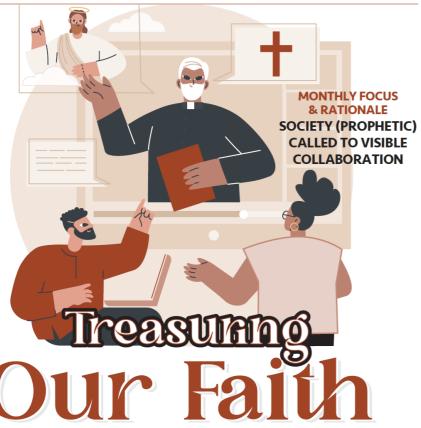


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CELEBRATING, LISTENING AND WALKING AS PILGRMS OF HOPE



The readings today tell us about the faith of Abraham, who steadfastly believed in the promise God had made to him, though he knew he would not live to see it fulfilled. While he and his family lived as nomads on earth, their hearts belonged to their true homeland, the kingdom of God. In this way, he led a life pleasing to God and was commended for his faith.



"Iesus Christ is the one whom the Father anointed with the Holy Spirit and established as priest, prophet, and king. The whole People of God participates in these three offices of Christ and bears the responsibilities for mission and service that flow from them." CCC 783

SCRIPTURE of the DAY

Wisdom 18: 6-9

Psalm 32: 1, 12, 18-20, 22

Hebrew 11: 1-2, 8-19 (or 11: 1-2, 8-12)

Luke 12: 32-48

(or 12: 35-40)

INTERNAL CIRCULATION ONLY BUL 32/2025 Jesus, in the Gospel reading, urges his disciples to take heart and place their faith in the kingdom of God, where nothing can destroy the treasures that await them. He reminds them that they may be called to account at any time, and like good stewards, should always be ready to welcome the master when he comes.

"Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also".

These words hold a profound meaning and are a reminder for us today – among the hustle and bustle of our lives, where do our hearts belong? What occupies our thoughts, energies and desires? The things we value reveal what is in our hearts and we are always ready to take action for all that we love.

That is why it is so important for us as disciples of Christ to examine the orientation of our hearts. Only when we are clear about what is truly important to us, will we be able to wholeheartedly proclaim the Gospel. If our hearts are captivated by temporary things, we lose sight of the treasures awaiting us in heaven and forget our mission here on earth. But when our hearts are anchored in God's promises and His truth, we can freely proclaim the Gospel with sincerity and conviction, willing to use our time, talents, and resources to serve others, reflecting the generosity of God's own love.

This month's focus on catechesis is also an invitation for us to renew our understanding and appreciation of the treasures we have inherited through the Church – the sacraments, teachings, community, and the very presence of Christ in our lives. By deepening our knowledge of these things and treasuring them in our hearts, we can more confidently and joyfully share them with others. In doing so, we reflect God's love and invite others to discover the greatest treasure of all: life in Christ.

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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	Tithes	Sharing Hope Project
	Mass Offering		Outreach Projects
	Hall Booking		
	Wake Room Booking		
Bank	Public Bank Berhad	RHB Bank Berhad	RHB Bank Berhad
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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 02 & 03 August 2025: RM 10,506.60 2nd Collection on 02 & 03 August 2025: RM 8.812.83

Café Donations for July 2025: RM 1,076.80 **Sharing Hope Donations for July 2025:** RM 1,550.00

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

1. TAMIL APOSTOLATE COFFEE MORNING | 09 & 10 AUGUST 2025

Tamil Apostolate will be having their Coffee morning on 9 and 10 August 2025. The main purpose of the fundraising is for Outreach and for the poor and needy. Check out our poster for the menu!

2. BADMINTON COURTS

Parishioners can come and play badminton every Sunday - either 3pm to 5pm or 5pm to 7pm. No charges and no registration required.

