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2021 THEME HOPE: BELIEVE, LIVE AND GIVE
SEPT ALL THE EARTH PROCLAIMS THE LORD

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	MASSES IN THE PARISH
Aug 29 (Sun) Deut 4: 1-2, 6-8 Jm 1: 17-18, 21-22, 27 Mk 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23	8.30 am 9.00 am	Adoration MASS (E)	22 ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR B) Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv
Aug 30 (Mon)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS	Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv
Aug 31 (Tue)	9.30 am 10.00 am	Rosary for Mission MASS (E/BM)	64 th Merdeka Day Launching of Caritas Diocese of Penang Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv
	4.00 pm	MASS (E/T)	Pray for the Nation by Penang Diocesan Service of Communion Livestream Link: https://youtu.be/--10bMg7lg8
Sept 01 (Wed)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS	World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv
Sept 02 (Thu)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS	Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv
Sept 03 (Fri)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS	St. Gregory the Great, Pope & Doctor Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv
Sept 04 (Sat)		MASS celebrated privately	
Sept 05 (Sun) Is 35: 4-7 Jm 2: 1-5 Mk 7: 31-37	8.30 am 9.00 am	Adoration MASS (E)	23 RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR B) Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv

PARISH ACTIVITIES			
Aug 29 (Sun)	8.30 pm	RCIA: Session 12	ZOOM
Aug 29 (Sun)	8.30 pm	PRT Meeting	ZOOM
Aug 30 (Mon)	8.30 pm	Caritas Intercessory	ZOOM
Aug 30 (Mon)	8.30 pm	EMHC Reflection	ZOOM (Presence – Part 2)
Sept 04 (Sat)	4.00 pm	CEC (E)	ZOOM
Sept 04 (Sat)	7.00 pm	CHS Movie Night	ZOOM (Mother Teresa)
Sept 05 (Sun)	8.30 pm	RCIA: Session 13	ZOOM

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

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

INVITATION TO THE ONLINE LAUNCHING OF CARITAS DIOCESE OF PENANG

We would like to cordially invite you to join us to Pray for Malaysia and be part of the launching of Caritas Diocese of Penang on **31st of August 2021 (Tuesday)** in conjunction with the Merdeka Mass beginning with Rosary for Mission at 9.30am followed by Mass at 10am. The launching will take place online at the Cathedral of the Holy Spirit Penang via YouTube which will be inaugurated by Rt. Rev. Sebastian Francis D.D., the Bishop of the Diocese of Penang. Link: <http://bit.ly/caritas-pg-launch>

This is an open invitation to all in the Diocese of Penang and beyond the borders of our diocese, as social mission is truly a call for all of us. Let us unite in solidarity as a nation and strengthen the Body of Christ in charity through social mission.

We invite everyone to join and be part of this significant chapter of Caritas Diocese of Penang. We look forward to seeing you at the online launching.

"Let's come together with One Heart, One People, One Nation and as One Body of Christ, to Pray for Malaysia"

Yours Sincerely,

Rev. Fr. Joachim Robert

Chairman of Caritas Diocese of Penang

CHS MOVIE NIGHTS

In-conjunction with the Caritas Launch, we will be screening a series of videos through ZOOM to help us learn more about the Caritas Patron Saints. We will be setting up breakout rooms after each movie screening for fellowship.

4th Sep	Sat 7pm: Mother Teresa
18th Sep	Sat 8pm: Romero
25th Sep	Sat 8pm: Saint Therese of Lisieux

Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87173389571?pwd=dIBsOHVKSkmwYWhLY0tMRkoxVXB2Zz09>

Meeting ID : **871 7338 9571** or Scan for Zoom Meet →

Pass Code: **777555**



Come, join us, meet and catch-up with one another. God Bless.

HELPING HANDS @ THE CATHEDRAL CAFE

Thank you one and all for the tremendous support given at the start of this project last Saturday, August 21st, 2021. We received 84 orders for lunch in total. 35 orders were delivered and the balance 49 picked up their orders from the Café. With your support, we managed to help generate RM4,352 in sales to assist 9 vendors in all. Stay tuned for the next link to order lunch on Saturday, September 4th, 2021, which will be out on Tuesday, August 31st, 2021.

A selection of delectable eats will be available for all parishioners to make an order for Lunch on Saturdays. This is the Cathedral Café's new way of reaching out to all through:-

- Wholesome home-cooked meals;
- Savings or minimizing on delivery charges;
- Helping vendors and parishioners who are struggling during this pandemic and MCO;
- Creating opportunities to bless others with a meal – a new way to Fellowship!

Link to make Meal Selections via Google Form will be shared every Tuesday through Zone/BEC and Ministry Leads. We welcome information on anyone who needs a HELPING HAND during these trying times. The team will reach out to assist, collaborate and keep hope alive! For further information and/or assistance, leave your contact with CHS Parish Office or call Christine Ho @ 012-4025292



LIVE Broadcast

31 August | MERDEKA DAY

9.30 am Rosary for Mission | 10.00 am Mass (E/BM)

Celebrated by Rt. Rev. Sebastian Francis D.D.

Launching of Caritas Diocese of Penang

Let's come together and **PRAY for MALAYSIA**
| **ONE Heart | ONE People | ONE Nation** |
As **ONE Body of CHRIST**

The Heartbeat of Jesus



PRAY FOR OUR NATION – 64TH MERDEKA DAY SERVICE

The Penang Diocesan Service of Communion invites all of us to pray for our nation as we celebrate the 64th Merdeka Day on the 31st August. It is a day to be with the Lord.

Praise & Worship, exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and followed by Eucharist from 4.00 pm – 5.30pm.

