

CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY SPIRIT



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2021 THEME MAY **HOPE: BELIEVE, LIVE AND GIVE**
TOGETHERNESS IN GOOD TIMES AND BAD

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	MASSES IN THE PARISH
May 09 (Sun) Acts 10: 25-26,34-35,44-48 1 Jn 4: 7-10 John 15: 9-17	7.30 am 8.00 am 10.30 am 11.00 am	Adoration Mass (M) (No LIVE Streaming) Adoration Mass (E) (LIVE Streaming)	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (YEAR B) Mother's Day Link: youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv
May 10 (Mon)	6.40 am 7.00 am	Lauds Mass (No LIVE Streaming)	
May 11 (Tue)	6.40 am 7.00 am	Lauds Mass (No LIVE Streaming)	
May 12 (Wed)	8.00 pm	Mass (LIVE Streaming)	ASCENSION OF THE LORD (VIGIL) Ss. Nereus & Achilleus, Martyrs/St.Pancras, Martyr
May 13 (Thu)	7.00 am 8.00 pm	Mass (E) (No LIVE Streaming) Mass (ETM) (LIVE Streaming)	ASCENSION OF THE LORD, SOLEMNITY
May 14 (Fri)	8.00 pm	Novena to the Holy Spirit Mass (LIVE Streaming)	St. Matthias, Apostle, Feast
May 15 (Sat)	6.40 am 7.00 am 5.30 pm 6.00 pm	Lauds Mass (No LIVE Streaming) Novena to the Holy Spirit Mass (E/T) (No LIVE Streaming)	
May 16 (Sun) Acts 1: 15-17,20-26 1 Jn 4: 11-16 John 17: 11-19	7.30 am 8.00 am 10.30 am 11.00 am	Novena to the Holy Spirit Mass (M) (No LIVE Streaming) Novena to the Holy Spirit Mass (E) (LIVE Streaming)	SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (YEAR B) World Social Communications Sunday Link: youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv

PARISH ACTIVITIES			
May 09 (Sun)	8.00 pm	RCIA	Zoom
May 10 (Mon)	8.30 pm	EMHC Recollection	Zoom
May 14 (Fri)	8.45 pm	Call back Virtual	bit.ly/callbackvirtual

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

Offerings of Mass Intentions, financial giving of monthly tithing, love offerings or donations to the Parish can be made through online transfers to the following designated bank accounts:

Bank	Public Bank Berhad	RHB Bank Berhad	RHB Bank Berhad
Account Number	3093049812	20708200039510	20708200039928
Account Name	Cathedral of the Holy Spirit	Cathedral of the Holy Spirit	Cathedral CHS
Online Payment for	Donations Mass Offering Hall Booking Wake Room Booking	Tithes	Sharing Hope Project

Please email or WhatsApp the Bank-in-Slip to admin@holyspiritcathedral.com or 012-3984909

Our Collection for May 1st & 2: **RM 4,242.10**

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

LET'S FIGHT COVID-19 TOGETHER

With the concerning number of COVID-19 cases in Penang, let us continue to take all necessary safety precautions by following SOPs, keeping vigilant and being mindful of the safety of each other. For those who exhibit symptoms and are quarantined, kindly remain at home and join us online and be assured that we are praying for you. May God's love continue to protect us!

CHURCH RENOVATIONS

There will be new wiring works & acoustic paneling for the main Church area. The works are planned from 12th Apr- 16th May. For the works to proceed, there will be no music practices allowed during that period. Weekend & Weekday MASS will be celebrated in Dewan CHS. Let us together be supportive of this upgrading work. Thank you and God Bless

VENUE FOR MASSES – MAY 8 TO 16, 2021

Due to the current renovations in church, all MASSES from this weekend to 16 May will be held in the **Dewan Holy Spirit**. The registration counters are at the main entrance of the hall.

24 HOURS STAY IN ENCOUNTER WITH BISHOP SEBASTIAN

It's back! This unique program is open to all single young men and working adults, above the age of 18 who are interested to explore their vocation to Discipleship, Mission and the Priesthood. This informal live-in experience with Bishop Sebastian is open to only 7 Participants per weekend. Meals and accommodation is provided. Those interested are to contact Maryann 016-7122 929.

Date: **29th & 30th May 2021** Time: **6.45pm – 10.00pm** Venue: **Stella Maris, Penang**

SHARING HOPE 2.0

Outreach to poor families. How can you help?

1. Inform CHS office of any families that need help in your neighborhood.
2. Volunteer to pack or deliver
3. Donate food/essential items
4. Cash donation

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

List of food/essential items is available at the front of CHS office.

