



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)

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.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS – 7/4/2017

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.

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.

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

PENITENTIAL SERVICE

Please keep Wed. 29 evening free for confession

date	time	Venue
Mon. 20/3	7pm	Taiping 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 this after in OMPH
church – **Sun. 2 April, 2017 at 3.00 pm.**



Inviting all BECs & Ministries from
all language groups to help clean the
inside and outside of the church for
Holy Week and Easter. Tea & snacks
will be provided. The Chinese
community will be in-charge. Please
bring your brooms, buckets, rags,
detergent etc.

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	All are invited to spend some time to keep Vigil	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:

(April 2017)

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| * 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.) |
| * 3/4/2017 | - 7.00 pm | - CCR | (Matthew 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.) |
| * 9/4/2017 | - 11.30am | - RCIA (T) | (Matthew Rm.) |
| | - 1.30pm | - PHDC Learning centre | (3rd floor & cafeteria) |
| | - 3.00 pm | - Rehearsal for Liturgical Ministries | (church) |
| | - 4.30 pm | - Rehearsal for RCIA 'Elects' | (church) |
| * 27/4/2017 | - 8.00 pm | - Area Coordinators | (St.Mark's Rm.) |
| | - 8.00 pm | - Ipoh Catholic Cemetery Committee | (ven Francis Xavier Rm.) |
| * 30/4/2017 | - 7.30 pm | - Parish pastoral Council | (St.Mark's Rm.) |

2017 COFFEE MORNINGS

- * 2/4/2017 – BEC St.Francis De Sales
- * 16/4/2017 – BEC St. Alphonsus.
- * 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:

- * 3/4/2017 - 8.00pm - BEC St.Joseph; Home of Peter & Irene, Bercham.
- * 5/4/2017 - 6.00 pm - BEC St.Benedict; Home of Francis & Laurel Chan.
- * 21/4/2017 - 8.00 pm – BEC St.Francis De Sales; Home of Lawrence & Patricia.

ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO:

+ Theresa Chan Mee Yoong departed on 26 March, 2017.

A WORD OF THANKS –

to all the Eucharistic Ministers who are in the Home-Bound Ministry; Thank you for your service that is carried out faithfully to the Sick and Elderly in our parish. We do not know how to measure this service. It is a ministry of love and compassion.

Thank you . (Parish priest)

REHEARSAL FOR Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Vigil.

All Liturgical Ministers rostered for the above celebrations and those involved in the foot washing ritual are requested to be present on **Sunday, 9 April in Church @ 3 pm**

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 (15/4/2017). The event will start at 9.45am in the Church compound. Look out for more details to come.

PENANG DIOCESAN CHARISMATIC RALLY IN CONJUNCTION WITH 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CHARISMATIC RENEWAL IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Theme: **“Spreading the Fire”** (Lk. 4: 18-19). The rally will be held on 29 April 2017 (Saturday) from 9.00am-5.30pm.

Registration by language groups begins at 8.00am at the following venues: English (St. Anne Hall); Tamil (St. Anne Church), Mandarin (Domus), Bahasa Malaysia (Parish Centre).

Rt. Rev. Sebastian Francis, Bishop of Penang will preside at the concluding Mass for all groups at St. Anne Church. All are welcome. Registration: RM10.00 per person. For Bahasa Malaysia group, contact: 016-4441212 (Jim)/016-4343110 (Dr. Steven). Closing date: 22 April 2017.

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)**

NEW-INTAKE for “ADULT ENQUIRY TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH” (E/C/T/BM)

If you know of friends who are interested in making enquiry into the Catholic Faith, please invite them now to register at the Parish Office. Please take note that the sessions will start end of June.

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)*