

NEWBEC

NEW WAY OF BEING CHURCH | 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time | 27 July 2025
(World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly)

CELEBRATING, LISTENING AND WALKING AS PILGRIMS OF HOPE

MONTHLY FOCUS & RATIONALE
ECOLOGY (STEWARDSHIP)

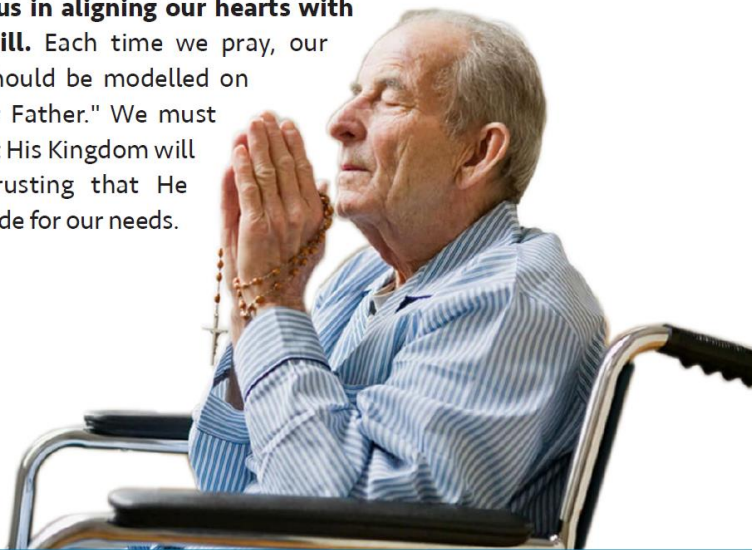
CALLED TO STOPPING THE PLUNDER AND EXPLOITATION OF RESOURCES

The Transformative Power of the "Our Father"

Prayer serves as the key that unlocks the door to the heart of God. Today, Jesus offers us this "key" through His teachings on three essential lessons of prayer: the Lord's Prayer, the importance of persistence in prayer, and the need for intercessory prayer.

The Lord's Prayer encompasses praise, petition, and protection, guiding us in aligning our hearts with God's will.

Each time we pray, our prayer should be modelled on the "Our Father." We must pray that His Kingdom will come, trusting that He will provide for our needs.



"The Lord's Prayer is the most perfect of prayers.... In it we ask, not only for all the things we can rightly desire, but also in the sequence that they should be desired"

St Thomas Aquinas

SCRIPTURE of the DAY

Genesis 18: 20-32

Psalms 137: 1-3, 6-8

Colossians 2: 12-14

Luke 11: 1-13

We seek His forgiveness for our sins and pray that He will protect us from the evil one. This prayer serves as a model for our communication with God, encompassing adoration, supplication, confession, and intercession.

In the Gospel of Luke, Jesus tells the parable of the persistent friend, illustrating that God hears and answers the prayers of those who earnestly seek Him. This teaches us to approach God with unwavering faith, trusting that He will respond in His perfect timing.

The Apostle Paul, in 1 Timothy 2:1-2, emphasises intercessory prayer, urging believers to pray for all people, including kings and those in authority, so that we may lead peaceful and godly lives. Such prayers are not merely requests but acts of faith that invite God's intervention in the lives of others.

In Genesis 18, we witness the transformative power of praying for others when Abraham successfully intercedes on behalf of the people of Sodom, negotiating with God to spare the city. Likewise, through our intercession, God can save the righteous, heal the sick, and protect His creation from all types of danger. If we persevere in prayer, we shall gladly testify: "On the day I called, you answered me, O Lord!"

Therefore, let us continuously pray for Mother Earth. May all mankind learn to see the world through the eyes of God, capturing its beauty, complexity, and purpose. May our hearts be stirred to act, to protect, and to nurture all that God has made. By living sustainably and advocating for policies that protect the environment, may we fulfill our role as faithful stewards of the Earth. In doing so, we honour God, who entrusted us with the care of His creation, and participate in His redemptive work in the world. ✠

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**2025 THEME
JULY**

CELEBRATING, LISTENING AND WALKING AS PILGRIMS OF HOPE

ECOLOGY (STEWARDSHIP)

