



CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

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29th & 30th Apr 2017 3rd Sunday of Easter

1st reading:
Acts 2:14, 22-23

2nd reading:
1 Peter 1:17-21

Gospel:
Luke 24:13-35



ON THE ROAD

One central metaphor employed to describe the Christian life is a journey. In today's second reading, Peter addresses the early Christian community: "Conduct yourselves with reverence during the time of your sojourning" (1 Peter 1:17). When we think of a journey, we normally think of some kind of movement from point A to point B. The Christian journey, begun in the waters of baptism (point A) has as its ultimate destination eternal life with God in heaven (point B). Unfortunately we find ourselves on all kinds of detours along the way. Because of sin, we make foolish turns and sometimes seem unable to detect the presence of the Lord. Today's story of the two disciples on their way to Emmaus illustrates for us the fact that, even when we are dejected or on one of our many detours, the Lord is there, walking right beside us.
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Public Holiday

Mon 1 May being Labour Day, mass will begin at 8am

* There will be NO 6pm evening mass *

Ministry Recollection (Attendance is Compulsory)

Mon 1 May * 9am to 1pm * Main Church

Registration begins at 8.30am after the morning mass.



P.A.R.T.I.S.H Holy Hour

Fri 5 May * 8pm * Main Church

6pm evening Mass as usual.

Charities Week 2017 Appeal Envelopes

Kindly be reminded to drop the envelopes with your donations into the box at the entrance of the Church. You can also mail your donation directly to Caritas Singapore (for cheques only) 55 Waterloo Street #08-01, Catholic Centre, Singapore 187954.

Your contribution will make a difference in the lives of those in need

BEHOLD THE MAN series by Men@HolySpirit

Sat 13 May * 7.30am in room 03-11

Do join us for our Behold the Man Session 5:

"States of Life of Men"

adapted from Rev. Deacon Harold Burke/Sivers on Men's stages in life and find meaning & purpose.

All Men Welcome!

The Pivotal Players - St. Catherine of Sienna & Michelangelo ~ by Bishop Robert Barron

Organized by the Bible Apostolate - A.M.

Wed 24 & 31 May * 9.30-11.30am * Room 03-10

No pre-registration. Love Offering. All are Welcome!

Enquiries: hsbibleapostolate@gmail.com



Spend the first 2 Saturdays in MAY with our Blessed Mother!

Sat 6 May 2017

Jesus Mary Rally (1pm - 3.30pm)

Organized by The Office for the New Evangelisation in collaboration with The Legion of Mary

Come for an afternoon of prayer, adoration and a talk to learn more about Jesus, Mary and the New Evangelisation.

Speaker: Fr Terence Pereira,

Episcopal Vicar for the New Evangelisation

Sat 13 May 2017

Our Lady of Fatima Centennial Celebrations

Celebrant of Eucharistic Celebration:

Archbishop William Goh

* More details will be made available *

Venue: Both events are held at St Joseph's Church (Victoria Street)

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday: - 6.30am & 6pm
Vespers: 6.30pm except Thurs

Saturday: 6.30am
Sunset Mass - 5.30pm

Sunday:

7am, 9am, 11.30am & 5.30pm

P.A.R.T.I.S.H Holy Hour:

1st Friday @ 8pm

Public Holiday:

Morning Mass @ 8am

Charismatic:

Last Tuesday 8pm

Divine Mercy:

Wed 3pm, Thu 6.30pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

15 minutes before sunset mass on Saturday and all masses on Sunday.

WEDDING:

Arrangements must be made at least 6 months ahead with our Parish office. Couples need to attend Marriage Preparation Course or Engage Encounter.

INFANT BAPTISM:

Parents are encouraged to register & attend sessions 1 & 2 pre-natal and session 3 a week prior to the baptism. <http://www.holyspirit.sg/faith-education-committee/infant-baptism-ministry>

LANDINGS:

<https://www.facebook.com/LandingsSingapore>

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Certificate in Theology

Catholic Theological Institute of Singapore (CTIS) welcomes applications for the Certificate in Theology program for Semester 2, 2017.

You may download a copy of our Prospectus 2017 from our website.

Application forms are available at CTIS Office or you may download it from our website.

Please join our **Information Night on Wed May 3 from 7.30 to 8.30pm** to know more about CTIS and the programmes we offer. Closing date for all applications is Fri May 27.

Contact us for more information. CTIS, 55 Waterloo St, #05-04 Catholic Centre, Singapore 187954.

Telephone: 6434-8000 * Email: admin@ctis.sg * Website: www.ctis.sg

Craft of Catechesis Workshop: Praying with your Catechumens

Wed 17 & 24 May * 7.30pm-10pm * Catholic Archdiocesan Education Centre (CAEC)

Speakers: Gerard & Jessica Francisco, Suryadi Azali (Office for Catechesis) and Martin Fernandez (SACCRA-Singapore Archdiocese Catholic Charismatic Renewal)

We invite: Overall Coordinators; Youth Coordinators & Facilitators; Level Coordinators for Youth; Youth Catechists & Assistant Catechists; RCIA Coordinators & Team Members. You will have a better understanding of healing prayer & basic knowledge of how to pray with the catechumens to experience God's healing touch.

* Register by Sun 14 May *

<https://cms.catechesis.org.sg/civcm/event/info?reset=1&id=99>

Building the Kingdom Workshop -

The Spirituality of Work (for working young adults)

This workshop allows working young adults to come together to reflect on being a Christian in the workplace. The content draws on the principles of the Catholic Social Teaching.

The speaker is Rev. Fr. David Garcia, OP.

This workshop will be held on Sat 27 May 5pm to 9pm, level 3 in Catholic Centre, 55 Waterloo Street.

For more information and registration, please refer to the Caritas Singapore website: www.caritas-singapore.org or email to youngadults@caritas-singapore.org

Kickstart 2017

Entering university this year but unsure of where to meet fellow Catholic students?

Well, come on down to this year's Kickstart on 10 & 11 Jun, where you'll definitely get the chance to do so!

The Office for Young People invites students who are entering NUS, NTU, SMU, SIM, JCU, SUTD, SIT, Yale-NUS, or other local and overseas universities for a time of worship, fellowship, encounter and more!

Sat 10 Jun 10am to Sun 11 Jun 2017 6pm

Venue: Office for Young People, 2 Lorong Low Koon, SG 536449

So what are you waiting for?

Take a leap of faith and kickstart your university life by signing up at: <http://oyp.org.sg/kickstart17rego>

Cost is FREE!
Kindly sign up by
Wed 31 May!

Do you know someone who is physically challenged who may need Rehabilitation therapy, or Family Caregivers of the physically challenged who need respite. Help us share the message.

Abilities Beyond Limitations and Expectations (ABLE), a member of Caritas Singapore, provides rehabilitation therapy, training and job support to enable beneficiaries to return to suitable and sustainable employment.

ABLE also offers home and centre based respite services to Family Caregivers and their physically challenged Care Recipients.

Please contact us if you have any questions or need more information:

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