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2021 THEME
JANUARY

HOPE: BELIEVE, LIVE AND GIVE
THE WORD BECAME FLESH

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	MASSES IN THE PARISH
Jan 24 (Sun) Jona 3:1-5,10 1 Cor 7: 29-31 Mk 1: 14-20	8.30 am 9.00 am	Adoration Mass (E) (LIVE Streaming)	3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR B) Sunday of the Word of God
Jan 25 (Mon)			The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle, feast
Jan 26 (Tue)			Ss. Timothy & Titus, Bishops
Jan 27 (Wed)	6.30 pm	Mass (LIVE Streaming)	St. Angela Merici, Virgin
Jan 28 (Thu)	6.30 pm	Mass (LIVE Streaming)	St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest & Doctor
Jan 29 (Fri)	6.30 pm	Mass (LIVE Streaming)	
Jan 30 (Sat)			
Jan 31 (Sun) Deit 18: 15-20 1 Cor 7: 32-35 Mk 1: 21-28	8.30am 9.00 am	Adoration Mass (E) (LIVE Streaming)	4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR B)

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Jan 24 (Sun)	8.30 pm	RCIA (E)	Zoom Meeting
Jan 29 (Fri)	8.45 pm	Callback Virtual Meeting	http://bit.ly/callbackvirtual
Jan 30 (Sat)	4.00 pm	CEC (E)	Zoom Meeting
Jan 31 (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 :

Bank: **PUBLIC BANK BERHAD**
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

LET'S FIGHT COVID 19 TOGETHER

With the alarming increase of cases locally, let us continue to take all necessary safety precautions by following SOPs, keep vigilant and be mindful of the safety of each other.

CHS ONLINE MASSES DURING MCO 2.0

Sundays: 8.30 am – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9.00 am - Mass
Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays: 6.30 pm @ youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv

Mondays, Tuesday, Saturdays:

The mass (intentions) will be celebrated in private, however we encourage you to join online Mass in CDM @ fb.me/cdmgarapg @ 7am

CEC (English).

1. Catechism classes for the new year will resume on January 23rd at 4.00 pm. Due to the current COVID-19 situation, all classes will be conducted online.
2. For enquiries and registration of new students and pre-school children (6 years old), please contact Anne Ho @ 016-4106992.
3. Please return your catechism textbook as communicated by the CEC teachers of the respective classes.

CHS WEBSITE

We need a webmaster to help maintain our CHS website. Responsibilities mainly to post all important and current announcements to the website without delay so that our website is current and relevant. If you are available to help, please give your contact details to the parish office.

CHS 2021 : SHARING HOPE PROJECT

CHS is organizing a community project for the front-liners and low risk COVID-19 patients based at Masyarakat Penyayang, Penang. The 1st batch of provisions was delivered on 17th January 2021. We will continue to collect and deliver dry provisions bi-weekly to supplement what they receive and show our appreciation and care during this pandemic. Let us continue to share the hope of Christ with the front liners and COVID-19 patients.

Item to required:

- (i) 3 in 1 drinks (milo, coffee, cereals), (ii) Pre-packed biscuits, (iii) Cup noodles.

Below are the scheduled times for collection:

1st Batch - 13 January 2021 (delivered) 2nd Batch - 27 January 2021
3rd Batch - 10 February 2021 4th Batch - 24 February 2021

For those who wish to contribute by cash – kindly transfer online to "Cathedral CHS", RHB account no: 20708200039928 or Call CHS Parish office.

For enquiries, kindly contact: Catherine Tan 019 456 5577 or Parish office (Anne Tan) 04 6584909.

CLOSURE OF SHARING THE GIFT PROJECT

150 children and 3 nurse stations in the General Hospital, Penang, were blessed with our Gift of Joy. 70 needy children were blessed with school essentials and more than 100 families and nursing homes were blessed with hot meals through with our Pot bless to Bless Project. We thank each and every one of you for being a beacon of change and hope. God Bless your generosity.

A PRAYER DURING COVID-19

Dear Lord,

In these uncertain and challenging times, the new norms prevent us from acting in our usual ways.

We turn to You, Lord, as our shelter, our hope and our protection.

We long for connection and touch but are forced to isolate and distance – even the beauty of a smile is veiled behind a mask.

Many have lost jobs and income, many are separated from their loved ones, many are facing greater struggles in their physical and mental health and we are all crying out to you, Lord.

Lord, stretch out Your hand and bless us with vaccines and medication to protect and heal our land from this disease and ultimately eliminate the virus.

Lord, we the Church fall on our knees and intercede to your compassion and mercy

May,
Your hands embrace us and ease our suffering,
Your feet leap to the cries of the needy,
Your ears listen and respond to our silent pleas,
Your eyes see our pains and give us a helping hand,
Your compassionate and merciful heart shower unconditional love upon us,
sowing seeds of hope throughout this period of trial and despair.

We make this prayer in Jesus' name.

Amen.