

# Services for the week

24<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> August 2008

- SUN 24<sup>th</sup>** **Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
7.30 am *Mandarin*: In thanksgiving  
9.00 am For the soul of Joseph Choa Tian Lye  
10.30 am For the intention of all parishioners (*see notice board*)  
12.30 pm El Shaddai Prayer and Mass  
5.30 pm For the soul of Derek Isaac
- MON 25<sup>th</sup>** (*2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12 Ps 96:1-5 Mt 23:13-22*)  
7.00 am For the soul of Ronald Clifford Drysdale  
8.30 am For the soul of Maria Mak Hup Yew  
6.00 pm For the soul of Benedict Tan Boon Yong  
6.30 pm Devotion to the Infant Jesus
- TUE 26<sup>th</sup>** (*2 Thes 2:1-3, 14-17 Ps 96:10-13 Mt 23:23-26*)  
7.00 am Birthday blessing for Chua Soo Yang  
8.30 am For the soul of Emily Teo  
6.00 pm In thanksgiving for safe delivery- Sharon
- WED 27<sup>th</sup>** **St Monica** (*2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-18 Ps 128:1-2, 4-5 Mt 23:27-32*)  
7.00 am Special intentions of Rev Fr Remi Liando  
8.30 am For the soul of Robert Low Hock Soon  
6.00 pm For the soul of James Ong Geok Teng
- THU 28<sup>th</sup>** **St Augustine** (*1 Cor 1:1-9 Ps 145:2-7 Mt 24:42-51*)  
7.00 am For the souls of Matthew Pau and Margaret Seow  
8.30 am For the souls of Cecilia Oh Eng Neo & Yeow Chui Chye  
6.00 pm For the soul of Philip Wee
- FRI 29<sup>th</sup>** **Martyrdom of John the Baptist**  
(*1 Cor 1:17-25 Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11 Mk 6:17-29*)  
7.00 am For the soul of Alice Ho Kum Yee  
8.30 am For the soul of Margaret Lee  
6.00 pm Special intention and good health for Joseph Ng  
8.00 pm Charismatic Praise & Worship
- SAT 30<sup>TH</sup>** (*1 Cor : 26-31 Ps 33:12-13, 18-21 Mt 25:14-30*)  
7.00 am For the soul of Ho Ket Hin  
8.30 am For the soul of Robert Low Hock Soon  
6.00 pm Birthday blessing for Samantha Marie
- SUN 31<sup>st</sup>** 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

**CLINICAL PASTORAL EDUCATION**-The Parish Pastoral Team is organizing a talk by Sr Una Boland on caring for the sick and house-bound at St. James' Room on 9<sup>th</sup> Oct 2008 at 7.45 pm. All are welcome.

**LOVE SEX & BABIES: What's the Church doing in my bedroom**

Family Life Society is organizing this one-day congress on 27<sup>th</sup> October 2008, 9.00am to 5.00pm at Blessed Sacrament Church. Visit [www.prolife.sg/lovesexbabies](http://www.prolife.sg/lovesexbabies) or call 98464978 for more details and registration.

**MID-AUTUMN FESTIVAL- SAT 13<sup>TH</sup> SEPT 2008-** Tickets at \$2/= per person available at the church office. Closing date for the Lantern Making Competition is Sunday, 7<sup>th</sup> September 2008. Kindly send your lanterns to the church office when they are ready.

**CATHOLIC NEIGHBOURHOOD GROUPS**

This week the following groups are gathering

- Ghim Moh : Gp 3 & 4 @ Blk 21 Ghim Moh Rd #10-169 on 26/8 (8pm)  
Holland : Gp 3 @ Blk 22 Holland Drive #03-118 on 29/8 (8pm)  
Tanglin Halt : Gp 2 @ Blk 43 Tanglin Halt Rd #08-227 on 27/8 (8pm)  
Alexandra : Gp 1 @ 370E Anchorage #07-04 on 28/8 (8 pm)  
Tanglin Halt : Gp 3 @ Blk 90 Tanglin Halt Rd #32-324 on 28/8 (8pm)

**CONVERSION EXPERIENCE RETREAT 10 (STAY-IN)**

Conducted by Fr William Goh on 11<sup>th</sup> Sept (9 am)- 14<sup>th</sup> 2008 (6 pm). At Catholic Spirituality Centre. For more information and registration ring 62887901.

**COURSE BY FR ALBERT RENCKENS SS.CC.**

*First Letter to the Corinthians*- 8 sessions at St Peter's Room, Damien Centre, on Tuesday nights from 8.00pm- 9.30pm, commencing on 2<sup>nd</sup> September. Fee: \$30.00. Applications can be made at the parish office.

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE (MPC)**

Next Course Starts: 12<sup>th</sup> Oct 2008. Application forms obtainable in church office or our website @ [www.catholic.org.sg/mpc](http://www.catholic.org.sg/mpc) Enquiries: John & Joan @ 98482864 or email: [marthasohsk@yahoo.com](mailto:marthasohsk@yahoo.com)

**Praise@Work** invites you to join a mission exposure trip to Prieto Diaz, Sorsogon, Philippines from 27<sup>th</sup> Sept to 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 2008. Cost SGD 750 per pax estimated. Register by 3 Aug 08. For more details, please contact Joanne 9657 7149, Martinus 9634 5448 or Winifred 9105 4152 or email [st@praiseatwork.org](mailto:st@praiseatwork.org), <http://www.praiseatwork.org>

**Children's storybook: "Tell me a story, then I'll go to bed"**

Raymond A. Fernando & his wife, Doris Lau who suffers from schizophrenia & severe arthritis have produced a children's bedtime storybook that will encourage the reading habit in children. Raymond will be here on 30<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> August 2008 to promote this book. Do support the couple and buy a copy of this book.

**COUNSELLING @ BLESSED SACRAMENT (Free and Strictly Confidential)**

Trained counsellors from the Family Life Society will be at Damien Centre Level 3 on Mondays (7.30am - 9.30pm) and Wednesdays (2.30-4-30pm, 7.30-9.30pm). Call 63820688 for more information or to make an appointment.