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2022 THEME
FEBRUARY

SALT OF THE EARTH AND LIGHT OF THE WORLD:
COMMUNION, PARTICIPATION AND MISSION

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	MASSSES IN THE PARISH
Feb 27 (Sun) <i>Sir 27:5-8 1 Cor 15:54-58 Lk 6:39-45</i>	8.00 am 10.30 am	MASS (M) MASS (E)	8 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C) (RCIA Rite of Sending) No livestream Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv
Feb 28 (Mon)	6.40 am 7.00 am	Lauds MASS	No livestream
Mar 01 (Tue)	6.40 am 7.00 am	Lauds MASS	No livestream
Mar 02 (Wed)	7.00 am 12.00 pm 8.00 pm	MASS (E) MASS (E) MASS (ETM)	ASH WEDNESDAY (Fast & Abstinence) (Blessings & Imposition of Ashes) Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv
Mar 03 (Thu)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS	Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv
Mar 04 (Fri)	12.00 pm 8.00 pm	WOC (E) MASS WOC (ET) MASS WOC (M)	World Day of Prayer Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv
Mar 05 (Sat)	6.40 am 7.00 am 6.00 pm	Lauds MASS MASS	No livestream
Mar 06 (Sun) <i>Deut 26: 4-10 Rom 10: 8-13 Lk 4: 1-13</i>	8.00 am 10.30 am	MASS (M) MASS (E)	1 ST SUNDAY OF LENT (YEAR C) No livestream Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/c/CHSPgTv

PARISH ACTIVITIES			
Feb 27 (Sun)	2pm-5pm	Parish Pastoral Assembly	Livestream Link: https://bit.ly/chs-ppa-2022
	8.30 pm	RCIA	ZOOM
Feb 28 (Mon)	4.00 pm	Legion of Mary	ZOOM
Mar 05 (Sat)	9am-12pm	Lenten Retreat	Main Church – live stream
Mar 06 (Sun)	8.30 pm	RCIA	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:

Online Payment for	Donations Mass Offering Hall Booking Wake Room Booking	Tithes	Sharing Hope Project Outreach Projects
Bank	Public Bank Berhad	RHB Bank Berhad	RHB Bank Berhad
Account Number	309 3049812	20708 2000 39510	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

Our Collection for 19 & 20 February 2022: RM4,270.00

TITHING ENVELOPES FOR YEAR 2022

We are pleased to inform that our Tithing Envelopes for Year 2022 is ready. Please do collect from Church Office. Thank you and God bless.

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

PUBLIC MASS

The PRT met on Thursday, Feb-24th, and after careful consideration on the different perspective from PRT members, the final decision by Fr Joachim is to stop Eventbrite registration effective 1st Mar, as the current turn up rate of parishioners is within the seating capacity of the main Church. PRT will continue to monitor the situation and will re-activate Eventbrite should the need arise. With this change, we need help to ensure Low Risk or Casual Contact with No Symptoms on our MySejahtera profile to participate in Church otherwise to follow Mass thru live-stream. Please pray with us as we take these baby steps to adapt to the new norm. Thank you and God Bless.

WHO MAY ATTEND

- Parishioners who have a Low Risk / Casual Contact with no symptom Covid-19 risk status and are fully vaccinated (subject to SOP changes) are welcomed.
- 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 / Casual Contact with 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).

IN APPRECIATION OF 50 YEARS OF SERVICE TO CHS

On behalf of CHS, we would like to congratulate and thank Claire Yeong Wai Chun for 50 years of dedicated service. Her selfless contributions have continued to inspire us.

We are appreciative of her maternal care for us and look forward to many more years ahead. We thank God for the gift of Wai Chun to our community.

Congratulations Wai Chun! We love and cherish you!



CHS MOVIE NIGHTS

As we step into the season of Lent we will be screening videos through ZOOM that helps us relate to Christ teachings, values and passion.

12th March Sat 8.30pm: *The Fourth Wise Man*

Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87173389571?pwd=dBlsOHVKSkMwYWwhLY0tMRkoxVXB2Zz09>

Meeting ID : 871 7338 9571

Pass Code: 777555

or Scan for Zoom Meet →



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

OUTDOOR STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The old bronze traditional images for the stations of the cross which was in storage has been restored and will be installed on the perimeter walls of the church. Parishioners can come individually or in small groups to journey through the passion of Jesus. More details to be published in upcoming weeks.

Blessing of Station of Cross the pictures will be at 10.30am Mass Feb-27th Sunday. God Bless.

LENTEN RETREAT

Caritas Diocese of Penang will be organizing a Lenten retreat by Fr John Anandan on Mar 5th Saturday from 9am to 12pm in CHS which will also be live-streamed for those who are unable to be physically present. Please do come join us in the Lenten Recollection. God Bless

2022 CHRISM MASS

CHS will be hosting 2022 Chrism Mass on Apr 5th Tuesday. Do keep this day free and join us to participate in the Chrism Mass. More details will be made available in coming weeks. God Bless.