– CALLED TO STOPPING THE PLUNDER AND EXPLOITATION OF RESOURCES

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	MASSES IN THE PARISH
July 27 (Sun) <i>Gen 18:20-32 Col 2:12-14 Lk 11:1-13</i>	8.00 am 10.30 am	MASS (M) MASS (E)	17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C) WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS & THE ELDERLY No Livestream
Jul 28 (Mon)	6.40 am 7.00 am	Lauds MASS (E)	No Livestream
Jul 29 (Tue)	6.40 am 7.00 am	Lauds MASS (E)	Ss. Martha, Mary and Lazarus No Livestream
Jul 30 (Wed)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS (E)	St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop, Doctor No Livestream
Jul 31 (Thu)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS (E)	St. Ignatius Loyola, Priest No Livestream
Aug 01 (Fri)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS (E)	St. Alphonsus Mary de Liguori, Bishop, Doctor No Livestream
Aug 02 (Sat)	6.40 am 7.00 am 5.30 pm 6.00 pm	Lauds MASS (E) Novena to OMPH MASS (E)	St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest No Livestream
Aug 03 (Sun) <i>Eccl 1:2,2:21-23 Col 3:1-5,9-11 Lk 12:13-21</i>	8.00 am 10.30 am 5.30 pm	MASS (M) MASS (E) MASS (T)	18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C) No Livestream

E = English M = Mandarin T = Tamil BM = Bahasa Malaysia

PARISH NEWS

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 account:-

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 on 19 & 20 July 2025: RM 9,256.41

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

1. **BADMINTON COURTS**

The badminton courts will not be available for use on Sunday, 27 July.

2. **GLOWING EMBERS: POWER UP YOUR HEALTH | 05 AUGUST 2025**

Our CHS parishioner, and Sr Nurse Juliet Vaz highlights the crucial role of exercise and nutrition to steer you to power up your health in this 1.5 hour talk. She shares tips to help you consciously prioritise your health and adopt a healthy lifestyle for a happier and more fulfilling life.

Date/Time: 5 August, 10.00am

Venue: St Mark Classroom

All are welcome.

3. **CHS FIRE WEEKEND | 6 & 7 SEPTEMBER 2025**

Our hearts were made to burn with love for Jesus—and this FIRE Weekend is your invitation to reignite that flame! We warmly invite you, your family, and friends to join us for a powerful two-day encounter with the Holy Spirit at the Cathedral of the Holy Spirit. Let this be a time of renewal, revival, and restoration—not just for our parish, but for your personal walk with Jesus as well.

Dates: 6th September 2025 (9.00AM – 5.30PM) &
7th September 2025 (1.00PM – 7.00PM)

Main Speaker: Jude Antoine

Spiritual Director for the weekend: Bishop Bernard Paul

Fee: RM20 per person (includes meals)

Register by **24th August 2025** via the QR Code or contact Pedro at 016-4882650

Come and allow the Spirit of God to transform your heart and breathe new life into your relationship with Jesus. Let revival begin with YOU

4. **SESSION OF MARY & REDISCOVERING THE POWER OF THE ROSARY | 27 SEPTEMBER 2025**

Date: 27th September 2025

Time: 9.00am to 2.30pm (Lunch will be provided)

Main Speaker: Martin Jalleh

Registration Fee: RM5.00 per person

Please register via QR code – Payment to be collected on actual day

Come and together we journey as a parish in formation and in preparation for the October month of the Rosary.

5. CARITAS PENANG: CASE MANAGEMENT TRAINING FOR DRUG ABUSE | 09 AUGUST 2025

Drug abuse is an alarming issue in Malaysia. Since 2022, as much as 60000 youths below 18 are addicted to various kinds of substances. In this training, we will equip Parish Caritas with the skills to journey with drug users, design plans, and eventually help them recover. Also open for other parish outreach ministries and anyone who keen to learn. Sign up at <https://forms.gle/Y5UN4LNbVkJXanwHD9> before July 29, 2025.

