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2021 THEME OCT PUT INTO THE DEEP

HOPE: BELIEVE, LIVE AND GIVE

MASSES IN THE PARISH DATE TIME ACTIVITY Oct 17 (Sun) 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR B) Acts 2:1-11 Launching Mass – Diocesan Synodal Phase 9.00 am | MASS (E) 1 Cor 12:27-31 Livestream Link: https://www.voutube.com/c/CHSPgTv Mt 5:13-16 6.10 pm Vespers St. Luke, Evangelist, Feast Oct 18 (Mon) Livestream Link: https://www.voutube.com/c/CHSPgTv 6.30 pm MASS Ss. John de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues, Priests, & Companions, Vespers 6.10 pm Martyrs Oct 19 (Tue) 6.30 pm MASS St. Paul of the Cross, Priest Livestream Link: https://www.voutube.com/c/CHSPgTv Vespers 6.10 pm Oct 20 (Wed) Livestream Link: https://www.voutube.com/c/CHSPgTv MASS 6.30 pm 6.10 pm Vespers Oct 21 (Thu) Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv MASS 6.30 pm 6.10 pm Vespers St. John Paul II, Pope Oct 22 (Fri) MASS Livestream Link: https://www.voutube.com/c/CHSPgTv 6.30 pm St. John of Capistrano, Priest Oct 23 (Sat) MASS celebrated privately Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary Oct 24 (Sun) 30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR B) 8.30 am Adoration Jer 31: 7-9 Mission Sunday 9.00 am MASS (E) Hebr 5: 1-6 Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv Mk 10: 46-52

PARISH ACTIVITIES						
Oct 17 (Sun)	8.30 pm	RCIA	ZOOM			
Oct 18 (Mon)	4.00 pm	Legion of Mary	ZOOM			
Oct 23 (Sat)	4.00 pm	CEC (E)	ZOOM			
Oct 24 (Sun)	8.30 pm	RCIA	ZOOM			
Oct 30 (Sat)	4.00 pm	Wedding Service (E)	Sashidev a/l Nagappan & Patrina Petrice Peter Paul.			

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:

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Online Payment for	Donations Mass Offering Hall Booking Wake Room Booking	Tithes	Sharing Hope Project Outreach Projects				
Bank Account Number	Public Bank Berhad 309 3049812	RHB Bank Berhad 20708 2000 39510	RHB Bank Berhad 20708 2000 39928				
Account Name	Cathedral of the Holy Spirit	Cathedral of the Holy Spirit	Cathedral CHS				

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

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

DAILY MASS FROM OCT 18TH TO OCT 29TH (MONDAY TO FRIDAY)

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ, we are happy to inform that CHS will be opening Daily Mass (Mon-Fri) starting Oct-18th to our parishioners, limit to 30 participants per day. Kindly plan to arrive by 6pm as vesper starts at 610pm. To safeguard our parishioners, kindly strictly follow the criteria below for eligibility to come for Daily Mass.

WHO MAY ATTEND

- 1. Baptized Catholic parishioners who have a Low Risk No Symptom Covid-19 risk status and are fully vaccinated (subject to SOP changes) are welcomed to call Church Office 04-6584909 to register for Daily MASS. Please exercise charity to allow others to receive Holy Communion by only registering once a week. Priority will be given to those who have not come for Daily Mass in the current week.
- The public advisory continues to discourage children below 12 years old, senior citizens above the age of 60 and those with chronic illness from public gathering. If you are planning to come, please consult your family members and weigh the risk for yourself and others.

WHO CANNOT ATTEND?

- Those who are unwell or exhibiting symptoms / infections such as cough, fever, sore throat, respiratory issues, flu or cold are not permitted.
- Those who are NOT showing Low Risk No Symptom Covid-19 risk status.
- Those who are NOT fully vaccinated (must be more than 14 days after 2nd Dose)
- Those who are under investigation or home quarantine (if there are members in your household that are under home quarantine or investigation, you are not allowed to attend).

Keep safe and God bless you.

OCTOBER MONTH OF ROSARY

In consideration of the Covid-19 SOPs that does not permit us to carry on our home visits for the month of Rosary, below are the schedules for us to meet virtually and pray together.

- Rosary @ 8.30pm (Zoom) Oct 17 (Sunday) Oct 24 (Sunday) - Rosary @ 8.30pm (Zoom)

Oct 31 (Sunday) - Rosary before Mass @ 8.30am (Live stream)

Link for Virtual Meet: http://bit.ly/chs-rosary-oct-2021 Scan for Virtual Meet →

CHS MOVIE NIGHTS

We will be screening a series of videos through ZOOM to help us learn more about our Patron Saints

30th October Sat 8pm: Saint Martin de Porres

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87173389571?pw Zoom Link:

d=dlBsOHVKSkMwYWhLY0tMRkoxVXB

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871 7338 9571 Meeting ID:

or Scan for Zoom Meet →

Pass Code: 777555

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

ECO BRICKS: A TWIST ON BRICKS

Plastics comes in handy and it is indispensable in our daily conveniences. However, how do we dispose them after a single use? That is a question that most of us are tangling with.

Come join us in this campaign to give plastics a new life.