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*

CHS COMMUNICATION CHANNEL

We are currently using **Whatsapp Chatgroup** for all Zones and FoCHS communication to disseminate information on the upcoming activities and events for our Parish. Please ensure you are registered in your Zone or FoCHS Chatgroup to receive these broadcasts and information. Contact your respective Zone or FoCHS Leaders for assistance. Thank you and God Bless.

CHS NEW ORGAN AND PIANO

We have procured a new organ and piano for the church where the old ones are almost 20 years old. The old units have been relocated for use in our music room. God Bless.



CHS PARISH PASTORAL ASSEMBLY WITH SYNODAL PROCESS 2020 -2022

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ, Parish Pastoral Assembly will be held in Main Church on Sunday, Feb-27th from 2pm–5pm and live streamed for those who are unable to be physically present. <https://bit.ly/chs-ppa-2022>

Considering the high number of CoVid-19 cases, we are taking precautions to make our Church safe for the event. We seek your help to ensure Low Risk on MySejahtera profile to participate in Church or follow us through live-stream. Let us continue to pray that we remain safe as we meet for this Parish Pastoral Assembly. Thank you and God Bless.

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
- Canned Food
- Adult Diapers
- Cooking Oil
- Instant Noodles
- Milo / Coffee
- Biscuit

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:

Catherine Tan 019-4565577 Anne Tan (CHS Office) 04-6584909 / 012-3984909

CHS 2022 CALENDAR

We are pleased to announce that our [CHS 2022 Calendar](#) is now available. Limited printed copies will be made available for those who need it. Kindly request through your Zone/BEC leaders. Softcopy of the calendar is available for download. Thank you and God Bless.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1J8EWzDD09PD5o-fEnY-e7_xlpHw12Lz/view?usp=sharing



NOTICE

With the new revision on the abolishment of the temperature control and log books, our position to ensure a safe environment for parishioners to attend Mass is severely compromised. The only alternative we can turn to, is to yourselves, as parishioners of CHS to take responsibility and take care of each other (*Kita jaga kita*). The new Omicron variant is highly contagious and most of the time, those tested positive do not have any fever or any of the usual symptoms of the Delta variant. As such, we appeal to all to refrain from coming for Mass especially if you have the following symptoms:-

sore throat, runny nose, persistent cough or any other symptoms related to this pandemic,

irrespective of your self-test result. This would greatly help us make our church safe for us to gather together as one body to worship Him and receive the Eucharist.

COMING BACK TO CHURCH - Catechism of the Catholic Church 1324-1327 defines the Eucharist as the source and summit of Christian Life. We need to receive the Eucharist to strengthen ourselves and persevere through the trials of life. We cannot receive the Eucharist virtually and with the majority of parishioners fully vaccinated, we are encouraging all parishioners to come back and worship our Lord as one body especially on Sundays as it is a day of obligation. The dispensation was given at a time when Covid-19 was taking many lives and no vaccines were available. The situation is different now. If you are fully vaccinated, and especially if you are going to work every day, eating out, going to the market or mall, visiting relatives during CNY, you should be able to come and worship our Lord in church on Sundays as well.

CHS CREATIVE WEEKEND

Do you have a passion for singing? Enjoy capturing special moments? Are words your specialty? Or do you prefer working behind the scenes? CHS is organizing a Creative Weekend and would like to encourage you to participate in the various workshops that are tailor-made to cater to a wide spectrum of creativity. There will be workshops on:-

- Vocals
- Musical Instruments – Keys, Guitars, Drums & Percussions
- Website Management and Maintenance, Social Media – Reaching our parishioners
- Photography & Videography
- Report / Article Writing for Parish events, LCD Projection & Live-Streaming

These workshops are jointly organized by the Music, Media and LCD Projection & Live-Streaming Ministries. As space is limited, we do encourage you to register soonest possible.

Registration opens from **19 February 2022 to 06 March 2022**.

Creative Weekend will be on:-

Date: **19 & 20 March 2022**
Time: **9am to 6pm**
Age: **14 years old and above**
Language: **English**

**** There will be a closed Mass on 20 March 2022 for participants at 6pm****

Registration link: <https://bit.ly/CW-2022> or scan →

If you have any questions, please contact Adrian @ +6016-495 7256

Do not feel shy. Come take advantage of these workshops. At the most, you might feel the calling to contribute your talents in serving the Lord in these Ministries. At the least, you go home having gained some insights and additional knowledge to enhance the gifts and talents that the Lord has graced you with. We look forward to meeting you on 19th and 20th March 2022!



CREATIVE WEEKEND 2022



19-20 March 2022

9:00am to 6:00pm

[There will be a Closed Mass for participants on Sunday at 6pm]



Open for ages 14 years and above

Click here for more details
and to register

Closing Date: **06 March 2022**



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