For details, please contact:

- 1) Catherine Tan 019 4565577
- 2) Anne Tan (CHS Office) 04-6584909

MUSINGS DURING THE PANDEMIC – OUR CHS WEEKLY REFLECTIONS

Our CHS weekly reflections, Musings During The Pandemic, are available on our website to help you draw closer to God through the testimonies of our brothers and sisters in Christ. These personal sharings are meant to help you see God working in all of us, and help us understand that if God can do it for them, He can also do it for us. If you have experienced God's grace and mercy, share them with your brothers and sisters so that your story can encourage someone not to give up hope even though the situation looks hopeless but to depend fully on God to save us. Please keep the length to one A4 size page.

Share your testimony with us and send them to:- chsmusings@gmail.com

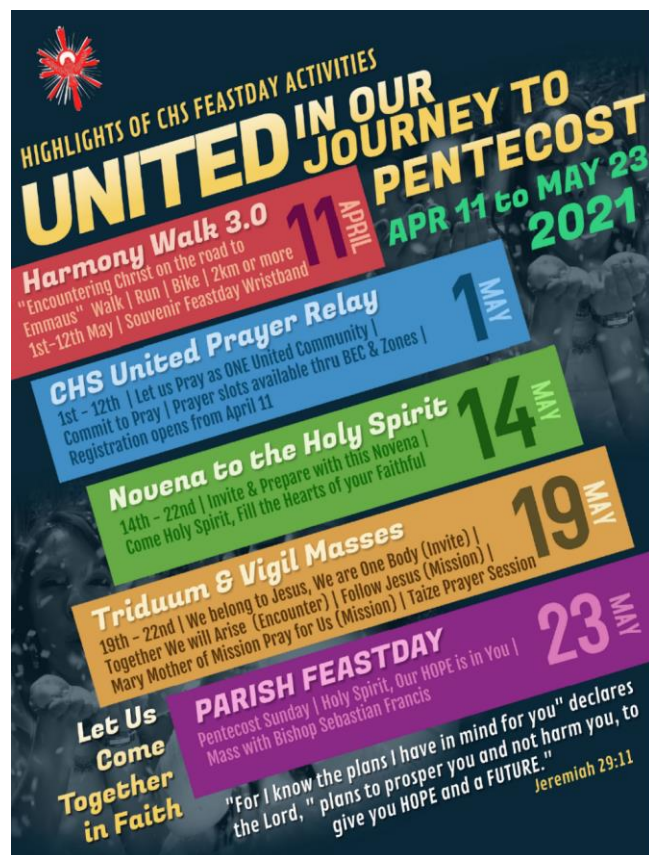
SING YOUR PRAISE TO GOD (SYPG) OFFICIAL CATHOLIC HYMNAL

The Catholic Bishops Conference of Malaysia, Singapore & Brunei has published the new and revised edition of the SYPG for the use of this region. The above hymnal is now available for sale at the Parish Office at RM25 each. Only limited copies available.

JOURNEY TOWARDS PENTECOST (PARISH FEASTDAY)

Let us as a Parish family journey together towards our Parish Feastday, Pentecost 2021.

Below are the planned events to help us prepare for our Feastday, which falls on May 23rd, 2021.



A) CONTINUATION OF PART 2 OF THE WILD GOOSE SERIES FORMATION IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE FEAST OF PENTECOST

For the next 3 weeks we will be sending out 3 video links of Wild Goose per week on the Holy Spirit's influence in our lives. Kindly go through in your own time to reflect and prepare your hearts.

All BEC leaders also have the option to use these videos and the accompanying reflection sheets to have small group discussions during their BEC meetings as an alternative to the BEC paper during this time. God bless

B) HARMONY WALK 3.0 - A VIRTUAL WALK/RUN/BIKE (MAY 1 – 12, 2021)

Harmony Walk 3.0 - Google link for photo upload. Below is the link to upload our Harmony Walk 3.0 photos. <https://forms.gle/r4dUfQnTsbBCYbUy5>

C) CHS UNITE IN PRAYER : A PARISH PRAYER RELAY (MAY 1 – 12, 2021)

Let us continue in unity and as one in heart and spirit to pray for our Parish as we make the effort to take ownership of our role as members of this Parish and stand in the gap through prayer throughout these 12 days.

Your prayer counts!

MAY 2021 – ROSARY MARATHON

Dear All,

Greetings to you on this special month dedicated to Mother Mary.

Let us join Pope Francis and the whole world, in dedicating this month of May to global rosary 'marathon' for the end of the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Holy Rosary will be recited at a particular shrine each day with a specific intention throughout the month of May.

Let us remain united in prayerful solidarity.