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	MASSES IN THE PARISH	
Aug 10 (Sun) Wis 18:6-9 Heb 11:1-2,8-19 Lk 12:32-48	8.00 am 10.30 am	MASS (M) MASS (BM)	19 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)	
Aug 11 (Mon)	6.40 am 7.00 am	Lauds MASS (E)	St. Claire, Virgin	
Aug 12 (Tue)	6.40 am 7.00 am	Lauds MASS (E)	St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious	
Aug 13 (Wed)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS (E)	Ss. Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs	
Aug 14 (Thu) 1 Chr 15:3-4,15- 16;16:1-2 1 Cor 15:54-57 Lk 11:27-28	7.30 pm 8.00 pm	Rosary (E) MASS (E)	Vigil of The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Solemnity St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest, Martyr	
Aug 15 (Fri) Rev 11:19,12:1-6,10 1 Cor 15:20-26 Lk 1:39:56	11.30 am 12 noon 7.30 pm 8.00 pm	Rosary (E) MASS (E) Rosary (ETMB) MASS (ETM)	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Solemnity (Day of Obligation) No Livestream Livestream	
Aug 16 (Sat)	6.40 am 7.00 am 5.30 pm 6.00 pm	Lauds MASS (E) Novena to OMPH MASS (E)	St. Stephen of Hungary No Livestream Livestream	
Aug 17 (Sun) Jer 38:4-6,8-10 Heb 12:1-4 Lk 12:49-53	8.00 am 10.30 am	MASS (M) MASS (E)	20 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)	
E = English M = Mandarin T = Tamil BM = Bahasa Malaysia				

3. CHS AWARENESS PROGRAM: A SAFER TOMORROW STARTS TODAY | 16 AUGUST 2025

Date: 16 August 2025, Saturday

P Time: 2:00 pm - 4:40 pm

Join us for an informative and eye-opening awareness session featuring talks and exhibition booths by:

◆ PDRM (Royal Malaysia Police) – Scam Awareness

◆ AADK (National Anti-Drugs Agency) – Drug Abuse Prevention

Audience: Exclusively for Catechism Students in Standard 5 and 6, Form 1 to Form 5, and Their **Parents Only**

As we navigate a fast-evolving, digitally connected world, staying informed and vigilant is more important than ever. This session invites our community to deepen awareness, gain practical wisdom, and make informed, responsible choices for a safer, more secure future for all.

Contact Person: Deacon Andrew

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4. HAVEN YOUTH MINISTRY: BATTLE NIGHT | 16 AUGUST 2025

BATTLE NIGHT IS HERE AGAIN! Join us this month as we step into a new season with the confidence that God never changes, and His faithfulness and presence will forever remain!

Get ready for an awesome night of fun, fellowship, and faith! Let's journey and grow with one another, SEE YOU THERE! 2

Date: 16th August 2025 Time: 8:30pm - 10:30pm

Venue: Cathedral of the Holy Spirit, 2nd floor classrooms (St. Michael - St. Raphael)

Any questions? Reach out to our core team:

BISHOP BERNARD PAUL: PROGRAM FOR LEADERS | 6 SEPTEMBER 2025

Bishop Bernard Paul will be having a Leaders Program for us all on 6 September (Saturday) from 8.00pm to 10.00pm at the Dewan Holy Spirit. He will be sharing on how to be effective leaders so that we can help our parishioners and bring revival back to our parish. Please block this date and time in your calendars and come listen and be encouraged in your respective ministry as leaders. This program is open to all CHS leaders and leaders-in-training. Please make the necessary effort to come for this formation.

6. 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 (1.00 – 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.

7. 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.