6. PRIDE: ARTIFICIAL ILLUSIONARY INTELLIGENCE | BOOK BY REV FR MARK MICHAEL

This is the latest book in his series by Rev Fr Mark Michael. He explores the attitude of pride in a simple and concise way making this book easily accessible by all. Pride is a sinful elevation of self above God and others. It fosters disobedience, blocks humility, leads to separation from God and hinders spiritual growth and repentance. The book will be available on 26 & 27 July after Masses for a donation of RM10.00

JULY GATHERING

Heaven
YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY
TUESDAY | 8PM - 10 PM | AGE 17 - 25
2ND FLOOR CLASSROOM (ST. MICHAEL)

01 ST	CONNECT (GAMES)
08 TH	NO GATHERING
15 TH	WORD (BIBLE STUDY)
22 ND	PRESENCE (WORSHIP)
29 TH	LISTEN (SESSION)

REVELATION 22:17
LET EVERYONE WHO HEARS, COME!
LET EVERYONE WHO IS THIRSTY, COME!
LET ANYONE WHO WISHES, TAKE THE WATER OF LIFE AS A GIFT.

PLEASE CONTACT OUR CORE TEAM IF YOU HAVE ANY INQUIRIES:
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POWER UP YOUR HEALTH



5 August. 10.00am
St Mark Classroom
Presented by
Juliet Vaz,
Senior Nurse







CASE MANAGEMENT TRAINING FOR DRUG ABUSE

Scan to register



9.8.2025 Sat, 9am-4pm
MASC Penang
 (Monsignor Aloysius Spirituality Center)




Get equipped with case management skill to assist drug users in their journey towards recovery. Help them to get out from their home to rehab centre, support group, or community living.

Parish Caritas, SSVP, parents, teachers, youths, and all those who are interested to learn are encouraged to sign up.

Enquiry: Francis 011-65137507, Rachel 017-462 8466 caritaspenang.com

PRIDE

ARTIFICAL ILLUSIONARY INTELLIGENCE





Cathedral of the Holy Spirit Presents

FIRE WEEKEND

(Faith Inspired Renewal Experience)

"...But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth." Acts 1:8



Main Speaker :
Jude Antoine



Spiritual Director :
Bishop Bernard Paul

Register via this QR Code



8TH SEPTEMBER 2025 – 9.00AM TO 5.30PM
7TH SEPTEMBER 2025 – 1.00PM TO 7.00PM
VENUE : DEWAN HOLY SPIRIT
REGISTRATION FEE : RM20.00 PER PERSON
CLOSING DATE : 24TH AUGUST 2025

Come and allow the Holy Spirit to re-ignite the fire of love in your hearts and lead you towards restoration through a life in the Spirit.


Enquiries : 0164882650-Pedro

"REDISCOVERING THE POWER OF THE ROSARY"


Cathedral of The Holy Spirit, 27 Sept. 2025

- ❖ Come, rediscover the Rosary being a powerful tool for spiritual growth, renewal and protection.
- ❖ Come, be inspired by the testimonies of the saints and popes of such a source of grace.
- ❖ Come, gain insights into the Rosary being a powerful scriptural meditative practice, fostering a sense of empowerment through contemplation of Jesus' life.

REGISTER EARLY
Scan Code



SPIRITUAL GUIDE : MARTIN JALLEH is a Catholic, married lay leader, motivator, speaker, formator, spiritual guide of retreats and involved in diverse ministries over a span of more than 45 years. Those who have attended his sessions have described them as "enriching", "enlightening", "empowering" and even "entertaining".



Registration/Food: RMS/-

Enquiries:

1. Pedro Geronimo 016-4882640

2. Maria Yeap: 012-5226798



CATHOLIC SINGLES DATING HUB



8TH CSDH EVENT on
26th-28th SEPTEMBER 2025


"Often we look so long at the closed door that we don't see the one that has been opened for us."
By Helen Keller

 DOMUS ST. ANNE, MINOR BASILICA OF ST. ANNE, BUKIT MERTAJAM

COST: RM360.00 PER PAX (TWIN SHARING) (INCLUDING MEALS)

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"REDISCOVERING THE POWER OF THE ROSARY"

An Invitation to you to Ponder, Pray and Prepare well for the Month of the Rosary (October, 2025).

DEWAN HOLY SPIRIT, Penang
27 Sept. (Sat.) 2025: 9am to 2.30pm
Spiritual Guide: Mr Martin Jalleh

"A powerful means of renewing our courage will undoubtedly be found in the Holy Rosary." ~ Pope Leo XIII



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