Theme: **United in the body of Christ**

All are welcome to participate through live streaming. To participate, *scan QR Code* → or click on link: <https://youtu.be/--10bMg7lg8>



CLERGY ANNUAL RETREAT 2021

The clergy of the Diocese of Penang will be away for their Annual Clergy Retreat from either:-

- a) 6th – 10th September 2021; or
- b) 20th – 24th September 2021.

Let us keep all the clergy in prayer that they will have a restful and prayerful time with the Lord.

SEASON OF CREATION

Season of Creation begins from 1st Sept to 4th Oct and the newly formed Penang State Creation Justice Commission has lined up a series of events as listed below. It is now available in the website for registration <https://www.pgdiocese.org/creation-justice-commission-penang>

1. Online Talk with the topic "Eating up Our Children's Future; Understanding How Food Contributes to the Climate Emergency", at 8.30pm, 14-Sep (English), 21st Sep (Mandarin), 1st Oct (Tamil)
2. On 4th Oct 11am, online Mass to be celebrated from Tree House by Msgr. Henry Rajoo Homily in 4 languages.
3. Lookout for Season of Creation column on Herald on 5th, 12th, 19th, 28th Sept 3rd Oct

BIBLE STUDY ON "HEBREWS"

The CHS Formation Team invites you to a Bible Study on "Hebrews". Key themes:-

- a) Divine Intimacy
- b) Eucharist (*Speaker's note: "The mass will never be the same after this"*)
- c) Heaven on earth.

Starts: **2nd Oct 2021 for 8 Saturdays from 10.00am – 11.30am via Microsoft Teams.**

You can register for free at: <https://tinyurl.com/chshebrews>

Closing date for registration: **26th Sep 2021**. For more information, please call Ignatius @ 012-4184123 or Bernard @ 016-4117675

SHARING HOPE 2.0

Let us continue to reach out to the families around us who are in need, help them submit the **Provision Application Form** at:- <https://tinyurl.com/PgCaritasReceiveBlessings> or scan QR code to submit form

Besides submitting the Provision Application Form, how can you help?

1. Inform CHS office of any families that need help in your neighborhood.
2. Volunteer to pack or deliver
3. Cash donation
4. Donate food/essential items
 - Rice
 - Instant Noodles
 - Canned Food
 - Biscuits
 - Milo / Coffee
 - Cooking Oil
 - Adult Diapers



Essential items can be dropped into the basket at CHS from 9am – 12noon. 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 / 012-3984909

MUSINGS DURING THE PANDEMIC – OUR CHS WEEKLY REFLECTIONS

We welcome contributions of testimony and reflections that draw us closer to our Lord via video. Please send your testimony or reflections to chsmusings@gmail.com

Our weekly reflections are archived and available at our CHS website and circulated weekly via our social media apps. Be encouraged. *Matthew 10:32*

CATHOLIC WEBSITE – FORMED.ORG

The Diocese of Penang has subscribed to FORMED.org so that ALL individuals, families, ministries, communities and beyond can access to Catholic programs, talks, movies, audios and other materials **FREE** within **ONE YEAR!**

You can follow these steps for self-registration and subscription under the account of "Penang Diocesan Pastoral Institute":

1. Go to the internet with the address: <https://formed.org/>
2. Scroll down to the bottom where you see **SIGN UP TODAY**
3. Click in the **Blue Box** that says **SIGN UP**
4. On the page, 'How would you like to sign up?' – click on "**Sign up as a Parishioner**"
5. While in the "**Create a New Account Page**" to find your parish or organization:-
 - a. Search and type in account of "**Penang Diocesan Pastoral Institute**"
 - b. The correct name will appear, just click on it!
6. Create a New Account Page – for your personal individual account
 - a. Put your name and your personal email address which have not been used before to sign up for FORMED. (You may create a new email if necessary).
 - b. Click **SIGN UP** and you are logged in.

Do invite others to join so that ALL can access to movies/talks/programs, etc from FORMED together as a family/ministry/group though we are physically distanced! In this challenging COVID-19 pandemic, may this FORMED platform help us deepen our spiritual journey as we continue to understand, live and share our Catholic Faith.

A JOURNEY TOWARDS PAN MALAYSIA PASTORAL CONVENTION 2026

The Catholic Church in Malaysia will be coming together as clergy, religious and laity to celebrate, listen and walk in the light of the Lord. (cf. Isaiah 2:2-5). This event aims to look deeply and realize the mission of the Church:-

- as the Voice of the People;
- reaching out in Mercy;
- communicating fullness of Life;
- growing in Holiness

As a communion of missionary disciples, we become more the salt of the earth and light of the world (Mt 5:13-16), focusing on our 4 priorities:-

- Families
- Church
- Society
- Ecology

As we journey towards this major event we are called to reflect on what we are as Body of Christ in today's world; celebrating the blessings, feeling the realities and struggles and straining forward to what lies ahead (Phi 3:13) in these four areas. In preparation for PMPC 2026, we will be going through a process of Assessing, Visioning and Missioning.

In 2021, we will be going through a process of understanding who we are and how we are BEING as Family, Society, Church and Stewards of the Ecosystem. We aim to understand ourselves, our strengths and our struggles in all these areas. It is also a time for open reflection on how the Global COVID-19 Pandemic has made a change and impacted our lives in each of these four areas. We are called to open our hearts, empathize on what is going on around us, immerse ourselves in the realities in these areas, assess our feelings and answer four questions.

We can give our inputs freely as individuals and parish communities through the following links:-

- Link English <https://forms.gle/o72CWV2TRfiphBkP8>
- Link BM <https://forms.gle/EQNUnLm1YPXJGU1J7>
- Link Mandarin <https://bit.ly/3iURBy4>

Please submit your inputs latest by **11 September 2021 (extended)**