

CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

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DECEMBER

SENT WITH JOY TO HEAL

UNNTYING THE KNOTS IN THE FAMILY

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	MASSES IN THE PARISH
Nov 29 (Sun) Is 63: 16- 17,19;64:2-7 1 Cor 1: 3-9 Mk 13:33-37	8.30 am 9.00 am	Taize Prayer Mass (LIVE Streaming)	FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT (YEAR B)
Nov 30 (Mon)	6.30 pm	Mass (LIVE Streaming)	St. Andrew, Apostle, feast
Dec 01 (Tue)	6.30 pm	Mass (LIVE Streaming)	
Dec 02 (Wed)	6.30 pm	Mass (LIVE Streaming)	
Dec 03 (Thu)	6.30 pm	Mass (LIVE Streaming)	St. Francis Xavier, Priest, Feast
Dec 04 (Fri)	6.30 pm	Mass (LIVE Streaming)	St. John Damascene, Priest & Doctor
Dec 06 (Sun) Is 40: 1-5, 9- 11 2 Pt 3: 8-14 Mk 1: 1-8	8.30 am 9.00 am	Taize Prayer Mass (LIVE Streaming)	SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT (YEAR B)
PARISH ACTIVITIES			
Nov 29 (Sun)	8.30 pm	RCIA (E)	Zoom Meeting
Dec 02 (Wed)	8.00pm	Parish Finance Committee	Zoom Meeting
Dec 06 (Sun)	8.30 pm	RCIA (E)	Zoom Meeting

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

For those who wish to continue your practice of the offerings of Mass Intentions, financial giving of monthly tithing and love offerings, donations for PHDC or donations to Parish please use your online banking facility during this period. Our parish bank details is as follows:

PUBLIC BANK BERHAD Bank:

Bank Account Name: **CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY SPIRIT**

Bank Account Number: 3093049812

Please email or WhatsApp the Bank-in Slip to admin@holyspiritcathedral.com or 011 2418 6547 for our accounting records.

"God loves a cheerful giver." - 2 Cor. 9:7

CHS ADVENT 2020

The celebration of Advent will be different this year due to the pandemic but our reason for the celebration remains the same - Jesus. Let's keep our focus on him during this time of expectant waiting of God becoming man - Emmanuel.

- 1) Bishop Sebastian together with a team of young people have given us a gift during this special season - "The Millennial Advent - Christmas Kit 2020" to assist families, households and individuals in our journey though Advent and Christmas during these restricted times. You may retrieve the kit in all languages at the link: https://bit.lv/pgdiocese-advent-xmas-2020
- 2) To make our celebration of Advent more meaningful CHS will be initiating the "Sharing the Gift 2020" project to spread the hope and joy of Emmanuel. Come join us and to Share the Gift - Jesus, especially to the needy. Let's do this together and make a difference in the life of another.
 - o **Gift of Blessing** providing school essentials to 100 families in need. Contact: Catherine Ong 0164512264
 - o Gift of Joy bringing cheer to the Children's Ward in GH with the St. Joseph's Home Contact: Kristy Gan 0164725597
 - Pot Bless-to-Bless blessing the less fortunate / homeless with hot meals e.g. Lighthouse and various charitable homes and organization. Contact: Christine Ho 0124025292
- 3) Before weekend masses we will be having a short time of **Talze Prayer** (30 minutes) with the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Let's join in this time of prayer and intercede for God's Protection upon all of us.
- 4) As you take this season to prepare yourself spiritually, we invite you to share your struggles and how you have experienced God's love in a unique way. We invite you to share your testimonies by email us at share2chs@gmail.com so we can bless, encourage and support one another by giving glory to God through our testimonies.
- 5) There will be short reflections released every Wednesday till the end of 2020 on our social media to encourage parishioners to be inspired by other parishioner's testimony. It will called "Musings during Pandemic" The 1st reflection was released last week.

As we prepare for Advent/Christmas with a difference, let our focus be on the privilege we have to make a difference in the life of another by Sharing the Gift - Jesus. Have a Blessed Advent!

SUBMISSION OF BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT

Kindly submit the request for publication of the bulletin announcement by Wednesday through the link We have setup a form to help us submit request for announcements for the Parish Bulletin.

DISASTER RELIEF APPEAL

The Diocese of Penang through Caritas Penang has assured a total sum of MYR 100K as a sign of closeness and solidarity to Philippines, Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos and Sabah. For enquiries contact 04-2292742 and if you wish to assist, kindly make your contribution to: Penang Office For Human Development Bank: Maybank 507068315122.