contact Monica (012 5280405) for collection and view "cgs atrium" online for images of things we need.

**COMING EVENT....**

**Christmas Carol 2018**

**"Children Helping Children" project –**

As part of the Sun. Sch. activity there will be carol singing during coffee morning on 1st Advent (2 Dec.) & 2nd Advent (9 Dec.)

**REHEARSAL** on

Sat. 1 December & 8 December from 9.30am till 10.30 am at the hall corridor.

**EVENING FOR THE ENGAGED 2019**

Couples planning to get married in the year 2019, please take note of the EE Weekends english during the year. You are requested to register six (6) weeks before the weekend dates.

<b>EE 119</b>	<b>25 – 27 Jan., 2019</b>
<b>EE120</b>	<b>5 – 7 April, 2019</b>
<b>EE121</b>	<b>12 – 14 July, 2019</b>
<b>EE122</b>	<b>18-20 Oct., 2019</b>

Please see your Parish Priest for registration.

**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.

**GOOD SHEPHERD KINDERGARTEN**

Calling all past pupils of Mariaville Kindergarten –We will be having our past pupils NITE DINNER on Sat. 1 December, 2018 at Tower Regency Hotel, Ipoh.

Please contact: Alicia (019 4324060) / Amy (012 5720255)

**ADORATION TO THE BLESSED**

**SACRAMENT** - 1st Friday of each month

We will have Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament on **Friday, 7 December, 2018**

starting with Adoration at 7.00 pm followed by Mass at 8.00 pm. Come to pray for Vocations in our local church.

*There will be no 6.30am mass.*

**CHRISTMAS VISITATION FOR THE O.M.P.H. HOME-BOUND COMMUNION**

# 5/12/2018 – 9.00 am – English-speaking.

# 5/12/2018 – 5.00 pm – Tamil speaking.

# 6/12/2018 – 9.00 am – Chinese speaking

**ADVENT PENITENTIAL SERVICE**

In preparation for Christmas, penitential service will be held on –

Wed. 19 December, 2018 at 8.00 pm