

PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP
Redemptorist Community
Rev Fr Patrick Massang, C.Ss.R. (Parish Priest)
Rev Fr Philip Lai, C.Ss.R (Assistant Parish Priest)



O.M.P.H. MASS SCHEDULE

- * Weekday Mass (Mon-Fri) @ 7 a.m except on P.Holiday @ 8 a.m
- * Sat. Novena Devotion @ 9 a.m. & 6 p.m.
- * Sat. Sunset Mass (E) @ 6.45p.m
- * Sun. Mass (E) @ 8 a.m./1st Sun BM.

Sun. Mass (T) @ 10 a.m; Mass(C) @ 11.30 a.m

OMPH LENTEN RETREAT 2023

organised by OMPH-CCR

"HEARING THE LORD'S VOICE IN YOUR LIFE"

by Rev Fr Joseph Stephen, CSsR at 7.30pm in OMPH Church on February, Tues 21st 2023. March, Wed 1st, 8th and 15th, 2023 Please bring along your Bible. Register at parish office or place completed form in box provided inside church.

RELIEF FUND APPEAL 2023

(5 January – 22 February, 2023)
The Catholic Bishops' Conference of Malaysia and the Caritas diocese offices see the value of having a **Pool Fund** to respond swiftly in any emergency, and to accompany our people through relief, rehabilitation and development to stand again on their feet.

In order for us to extend our solidarity to communities who are in need of such help, we ask your generosity to make a one-off contribution to the Caritas Malaysia Relief Fund appeal 2023. For more information visit –

https://www.caritasmalaysia.net/get -involved/appeal/ and Facebook: Caritas Malaysia.

ASH WEDNESDAY - 22 Feb., 2023

Mass at 7a.m. & 8 p.m.(E)(church) Tamil Mass at 8.00 p.m.(parish hall)

STATIONS OF THE CROSS on

24/2/23 followed by Mass (Fridays during Lent)

- @ 7.30 pm (E) OMPH church.
- @ 7.15 pm (T) Parish hall.

LENTEN SACRIFICE to help the poor as part of our Lenten penance and spiritual growth, we are called to share. Baskets are placed on either side of the sanctuary throughout the season of Lent to appeal for non-perishable food like rice, sugar, cooking oil, sardines, milk power, noodles, tin biscuits,

RITE OF SENDING/ENROLMENT -

"Signing of the Book of Elect" - Our Catechumens are now reaching the end of their Catechumenate. On Sat. **25 Feb.,2023** during the 6.45pm Mass, the Catechumens who seek Baptism at Easter will have their names "enrolled" in the Book of Elect

RITE OF ELECTION – 1st Sun. of Lent The Rite of Election for District of Perak will be celebrated at Church of Our Lady of Lourdes on 26 February, 2023 at 5 p.m. with Rt Rev Bishop Sebastian Francis

MEETINGS/ACTIVITIES:-

- * 19/2/23 @ 11.30 am Tamil Apostolate (Mk.Rm.)
 - @ 1.30p.m Rehearsal RCIA (church)
- * @ 2.00 pm RCIA (BM) (Mk.Rm.) * 21/2/23 @ 7.30pm – OMPH Lenten Retreat (E)
- * 21/2/23 @ 8 p.m Legion of Mary (C)(Mt.Rm.)
- * 23/2/23 @ 8p.m RCIA (E) (St.MkRm.)
- * @ 8 p.m RCIA (T) (St.Paul Rm.)
 - @ 8 p.m RCIA BM (Francis Xavier Rm.)
- * 24/2/23 @ 8 p.m RCIA (C) (St.Francis X.Rm.)
- * 25/2/23 @ 6.45pm Rite of Sending (RCIA)
- * 26/2/23 @ 5 p.m Rite of Election (OLOL church)
- * 1/3/23 @ 7.30pm OMPH Lenten Retreat (E)
- * 2/3/23 @ 8 p.m RCIA (E) (St.MkRm.)
- @ 8 p.m RCIA (T) (St.Paul Rm.)
- * @ 8 p.m RCIA BM (Francis Xavier Rm.)
- * 3/3/23 @ 8 p.m RCIA (C) (St.Francis X.Rm.)

COFFEE MORNINGS 2023

- * 19/2/2023 Young People Choir.
- * 19/3/2023 Eucharist Ministers.
- * 26/3/2023 Caritas OMPH

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.

ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO:

- + Anthonette Philomen Irrudaimary departed on 8 February, 2022.
- + Lucy Anna Quah Cheng Kwai departed on 9 February, 2023.
- + Jeffrey Nicholas Peeter departed on 10 February, 2023.

(food for thought) (Bulletin 19 February, 2023) Gospel: Mt 5:38-48. "*Teaching by example*"

The ministry of Jesus flowed from his belief that living in love was living in God. He spent his life trying to share this belief with others and to allow that belief to transform their lives. Those who sat listening to his sermon heard his words. But more importantly, they saw him live those words to the fullest.

Every Christian community since then has sought to act as He acted, wanting to make the same Spirit that moved Jesus visible in society. Seeing, hearing, touching the hearts of others and speaking as he did are characteristics of all disciples.

It's as new as it is old: "Love God and love your neighbor." As it was all throughout Jesus' life, God identifies Himself with our neighbor. You can't have one without the other. How utterly simple. And yet how profoundly complex.

We believe that everything and everyone is charged with God's presence. We are called to witness to this by our words and our actions. And this belief is at the heart of our faith, just as it was at the heart of Jesus' preaching, teaching and the way he lived his life.