WHEN is the campaign? From September to November 2021

*Collection is on 30th of every month during

the campaign period*

HOW to do it? Please refer to the details posted in CHS FB

> https://www.facebook.com/groups/21085113 82625056/permalink/2272853956190797/

WHO to contact? Cassie Leong (whatsapp) 017-4327301



DRIVE-IN COMMUNION SERVICE

CHS will continue with Drive-In Communion Service only on Sundays. There will be a total of 4 sessions from 5.15pm to 6.15pm, accommodating up to 20 cars for each session. 2 additional sessions from 6.15pm to 6.45pm may be opened should there be overflow. Parishioners are to remain in the vehicle throughout the service. It is important that parishioners plan to arrive not earlier than 5 minutes before their registered sessions.

Day	Date	Gate Opens	Communion Service
1	24 th October (Sunday)	5.00pm	5.15pm – 6.15pm *(6.15pm – 6.45pm)

*() Additional sessions if needed

WHO MAY APPLY?

- Baptized Catholic parishioners who have a Low Risk No Symptom Covid-19 risk status and are fully vaccinated (subject to SOP changes) are welcomed to come to church to receive Holy Communion after attending online Mass at home.
- 2. The public advisory continues to discourage children below 12 years old, senior citizens above the age of 60 and those with chronic illness from public gathering. If you are planning to come, please consult your family members and weigh the risk for yourself and others.



WHO CANNOT ATTEND?

- Those who are unwell or exhibiting symptoms / infections such as cough, fever, sore throat, respiratory issues, flu or cold are not permitted.
- 2. Those who are **NOT** showing Low Risk No Symptom Covid-19 risk status.
- 3. Those who are under investigation or home quarantine (if there are members in your household that are under home quarantine or investigation, you are not allowed to attend).

PREPARATION DETAILS

- 1. There is only limited allocation per session for communion session.
- 2. Registration will be through Event Brite. Links for registration will be published through the normal Whatsapp communication channel.
- Registration will automatically close when the maximum number allocated is reached.
- 4. For the safety of our volunteers and parishioners, kindly adhere strictly to the SOPs i.e. wearing mask and remain in the vehicle throughout the duration of the service. All parishioners are to turn off the engine during the Communion Service.
- 5. Parishioners are requested kindly requested to utilize the online facility for love offering to avoid handling of cash during the Drive In Communion Service

HELPING HANDS @ THE CATHEDRAL CAFÉ

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

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?

Cooking Oil

- 1. Inform CHS office of any families that need help in your neighborhood.
- 2. Volunteer to pack or deliver
- 3. Cash donation

Canned Food

- 4. Donate food/essential items:-
 - ➤ Rice ➤ Milo / Coffee
- ➤ Instant Noodles ➤ Biscuits
- ➤ 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

FAMILY LIFE MINISTRY OF CHS - RESOURCES

The Family Life Ministry of CHS is offering ongoing information to all parishioners on the following topics:-

1. Parenting

4. Education Opportunities

7. Mental Health

2. Coping as a Teenager

5. Job Opportunities

3. Children with Special Needs

6. Vocation Promotion

Please visit our Facebook page: FamilylifeMinistry CHS

Or click on this link: https://www.facebook.com/familylifeministry.chs

If you have any enquiries, you may post them on our Facebook page or contact Emmanuel Dorai @016-4117214

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













15th October 2021

Dear clergy, religious and lay faithful of Penang Island:

RESUMPTION OF PUBLIC MASSES UNDER THE NATIONAL RECOVERY PLAN (NRP) FROM 30^{TH} OCTOBER 2021

The recent improvement of the ongoing pandemic situation in our nation has seen an ease of restrictions and a return to some form of normalcy, in addition to the revision of SOPs applicable to non-Muslim places of worship in the state of Penang under the National Recovery Plan (NRP) Phase 2.

Upon agreement of the parish priests from the respective parishes in the Penang Island Deanery, we hereby declare a **resumption of public Masses (Weekday/Weekend) in parishes located within Penang Island commencing from 30th October 2021. To ensure proper distancing at each public Mass, the total number of persons allowed will not exceed one third of the full capacity of the church.**

Those who wish to attend public Masses should meet several requirements as per below:

- Fully vaccinated as per the SOP of MKN (Completed at least 14 days after 2 doses of Pfizer/AstraZeneca/Sinovac or 28 days after 1 dose of Johnson & Johnson/Cansino)
- MySejahtera status as "Low Risk/ Casual Contact with no symptom"

The celebration of Sacraments such as weddings, funerals and confessions are permitted and subject to the capacity and guidelines of each parish. The faithful are advised to contact their respective parish priests to make the necessary arrangements.

We wish to assure that all required measures will be in place to protect both the physical and spiritual welfare of the lay faithful. We seek the kind cooperation and forbearance of all parishioners as individual parishes begin preparations to reopen our doors safely. Let us give praise to God for the opportunity to once again gather as a community of faith, and turn to Our Lady for protection, health and safety from the pandemic.

Together with you in prayer,

Msgr Aloysius Tan (Parish Priest of City Parish, Penang)

Fr Joachim Robert (Parish Priest of Cathedral of the Holy Spirit, Green Lane)

Fr Jude Miranda (Parish Priest of Church of the Immaculate Conception, Pulau Tikus)

Fr Michael Raymond OFM Cap (Parish Priest of Church of Divine Mercy, Sungai Ara)

Fr Arul Mariadass OFM (Parish Priest of Church of the Risen Christ, Air Itam)

Fr Nelson Chitty (Parish Priest of the Church of the Holy Name of Jesus, Balik Pulau)

