

Services of the Week

26th April to 2nd May 2009

- SUN 26th** **Third Sunday of Easter**
7.30 am *Mandarin:* In thanksgiving – Tan Ah Buay
9.00 am For the souls of Peter, Steven and Alexander
10.45 am For the intention of all parishioners (*see notice board*)
12.30 pm El Shaddai Prayer Session and Mass
5.30 pm In thanksgiving – Nina and Didi
- MON 27th** (*Ac 6:8-15 Ps 118:23-24,26-27 Jn 6:22-29*)
7.00 am For the souls in purgatory
8.30 am For the souls of Eddie, Enid and all souls
6.00 pm Special intention- Jonathan Wee
- TUE 28th** (*Ac 7:51-8:1 Ps 30:3-4,6-8,17,21 Jn 6:30-35*)
7.00 am For the well being of Leslie Ganapathy and family
8.30 am For the soul of Cyril Kwek (*5th anniv*)
6.00 pm For the souls in purgatory
- WED 29th** **St Catherine of Siena** (*Ac 8:1-8 Ps 65:1-7 Jn 6:35-40*)
7.00 am For the souls of Margaret Lee and Lee Teck Jin
8.30 am In thanksgiving and blessings
6.00 pm For the soul of Christine Joseph
- THU 30th** (*Ac 8:26-40 Ps 65:8-9,16-17,20 Jn 6:44-51*)
7.00 am For peace and good health for Mak Sow Wan
8.30 am For the souls of John Wong Seng Tuck and Michael Wong
6.00 pm For the souls of Ho Yoke Ying and John Yim
- FRI 1st** **First Friday** (*Ac 9:1-20 Ps 116:1-2 Jn 6:52-59*)
7.00 am For the soul of Song Eng Hock Harry
8.30 am For the soul of Choo Seok Lin
3.30 pm Wedding Mass for Gerald Fuzalde and Monique Valderra
6.00 pm **Holy Hour:** In thanksgiving- Malayalam Sodality
6.30 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
8.00 pm Charismatic Praise and worship
9.00 pm Over night vigil
10.30 pm For all souls in purgatory
- SAT 2nd** **St Athanasius** (*Ac 9:31-42 Ps 115:12-17 Jn 6:60-69*)
4.30 am For the soul of Stephen Yong
7.00 am For the soul of Jacob Savarimuthu
8.30 am Birthday blessings for Jean Toh
10.00 am Wedding Mass for Julius Geow Hock Chwee and Chaw Yui Teeng
4.00 pm Confessions
5.00 pm Novena in honour of Our Lady
6.00 pm For the souls of Rosalin Tan, James Koh, Paul Ng & Margaret Lim

PROPOSED WEST DISTRICT JOB FAIR

As a response to the current financial crisis, the West District parishes are considering organising a job fair for mature job seekers this July at the Church of St Mary of the Angels. We would like to invite interested potential employers to inform us about positions available. Job seekers may access the website at www.stmary.sg and download a simple form. The forms will also be available at the St Mary of the Angels Parish Office.

- If you are an employer with jobs vacancies at your company, please contact Emily at listing@jobfair.stmary.sg

- If you are a job seeker, please email completed application forms to Margaret at application@jobfair.stmary.sg or send them to Church of St Mary of the Angels, 5 Bukit Batok East Ave. 2, Singapore 659918.

- If you have any general enquiries, please contact Lily at enquiry@jobfair.stmary.sg

Diocesan Vocation Retreat- Powerful Weakness

From 15th May (7.30pm) to 17th May (5pm) for those age 17-33 years, with at least 'A' level or equivalent. Come, discover and discern your life vocation.

PARENT TRAP@CANA CANA open dialogue with parents commencing with mass celebrated by Fr Erbin Fernandez (God and Family in our Pressure-Cooker Society) on 29 April 2009. 6 May - Disciplining at Breaking Point; 13 May - Parents as Coaches for Child Performance; 20 May - Let your Challenged Child Challenge You. All sessions start at 9.15 - 11.15 am. Venue: CANA The Catholic Centre. Registration cana@catholiccentre.com.sg or call 63364815/63364467

Rosary Prayers: in the month of May the Malayalam Sodality will be leading the Rosary Prayers in the church on Mondays to Fridays at 5.30pm. All are welcome.

Sunday Canteen, 26 April: Alpha will run the canteen this Sunday

Verbum Dei Missionaries is organizing a jumble sale on 9th May 2009 from 10am to 5pm at 2A Bury Road, (opposite Gillman Heights) to raise fund for their Mission. Kindly come and support the event. For more info call 62740251.

Boys' Town Blue Ribbon Project: Your generous support will help the lives of the disadvantaged boys in Boys' Town. This weekend members from Boys' Town will be in the church compound selling coupons for their food fair.

Marriage Encounter will be celebrating their 30th anniversary on 23rd May 2009 at Church of the Holy Cross from 9.00 am with concurrent sessions enrichment programme. Archbishop Nicholas Chia will celebrate the Mass at 12 noon. For details and registration log-on to: www.marriage-encounter-sg.org.

Freshmen Orientation Camps

"The Catholic groups in NUS, NTU and SMU will be having their Freshmen Orientation Camps in June, July and August, respectively. Please contact Cheryl @ 96871809 or Joanna @ 91504836 (NUS), Nathaniel @ 96320147 or Jessamine @ 91128705 (NTU) or Anthony @ 91905787 or Sherman @ 91703263 (SMU)."

COUNSELLING @ BLESSED SACRAMENT

For free and confidential counselling by Family Life Society members at Blessed Sacrament Church call 63820688 for appointment.

Be Awakened by the Holy Spirit! [Praise@Work](#) Life In The Spirit Seminar 2009 is a 6-weeks session for working adults held every Saturday at St. Bernadette's Church (Opp Great World City) from 30 May to 4 Jul, 2:30pm - 5:30pm. Fees: \$25 (exclude stay in retreat on Fri, 26 Jun (7.30pm) – Sun 28 Jun (1.30pm)).

For enquiries and registration, please email liss@praiseatwork.org or contact Stella : 9755 0829 or Patricia : 81257238

Paul the Musical will be staged at the University Cultural Centre, National University of Singapore from 26 – 28 June 2009. To reserve your tickets, email paulthemusical@stmary.sg or call 6567 3866 to leave your particulars. Visit www.stmary.sg/paulthemusical for more details!

Ever wonder what your life is all about? “Rescued by Love - The 21st Youth in the Spirit Seminar will be organized by the Amplify Ministry from 18th – 21st June 2009 for all youths aged 16 – 30. Come alongside young people to explore and discover God, our faith and the purpose of our lives, in this fun filled stay-in retreat. For more information, please contact Natalie (9816-0067) or Sylvester (9658-7617) or email: youthinthespiritseminar@gmail.com”

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE 2009

Before you take the plunge, consider journeying with your partner in the **Marriage Preparation Course (MPC)** where you will learn the cornerstones of a happy marriage, how to live a Christian marriage, discuss challenges that the couples face and perhaps along the way discover even more about each other.

As you go through key topics during sessions specially designed for couples like yourselves who are contemplating marriage, you will grow ever closer and lay the foundation for what it takes to make your lifelong partnership work.

Take a positive step towards your future together with **MPC**

Forms are available at the Parish Office or through website at www.catholic.org.sg/MPC

Applications should be made at least six months in advance.