8. CHANGES IN LIVE STREAMING OF MASSES

From August 2025 onwards, we will live stream only one Mass per month, which will be on the Sunset Mass of the 3rd Week of the month. However, we will live stream Masses on these days too:-

- Holydays of Obligation
- Christmas Eve & Christmas Day
- Holy Week (Palm Sunday, Chrism Mass, Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday)
- Pentecost Novena and Feast Day (10 days)
- Anniversary of Dedication of the Cathedral (20 Jan)
- Confirmation Mass
- First Holy Communion Mass

9. CHS FAMILY DAY | 16 SEPTEMBER 2025

We will be celebrating CHS Family Day this year on Tuesday 16th September 2025 beginning with Malaysia Day Mass at 9am followed by fellowship and games up to 2pm.

As we will be providing breakfast after Mass and lunch, kindly help us by registering through on-line google form QR code in poster or URL link below to enable us to prepare adequate food and minimize wastage. URL Link https://forms.gle/UGHr5WofBgMQmXow9

Do come and join us to give thanks to God for peace and harmony on Malaysia Day together as one CHS Family.

10. HAVEN YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY: AUGUST GATHERINGS

Hello to all Young Adults!

We're excited to invite you to our Haven Young Adults August Gathering! Starting on the 5th of August, 8pm to 10pm, we have something different lined up for you each week-connecting over games, diving into Bible study, dwelling in worship, and breaking the Word through sessions together.

We're kicking off Week 1 with a special BBQ to celebrate our 1st Anniversary!

These gatherings are for ages 17–25 only, so if that's you, come be part of our community. Join us on the 2nd Floor Classroom (St. Michael) and remember:

Everyone who hears, thirst, or wishes to receive the water of life is welcome (Revelation 22:17).

For more details, feel free to contact Julio (016-4339445) or Caitlin (016-4215027)

11. MT MIRIAM CANCER HOSPITAL - H.U.G.S. CHARITY FUN RUN | 9 NOVEMBER 2025

H.U.G.S. - the 2025 edition is back!

We can't stress enough how much **Hope**, **Understanding** & **Group Support** mean in one's cancer journey. You never know who might be fighting a silent battle—so let's walk in solidarity, for those we know and those we don't. We're lacing up once again to raise funds for our Cancer Welfare Fund – and we want you with us!

- **♦** Date: 9 Nov 2025 (Sunday)
- ♦ Flag-Off Time: 7am
- ♦ Venue: Straits Quay Promenade, Penang

We'll be heading to Straits Green Park this time! Expect sea breeze, friendly faces, and if we're lucky – a breathtaking sunrise too.

♥ To register: https://howei.com/event_details/mountmiriamhugscharityrun2025

or you may scan the QR Code on the poster. Cancer survivors register for FREE! \Re – 30 slots on a first-come, first-served basis.

For group registration of 20 participants and above, kindly get the manual registration excel file from us.

Not a runner? No problem. Come for the cause, stay for the good vibes, leave with the joy of knowing that you have made a difference. **All proceeds go to the Mount Miriam Cancer Welfare Fund, supporting cancer patients in need.** See you!

To make a donation:

- Bank: OCBC Bank (Malaysia) Berhad
- Account Name: Mount Miriam Cancer Hospital TKPKMM
- Account Number: 7301297883

Send our team the donation slip to get your tax-exempt receipt.

The registration is now open! Mount Miriam team will be visiting the parish to promote the run-on 16th & 17th August 2025. If you are interested, kindly visit them at their booth on the day! Special rate for registration will be given upon their visitation.

For more enquiry or registration, you may contact:

Cheryl (010-9461018/016-9521093) or Bing Yang (016-5217064)

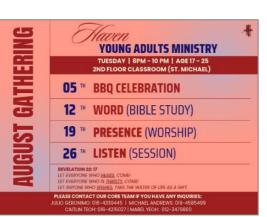
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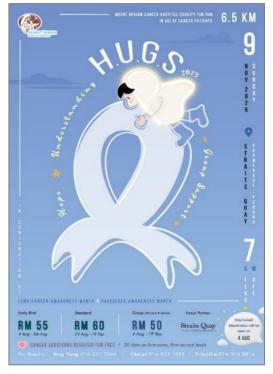












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