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2022 THEME
DECEMBER

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

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	MASSSES IN THE PARISH
Dec 25 (Sun) <i>Is 52:7-10 Heb 1:1-6 Jn 1:1-18</i>	9.00 am	MASS (E)	NATIVITY OF THE LORD, SOLEMNITY (CHRISTMAS DAY) Livestream: youtube.com/CHSPgTv
Dec 26 (Mon)	6.40 am 7.00 am	Lauds MASS (E)	St. Stephen, The First Martyr, Feast No Livestream
Dec 27 (Tue)	6.40 am 7.00 am	Lauds MASS (E)	St. John, Apostle & Evangelist, Feast No Livestream
Dec 28 (Wed)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS (E)	The Holy Innocents, Martyrs, Feast No Livestream
Dec 29 (Thu)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS (E)	St Thomas Becket, Bishop & Martyr No Livestream
Dec 30 (Fri)	8.00 pm	MASS (E)	The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph, Feast No Livestream
Dec 31 (Sat)	6.40 am 7.00 am	Lauds MASS	St Sylvester I, Pope No Livestream
	5.30 pm 6.00 pm 10.00 pm	Rosary MASS (E) MASS (ETM)	SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD (NEW YEAR'S EVE) No Livestream Livestream: youtube.com/CHSPgTv
	8.00 am 10.30 am	MASS (M) MASS (E)	SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD (NEW YEAR'S DAY) No Livestream Livestream: youtube.com/CHSPgTv
PARISH ACTIVITIES			
Dec 26 (Mon)	3.30 pm	Legion of Mary	
WEDDING BANNS			
Dec 26 (Mon)	10.00 am	Wedding Mass (M) Noel Ng Nuo Er & Christina Ivo Tan Chiang Tieng	

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

Email Bank-in-Slip to admin@holyspiritcathedral.com

Our Collection for 17 & 18 December 2022: RM7,044.70

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

SOLEMN DECLARATION – THE MINOR BASILICA OF ST. ANNE | 9 JANUARY 2023

Penang Diocese has indeed achieved a significant and historic milestone when our Holy Father, Pope Francis granted the Church of St Anne, Bukit Mertajam the status of Minor Basilica on 5th September 2019. Penang Diocese will be commemorating the Solemn Declaration of the Minor Basilica on 9th January 2023 (Monday) in conjunction with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord.

To assist and encourage more of our parishioners to be able to witness and participate in the celebration, CHS will be organizing buses at a subsidized fee of RM10 per head. Bus will leave CHS at 4pm. Parishioners who would like to join this celebration, kindly register with the Parish Office. Registration will close by 27th December 2022 (Tuesday). Let us come together as CHS parish to witness this historic milestone.

DEVOTIONS BEFORE SUNSET MASS ON SATURDAYS

Below are the prayer devotions before Sunset Mass on Saturdays. Come and join in the devotions:-

Week	Date / Time	Devotions
5 th Saturday	31 Dec 2022 / 5.30 pm	Rosary

DEWAN HOLY SPIRIT

Please take note that the badminton courts at the Dewan Holy Spirit will not be available for the whole month of December 2022 due to parish events.

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

There will be no Christian meditation from 22 December 2022 until 3 January 2023. Meditation will resume on 5 January 2023.

MUSINGS DURING THE PANDEMIC – OUR CHS WEEKLY REFLECTIONS

Has God answered your prayers? Did you call on the name of Jesus and He answered you (*Jer 33:3*)? **God still works miracles today.** Remember the Renewal Experience at the Crib during Christmas and our recent Pentecost Renewal Experience where we are called to ask of the Lord the things that matters most to our heart? When your prayers are answered, give thanks to our loving Father who hears all our prayers and answers them in accordance to His will. Share your testimony that will draw us closer to our Lord. Please send your testimony 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



CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR MASS

Below are the Mass schedules for Christmas & New Year:-

25 th Dec (Sun)	9.00 am	Christmas Day Mass (E)	Main Church
31 st Dec (Sat)	6.00 pm	New Year Eve Mass (E)	Main Church
	10.00 pm	New Year Eve Mass (ETM)	Main Church
1 st Jan (Sun)	8.00 am	New Year Day Mass (M)	Main Church
	10.30 am	New Year Day Mass (E)	Main Church

PPC ELECTIONS

Thank you to all the ministries and cluster groups for completing the elections of new leaders for the new term 2023 – 2025. On behalf of the parish, would also like to thank our leaders who have journeyed with us from 2020-2022, seeing the parish through the difficult times of MCO and adapting to the changes that have become our new norm. Our BECs/Zones/ ministries are truly field hospitals seeing to the needs of not only our parishioners but our community. Thank you for your compassion, care and generosity.

We seek for your continuous prayers as we enter through the final stages of forming a new PPC.

The PPC Election will be held on Sunday 8th January 2023, 2pm - 6pm, beginning with reflection, discernment and voting in of the new PPC leaders. Let us continue to pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance in the selection of our new PPC leaders who will serve and grow our parish in the next three (3) years.

