



**PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP**  
Redemptorist Community  
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**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**33 Days TO MORNING GLORY  
RETREAT.....**

This Retreat (5 weeks) has been postponed to **Thursday, 25 February, 2016** at 8.00 pm in the Parish Hall. It will conclude with the Consecration to Our Mother Mary. Those interested may register at the OMPH Parish office together with a donation of RM32/- for book materials.

**1<sup>ST</sup> BEC CULTURAL EVENT 2016**

The Tamil Apostolate of O.M.P.H. & the B.E.C.s are organizing a 'Ponggal Festival' on (date) Sunday, 17 January, 2016.  
Programme:

- \* 4.30 pm – Boiling of the milk (front of the church)
- \* 5.00 pm – Mass in Tamil.
- \* 6.15 pm – Games
- \* 7.00 pm – Dinner

**SUNDAY CATECHISM NEWS**

**PARENTS' SESSION**

FOR all Parents with children in Sunday Catechism school, there will be a meeting on (date) **Sunday, 10 January, 2016.** (time) 10.00 am (venue) OMPH Parish Hall. Looking forward to seeing you all.

**New Registration** for Sunday Catechism.

Parents are requested to bring a Photostat copy of the child's baptism certificate.

Catechism books –

- \* Kindergarten = RM10/-
- \* Primary = RM 25/-
- \* Secondary = RM30/-

**COMBINED LANGUAGE**

**LITURGICAL COMMITTEE (E/C/T/BM)-**

In preparation for the coming OMPH Feastday on 18 of June, 2016; all Chairperson and Representatives of Liturgical ministries (Choirs, Altar Servers, Liturgy Script Writers, Lectors/Commentators, Hospitality Ministers, Eucharistic Ministers, Chinese Apostolate, Tamil Apostolate) are requested to be present for this important meeting on (date) **Wednesday, 13 January, 2016** (time) 8.00 pm (venue) St.Mark's Room.

*Letter From your Parish Priest*

Dear Parishioners and Friends

This year the parish celebrates 150 years of the Icon of Our Mother of Perpetual Help.

On this special occasion, the Nuncio Joseph Salvador Marino will be present for our Feast day mass on 18 of June, 2016. We are expecting about 3000 Pilgrims for the feast day. As always we want to share a meal with all the Pilgrims from far and near on this special day.

We are hoping that Parishioners and Friends would be able to help to defray the cost of the meal which cost RM5.50 per person.

I invite you dear parishioners to contribute in whatever way possible to help cover the cost. Donation in cheque can be made payable to "PARISH OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP"

Thank you for your continuous support in all the parish events.

God bless you and may Our Mother of Perpetual Help continues to intercede your prayers.

*"Make Her Known"*

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

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

*We Welcome to our community*

\* Dhevina d/o Raymond Anthony & Vanitha Sammogam.

She was baptized on 27 December, 2015.

Congratulations to her parents and godparents.

**PARISH ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS:**

(January, 2016)

- \* 10/1/2016 - 11.15 am - Tamil Apostolate (St.Paul's Rm.)  
- 3.00 pm - RCIA (E) (St.Mark's Rm.)
- \* 11/1/2016 - 8.00 pm - Chinese Apostolate (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
- \* 12/1/2016 - 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (St.Matthew Rm.)
- \* 13/1/2016 - 8.00 pm - Chinese group (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)  
- 8.00 pm - Combined Liturgical Committee (St.Mark's Rm.)
- \* 15/1/2016 - 8.00 pm - RCIA (C) (Wallace Rm.)
- \* 17/1/2016 - 2.00 pm - Altar Servers meeting (Wallace Rm.)  
- 3.00 pm - RCIA (E) (St.Mark's Rm.)  
- Eucharistic Ministers (E) (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
- \* 19/1/2016 - 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (St.Matthew Rm.)
- \* 20/1/2016 - 8.00 pm - Chinese group (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
- \* 22/1/2016 - 8.00 pm - RCIA (C) (Wallace Rm.)
- \* 24/1/2016 - 7.00 pm - Area Coordinators gathering (Parish hall)
- \* 26/1/2016 - 8.15 pm - Legion of Mary (St.Matthew Rm.)
- \* 27/1/2016 - 8.00 pm - Chinese group (ven Francis Xavier Rm.)
- \* 28/1/2016 - - - No Area Coordinators meeting
- \* 29/1/2016 - 8.00 pm - RCIA (C) (Wallace Rm.)

**BIBLE REFLECTION & HOME-GATHERINGS:**

\* 15/1/2016 - 8.00 pm - BEC St. Francis De Sales; Home of Lawrence & Patricia.

**COFFEE MORNINGS 2016:**

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

- 10/1/2016 - BEC St.Philip.
- 17/1/2016 - Lectors & Commentators.
- 24/1/2016 - St.Peregrine group.
- 31/1/2016 - BEC St.Augustine.

**ETERNAL HAPPINESS TO:**

+ Michael Yap Kim Fook departed on 31 December, 2015.

+ Razario a/l Threethuvam Samidass departed on 4 January, 2016.

+ Francis Kok Fai departed on 5 January, 2016.

**ENGLISH EVENING FOR THE ENGAGED 2016-**

Couples planning to get married in the year 2016, please take note of the EE Weekends which will be held in Penang Stella Maris. You are requested to register six (6) weeks before the weekend dates.

22-24 January, 2016
8-10 April, 2016
24-26 June, 2016
2-4 September, 2016
11-13 November, 2016

Please see your Parish Priest for registration.

**TAMIL MARRIAGE PREPARATION WEEKEND - 2016**

Stella Maris, Penang	Feb 26,27,28	Closing date: 1/2/2016
Domus St.Anne, Bukit Mertajam	27, 28,29 May	1/5/2016
Chapel St.Chastan & Imbert, Prai	Aug. 26,27,28	Closing date: 1/8/2016
Church of Sacred Heart, Kampar	Nov. 25,26,27	Closing date: 1/11/2016

**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.

**OMPH CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL**

Come join us in our Praise and Worship every Wednesday at 8.00 pm in church.