In Christ,

Bishop Sebastian Francis

for the end of the COVID-19 pandemic

RESPONDING TO THE HOLY FATHER'S DEEP DESIRE, THE MONTH OF MAY WILL BE DEDICATED TO A "MARATHON" OF PRAYER, FOR THE END OF THE PANDEMIC

31 DAYS - 31 SHRINES - 31 INTENTIONS

FOR THE ENTIRE WORLD WOUNDED BY THIS PANDEMIC
Basilica Vaticana (Madonna del Soccorso), The Vatican, Europe

MAY 1	FOR ALL THE DECEASED <i>Our Lady of Walsingham, England, Europe</i>	16	FOR ALL VICTIMS OF VIOLENCE AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING <i>Saint Mary's Cathedral (Sydney), Australia, Oceania</i>
2	FOR THOSE WHO HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO SAY GOODBYE TO THEIR DECEASED LOVED ONES <i>Jesus the Saviour and Mother Mary (Elele), Nigeria, Africa</i>	17	FOR ALL WORLD LEADERS & FOR ALL HEADS OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION <i>Immaculate Conception (Washington, D.C), USA, America</i>
3	FOR ALL THOSE INFECTED WITH THE CORONAVIRUS AND ALL THE SICK <i>Our Lady of Czestochowa, Poland, Europe</i>	18	FOR ALL DOCTORS & NURSES <i>Our Lady of Lourdes, France, Europe</i>
4	FOR ALL EXPECTANT WOMEN AND THEIR UNBORN BABIES <i>Basilica of the Annunciation (in Nazareth), Israel, Asia</i>	19	FOR ALL PEOPLE AT WAR & FOR WORLD PEACE <i>Mother Mary's House - Maryem Ana Evi (Ephesus), Turkey, Asia</i>
5	FOR ALL CHILDREN & ADOLESCENTS <i>Blessed Virgin of the Rosary (in Namyang), South Korea, Asia</i>	20	FOR ALL PHARMACISTS & HEALTH CARE PERSONNEL <i>Nuestra Señora de la Caridad del Cobre, Cuba, America</i>
6	FOR ALL YOUNG PEOPLE <i>Our Lady Aparecida (San Paolo), Brazil, America</i>	21	FOR ALL SOCIAL WORKERS <i>Our Lady of Nagasaki, Japan, Asia</i>
7	FOR ALL FAMILIES <i>Our Lady of Peace & Good Voyage (Antipolo), Philippines, Asia</i>	22	FOR ALL VOLUNTEERS <i>Nuestra Señora de Montserrat, Spain, Europe</i>
8	FOR ALL COMMUNICATION WORKERS <i>Our Lady of Lujan, Argentina, America</i>	23	FOR ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT & MILITARY PERSONNEL & FOR ALL FIRE FIGHTERS <i>Notre Dame du Cap (Trois Rivières), Canada, America</i>
9	FOR ALL SENIORS <i>Holy House of Loreto, Italy, Europe</i>	24	FOR ALL THOSE WHO PROVIDE ESSENTIAL SERVICES <i>To be confirmed</i>
10	FOR ALL PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES <i>Our Lady of Knock, Ireland, Europe</i>	25	FOR ALL TEACHERS, STUDENTS & EDUCATORS <i>Basilica of the Blessed Virgin of Ta' Pinu, Malta, Europe</i>
11	FOR ALL THE POOR, THE HOMELESS & THE ECONOMICALLY DISTRESSED <i>The Virgin of the Poor (Banneux), Belgium, Europe</i>	26	FOR ALL WORKERS & ENTREPRENEURS <i>Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, Mexico, America</i>
12	FOR ALL PEOPLE WHO LIVE ALONE & THOSE WHO HAVE LOST HOPE <i>Our Lady of Africa (Algiers), Algeria, Africa</i>	27	FOR ALL THE UNEMPLOYED <i>Mother of God (Zaranytsia), Ukraine, Europe</i>
13	FOR ALL PRISONERS <i>Our Lady of the Rosary (Fatima), Portugal, Europe</i>	28	FOR THE HOLY FATHER, BISHOPS, PRESBYTERS & DEACONS <i>Black Madonna of Alotto, Germany, Europe</i>
14	FOR ALL SCIENTISTS & MEDICAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS <i>Our Lady of Health (Valankanni), India, Asia</i>	29	FOR ALL CONSECRATED MEN & WOMEN <i>Our Lady of Lebanon (Harissa), Lebanon, Asia</i>
15	FOR ALL MIGRANTS <i>Our Lady Queen of Peace (Medjugorje), Bosnia, Europe</i>	30	FOR THE CHURCH <i>Blessed Virgin of the Holy Rosary of Pompeii, Italy, Europe</i>
31	FOR THE END OF THE PANDEMIC & THE RESUMPTION OF OUR SOCIAL & ECONOMIC LIFE <i>Vatican Gardens, The Vatican, Europe</i>		

REFERENCE SOURCE: <http://www.pope.fr/content/pope/fr/news/2021-04-02.html>